Office of Graduate and International Admissions

Fall 2023 - Application for Graduate Degree in Computer Science

Please be sure to read this information thoroughly.

Below are details on what is required to apply to SIUE. Complete all required fields in each section, and choose the "Submit Application" button on the final Application Fee tab. You have the opportunity to upload supporting documents, such as transcripts or test scores, in the SIUE Application Center at any time. You may submit this application form before providing the supporting documents needed to complete your application. You may save and return to this application at any time.

TRANSCRIPTS

Applicants should request an official transcript be sent to SIUE directly from each post-secondary institution at which courses have been completed. Official transcripts may be submitted in one of the following ways:

- Electronically to: siueapps@siue.edu
- Postal Mail: SIUE Office of Admissions, Campus Box 1047, Edwardsville, IL 62026
- Express Mail: SIUE Office of Admissions, 70 Hairpin Drive, Rendleman Hall, Room 1207, Edwardsville, IL 62026-1047 (Telephone: 618-650-3770)

Please note that transcripts sent by an applicant either electronically or through the mail cannot be accepted as official. Only transcripts received directly from the issuing institution will be considered official.

For the initial review process, applicants are encouraged to upload an unofficial copy of all transcripts from each post-secondary institution attended. Unofficial transcripts should be a copy of an original transcript issued to the student, and not a printed copy or screen shot from the student's online account. Unofficial transcripts may be uploaded on the 'Requirements' tab of this application, or within the SIUE application Center. By uploading an unofficial copy of a transcript, the applicant certifies that the copy is a true and accurate representation of the student record at that institution. Unofficial transcripts can be used by the graduate school and academic department to determine if the applicant is eligible for admission to the graduate program. However, full admission to the university will not be granted, and an applicant will not be allowed to register for classes, until an official transcript is received from the granting institution.

International students who are unable to have an official transcript sent directly from the institution may submit a copy only if this copy bears a certification of authenticity from the issuing school or examination board and includes an original signature of the registrar or principal of the school and the school's official seal. This copy should be placed in a sealed envelope marked with the school's seal and an original signature. This attested copy should be mailed to the address above. An official or attested transcript may be required before an I-20 or DS-2019 immigration document can be issued by SIUE. Notarized copies of credentials are not considered official.

Any questions regarding this policy can be directed to International Admissions by e-mailing intladm@siue.edu or by calling (618) 650-3770.

TEST SCORES

Official test score reports must be sent to the program using SIUE's institution code 1759.

Test scores (GRE or GMAT), if required, will be listed on the "Requirements" tab of the application or in the SIUE Application Center but must be sent from the testing center directly. Only OFFICIAL score reports may be submitted for admissions purposes.

INTERNATIONAL ONLY: English proficiency tests* (TOEFL or IELTS) are required for international applicants. Unofficial score reports may be uploaded and verified by SIUE for admissions purposes.

<div align="right">* = Required Field</div>

Basic Information

* First Name
Ikedinachim Ugochukwu Collins

Middle Name
Ugochukwu Collins

* Last Name
Ogwumike

Suffix

* Legal Sex: Pronouns:
Male

Gender Identity:
Man

* Date of Birth
04/24/2002

[mm/dd/yyyy]

Social Security Number (optional)

Other First Names we may receive your documents:
Ikedinachim

Other Last Names (Family Names) we may receive your documents:

Permanent Address

International applicants requiring F-1 visa must provide permanent address in home country.

* Address Line 1
7 Nelson Abido Street Ajao Estate Lagos

Address Line 2

Address Line 3

* City   *** State or Foreign Province**
Lagos   Foreign Nation

Examples: Quebec, Puerto Rico, Military Bases...(If your Foreign Province is not listed, choose 'Foreign Nation.' Please add your Province, not found above, in Address Line 3).

Postal/Zip Code
100263

* Country/Nation
Nigeria

Citizenship

* Are you a U.S. Citizen?
No

Citizenship Status

* Nation of Citizenship:
Nigeria

* As a non-U.S. Citizen, what is your immigration status?
Student Visa (F or J; non-resident)

* What is your city of birth?
Lagos

*** Do you currently have a SEVIS record and plan to
transfer it from another U.S. Institution?**
No

Email

Email
ikedinachim.ugochukwu@stu.cu.edu.ng
This is your login email, it cannot be changed here.

Secondary Email
ikedinachim.ugochukwu@stu.cu.edu.ng
This is a backup email address we may use to contact you in the
future, but not associated with your application.

Race and Ethnicity

Please answer the following questions to assist SIUE's efforts to comply with civil rights legislation and mandatory reporting to
federal and state agencies. Your responses to the following questions will NOT affect your admission decision

* Hispanic/Latino Indicator
No

Do you consider yourself Hispanic or Latino? Hispanic or Latino means a person of Cuban, Mexican, Puerto Rican, South or Central American, or
other Spanish culture or origin, regardless of race.

Ethnicity (Multi-Select)
Black or African American

Please select one or more of the previous categories that describe you. Select
multiple options by holding the control button and clicking on the option.

* = Required Field

Academic Information

Academic Definitions:

SIUE UG to Grad : You attended SIUE as an undergraduate student and/or have graduated or will be graduating before attending Graduate School.

New To SIUE : I have never before taken Graduate courses at SIUE.

Returning To SIUE : I have previously taken Graduate courses at SIUE, regardless of whether I graduated from SIUE or not.

* My SIUE admission will be a Master's
Degree or an International Master's Degree:
International Master's (IM)

Select International if you plan to attend on a
student visa or have international credentials.

International Deadline Alert

Please be advised the international student deadlines to submit a complete application are as follows:

July 1 st for the fall semester

November 1 st for the spring semester

April 1 st for the summer semester.

Please visit our international deadline website for more details or contact us at intladm@siue.edu if you have questions.

Do Not Complete unless Adding or Returning to a Program

This section should be completed only by applicants who:

Have had prior enrollment at SIUE as a graduate student but have not been enrolled for the past three semesters,

or

By currently enrolled graduate students seeking a new or second major.

or

I am a new graduate applicant and want to apply for two concurrent programs.

Select one:

Select " Same Program " if you wish to apply for the program you were previously enrolled in.
Select " Add Program " if you wish to keep your previous/current program on record and want to pursue a second degree.
Select " Change Program " if you are applying for a new program and wish to drop your current/previous program.

Certification

* Have you ever been convicted of or under current indictment for a felony?
No

By submitting the application you are certifying that the statements made are correct and complete and that withholding information requested on this application or giving false information may make you ineligible for admission to the University or subject to dismissal.

Campus Housing

Are you interested in on-campus housing?
Yes

Please note that you must apply to housing through a separate application process. All details can be found HERE .

Additional International Section

* What Visa Type do you intend to use while studying at SIUE?
Student Visa (F1)

* Nation of Birth
Nigeria

* Do you require Intensive English Program training before beginning your academic program?
No

Select Yes if you require intensive English training before beginning your academic program.

Are you participating in a formal campus Exchange Program?
No

If so, what is the Exchange Institution

* Would you like to authorize another person or Agent to inquire about the status of your application?
No

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* = Required Field

Test Scores

If an English Proficiency test score is required, you will be given the opportunity to upload and submit unofficial test scores after this application is submitted or from the Requirements tab within this application.

If a GRE or GMAT test score is required, only OFFICIAL test scores can be sent from the Testing Center. These must be submitted directly to SIUE using the institution code 1759 for the GRE or 3T9-CDE-05 for the GMAT.

Education History

Please provide education history for ONLY your Bachelor's Degree granting institution

and any post-bachelor's attendance.

College Education

Type slowly your institution name until it recognizes the text, then select from drop-down list.

Please list your Bachelor's degree-granting institution and all post-bachelor's institutions attended. To list multiple institutions, click "Add Another Response" in the bottom right corner of the section.

* College/University Name
Covenant University

Did you find your school in the search above?

If you did not find your school, add 'Unknown School' within the College/University Name
field and continue to the section below.

Start Date
07/03/2017

End Date (leave blank if presently enrolled)
10/04/2022

[mm/dd/yyyy]

If the exact day is unknown, please select
the first of the month.

[mm/dd/yyyy]

If the exact day is unknown, please select
the first of the month.

* What is your major (program of study)? If no
major, please list 'general'.
Computer Engineering

Is this your most recently attended school?
[X]

* Degree Name (select all that apply)
Bachelor Degree

Select multiple options by holding the Ctrl button and
clicking options.

Additional Colleges Not Found Above

If you did not find your college in the above drop-down, please type full name. SIUE Admissions will review this school name and manually add to your account within 48 hours.

Please provide the name of your school (not found above):

Please list the CITY and COUNTRY for this school:

School Type
University

If you have an additional degree granting or post-bachelor school to report, which was
not found in the search above, please list here:

Please provide the name of your additional school (not found above):

Please list the CITY and COUNTRY for this additional school:

School Type - Additional
University

Graduate School Funding Sources (Reference Only - Apply to these AFTER application is submitted)

SIUE has various funding opportunities through fellowships, awards and financial aid. Applicants are encouraged to review and consider applying for these additional prestigious awards after you have submitted this application.

Competitive Graduate Award (CGA) - Deadline: January 15th

Graduate Scholar Award (GSA) - Deadline: March 1st

Graduate Assistantships - Deadline: Rolling

Teaching assistant, Research assistant, & General assistant
You may apply for any assistantship, even outside of your discipline
Graduate Departments may also have teaching & research assistantships not posted on the Graduate School website; inquire directly with them for details.

It is important to certify that the information provided is accurate. You will have the opportunity to upload supporting documents on the next tab, but you are not required to upload all documents immediately. You can return to the SIUE Application Center later to complete this step. You should continue to the final application fee tab and select 'Submit Application' to activate your application and avoid processing delays.

Certification

By submitting this application you are certifying that the statements made are correct and complete and that withholding information requested on this application or giving false information may make you ineligible for admission to the University or subject to dismissal. I understand SIUE reserves the right to rescind an offer of admission if a student engages in behavior that reflects negatively on his or her character and/or ability to successfully participate in the SIUE community.

* I certify that the statements I have made on this application are correct and complete.
[X]

Transcripts

You may upload attachments here or within the SIUE Application Center after submitting this application.
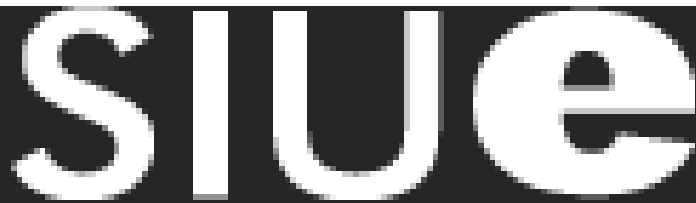
Covenant
University
1. final transcript.pdf Remove

Program Requirements

You may upload attachments here or within the SIUE Application Center after submitting this application.

Personal
Statement
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Edwardsville, IL 62026