



IUPUI ^{Jaguar Alumni Group} JAGS Newsletter Spring 2010

THE NEWSLETTER RE-CONNECTING ALUMNI WITH IUPUI

Welcome from the Director

Welcome to our first JAGs Newsletter! With this newsletter, we will be sharing information with you about IUPUI and JAGs, including ways that you can engage with prospective students. We'll also share successes that the campus is enjoying and new and exciting happenings on the IUPUI campus.

Our alumni are a big part of this growing interest in IUPUI. We are seeing incredible growth in applications to IUPUI from within the city, the state, the nation and the world. Our applicants are more diverse and better prepared academically than ever before. With the work that JAGs members have done, as well as the message members are delivering, we continue to contribute to new students learning about the great things happening here.

Through the work of our students, faculty, staff and alumni, our campus continues to be recognized for our leadership and excellence. Here are two recent examples:

- **IUPUI took 5th place in Dr. Evan Dobbelle's survey of the "Best College and University Civic Partnerships"** at the 15th annual conference of the Coalition of Urban and Metropolitan Universities, in recognition of its efforts toward civic engagement and neighborhood revitalization.
- **IUPUI is ranked eighth among the 10 best public colleges in the Midwest** according to *Forbes* and the Center for College Affordability and Productivity (CCAP), which ranks U.S.-based undergraduate institutions on the quality of education, experiences of their students, and how much they achieved.

Thank you to those of you who have signed up to be members of JAGs. And thanks to those that volunteered in the fall and encouraged students to apply and visit Indiana's urban research institution and 3rd largest university campus. We look forward to expanding the program during 2010 and having you be a part of our growth.

We look forward to hearing from you, and in the meantime, thank you for all you do to support the Jag Family!

Sincerely,

Chris J. Foley

Director of Undergraduate Admissions

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Your JAGS Team

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The Recruitment Team

You may see these team members while you are at events or on the road

- Norm Brown**
Steve Bushouse
Melissa Fraser
Jennifer Jessen
Alice Cheung Matouk
Matt Moody
Aaron Mooney
Greg Rathnow
Mike Warwick

New Majors at IUPUI

- **Philanthropics Studies**
philanthropy.iupui.edu
- **Forensic and Investigative Science**
forensic.iupui.edu
- **Motorsports Programs**
www.engr.iupui.edu/motorsports
- **Sports Journalism**
journalism.iupui.edu

Members who joined in the fall

Welcome and thank you to our charter members of the JAGs.

- **Erika Austin**
Indianapolis, BAJ in Journalism, 1999
- **Theresa Byerly**
Indianapolis, BA in Political Science, 1993
- **Jeff Claflin**
South Bend, JD in Law, 1990
- **Yontine Coleman-Taylor**
Indianapolis, BS in Engineering & Technology, 2007
- **Freida Cormack**
Indianapolis, BA in Political Science, 2008
- **Regina Jones**
Indianapolis, BS in Physical Education, 2001
- **Matt Kite**
Indianapolis, BA in German, 2009
- **Samir Kulkarni**
Cincinnati, BS in Mathematics, 2002
- **Ginger Lauderback**
Indianapolis, BS in Engineering, 2004
- **David Nguyen**
Indianapolis, JD in Law, 2006
- **Julia Porter**
Warsaw, BS in Education, 2003
- **Gloria Lynn Quiroz**
Indianapolis, BA in Communication Studies, 1995
- **Ingrid Toschlog**
Indianapolis, BGS in General Studies, 1987
- **Etta Ward**
Indianapolis, BA in English, 1995

Honors Professional Admissions Program

The Honors Professional Admissions Program (HPA) builds on IUPUI's tradition of academic excellence and provides a pathway to graduate or professional study at IUPUI for exceptional students. Through a highly selective admissions process, high school seniors may apply for admission to both an undergraduate program as well as a graduate or professional program offered within participating departments and schools.

The degrees presently offered by participating schools and departments as part of the HPA are:

- IU Kelley School of Business: MBA
- IU School of Dentistry: DDS
- Purdue School of Engineering and Technology: BS/MS
- IU School of Health and Rehabilitation Sciences: DPT
- IU School of Health and Rehabilitation Sciences: MS in Occupational Therapy
- IU School of Law-Indianapolis: JD
- IU School of Medicine: MD
- IU School of Nursing: BSN
- Purdue School of Science & Purdue School of Engineering and Technology: BS in Physics/MS in Mechanical Engineering

HPA students are full members of the IUPUI Honors College and, at a minimum, will receive an Academic Excellence Scholarship as well as an IUPUI Honors Scholarship. To find out more, visit honorscollege.iupui.edu/hpap/.



The IUPUI Honors College by the Numbers

- 600+ scholars and growing
- Over 200 applications for 50 prestigious scholarships (65-70 students interviewed)
- New University Library home
 - 5,000+ square feet
 - Dedicated space for staff and honors students as well as space for meetings, student study, and leadership activities
- Prestigious Honors scholarships dedicated to students who exhibit service, leadership, and international study

Glance-Worthy News

- Ranked 8th best public college in the Midwest based on quality of graduates by *Forbes* and the Center for College Affordability and Productivity (CCAP).
- Dr. Evan Dobelle reported that IUPUI took 5th place in his survey of the "Best College and University Civic Partnerships" at the 15th Annual Conference of the Coalition of Urban and Metropolitan Universities.
- A \$1 million gift from Eli Lilly and Company Foundation will support efforts to begin establishment of a new School of Public Health. The new School of Public Health will bring together faculty from the School of Medicine, the School of Public and Environmental Affairs, and other schools.

Spring Events & Opportunities

Spring 2010

- **APRIL 17**
1:30 – 4:30 pm
NACAC San Francisco
Concourse Exhibition Center
San Francisco, CA
- **APRIL 19**
9:30 am – 12:30 pm
Northern NJ National Hispanic College Fair
Bergen County Community College
Paramus, NJ
- 6:00 – 8:00 pm
Northside, Von Steuben and Payton
Walter Payton High School
Chicago, IL
- **APRIL 20**
9 am – 1 pm
6:00 – 8:30 pm
NACAC San Diego
San Diego Convention Center
San Diego, CA
- 9:30 am – 12:30 pm
Central New Jersey National Hispanic College Fair
College of New Jersey
Ewing, NJ
- **APRIL 21**
8:00 – 10:30 am
Houston National Hispanic College Fair
St. Thomas University
Houston, TX
- 6:00 – 8:00 pm
Suburban Multicultural College Fair
The Vineyard Church of Columbus
Columbus, OH
- **APRIL 22**
9:30 am – 12:30 pm
Suburban Houston National Hispanic College Fair
The Lone Star Convention Center
Houston, TX
- 1:30 – 4:30 pm
NACAC Inland Empire
National Orange Show
Events Center
San Bernadino, CA



APRIL 22 CONTINUED

- 6:00 – 7:15 pm
Indiana Latino Institute Educational Fair
Pike High School
Indianapolis, IN
- 7:00 – 8:30 pm
Bexley Area College Fair
Capital University
Bexley, OH
- 7:00 – 8:30 pm
Regina Dominican College Prep College Night
Regina Dominican Prep
Wilmette, IL
- **APRIL 23**
9:00 am – 11:00 am
College Exploration Fair
Zionsville Community High School
Zionsville, IN
- 9:30 am – 12:30 pm
Austin National Hispanic College Fair
University of Texas
Austin, TX
- **APRIL 24**
9:00 am – 12:00 pm
Illinois Math and Science Academy College Fair
Illinois Math and Science Academy
Aurora, IL
- **APRIL 25**
11 am – 4 pm
NACAC New York
Jacob K. Javits Convention Center
New York, NY
- 1:00 – 3:00 pm
I-70 Series St. Louis Fair
Maryville University
St. Louis, MO

APRIL 25 CONTINUED

- 1:00 – 3:00 pm
Cincinnati Spring College Fair
Xavier University
Cincinnati, OH
- 1:30 – 4:30 pm
NACAC Orange County
Anaheim Convention Center
Anaheim, CA
- **APRIL 26**
9:30 am – 12:30 pm
Orange County National Hispanic College Fair
TBD
- 9:30 am – 12:30 pm
Providence National Hispanic College Fair
Providence Career and Technical Academy
Providence, Rhode Island
- 2:30 – 4:00 pm
St. Louis City College Fair
Millennium Hotel
St. Louis, MO
- 6:30 – 8:00 pm
Hillsborough High School Fair
Hillsborough High School
Hillsborough, NJ
- 6:30 – 8:30 pm
St. Louis Four School Fair
The Center of Clayton
Clayton, MO

APRIL 27 CONTINUED

- 6:00 – 9:00 pm
NACAC Greater Los Angeles
Pasadena Convention Center
Pasadena, CA
- **APRIL 28**
9 am – 12 pm
NACAC Greater Los Angeles
Pasadena Convention Center
Pasadena, CA
- 9 am – 12 pm
6:00 – 8:30 pm
NACAC New Jersey
New Jersey Convention and Exposition Center
Edison, NJ
- **APRIL 29**
9 am – 12 pm
NACAC New Jersey
New Jersey Convention and Exposition Center
Edison, NJ
- 5:30 – 8:30 pm
NACAC Ventura/Tri-County
Seaside Park
Ventura, CA
- **MAY 2**
1:00 – 4:00 pm
NACAC Cleveland
Wolstein Center
Cleveland, OH

Please contact Melissa at mseibert@iupui.edu or 317-274-7596 to take advantage of any of the opportunities to represent IUPUI at any of the listed events.

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Refer a friend

Do you know friends or family members who would make a great addition to the Jaguar family?

Send them a note and tell them all the great things IUPUI has to offer!

www.enroll.iupui.edu/admissions/impact/refer/



Introducing the IUPUI Honors College

On August 27, 2009, the new Honors College was founded as a beacon of academic excellence. Dr. E. Jane Luzar has been appointed as the founding dean of the IUPUI Honors College. Originally from Cloverdale, Indiana where she grew up on a family farm, Luzar joins IUPUI from the University of Florida, where she served as Associate Dean of the College of Agricultural and Life Sciences 1999-2006.

Our newest college offers students a dynamic academic experience in an urban research environment. The IUPUI Honors College links students to a world-class faculty engaged in cutting edge and translational research and creating a community of scholars which will make a difference.

The IUPUI Honors College was conceived to inspire and sustain a lifetimes of inquiry, discovery and engagement, challenging students with meaningful experiences. Guided by the IUPUI Principles of Undergraduate Learning, the curriculum is developed by faculty in a student's major field of study based on the areas of Core Communication and Quantitative Skills; Critical Thinking; Integration and Application of Knowledge; Intellectual Depth, Breadth, and Adaptiveness; Understanding Society and Culture; and Values and Ethics.

Fast Facts

Location	Indianapolis, Indiana
Metro Population	785,000
Student Body	30,000+
Undergraduate Students	20,000+
Graduate Students	9,000+
Undergraduate Majors	200+
Student/Faculty Ratio	18-to-1
Campus	512 acres
Alumni	140,000+
Percent of Classes with 30 or Fewer Students	70%
Average H.S. GPA of Admitted Students	B+
Percent of Admitted Students in Top Third of H.S. Class	62%
Percent of Freshmen Admitted	61%