Get Connected!

Navigating Crimson Connect and Student Organizations at IUP

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Tell Us About You

- What is one thing you are involved in this year outside of classes? (sports, drama club, SGA, etc.)
- What is one thing you have always wanted to try?
- What is one thing that makes you nervous about college?
About MCSLE

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Featuring:

- Social Spaces
- Student Meeting Rooms
- Dance Studio
- Mini-Kitchens
- Student Lounge
- Great Room
- Presentation Space
- Gallery
My Involvement Story

- Freshman Year – I got connected
- Sophomore Year – I found my niche
- Junior Year – I became a leader
- Senior Year – I decided to do it forever
- Getting Involved made all the difference in my college experience – what will it do for you?
What is Going on at IUP?

- Welcome Weekend
- Homecoming Weekend
- Off-Campus Trips
- Fraternity/Sorority Life
- Lunch & Learn Educational Series
- Departmental Programs
Concerts, Comedians, and More
How can I Get Involved

- Over 250 Recognized Organizations
- IUP Day, Crimson Blast, & Winter Warm Up
- The Beak
- Crimson Connect
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- Learn about clubs, departments and local businesses
- Free food, games, and swag
- Student Performances
- During the first month of school (fall and spring)
Daily Newsletter that has information about upcoming events!

The Beak

Coming Up
Tuesday
- Each One Reach One Food Drive
- 50 Minutes with President Driscoll, a Cup of Coffee, and You

Wednesday
- Each One Reach One Food Drive
- Women’s Basketball vs. Shoreline
- 50 Minutes with President Driscoll, A Cup of Coffee, and You

Thursday
- Each One Reach One Food Drive
- Jeff Pavey Therapy Dogs

Academics
Watch "30 Days" from the Maldives and Earn Credit
Get ahead on your coursework by watching a webinar and earning credit! Spintopia is pleased to offer Chemistry of CSI...

Important Dates
- CT3 Grade Changes for Spring 2019
- Class Schedule Changes for Spring 2019
- Final Exams Begin, Fall 2019
- Final Exams End, Fall 2019

IMPORTANT: All events begin on Tuesday, December 11, and end on Friday, December 14, 2019.

For more information, visit the Registrar’s Office website.
Crimson Connect Features

- Learn about and join groups/organizations
- See upcoming events
- Log Service Hours
- Create Co-curricular transcripts
- Follow certification paths
- And so much more!

More info on how to use Crimson Connect at https://www.iup.edu/organizations/crimson-connect/
Find Events on Campus

Search by event type, date, location, or special attributes (like free food!)
Join Groups and Organizations

Search for all recognized organizations by name or category
Putting it Into Practice

1. Go to Crimson Connect
   Go to https://lia.edu/crimsonconnect on your phone. You will not need to login with your username to access the activity.

2. Search for a club you may be interested in learning about
   Use the search bar or organization tab to find a group that you want to learn more about. Feel free to look at their organization page for more information.

3. Share with a partner what you found
   Turn to a person (or 2) next to you and share what organization you found and why you are interested in this group.
5 Tips for Getting Involved

- Look into events and groups you want to be a part of – Don’t wait!
- Keep up with social media, on campus flyers, and chalking
- Don’t be afraid to go alone
- Make an involvement goal & commit to it
- Try something new...you might love it!
Thank You!

Any questions?

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