

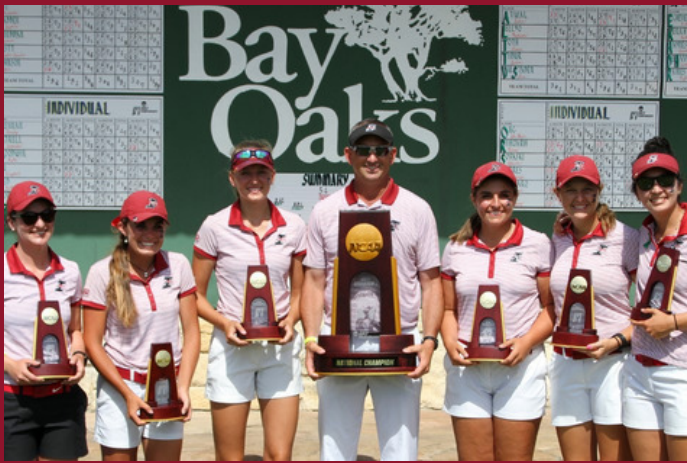
UIndy BizHounds

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Women's Golf Wins Second National Championship



In 2015, the UIndy women's golf team became the first non-Florida school to win a NCAA Division II national championship. This past spring they did it again with a win in Houston, Texas at the NCAA national championship tournament. To add to the records, there are only four other teams who can claim to have won two women's national golf championships. The UIndy Greyhounds won by an impressive 38 strokes and had a combined score in a 72-hole tournament of 1,157, which matched the tournament record for lowest team tally.

These past few years have established UIndy as the leading women's golf team in the nation. Despite being a division II school, UIndy women's golf competes against division I schools and win tournaments. To hone their skills, the team travels to tournaments across the nation. The team boasts one of the best academic records of any athletic team on campus. Many team members say they prefer a division II school because it allows them to be true Student-Athletes.

UIndy Meets Wall Street

On September 28th, the UIndy School of Business officially opened and dedicated its Finance Lab, a project that has been in the works for years. The lab is equipped with 12 Bloomberg terminals, the leading software device in the financial services industry, making UIndy home to the first Bloomberg Lab in central Indiana. With industry leading software, UIndy students can become Bloomberg Market Concepts (BMC) certified. Some employers have indicated they will only consider candidates who are BMC certified, giving UIndy students a significant advantage in the job search process. The facility also has a 32' foot stock ticker, providing data to analyze market reactions to economic and company news.

The lab also contains a custom made 86" inch touch screen BenQ smart board, touted as one of the world's largest android devices, with data, projection, and internet connectivity.

This new technology will allow students to apply what they've learned in class with real data. It will put into action through the applied projects that are embedded throughout UIndy's School of Business applied curriculum. Students from a variety of majors, including Finance, Data Analytics, and Supply Chain Management, will be taking classes in the lab starting January of 2019.





Emily Bielefeld

Supply Chain
Management
&
Computer Information
Systems

Alumni Spotlight

After graduating in 2015 with a Bachelor's of Science degree in Supply Chain Management and Computer Information Systems, Emily Bielefeld began her career at Eli Lilly & Company (Lilly) in Indianapolis, Indiana. She was first introduced to Lilly via an internship her junior year. Her experience at Lilly cemented her desire to work at the company upon graduation and an offer made the desire a reality. When asked why she chose Lilly, Emily said, "Employees there live by the values of integrity, excellence, and respect for people."

Emily's decision to attend UIndy follows a similar process. When visiting UIndy, Emily found the real world experience of the professors something she believed would help her succeed. Once on campus, Emily was heavily involved and networked with her professors. Today Emily says "I am still connected with UIndy professors and staff to this day and consider them my professional mentors." Along with this connection, she still carries what she learned at UIndy into her career at Lilly. Her biggest tip to high school seniors is to know what a university has to offer beyond the classroom and what opportunities allow you to figure out what your personal career path is. Emily believes "It's about who you know as much as it is about what you know- and UIndy helps with both!"

Indianapolis Symphony Orchestra CEO

In April of 2018, Steve Hamilton, CEO of the Indianapolis Symphony Orchestra visited campus and spoke business students. His talk focused on his personal life, career path, and advice to aspiring corporate executives. Mr. Hamilton was the speaker for the Student Business Leadership Academy (SBLA) Annual Spring Speaker Event.



He spoke of his upbringing in a small town to his life in Indianapolis. Mr. Hamilton focused on the seven most important lessons he learned on his journey. He went through his early career in hopes of teaching students how he found meaningful work for himself. He encouraged students to do the same. SBLA officers had the unique opportunity to receive leadership mentoring advice during the event.