

Cook Honors College
Fall 2012 Open House
November 9-10, 2012

Friday Evening:

- 6:30-7:00 PM** **Arrival and Registration**
Open House check-in will take place at the entrance of Whitmyre Hall. Your personal information folders and name tags will be distributed. Students will guide you to the Great Hall and provide a secure location for your luggage.
- 7:00-7:10 PM** **Welcome and Opening Remarks**
Associate Director, Kevin Berezansky will give an overview of the Robert E. Cook Honors College and Open House itinerary.
- 7:10-7:30 PM** **Comments by Dr. Janet Goebel, Director of the Cook Honors College**
- 7:30-8:00 PM** **Honors Student Panel**
Current Honors College students will offer experiences, stories, and advice about IUP and the Honors College. This session will include time for your questions.
- 8:00-9:00 PM** **Getting to Know Whitmyre**
You will be divided into small groups to tour our community. Your tour group number can be found in your folder that you receive at check-in.
- 9:00 PM - Late** **Community Activities**
Join the Honors Connection group for games, movies, and other fun activities for the prospective students. This is an opportunity for you to participate in the life of the Honors College and get your questions answered candidly. Parents may depart at this time.

Saturday Morning:

- 8:00 AM** **Wake-up/Breakfast**
Students will have breakfast in the Great Hall.
- 8:45 AM** **Parents Arrive**
Please remove all personal belongings from Whitmyre at this time.
- 9:00-9:40 AM** **Introductory Remarks: Core Curriculum**
Kevin Berezansky, Associate Director
- 9:40-10:00 AM** **The Honors College Admission Process**
Kevin Berezansky, Associate Director
- 10:00-11:00 AM** **Mock Core Class (Students)**
○ Students will attend a representative Core Class. An Honors College faculty member will lead the discussion.
- 10:00-11:00 AM** **Distinctions and College Costs (Parents)**
○ Parents will attend an Honors Administrators Panel in the Great Hall where administrators will lead a roundtable discussion. The discussion will focus on parental concerns such as admissions criteria, attendance costs, financial aid, curriculum, study abroad opportunities, co-curricular programs, social service, merit awards, and graduate placement.
- 11:00-12:30 PM** **IUP Campus Tour / Expo /Lunch**
○ This will happen in small groups.
○ Lunch will be the conclusion of our Open House program. Students and guests will then be free to explore Indiana or the campus on their own.
- 11:00 AM** **Personal Interviews (Optional)**
○ Students interested in interviewing for admission may sign up on Friday evening to participate in a brief interview for admission.

Thank you!

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