

Your background, including involvement in high school, college and/or non-school activities (sporting teams, clubs, organizations, etc.) you participated in. Please include any leadership positions you held:

What are your career aspirations/goals?

What are you hoping to gain from this mentorship program?

Give an example of a person who served as a mentor to you (either formally or informally) if you have one, and how that person made an impact in your life:

COMMITMENTS TO PARTICIPATE

1. Complete an application.
2. Submit a personal statement.
3. Commit to a small virtual session to introduce the mentoring program and participate by introducing yourself to the group.
4. Commit time to connect once a month with your mentor via FaceTime, phone, email or text.
5. Connect two times a year in person as mentor visits campus. (Not required for online students)
6. Maintain ongoing discussions on backgrounds, goals and career interests.
7. Conduct career conversations involving talents, interests, skills.
8. Develop short and long term goals integrating personal, academic and business lives including study, research, RSO's, company visits, paid work, internships and externships.
9. Work with your mentor to complement and build networking skills that are developed through academic classes, career services and RSO's.

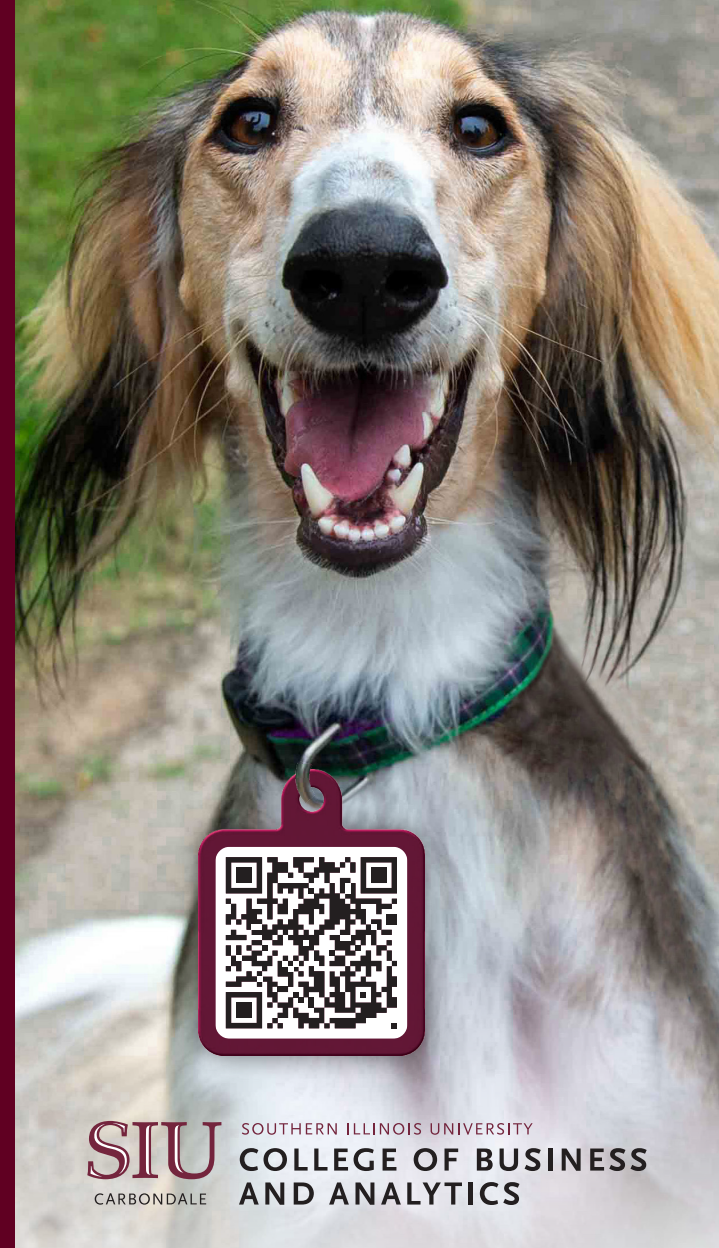
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JOIN THE MENTORING PROGRAM



MISSION STATEMENT

The College of Business and Analytics is dedicated to providing educational opportunities for our students. The CoBA Mentor Program is designed to be a networking and support program for students to connect with alumni mentors and through them to the business world.

MENTORING BENEFITS

- Support mentees throughout their SIU careers in critical stages of academic and personal development.
- Help navigate the University and College resources and systems
- Is a source to turn to with questions, concerns, or just for encouragement and support.
- Provide a real-world view point and share relevant experiences.
- Guide mentees in their professional development
- Graduation and Career placement

THE MENTORING EXPERIENCE



“My time in the SIU CoB Mentoring Program was a critical part of my education. There was a great deal I needed to figure out on my own. I loved having the support throughout my undergraduate years – it helped me navigate small concerns like class selection, as well as larger ones like deciding on an internship offer or helping review my employment contract. One of my favorite parts of our relationship is the ease with which I can communicate with my mentors; email, text, call, or chatting over dinner or lunch. Take the opportunity to participate in the CoBA Mentorship Program. I promise, you will not regret it!”

—Kelcie Chapman, May 2018, Accountancy
Global Consolidations, Xplor Technologies



“The SIU COBA Mentor Program allowed me to gain an amazing connection to an experienced professional that I still keep in contact with after college. She assisted me to present myself in a professional environment and encouraged me to pursue my goals.”

—Parker Moses, May 2020, Finance and Accountancy
Investment Analyst, Argent Capital Management

ENROLLMENT FORM

**MAIL TO ADDRESS ON BACK
OR ENROLL ONLINE (QR CODE)**

Date: _____

Full Name: _____

Current Address: _____

City: _____

State: _____ ZIP: _____

Email: _____

Phone: _____

LinkedIn: _____

Dawg Tag: _____

Planned Graduation Date: _____

Classification (Freshman, Sophomore, Junior, Senior):

Major(s): _____

Minor(s) or 2nd Major, if applicable: _____

High School and/or Community College Attended:

Are you a first-generation college student? Yes / No