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SUPPORTING THE ACHIEVEMENT OF OUR STUDENTS AS THEY ATTAIN

ADVISOR RESOURCES

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Did you know...

The Walk-In Tutoring Center has changed locations from Stabley 102 to Stabley 201-A.

Hours are as followed:
Monday 10-6,
Tuesday 10-4,
Wednesday 10-6
Thursday 10-2
For the tutoring schedule click here

Ways to Make Advising Experiences Meaningful!

Advisors are an important part of a student's persistence and graduation. Students that develop a relationship with their advisor are more likely to continue their studies and earn a degree – especially those without a personal support network to help them navigate college. The development of a strong system of student support can make the task of advising rewarding for both the faculty advisor and the student. Here are some important points to keep in mind as the fall advising season begins:

- In order for students to make good decisions they need accurate and timely information.
 Having the most up-to-date information about degree requirements and liberal studies
 offerings is vital. Providing this information electronically for students is a wise option –
 direct them to online resources at your department websites, DegreeWorks, and
 MyIUP. Combined, each of these tools will provide current course offerings and degree
 audit overviews.
- Helping students to align course selections with their future career goals provides
 direction that can be mapped over several semesters. Utilize the resources available at
 the Career and Professional Development Center to take advantage of out-of-class
 experiences that may further define their career goals. Use the Career Planner in the
 SSC Advisor Platform to help students see pathways that might not have been considered.
- Knowing how to navigate the university's resources is an important tool for advisors to have in their advising folder. Visit the ASC@IUP website as a first stop to find resources and contacts for offices and programs in support of student success.
- Finally, engage students in the dialogue about their academic success, making connections to the university. Taking the opportunity to build a relationship and celebrate student achievements connects the student to your department and provide them with a strong foundation to become successful alumni!

Initial Registration Time Appointments for Spring 2016

GROUP	STARTING DATE
	RANGE*
Continuing Education	10/18
Priority Groups	10/18 – 10/20
Freshman	10/21 – 10/26
Seniors	10/27 – 11/2
Juniors	11/2 – 11/7
Sophomores	11/8 – 11/11
Graduate Students	10/31

* Note – registration after the students' initial time appointment remains open until the end of the semester

There are no initial time appointments scheduled to begin on weekends or weekdays when there are no classes scheduled.



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Support for advising Student-Athletes

The IUP Crimson Hawks Compliance Office has provided an overview of important points related to academic advising and our student-athletes. There are over 475 student-athletes attending IUP this fall, many of whom continue to have success both in the classroom and on the field. Checkout the advising resource located on the ASC@IUP website, advising student athletes.

October Tip for using the SSC Advisor Platform

Do you have a group of students that you would like to add to your Watch List in the Advisor Platform? Here is an easy way to upload the list – create a spreadsheet that contains student Banner IDs, save it as a ".csv" file, open the SSC Advisor Platform and select the Upload to Watch List link. The Upload to Watch List feature only uses student Banner IDs to identify students, so you should remove all other columns. Look for FAQs on the SSC Advisor Platform front page.

Two new programs approved for Fall 2017

- BS in Public Health—Undergraduate level—meets the growing need for public health professionals in a variety of fields—Interdisciplinary program in CHHS/ CHSS/CNSM
- PhD in Counselor Education—Graduate level prepares professionals for leadership positions and reaching in the counseling field—COEET

For more information on recruitment and support for these programs contact the Dean's Office in the colleges listed above.