

Student Residential Check-In Schedule

Residential students will begin to arrive on campus Aug. 1.

Students who have questions about early check-in and housing, should contact the Office of Housing and Residence Life at studentservices@findlay.edu or 419-434-4570.

Saturday, Aug. 1, 8 a.m. – noon: **resident directors**

Wednesday, Aug. 5, 3 p.m. – 5 p.m.: **football #1**

Thursday, Aug. 6, 11 a.m. – noon: **football #2**

Saturday, Aug. 8, 10 a.m. – noon: **women's volleyball, returning RAs**

Sunday, Aug., 9, 9 a.m. – noon: **resident assistants; 1 p.m. – 3 p.m.: women's soccer**

Monday, Aug. 10, 1 p.m. – 3 p.m.: **men's soccer, band drum line**

Tuesday, Aug. 11, 9 a.m. – 9:45 a.m.: **band camp assistants**

Wednesday, Aug. 12, 8 a.m. – 10 a.m.: **new band members**

Friday, Aug. 14, 9 a.m. – 10 a.m.: **football #3**

Saturday, Aug. 15, 10 a.m. – 11 a.m.: **cross country**

Sunday, Aug. 16, 1 p.m. – 3 p.m.: **upperclass band, English equestrian**

Wednesday, Aug. 19, 5 p.m. – 8 p.m.: **new students attending registration 8/20, cheerleaders, orientation leaders**

Friday, Aug. 21, 9 a.m.: **Freshman Move-in Day, new students who attended a summer registration (5/1, 5/22, 6/10, 6/18) session**

Saturday, Aug. 22, 9 a.m.: **upperclassmen begin check-in**

UF Represented in India During June

Last month, The University of Findlay was well represented in India. UF was a co-sponsor of the India-USA Global Business and Networking Strategy Conference in Chennai, India, June 12-14, and Nabarun Ghose, D.B.A, professor of marketing and business, led a group of six UF students and four administrators/faculty members on an India study abroad trip June 14-24.

The conference provided an opportunity to showcase proposals, products and projects, as well as opportunities for networking.

Penny Gerdeman, director of international admissions and services, presented "Life as an International Student in the U.S.A." at the conference, marking her first trip to India. While there, she and Scott Freehafer, Ph.D., director of the

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The India Study Abroad 2009 delegation poses in a rare photograph inside the consular wing of the Consulate General of the United States of America in Chennai, India, on June 17. From left to right: Dipankar Ghose, CEO of Prakruthi, Padmavathi Dasharatha Yata, Penny Gerdeman, Keeron Sreyoshi Ghose, Bridget C. Bittle vice consul of immigration, Frederick J. Kaplan, consul for public affairs, Dr. Nabarun Ghose, Shawn Miller, Michelle Wildman Galstaun, vice consul of immigration, Venkata Chandra Sekhar Punathi, Sowmya Mangalam, Dr. Scott Freehafer, Shamini Reddy Katepally and Dr. William Ruse.

India Study Abroad Program Provides Networking and Cultural Opportunities

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MBA and nontraditional programs, met with educational consultants to build relationships with individuals and organizations who refer students to study in the U.S.

The study abroad trip could be taken as a for-credit course through UF. Prior to leaving for India, students learned about the uncertainty, pressure and risk involved with international business. The trip, taken at the end of the course, is a cultural and business immersion experience.

The itinerary included two educational institutions, three modern industries, three churches, two Hindu temples, a Buddhist monastery, three hospitals, meetings with more than 25 top executives from government and industry, a visit to the U.S. Consulate that included an “insider look” at the workings of the visa section and interaction with the top consular officers, two research centers, two native industries and more.

“All 40-plus events had a significant contribution to the learning and networking goals of the study tour,” said Ghose. “The icing on the cake was the meeting with Michael

Boneham, president and managing director of Ford India. It was exciting to see an Australian heading a U.S. company in India!”

Ghose also noted that the students got a competitive perspective of developments in international trade and especially infrastructure, something that almost all of today’s graduates and even most executives lack but desperately need. “The students were able to develop a mindset to compete and succeed ... They interacted individually with executives that most students worldwide would never get a chance to approach,” he said.

Gerdeman mentioned the exceptional hospitality of the people of



N. Ghose

Participants spend some time at the beach at Ideal Beach Resort in Mamallapuram, an early trading port of India, where evidence shows trade dating back to the early Roman Empire thousands of years ago. Later, the CEO and owner, Bose Dharmalingam, an immigrant to India from Sri Lanka, met the delegation at dinner and shared his experience with building and running a resort. From left to right: Shawn Miller, Keeron Sreyoshi Ghose, Shamini Reddy Katepally, Venkata Chandra Sekhar Punathi and Padmavathi Dasaratha Yata.

India. “It did not matter where we visited – whether it was a school or a hospital – we were always given the red carpet treatment,” she said.

Individuals interested in participating in the India study abroad trip in 2010 should contact Ghose at ghose@findlay.edu or 1-419-434-4455.

Concert & Lecture Series 2009-2010

The University offers a Concert & Lecture Series each year to give students, faculty, staff and community members the opportunity to enjoy some of the finest entertainment northwest Ohio offers.

The 2009-2010 Concert & Lecture Series season brings the Toledo Symphony Orchestra to campus three times during the academic year. Each performance is at 8 p.m. in Winebrenner Theological Seminary.

Sept. 18, 2009, Pops Concert

Jan. 29, 2010, Classics Concert - Mozart and Strauss

Feb. 26, 2010, Classics Concert - Gustav Holtz, “The Planets”

Admission for UF undergraduate and graduate students is free, but a ticket is required. Contact the Box Office at 419-434-5335.



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The Toledo Symphony performed on campus Jan. 23. The group will return three times in the coming academic year.

Mazza Summer Institute is Fun for All



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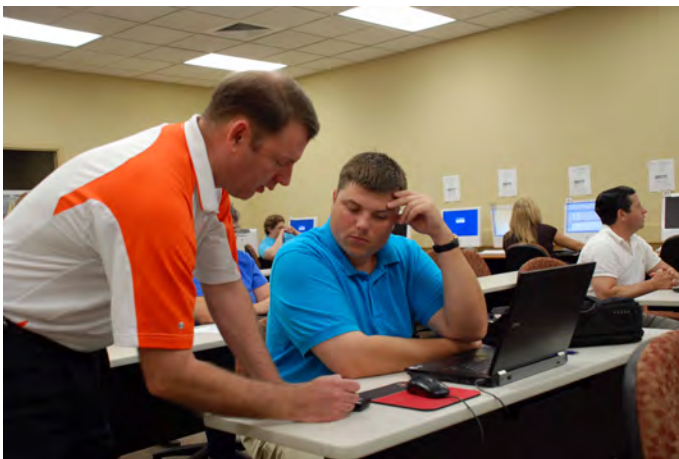
Artist Brian Pinkney signs a book for Beth Smalley, an Institute participant. Pinkney has illustrated picture books including “The Faithful Friend,” “In the Time of the Drums” and “Duke Ellington.”



A. Risser Lee

Louise Wineland presents “What’s the Fun in Funday Sunday” to a group of early childhood education teachers during a pull-out session July 16 in the Mazza children’s art studio.

Zimbra Training Helps Many Learn UF’s New Collaboration Suite



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Brad Salisbury, Technology Support Services manager, answers a question for Matt Bruskotter, program manager for the All Hazards Training Center.



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Scott Trimmer, academic technology specialist, shows some of Zimbra’s features to Susan Eiserle, administrative assistant for facilities scheduling and events.

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Congressman Jordan Visits UF Campus

U.S. Rep. Jim Jordan (4th Ohio Congressional District) visits with J. Randal Van Dyne, executive director of the All Hazards Train-

ing Center and assistant vice president of UF, during a June 30 visit to Renninger, the environmental resource training center, on campus.

SEEM Takes New Name: The All Hazards Training Center

The University of Findlay's center for occupational, emergency and security training has taken on a new name: The All Hazards Training Center.

Previously called the School of Environmental and Emergency Management (SEEM), the center provides Occupational Safety and Health Administration training, as well as emergency preparedness, emergency response and safety and security training, especially to schools. The All Hazards Training Center better reflects the range of training provided by the center, according to Randy Van Dyne, assistant vice president and director of the center.

Since its inception, the center has trained more than 125,000 people coast-to-coast; during 2008, it

trained 11,508 people through 483 classes at 218 different locations in 20 states and Canada.

The All Hazards Training Center's mission is to develop and deliver effective and practical educational, training and consulting programs across the United States through a combination of practical "hands-on" training; varied instructional techniques in classroom, lab and field settings; state-of-the-art, distance-learning opportunities; and internships and cooperative work experience programs.

To learn more about the center, visit www.allhaztraining.com.

The University of Findlay is also a member of the Rural Domestic Preparedness Center, a U.S. Department of Homeland Security (DHS) Federal Emergency Manage-

ment Agency (FEMA) Training and Exercises Integration Division partnership.

Through the RDPC, the University and five other academic institutions work to create an environment wherein rural communities across America will have the knowledge, skills and abilities necessary to enhance the safety, security and quality of life for their citizens.

The University of Findlay has also awarded more than 1,100 degrees through its environmental and safety academic programs, though the training center and the academic program, which awards a bachelor's degree in environmental, safety and occupational health and a master of science in environmental, safety and health management, are now independent.

Alumni Office Reaches More Alumni

The University's Office of Alumni and Parent Relations continues to reach out to a growing number of UF alumni with new events already completed this summer and additional new events planned for fall.

UF alumni, family and friends enjoyed the Toledo Mud Hens vs. Rochester Redwings game June 14, with 110 in attendance at Fifth Third Field. More than 60 enjoyed a UF day at Cedar Point June 20, with a picnic provided by the Office of Alumni and Parent Relations.

New events planned for August include a UF day at a Columbus Clippers game Aug. 15 and a Nuclear Medicine Institute certificate ceremony Aug. 21.

For fall, additional alumni receptions and gatherings are being planned both locally and across the country.

For more information on alumni events, visit www.findlay.edu, KEYWORD: alumni, or call extension 4516.



Brian Bishop and Kathy (Aller) Bishop '01 smile and wave during the Toledo Mud Hens game June 14.