

What participants had to say about the program

"Edge rocked. Now instead of being the nervous wreck I was before I went, I'm confident I won't be lost or nervous about UE."

"Everyone was so nice. I have never made friends so quickly in my life."

"We experienced firsthand what college classes are like and the assignments involved."

"At first I just thought it would be a way for me to get three credit hours. I had no idea how much fun I would end up having."

"This was the most beneficial thing I could have done as an incoming freshman. I have learned about all different kinds of programs and organizations on campus. I have gotten to know my way around campus. I have also had the opportunity to meet a lot of the professors here and some fellow incoming students. Every session introduced us to a new professor, building, or idea."

"I do not want to leave. Bye to all my new friends until fall. I will miss you all."

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who want to begin their college
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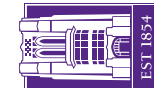
JUNE 20 - JULY 1, 2009
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What is the Freshman Edge?

A Residential Campus Life Experience Plus a Three-Credit College Course

This is a unique 11-day summer program designed for incoming freshmen who want to begin their college experience with an edge on success. This program gives students a chance to experience life in the residence hall, make new friends, work closely with UE faculty members, and meet key leaders in the Evansville community. Students will take "The American Corporation," a three-credit course of intensive work that fulfills a general education requirement. They will ask questions, seek answers, make connections, and explore the campus before the fall semester begins.

The Freshman Edge Goals

- Help students develop relationships and gain positive support among peers
- Engage students in educational and social activities; create relationships that will last throughout their college career
- Ensure that students start college with an understanding of campus life through experiences with upperclassmen, professional staff members, and faculty members

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Program Highlights

The Freshman Edge program offers many opportunities for students to become familiar with the campus and all that UE has to offer. Cultural, social, and educational activities are held throughout the 11-day program to enhance students' collegiate experience and to give them an edge on success.

- Meet UE faculty and key Evansville leaders.
- Develop and use critical reading and writing skills in a college class.
- Study the American corporation – international and domestic enterprise – to fulfill a general education requirement. Earn three credit hours.
- Increase your learning through hands-on field experiences.
- Challenge yourself in a class with other competitive students.
- Learn to manage your time for study and campus activities.
- Participate in the low ropes course.
- Begin lifelong college friendships.
- Get started with career services ("Do What You Are").
- *Have fun – swimming, putt-putt, smoothies, and the Slice.*

UE faculty members, professional staff, and community leaders facilitate the programs that the Freshman Edge students attend. This allows the students to meet professors, experience their approach to teaching, and get acquainted with the University community.

You will walk away with:

- Three credit hours
- Better knowledge of the University and of Evansville
- New friends
- Knowledge that just about everything is in place for you to begin your college experience

Registration

Register online at www.evansville.edu.

Name _____
Last First Middle

Address _____
Street or P.O. Box Number

City _____ State ____ Zip Code _____

Home Telephone () _____

Cell Phone () _____

E-mail _____

Gender: M F Date of Birth _____

Social Security Number _____

Check if you are a Twenty-first Century Scholar Student

Dates: June 20 - July 1, 2009 (immediately following SOAR II, June 18-20).

Fee: \$1,500 (all-inclusive)

- Space limited to 50 students
- \$100 nonrefundable deposit secures your registration
- Full payment due no later than **May 1, 2009**

T-shirt size: S M L XL

Check appropriate box:

- \$100**
I have enclosed the \$100 deposit to secure my registration and will pay the balance due before May 1, 2009.
- \$1,500**
I have enclosed the full fee of \$1,500.

Make checks payable to the University of Evansville

MasterCard Discover American Express

A convenience fee of 2.5 percent will be added to all credit card transactions.

Card Number _____

Expiration Date _____

Signature _____

Return to: The Freshman Edge, University of Evansville,
1800 Lincoln Avenue, Evansville, Indiana 47722

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