

THE REGION'S PUBLIC UNIVERSITY

The University of Southern Indiana was founded in 1965. Today, USI enrolls nearly 10,000 undergraduate, graduate, and doctoral students in 80 majors. The University offers programs through the College of Liberal Arts, Romain College of Business, College of Nursing and Health Professions, and the Pott College of Science, Engineering, and Education. USI is a Carnegie Foundation Community Engaged University and offers continuing education and special programs to more than 15,000 participants annually through its Division of Outreach and Engagement. Additional information about USI can be found on line at www.usi.edu/about.

KEY FACTS

Number of undergraduate students: **8,913**

Number of graduate students: **989**

On Campus: **25%** Commuter: **75%**

Full-time: **76%** Part-time: **24%**

Male: **39%** Female: **61%**

Minority: **11%** International: **2.5%**

Non-traditional (age 25+): **25%**

Student-faculty ratio: **16:1**

Students come from 91 counties in Indiana, 39 states, and 67 other nations

Over 34,500 alumni – 75% stayed in Indiana

Top Majors by Number

Nursing, Business Administration, Biology, Psychology, Engineering, Health Services, Accounting and Professional Services, Art, Exercise Science, History

Average Cost of Attendance

Estimated undergraduate tuition (Indiana resident, academic year): **\$6,358**

Average room and board (academic year): **\$7,680**

Top Employers of USI Graduates

Evansville-Vanderburgh School Corporation, Deaconess Hospital, Inc., St. Mary's Health Care Services, Bristol-Myers Squibb, Warrick County School Corporation, Old National Bank, Springleaf Financial Services, Inc., Vectren, Fifth Third Bank, Kimball International, Toyota Manufacturing Indiana, Inc.

Impact

- Since the University's founding, the college-going rate of our region's high school graduates has increased from 33 percent to 85 percent—19 percent higher than the national average.

- USI graduates' lifetime incomes increase an average of \$6.30 for every dollar invested in their education—or, from another perspective, students enjoy a 17.1 percent rate of return on what they spend on tuition and fees.

- With students, faculty, and staff, USI has a campus population of more than 12,000 – and adds at least \$73.6 million to the local economy annually through its operations. Altogether, the average annual added income due to USI's activities and its graduates equals \$264.1 million, according to a 2013 economic modeling study.

The Volunteer USI program has achieved more than one million n volunteer hours.

Commitment to Partnerships and Regional Development

- USI convenes the I-69 Innovation Corridor Initiative, bringing individuals and organizations from throughout the region together to optimize development along I-69.

- USI's partnership intermediary agreement with NSWC Crane facilitates development of K-12 STEM initiatives, technology transfer, incubator services at Innovation Pointe, and innovation process research. The Innovation Discovery Process developed for Crane is recognized as a best practice within the Department of Defense.

- The College Achievement Program (CAP) is a nationally-accredited concurrent enrollment program partnering with 28 high schools to offer USI courses at a reduced tuition rate. Over 2,400 juniors and seniors earned more than 11,000 college credit hours in 2012-13.

- Connect with Southern Indiana, Historic Southern Indiana, and Historic

New Harmony focuses on developing human and historic resources, including facilitating projects for the 2014 New Harmony Bicentennial.

- Knowledge resources of faculty, staff, and students are available through USI's Speakers Bureau and Experts Guide, Center for Applied Research and Economic Development, and Service Learning academic and co-curricular programs.

Training and Continuing Professional Education

- Outreach and Engagement human resource development experts offer a wide array of organization and professional development services for the regional business community through public and on-site customized programs. A certificate program was recently developed in partnership with the local chapter of the Project Management Institute.

- Corporate relationships include Alcoa Warrick and Tennessee Operations, Kimball International, Best Home Furnishings, Farbest Foods, Inc., HRI Dental, Mead Johnson Nutrition, Bristol-Myers Squibb, Vectren, Toyota Motor Manufacturing, Indiana, WorkOne Southwest, German American Bancorp, and Flanders.

A Carnegie Foundation Engaged University

The Carnegie Foundation for the Advancement of Teaching has given University of Southern Indiana its Community Engagement classification. This recognizes USI's ongoing collaboration with the Tri-state community and beyond in both curricular engagement and outreach and partnerships.

MISSION

The University of Southern Indiana is an engaged learning community advancing education and knowledge, enhancing civic and cultural awareness, and fostering partnerships through comprehensive outreach programs. We prepare individuals to live wisely in a diverse and global community.

ADDITIONAL INFORMATION AND RESOURCES

USI at a Glance

www.usi.edu/about/

Community Resources (Division of Outreach and Engagement, Center for Applied Research and Economic Development, Workforce Development, Service Learning, Connect with Southern Indiana, Historic Southern Indiana, Historic New Harmony, and more) www.usi.edu/extserv/outreach

Academic Programs

www.usi.edu/academics

Visitors Guide

www.usi.edu/visit

Volunteer Services

www.usi.edu/volunteer

Higher Education at Innovation Pointe

www.usi.edu/extserv/outreach/innovationpointe.asp
www.growthallianceevv.com/

Continuing Education

www.usi.edu/extserv/continuingeducation.asp

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