



Intensive English Institute



Introducing the IIEI Interns

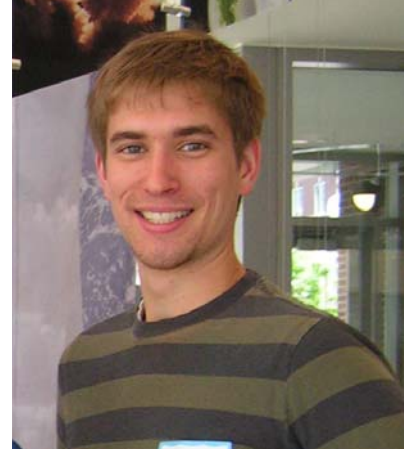
Amy Fitzjarrald



Emily Litchfield



Erik Connelly



Hello Amy, Emily and Erik! Tell us a little bit about yourselves.

I'm from Dunfermline, Illinois. I major in Communications, and I love to read, watch movies, scrapbook, and shop in my free time. I'm looking forward to doing a lot of fun activities with everyone this semester at the IIEI.

I'm from right here in Urbana, Illinois! I am a Peace and Social Justice Major. If you have never heard of that major, please ask me about it! I like art, yoga, being outdoors, volunteering, and eating raspberries.

I am from Schaumburg, IL. I major in Integrative Biology. My hobbies include swimming, reading and playing the french horn. I'm looking forward to meeting lots of new students this semester, and participating in lots of FUN IIEI events!

Why did you become an intern at the Intensive English Institute?

I love to meet international students because I love to learn about other cultures and social norms around the world. Plus, you can never have too many friends!

I love learning about other cultures. I can't wait to get to know all of you IIEI students!

Because I like to learn about other cultures and hear ideas from people who are from different backgrounds.

Tell us something unusual about yourself.

I love peanut butter, but not peanuts, and I like ketchup, but not tomatoes.

I am allergic to peanuts.

I like peanuts, peanut butter, tomatoes and ketchup. I guess I'm kind of normal.

COME TO SUMMER SEMESTER INTERN SOCIAL HOURS!



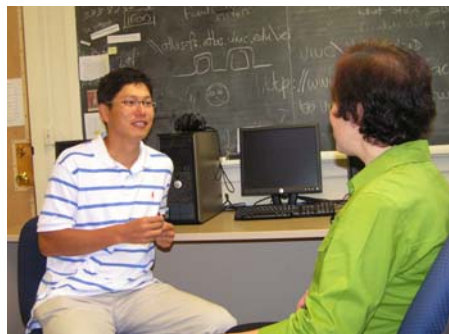
What is an intern social hour? An intern social hour is a time for the IIEI students to meet with the IIEI interns to discuss homework, get advice about problems or concerns, to practice English, or just stop in and say hello!

Where is it? The Intern Social Hours will be in the IIEI lounge.

When is it? Tuesdays 9-10:00 A.M. and Thursdays 3-4:00 P.M.

***The first Intern Social Hour will be on June 16th and will continue every Tuesday and Thursday, except for Thursday, June 18 (The Welcome Picnic is on this date!!).

Welcome New Students



Upcoming IEI Events

Don't miss these great events coming up soon!

For more upcoming events, see <http://www.iei.uiuc.edu/calendar.htm>

- **IEI Welcome Picnic**

Thursday, June 18th, 12 noon - Hessel Park, Champaign

Spend time with your new IEI 'family' with traditional American picnic food, games and activities. Your spouses and children are invited, too.

- **Convopartner Orientation**

Tuesday, June 23rd, 5:00 PM - Noyes Lab 100

If you signed up for a conversation partner, do not miss this meeting!

- **Convopartner Coffee Hour**

Wednesday, June 24th, 7:00 PM - Asian American Cultural Center

You can have your first convopartner meeting at this casual event. The AACC is located directly across from the IEI, behind the Asian American House.

- **Downtown Champaign Dinner and Tour**

Monday, June 29th, 5:00 PM, Meet at the IEI

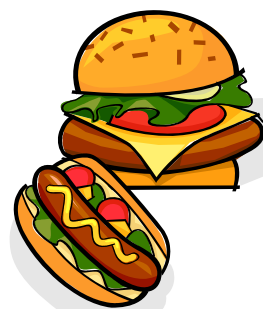
Take the bus together to enjoy a summer evening in downtown Champaign.

- **Freedom Celebration Parade**

Saturday, July 4th, 1:00 PM, meet at the IEI at 12:30

We'll have a short walk to the parade, which begins at Lincoln and Nevada Streets.

See the parade website at www.july4th.net



Featured Campus & Community Events

- **Taste of Champaign at Westside Park**

Fri, June 19th, 5-9 PM, Sat, June 20th, 11 AM-9 PM, Sun, June 21st, 11 AM-6 PM

Sample foods from local restaurants, and shop a variety of arts and crafts.

- **Urbana Blues, Brews and Barbeque at Mainstreet and Broadway Avenues**

Friday, June 26th, 12 noon -10:30 PM, Saturday, June 27th, 12 noon -10:30 PM

Listen to live music, eat great food, explore the arts boulevard, and much more.

- **Neighborhood Concert at Hessel Park in Champaign**

Sunday, June 28th, 6:30-8 PM

This free event will feature popular showtunes from the Decatur Park Singers.



- **4th of July Evening Show and Fireworks**

Saturday, July 4th, 7 PM at Dodds Park/Parkland College

This is a very popular event for the entire community, so be sure to check the website for driving and parking directions at www.july4th.net. Food and drinks will be available for purchase, but don't forget to bring a blanket or chairs!

Fireworks will begin at approximately 9:15 PM.