

The Educators' Center of Lake County

The Educators' Center works to:

- Provide a place to obtain high quality, research-based information about teaching and learning;
- Provide an ongoing assessment of professional development needs in the region via bi-annual surveys of superintendents, principals and teachers;
- Provide professional development of pre-K-12 teachers and administrative staff through workshops and seminars, as well as academic programs leading to advanced degrees and additional approvals/endorsements;
- Help prepare teachers and administrators to be agents for change within their schools; and
- Contract with specific school districts to deliver tailored professional development that addresses a district-identified need with the resources of University Center member institutions.

Customized Work with Schools

The Educators' Center works with schools and school districts in Lake County to assist in grant-writing and partnering, finding appropriate educational consultants through the University Center member institutions, and matching appropriate member institutions to provide specifically tailored contract solutions to professional development needs.

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Visit Us on the Web: www.ucenter.org

University Center Open House Dates

(To meet program representatives from members institutions):

October 1, 2019

April 16, 2020

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2019-2020 PROGRAMS

*Serving Lake County Educators through
the Educators' Center of Lake County*

Professional Development Courses, Certificates, & Additional Licensure Programs for Current Teachers

Learning Behavior Specialist I (LBSI) Endorsement
University of Illinois Springfield
Secondary Teaching Endorsement in English, Mathematics, Science, or Social Science
University of Illinois Springfield
ESL Approval/Endorsement
Concordia University Chicago
University of Illinois Springfield
Technology Specialist Endorsement
Concordia University Chicago
Southern Illinois University Edwardsville
Library Information Specialist
Southern Illinois University Edwardsville
Northern Illinois University
Graduate Certificate in Legal Aspects of Education
University of Illinois Springfield
Graduate Certificate in K-12 Educational Technology
University of Illinois Springfield
Post-Baccalaureate Certificate in Web-Based Learning
Southern Illinois University Edwardsville
Graduate Certificate in Leadership & Learning
University of Illinois Springfield
Chief School Business Official Endorsement
Northern Illinois University

Graduate Degree Programs for Current Teachers & Administrators

MSEd in Literacy Education (<i>Reading Specialist & Reading Teacher</i>)
Northern Illinois University
MA in Educational Technology: Leadership (<i>Technology Specialist</i>)
Concordia University Chicago
MSEd in Instructional Technology (<i>Technology Specialist & Library Information Specialist</i>)
Southern Illinois University Edwardsville
MSEd in Instructional Technology (<i>Library Information Specialist</i>)
Northern Illinois University
MA in School Counseling (<i>School Service Personnel Certificate K-12</i>)
Concordia University Chicago
MA in Educational Leadership: School Leadership (<i>Principal Endorsement</i>)
Northeastern Illinois University
MSEd in School Business Management (<i>CSBO certification</i>)
Northern Illinois University
MA in Curriculum and Instruction
Concordia University Chicago
MA in Education
University of Illinois Springfield
MA in Music (<i>Music Education Concentration</i>)
Eastern Illinois University
MA in Differentiated Instruction
Concordia University Chicago
MA in Art (<i>Art Education Concentration</i>)
Eastern Illinois University
MS in Educational Research and Evaluation
Northern Illinois University

Initial Teaching Licensure Programs

BA in Early Childhood Education/Early Childhood Practice (<i>licensure & non-licensure tracks</i>)
National Louis University
BS in Elementary Education (<i>Grades 1—6</i>)
Southern Illinois University Carbondale
BS in Special Education (<i>LBS 1</i>)
Southern Illinois University Carbondale
Secondary Teaching Licensure in English, Mathematics, Science, or Social Science
University of Illinois Springfield
MAT in Elementary Education (<i>Grades 1 - 6</i>)
National Louis University

Programs for Teaching or Working in Settings Other than pre-K-12 Schools

BA in Human Resource Development
Northeastern Illinois University
BS in Applied Management (<i>Instructional Technology, Training & Evaluation</i>)
Northern Illinois University
BS & MSEd in Workforce Education & Development
Southern Illinois University Carbondale
Master in Higher Education Administration
North Park University
MA in Art (<i>Community Art Concentration</i>)
Eastern IL University
MSEd in Instructional Technology (<i>Instructional Design & Performance Improvement</i>)
Southern Illinois University Edwardsville
Post- Baccalaureate Certificate in Web-Based Learning
Southern Illinois University Edwardsville
Graduate Certificate in Higher Education Online Pedagogy
University of Illinois Springfield
Certificate in Higher Education Administration
North Park University
Graduate Certificate in Postsecondary Developmental Literacy & Language Instruction
Northern Illinois University