

## Graduate School Scavenger Hunt

### The Search for Answers to Common Student Questions

1. "How do I update my address in the SIU system?"  
Answer: 3ALINKNET - "Update your contact information"  
Hint: Look on the Grad School FAQ page under Admissions.
2. "I am working as a GA in the summer. What is the maximum number of credit hours that my summer tuition waiver will cover?" 9  
Answer: \_\_\_\_\_  
Hint: Look on the Assistantships webpage.
3. "I heard that I can use my GA tuition waiver to cover the tuition at SIU Edwardsville if I take a course there. Do I have to apply and be admitted to SIUE to do this?"  
Answer: YES UNCLASSIFIED  
Hint: Look on the Grad School student resources page under Academic.
4. "If I am submitting my thesis in summer, when is it due?"  
Answer: INITIAL 6/30 FINAL 7/7  
Hint: Look on the Grad School homepage to find the DATES AND DEADLINES link.
5. "I applied for your program, and you denied me. Can I get my application fee refunded?"  
Answer: NO, the application fee is nonrefundable.  
Hint: Look on the Grad School Apply page.
6. On September 8, one of your students says, "I want to drop one of my classes. It's a full semester course. Can I get a full refund?"  
Answer: NO, the deadline is Sept. 3  
Hint: Look at the Grad School Dates & Deadlines page or the Registrar's office Registration Calendar.
7. "I applied for May graduation, but I didn't finish. Will I have to pay again to apply for August graduation?"  
Answer: NO, the graduation application can be moved one time.  
Hint: Look on the Grad School's Graduation page.
8. "I'd like to have 2 emeritus faculty and 1 faculty from another university on my dissertation committee. Is that allowed?"  
Answer: NO, a majority of committee members must be active SIUC.  
Hint: Look on page 5 of the Graduate School Operating Paper. Find link on Faculty & Staff Resources page.
9. "I've been hired as a GA in the OSPA office. How much will I get paid?" (master's student)  
Answer: 3130 / 1505  
Hint: Look on the Grad School Graduate Assistantships page, Grad Asst. Rates chart.