University of Illinois Springfield

New Employee Orientation

“History of University of Illinois”

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Agenda

- University of Illinois System
- Facts and Figures
- Administration Overview
- Governance
- UIS History, Values, and Leadership
University of Illinois – 3 Campuses

- The state’s most comprehensive public university
- 78,540 students
- 700 public service and outreach programs
- World leader in research and discovery
- $747.3 million separately funded research 2013-2014
University of Illinois
State of Illinois Employer

Three Campus Locations

- Springfield (UIS)
- Urbana- Champaign (UIUC)
- Chicago (UIC)

University Administration

Extension Offices
- Branches of the Chicago-based College of Medicine (Peoria, Rockford, Urbana)
- University of Illinois Medical Center
University of Illinois Facts & Figures*

- Employment (Full Time Equivalent)
  - 5,981 Faculty
  - 7,755 Administrative and Professional Staff
  - 11,017 Support Staff

- Instruction
  - 78,540 Total Student Enrollment
  - 9,520 Graduate Assistants
  - 20,522 Degrees Awarded 2013-2014
  - 678,701 Living Alumni/Alumni Association members

- Physical Plant Operations
  - Over 800 Buildings
  - 2,433 on-campus acres
  - 10,520 acres of additional land holdings

*numbers are approximate
University of Illinois President

- Researcher and administrator in one of the nation’s largest public higher education systems.
- Vice Chancellor for Research and President of the Research Foundation at State University of New York (SUNY), which is comprised of 64 campuses, 465,000 students, 88,000 faculty and more than 7,600 degree and certificate programs.
- 20+ years as a faculty member, researcher, and Associate Vice President for Research at University of Michigan.
- Lyall Research Professor at the University of Colorado.
- Assistant Director for 4 years with the geoscience at the National Science Foundation.
- Director and Senior Scientist for the National Center for Atmospheric Research.
- He received his bachelor’s degree and Ph.D. from the University College of London.
- A complete biography and curriculum vitae for Killeen can be found at [www.uillinois.edu/20thPresident](http://www.uillinois.edu/20thPresident).

Dr. Timothy L. Killeen

20th President, July 2015
What is University Administration?

- University Administration (UA) offices oversee system-wide operations and a handful of academic affairs units that reflect University-wide efforts.

- The units that make up UA provide vital services and support - such as business and financial services, IT, facilities planning, auditing, legal counsel, and many others - to the campuses and their students, faculty, and staff.

- UA employees reside on all three campuses.
Governance - Board of Trustees

- 13 Members, 11 who have official votes.
- 9 members appointed by Governor (6 year terms and approved by the IL Senate), 3 student trustees/one from each campus (1 year terms), and the Governor as an ex-officio member.
- One student trustee is appointed by the Governor to have an official vote.
Governance - Board of Trustees

- The BOT is the governing body of the University of Illinois and they exercise the final authority over the University.

- Have the authority to approve educational policies and budgets including:
  - Non-discrimination Statement
  - Roles and functions for University Administration
  - Legislative Organizations
  - Campuses, colleges, departments
  - Graduate colleges
  - Library
  - Specialized Units
  - Changes in Academic organizations
  - Academic and administrative staffs
  - Academic freedom and tenure
  - Student affairs and discipline
  - Research and Publications

http://www.bot.uillinois.edu/
Governance – Campus Senate

- Each of the three campuses have a Campus Senate.
- Senate governance at UIS consists of the Senate, its various standing committees, and those members of the Campus Senate who serve on the University Senates Conference.
- The Campus Senate is a legislative body composed of twenty faculty, five students and three representatives (one staff member, one academic professional, and one administrator). The Vice Chancellor for Academic Affairs serves as an ex-officio non-voting member.
- Exercises legislative functions in matters of educational policy, such as requirements for admission to colleges and schools, requirements for degrees and certificates, and the academic calendar.
- For more information visit: [http://www.uis.edu/campussenate/](http://www.uis.edu/campussenate/)
University of Illinois Springfield (UIS)

Core Attributes

LEADERSHIP lived

- A Teaching-Focused Academic Experience
- An Abundance of Opportunities to Collaborate
- A Right-Sized, Supportive Community
- A Tradition of Educating Public Servants and Leaders

http://www.uis.edu/brand/
University of Illinois Springfield History

Sangamon State University established June 10, 1969.

Dr. Robert C. Spencer, First SSU President September 1, 1969

Became University of Illinois-Springfield July 1, 1995

Capital Scholars Program August 22, 2001

Dr. Susan J. Koch Chancellor UIS & Vice President UI July 1, 2011
UIS snapshot

- 5,400+ students (fall 2014)
- 1,600 Student Organizations
- Diverse student body
- 45 degree programs
- 215 full-time faculty
- #8 in the U.S. News Top Public Schools 2015 Best Colleges Rankings (Midwest Regional Universities)
  [Link](http://colleges.usnews.rankingsandreviews.com/best-colleges/rankings/regional-universities-midwest/top-public)
- 2 Alumni Pulitzer Prize Winners
- NCAA Division II athletics
UIS Campus Leadership

- Chancellor and Vice President
- Began July 1, 2011 as Chief Executive Officer
- Previously served as Provost and Vice President for Academic Affairs at Northern Michigan University (2007-2011)
- Professor of health promotion and education
- Reports to the President of the University
- Appointed annually by the Board of Trustees by recommendation of the President
- Charge is to ensure overall excellence of the campus

Susan Koch
UIS Campus Leadership

- Vice Chancellor for Academic Affairs and Provost
- Began January 2011 as Chief Academic Officer
- Joined UIS faculty in 1989 and is a tenured professor in psychology
- PhD degree in psychology from Southern Illinois University at Carbondale
- Reports to the UIS Chancellor
- Charge is to oversee the campus’ academic programs, policies and priorities, and ensure the quality of the educational experience for students and to sustain an environment that encourages and supports academic excellence.

Lynn Pardie
UIS Campus Leadership

- Interim Vice Chancellor for Student Affairs
- Reports to the UIS Chancellor
- Stewards the role, providing senior leadership to a cadre of co-curricular programs and services that contribute to student development and success both inside the classroom and beyond.
- Bachelor of Arts and Master of Arts in Multicultural Education from Antioch University, and Doctor of Education in Educational Leadership from Fielding Graduate University.
- Dr. Ford came to UIS from Berry College, Rome Georgia, where she served as the Associate Dean of Multicultural Affairs.
- Prior to that she worked at Youngstown State University and The Ohio State University in the areas of Student Affairs.

Clarice Ford
UIS Campus Leadership

- Vice Chancellor for Development, UIS
- Senior VP, University of Illinois Foundation
- Began serving in current role in October 2012
- Previously served as Associate Vice Chancellor for Institutional Advancement & Executive Director of Development, SIU Foundation, Southern Illinois University Carbondale
- Ed.D. degree in Educational Administration and Policy Studies from University of Tennessee
- Reports to the UIS Chancellor and to the President of the University of Illinois Foundation
- Responsible for management and coordination of fundraising plans, priorities and activities.
Note: Organization chart updated March 2015.
WELCOME to UIS!