Southern Illinois University Carbondale  
Center for Service-Learning & Volunteerism (CSLV)  

SALUKI VOLUNTEER CORPS  

Dear Student: We welcome your participation in Saluki Volunteer Corps (SVC). As an involved student, please read this guide to learn about the policies that guide the program. The policies are based on the federal Higher Education Act as it pertains to community service.

When a student contributes time and effort directly to help a non-profit entity, it is community service (these are programs, not a full list)  
- Tutoring/reading to children at a local school or after school program  
- preparing food boxes and distributing them at a food pantry  
- reading news for the visually impaired at Southern IL Radio Information Service

Community service does NOT include (these are examples, not a full list)  
- RSO meetings, or distributing program or event flyers  
- writing letters, chalking, playing ga.m.es, car washes or event planning

Before the start of community service:  
☐ Check the list of approved volunteer opportunities available at www.cslv.siu.edu. Students volunteering at non-approved events will not receive service hours.  
☐ Call the community agency to notify them of your participation. Provide Name, email and specify the event that you or your RSO plan to help.  
☐ Pick up the SVC documentation forms found at www.cslv.siu.edu. Students will only receive service hours when submitted on the official documentation sheet and signed by the community agency staff.

WHERE TO SUBMIT YOUR VOLUNTEER FORMS:  
- IGC chapters and RSOs: submit the form to Office of Student Engagement in their new location, Student Center, 3rd floor, Room 318.  
- Honors Program: submit forms to Honors Office, Morris Library, Room 110.  
- Chancellor's scholars go to the Chancellor's Scholarship Program course shell in D2L (online.siu.edu). Fill out the appropriate service form (in the Service Hours folder), and upload a photo of your CSLV form in space provided. Those also in the Honors Program should submit the paper copy of their service form to that office as usual.  
- Sustainability: details about the Environmental Ambassador Award can be found here: http://sustainability.siu.edu/participate/service-and-volunteering.php. Events in green color on the volunteer events list qualify for Environmental Ambassador Award.

Center for Service-Learning & Volunteerism, 491, Student Services Building. 618.453.7520.  
You are welcome to email us at volunteer@siu.edu.
Organization/Event Name: Southeastern Illinois Community Health Coalition/Family Fun Day  
Date: May 5, 2018  
Time: 10 a.m.-2 p.m.  
Location: Southern Illinois Worship Center, 124 Lou Ann Drive Herrin, IL 62948  
Contact Person and Phone: Kristina Hale (618) 201-6921  
Volunteer Responsibilities: Facilitate group activities  
Additional Information: Type 1 diabetics will be participating—be familiar with symptoms of low/high blood sugar (Parents, other adults, and healthcare providers will be present as well.)

Organization/Event Name: Carbondale Main Street/Fourth Friday Fairs  
Dates: May 25  
Time: 4 p.m. – 10 p.m. (divided into shifts, 4-6 p.m., 6-9 p.m., 9-10 p.m.)  
Location: Town Square Pavilion  
Contact Person and Phone: Meghan Cole 618-529-8040  
Volunteer Responsibilities: Come dressed to set up an event, wear tennis shoes and bring a reusable water bottle! You will get to work with kids and families on activities, listen to live music, and enjoy the Carbondale community!

Organization/Event Name: Carbondale Main Street/Downtown Clean Ups!  
Dates: June 9  
Time: 9 a.m. – 11 a.m.  
Location: Town Square Pavilion  
Contact Person and Phone: Meghan Cole 618-529-8040  
Volunteer Responsibilities: Pick up trash and occasionally plant flowers, clean up flower beds, etc.  
Additional Information: Bring gloves if you can; water will be provided.

Organization/Event Name: Carbondale Main Street/Celebrate 618  
Date: June 16, 2018  
Time: 10 a.m. – 1 p.m., 12:30-4 p.m., 3:30-7 p.m., 6:30-11 p.m., 11-midnight  
Location: Main Street office 121 S Illinois Avenue, Carbondale, IL  
Contact Person and Phone: Meghan Cole, 618-529-8040  
Volunteer Responsibilities: Helping with set up for vendors, then handing out event and navigation information for a regional celebratory event in downtown Carbondale, expected to draw 3000+ patrons. Also helping with setting up and helping people navigate an open, free concert event.  
Additional Information: Celebrate 618 will feature popup restaurants, art and craft vendors, free live music in downtown Carbondale throughout the day on June 16.

Organization/Event Name: Carbondale Main Street/Fourth Friday Fairs  
Dates: June 22  
Time: 4 p.m. – 10 p.m. (divided into shifts, 4-6 p.m., 6-9 p.m., 9-10 p.m.)  
Location: Town Square Pavilion  
Contact Person and Phone: Meghan Cole 618-529-8040  
Volunteer Responsibilities: Come dressed to set up an event, wear tennis shoes and bring a reusable water bottle! You will get to work with kids and families on activities, listen to live music, and enjoy the Carbondale community!

Organization/Event Name: Carbondale Main Street/Downtown Clean Ups!  
Dates: July 1  
Time: 9 a.m. – 11 a.m.  
Location: Town Square Pavilion  
Contact Person and Phone: Meghan Cole 618-529-8040  
Volunteer Responsibilities: Pick up trash and occasionally plant flowers, clean up flower beds, etc.  
Additional Information: Bring gloves if you can; water will be provided.
**Organization/Event Name:** Carbondale Main Street/Downtown Clean Ups!
**Dates:** July 23
**Time:** 9 a.m. – 11 a.m.
**Location:** Town Square Pavilion
**Contact Person and Phone:** Meghan Cole 618-529-8040
**Volunteer Responsibilities:** Pick up trash and occasionally plant flowers, clean up flower beds, etc.
**Additional Information:** Bring gloves if you can; water will be provided.

**Organization/Event Name:** Saluki Swim Club
**Date:** July 26th - 29th, 2018
**Time:** 8:00 a.m. - 9:00 p.m. Daily - 3-4 hour sessions
**Location:** SIU Recreation Center - Shaw Natatorium
**Contact Person and Phone:** Kate Fakhoury - 618-319-0883 (kandafak@yahoo.com)
**Volunteer Responsibilities:** Lane Timers, Time Sheet Runners, Hospitality Servers, Award Preparation.
**Additional Information:** This time is spent poolside, so comfortable shoes are suggested with the possibility of getting wet. The sessions are 3-4 hours in duration with each day having three sessions.

**Organization/Event Name:** Carbondale Main Street/Fourth Friday Fairs
**Dates:** August 24
**Time:** 4 p.m. – 10 p.m. (divided into shifts, 4-6 p.m., 6-9 p.m., 9-10 p.m.)
**Location:** Town Square Pavilion
**Contact Person and Phone:** Meghan Cole 618-529-8040
**Volunteer Responsibilities:** Come dressed to set up an event, wear tennis shoes and bring a reusable water bottle! You will get to work with kids and families on activities, listen to live music, and enjoy the Carbondale community!

**Organization/Event Name:** Dayempur Farm
**Date:** Ongoing
**Time:** Anytime from 9:00 a.m. -- 6:00 p.m.
Please call to schedule a time
**Location:** Anna, Illinois
**Contact Person and Phone:** Rafael (Rafi) Ruperto, 618-201-5395, dayempurfarm@gmail.com
**Volunteer Responsibilities:** Volunteers can work on gardening, tending crops, seed saving, medicinal and culinary herbs, bees, chickens, turkeys and more
**Additional Information:** Through a hands-on approach, volunteers will be exposed to principles of sustainable development and sustainable agriculture. Internships are available for SIU credit.
Organization/Event Name: St. Francis Community Animal Rescue & Education
Date: Any Date
Time: Monday-Friday 8:00 a.m. -4:30 p.m., Saturday-Sunday 8:00 a.m. -3:00 p.m.
Location: 6228 Country Club Rd, Murphysboro Il. 62966
Contact Person and Phone: Sunni Welch 618-687-2079
Volunteer Responsibilities: Walk Dogs, Bathe Dogs, Clean Kennels, Unfold Newspaper

Organization/Event Name: Autism Society of Southern Illinois
Date: Ongoing
Time: Ongoing
Location: 880 W. High Street, Carbondale
Contact Person and Phone: Stephanie Brown 618.319.3303
Volunteer Responsibilities: Paint murals for Sensory Rooms
Additional Information: We have a space donated to us for Sensory Rooms. We are looking for volunteers to help us brighten the space up.

Organization/Event Name: Egyptian Area Agency on Aging, Inc.
Date: Continuous from September 1, 2017, through June 30, 2020.
Time: This is not an event but commitment by volunteers to help K-12 students with reading & math at local schools. The time is in the schools, and volunteers’ mutual agreed upon times.
Location: Local public and faith-based schools.
Contact Person and Phone: Nyle Neal (primary), Gail Johnston, or John Smith all at (618) 985-8311.
Volunteer Responsibilities: Tutor schoolchildren in reading and math.
Additional Information: (program, background check, weekly commitment, etc.) 5-20 hours per week is expected.

Organization/Event Name: Green Earth, Inc.
Date: Third Saturday of each month
Time: 9 a.m. to 12 p.m.
Location: rotates between the GE nature preserves (all within Carbondale). Locations posted on GE website one week prior.
Contact Person and Phone: Stephanie Eichholz 618 201-3774
Volunteer Responsibilities: Outdoor work within nature preserves; trail maintenance or habitat management.
Additional Information: No skill necessary. Tools, gloves, bug spray, snacks, and water provided.

Organization/Event Name: WSIU Public Broadcasting, Education and Outreach Services
Date: Ongoing
Time: Varies
Contact Person and Phone: Beth Spezia, preferred contact method is email at outreach@wsiu.org
Volunteer Responsibilities: Orientation to WSIU Public Television and Radio is required. Professionalism is expected. Transportation provided as needed.

Organization/Event Name: IMC Technology Learning Center
Date: Any day Monday through Thursdays, Starting week of 9/18/17
Time: 3:30 p.m. - 5:30 p.m.
Location: 111 S. Appleknocker Dr., Cobden, IL
Contact Person and Phone: Catalina Toro Mejia, 618-893-1922, toromejiacatalina@gmail.com
Volunteer Responsibilities: Tutoring, Homework assistance, activity supervision
Additional Information: Prefer a weekly commitment once a day is established.
**Organization/Event Name:** Boy Scouts of America  
**Date:** Ongoing-Mondays  
**Time:** 6-7 p.m.  
**Location:** The View Church, 1201 S Giant City Rd, Carbondale, IL  
**Contact Person and Phone:** Trina Thomas, 618-867-6293  
**Volunteer Responsibilities:** Assist regular leaders with children and special events - Dates TBA  
**Additional Information:** Every Monday Carbondale Elementary School District #95 is in session.

**Organization/Event Name:** African American Museum of Southern Illinois  
**Date:** Ongoing  
**Time:** Monday-Thursday 12 p.m.-6 p.m. and Friday-Saturday 10 a.m.-9 p.m. (closed Sundays)  
**Location:** University Mall, Carbondale  
**Contact Person and Phone:** Milton or Zenetta. Please leave a message at 618-457-2217.  
**Volunteer Responsibilities:** Greeting patrons, answering the phone, sharing info about exhibits, attend cultural community events when available. If qualified, options may include helping to develop a database and website, establish and maintain social media presence, and other duties as assigned.

**Organization/Event Name:** SIU Craft Shop  
**Date:** Ongoing  
**Time:** 2 p.m.-6 p.m.  
**Location:** Student Center Craft Shop  
**Contact Person and Phone:** Ron Dunkel, 618-453-3636, craftshop@siu.edu  
**Volunteer Responsibilities:** Create Random Tokens of Kindness.

**Organization/Event Name:** Gum Drops, NFP  
**Date:** Ongoing  
**Time:** Tuesday Mornings at 10:00 a.m., Tuesday Evenings at 6:30 p.m., Wednesday Evenings at 6:30 p.m.  
**Location:** 1005 Briarwood, Carterville, IL 62918  
**Contact Person and Phone:** Ronnie Simpson 618-319-3829 or Amy Simpson 618-319-3828  
**Volunteer Responsibilities:** Help make weekly food bags for at-risk children of Southern Illinois.

**Organization/Event Name:** USDA Forest Service – Shawnee National Forest Conservation Education programs  
**Date:** Ongoing  
**Time (specific or shifts):** Various  
**Location:** Various  
**Contact Person and Phone:** Linda Hauser, 618-833-8576 lhauser@fs.fed.us  
**Volunteer Responsibilities:** Assist with public events, school programs, and field trips  
**Additional Information:** Signing a volunteer agreement is required at least one week in advance. Please sign up as early as possible.

**Organization/Event Name:** USDA Forest Service – Shawnee National Forest Smokey Bear/Woodsy Owl Programs  
**Date:** Various and Ongoing  
**Time:** Various, usually 1-hour shift  
**Location:** Various locations in Southern Illinois  
**Contact Person and Phone:** Linda Hauser, 618-833-8576 lhauser@fs.fed.us  
**Volunteer Responsibilities:** Dress in a mascot costume. Kids will be looking for hugs, handshakes, and high-fives, non-speaking role.  
**Additional Information:** Signing a volunteer agreement is required at least one week in advance. Please sign up as early as possible.

**Organization/Event Name:** Victory Dream. Center/ Food Pantry  
**Date:** Tuesdays (Prep), Wednesdays (Distribute), Fridays (Prep)  
**Time:** Tuesday: 11:00 a.m. Wednesday: 10:00 a.m.-1:30 p.m. Friday: 11:00 a.m.  
**Location:** 607 E, College St  
**Contact Person and Phone:** 618-318-2995  
**Volunteer Responsibilities:** Tuesdays & Fridays: unpacking food boxes, unloading and storing food, filling food bags for distribution, setting up the food pantry.
Wednesdays: distribute food, refill food tables, light cleaning, and organizing, help carry food to the cars.

Additional Information: volunteers can stay for the time their schedule permits.

Tuesdays and Fridays are great volunteer days for those who would rather do some manual labor over working with people. Tuesdays and Fridays mainly consist of receiving truckloads of food and getting it stored properly.

Organization/Event Name: Perry County Humane Society
Date: Ongoing
Time: Varies. Able to accommodate student schedules.
Location: No Kill Animal Shelter, 8365 State Route 14, Du Quoin
Contact Person and Phone: pchsinfo@yahoo.com
Volunteer Responsibilities: Walk dogs, clean dog, and cat kennels and socialize with animals. Assist with fundraising and animal adoption events.
Additional Information: Volunteer application available at www.perrycountyhumanesocietyil.com

Organization/Event Name: Boys and Girls Club of Carbondale: After School Program
Date: Ongoing
Time: 3:00 p.m. to 7:00 p.m. Monday through Friday
Location: Main Site – 250 N. Springer Street, Rebound Alternative High School site – Oakland Street, Carbondale Middle School Site; or, Lewis School Site
Contact Person and Phone: Director of Operations, 618-457-8877 x2, tcarpenter@bgc-cdale.org
Volunteer Responsibilities: Assist with select Programs and Events w/ youth ranging from 6-18 years. Assist with implementation of activities, mentoring, engagement and supervision of youth. Program Volunteers may arrange daily, weekly, or event-specific volunteer time depending on interest and availability. All volunteers who work directly with youth must complete an application, a background check and set up an appointment with Tina Carpenter. The processing fee is $10. Upon completion of a Background Check, volunteers must complete an orientation before being assigned to a program area or site.
Additional Information: All persons working with youth must complete a background check with the Boys and Girls Club of Carbondale. The processing fee is $13.00 and is good for one year.

Organization/Event Name: Boys and Girls Club of Carbondale: Power Hour Tutor Squad
Date: Ongoing
Time: 3:45 p.m. – 5:00 p.m. Monday through Thursday
Location: Main Site – 250 N. Springer Street, Rebound Alternative High School site – Oakland Street, Carbondale Middle School Site; or, Lewis School Site
Contact Person and Phone: Director of Operations, 618-457-8877 x2, tcarpenter@bgc-cdale.org
Volunteer Responsibilities: The Power Hour Tutor Squad will assist with homework, tutoring and academic enrichment programs. We need ten volunteers per day, but not all volunteers have to come daily. We need a strong group of volunteers to help our Club members achieve academic success.
Additional Information: All persons working with youth must complete a background check with the Boys and Girls Club of Carbondale. The processing fee is $13.00 and is good for one year.
**Organization/Event Name:** Boys and Girls Club of Carbondale: Club Care Days/Facility  
**Date:** Quarterly, usually on a Saturday morning each semester and during the holiday break  
**Time:** 9:00 a.m. to 1:00 p.m.  
**Location:** 250 N. Springer Street, Carbondale, IL 62901  
**Contact Person and Phone:** Tina Carpenter, 618-457-8877 x1, tcarpenter@bgc-cdale.org  
**Volunteer Responsibilities:** Work in groups to complete various maintenance and custodial support tasks both inside and outside. May include cleaning, painting, and repair work.

**Organization/Event Name:** S-I-R-I-S the Southern Illinois Radio Information Service  
**Date:** Varies  
**Time:** Varies  
**Location:** SIRIS House located at 1003 South Oakland Avenue OR WSIU Radio Station/Communications Building  
**Contact Person and Phone:** Kevin Boucher 618-453-4348  
**Volunteer Responsibilities:** Daily reading of local newspapers over-the-air broadcasting on the SIRIS Radio Service  
**Additional Information:** Must have an interest in reading both newspapers, and magazines.

**Organization/Event Name:** Habitat for Humanity  
**Date:** Saturdays beginning late February/early March until mid-October  
**Time:** 8 a.m. – 12 p.m.  
**Location:** 507 N. Carico, Carbondale, IL  
**Contact Person and Phone:** Barb Rester, 618-521-5900, volunteercoord@juchabitat.org  
**Volunteer Responsibilities:** Assist with building a home  
**Additional Information:** Visit our VOLUNTEER website at http://www.juchabitat.org or our Facebook page - Habitat for Humanity Jackson & Union County  
Anyone is welcome. Come when you can. We have supervisors and tools on site.

**Organization/Event Name:** The Science Center  
**Date:** Ongoing  
**Time:** N/A  
**Location:** The Science Center 1237 E Main St Ste 1048 Carbondale, IL 62901  
**Contact Person and Phone:** Chris Walls or Josh Morale 618-529-5431  
**Volunteer Responsibilities:** Depends on the project or program

**Organization/Event Name:** Murphysboro Food Pantry  
**Date:** Varies  
**Time:** Typically, mornings Monday through Friday, but May events may be held on some weekends  
**Location:** 906 North 14th Street Murphysboro IL 62966  
**Contact Person and Phone:** Megan Austin, 618-684-8258  
**Volunteer Responsibilities:** sorting canned goods/checking dates, lifting, client assisting, pantry volunteer assisting, various events in the year (responsibilities may vary depending on event)

**Organization/Event Name:** Wesley Food Pantry  
**Date:** Tuesday and Wednesday- All Semester  
**Time:** 1 p.m. - 4 p.m. on Tuesday, 1 p.m. – 5 p.m. on Wednesday.  
**Location:** Wesley Foundation  
**Contact Person and Phone:** Sherry Smedshammer 457-8165  
**Volunteer Responsibilities:** sort items, fill shelves, help visitors in the food pantry, data entry  
**Additional Information:** open to all who want to volunteer
Organization/Event Name: Carbondale Community Arts: Thursday Evening Art
Date: every Thursday
Time: 5 p.m. – 8 p.m.
Location: Carbondale Community Arts Artspace 304
Contact Person and Phone: Lisa Janssen, 618-457-5100
Volunteer Responsibilities: Assistance with event set up, administrative tasks, light cleaning
Additional Information: This is an Ongoing, weekly commitment, which could be split between volunteers. As CCA is a nonprofit local arts agency, those with interest in the arts- visual, performing, literary, design, marketing, public relations or communications may be the best fit.

Organization/Event Name: Carbondale Community Arts: Art Education Program
Date: Saturday afternoons and fourth Friday of May, June, July, August, September, and October
Time: 1-4 p.m. Saturdays, and 5:30-9 p.m. on fourth Fridays
Location: Carbondale Community Arts Artspace 304
Contact Person and Phone: Lisa Janssen, 618-457-5100
Volunteer Responsibilities: Assistance with set-up, clean up and delivery of educational outreach activities and programs
Additional Information: This is an Ongoing, weekly commitment, which could be split between volunteers. As CCA is a nonprofit local arts agency, those with interest in the arts, education, curriculum or instruction or, any combination of those interests may be best suited for the position. The selected volunteer would be required to have a background check.

Organization/Event Name: Carbondale Community Arts: Friday Art Receptions
Date: first Friday of the month
Time: 4-7:30 p.m.
Location: Carbondale Community Arts Artspace 304
Contact Person and Phone: Lisa Janssen, 618-457-5100
Volunteer Responsibilities: Assistance with a reception set up, hospitality and clean up
Additional Information: This is an Ongoing, monthly commitment, which could be split between volunteers. As CCA is a nonprofit local arts agency, those with interest in the arts, as well as hospitality, tourism, culinary arts, marketing, and public relations would be an ideal fit.

Organization/Event Name: Illinois Law Enforcement Torch Run for Special Olympics Illinois / Plane Pull Committee
Date: Summer/Fall 2018
Time: 1-2 hours per week
Location: Southern Illinois Airport – 556 N. Airport Rd, Murphysboro, IL 62966
Contact Person and Phone: Sandy Nash, 618-974-9010
Volunteer Responsibilities: We are looking for SIU students to assist on the Southern Illinois Plane Pull Committee. Committee members would assist with advertising the event on campus and recruiting SIU groups/students for participation.
Additional Information: Meetings would be mostly conference calls throughout the Summer with 2-3 in-person meetings at the Airport/ SIU School of Aviation. Service hours are available for time served on the committee. Committee members would also be asked to attend/help at the event on October 6.
**Organization:** The Women's Center, Inc.
**Date:** Ongoing
**Time:** Varies
**Location:** Carbondale, IL, primarily, can extend throughout southern IL
**Contact:** Jasmin Creek, Volunteer Manager wcvolunteers@thewomensctr.org
**Volunteer Responsibilities:** crisis intervention for survivors of domestic and sexual violence. Monthly 24-hour on call minimum requirement for Rape Crisis Services volunteers, and two shift minimum requirement for Domestic Violence volunteers.
**Additional Information:** Volunteers must complete 40-hour training (email for schedule), before volunteering. This training is held three times a year: May/June, August/September, and January/February.

**Organization/Event Name:** WSIU and PBS KIDS, Education and Outreach Services
**Date:** Ongoing through 2018
**Time:** Varies
**Location:** Varies
**Contact Person and Phone:** Beth Spezia, 618-453-5595, or beth.spezia@wsiu.org
**Volunteer Responsibilities:** Options include assisting WSIU staff with community and library activities to support literacy, science, math, arts. Support video and audio production in the field. Help with audience research, data management, and analysis.
**Additional Information:**
Volunteers help WSIU promote a love of learning among people of all ages. We organize the community, library, and school-based events and film screenings around the region. Help with games and activities during visits in WSIU Outreach Van. Work with children in summer programs. Opportunities for PBS KIDS costume character performers. Photography and video production opportunities available also. Transportation provided as needed. All opportunities are fun and rewarding!

**Organization/Event Name:** Carbondale Public Library
**Date:** Ongoing
**Time:** During open hours
**Location:** Carbondale Public Library
**Contact Person and Phone:** Patrick King [618] 457-0354, ext. 315 or email pking@carbondale.lib.il.us
**Volunteer Responsibilities:** Assist with circulation functions and library programs
**Additional Information:** Most volunteers work 1-2 hours per week