



SIENA HEIGHTS UNIVERSITY **INTERNATIONAL STUDENTS**

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Bringing the World to SHU

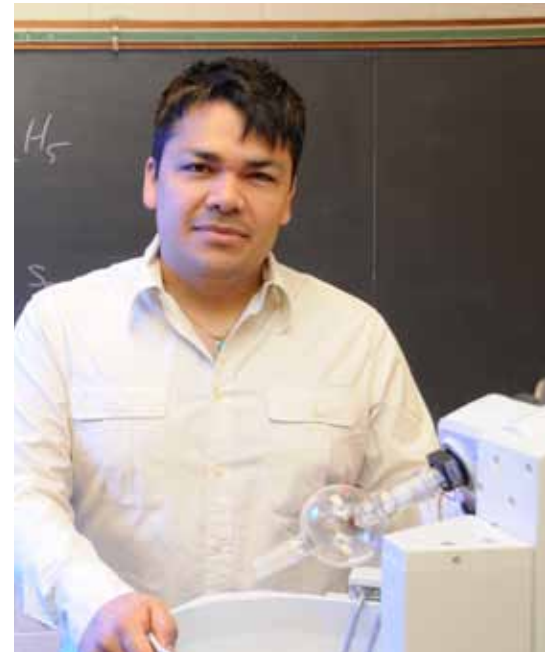
Why Siena Heights University?

You'll feel safe, secure and welcome in the charming town of Adrian, Michigan.

Siena Heights is close to the metropolitan areas of Detroit and Ann Arbor, Michigan, and Toledo, Ohio, yet it offers the safety and security of living and studying in a small and friendly town. It has that United States "hometown" appeal enabling new residents to get to know the community in a short period of time. The town is small enough that essential services are located within walking distance of the University.

Interesting and Globally Aware Faculty

Among our faculty are people who have studied, lived and taught in countries throughout the world. Staff and faculty hold degrees and qualifications from institutions such as Purdue University, Pennsylvania State University, University of Toledo, Syracuse University, University of Michigan, Georgetown, Indiana University, University of Pennsylvania, Bombay University, Marquette University, the Sorbonne, the University of Bucharest, the University of the West Indies, Boston College and Columbia University. Faculty have taught in Italy, Ireland, the Dominican Republic, France, Mexico, Turkey, the United Arab Emirates, Yemen, Kuwait, Lebanon, England, Japan, and Colombia.



Classes

Class sizes at Siena Heights are small and personalized attention is the norm.

Most classes have no more than 20 students, with some specialty classes having no more than 10-12 students. With this personal attention, coupled with Siena Heights' open-door policy, students will get the care and consideration they need. Siena Heights does not employ teaching assistants: all classes are taught by faculty members. Instructors are accessible and available to meet with students as needed.

Classes such as Cultural Geography, Social Justice in Local-Global Contexts, Intercultural Communication, International Business, Religion and Culture, Comparative Political Systems and Traditional Culture in the Middle East are just some of the interesting cultural course offerings. SHU's minor in Middle East Studies offers courses that focus on the traditional and modern culture of this developing region.



True to its Mission

The mission of Siena Heights University is to assist people to become more competent, purposeful, and ethical through a teaching and learning environment which respects the dignity of all. A variety of programs at Siena Heights represent the mission-driven programming that is the norm. Through programs such as International Education Week and Africa Day students explore different cultures and traditions.

Siena Heights University responds to the changing needs of today's society by adding new programs and courses of study. SHU recently added an environmental science major. Other unique programs include criminal justice, homeland security, religious studies, nursing and Middle Eastern studies.

Siena Heights University's Board of Trustees represent a broad spectrum of professions that are offered at the University. The Board members are leaders in industry, banking, non-profit organizations, universities, medicine, law, public utilities, psychology, religion, and insurance. As practicing professionals, they have knowledge of current trends and developments in their respective fields.

The Office of International Student Services

The office provides orientation, cultural adjustment, personal and non-academic counseling.

This office also organizes programs and activities for international students on and off campus. The International Club encourages intercultural understanding and dialogue through various educational and social activities.



Feels Like Home

Siena Heights feels like home. Students, staff and faculty know each other. With a small student population, it is not uncommon for deep bonds and long lasting friendships to be formed among faculty, staff and students.



Bringing The World To SHU

For the 2009-2010 academic year, international students numbered 71 and represented 37 countries:

Africa

- Benin
- Cameroon
- Chad
- Ethiopia
- Ghana
- Ivory Coast
- Malawi
- Niger
- Nigeria
- Tanzania
- Zambia
- Zimbabwe

Asia/Middle East

- Egypt
- India
- Iraq
- Pakistan
- Turkey
- Yemen

Caribbean

- Bahamas
- Dominican Republic
- Haiti
- Jamaica
- Puerto Rico

Central America

- Mexico

Europe

- France
- Kazakhstan
- Romania
- United Kingdom

Far East

- China
- Hong Kong
- Korea
- Philippines
- Taiwan

North America

- Canada

South America

- Brazil
- Colombia
- Ecuador
- Guatemala
- Venezuela



A Siena Heights Education is Affordable

The cost of a university education at Siena Heights is reasonable and is below the tuition charged at many similar size institutions.

SHU offers need-based international student scholarships ranging from \$1000 to \$8500 per year. These scholarships are awarded each academic year until the degree is completed. The average scholarship award is \$5000 to \$6,000 per year. Almost all international students receive some form of aid. U.S. American students and international students are charged identical tuition.

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