

CSD 5880 Internship  
Log Entries  
**Your Name Here**

Session No. 4 Day/Date 9-02-08 Clock Hours Today 3 Total Clock Hours 11

Narrative Description	My Role In Events	Interpretation	Recommendation
<p>Worked with the graduate assistant with the Graduate School to streamline and modify the admissions letters, denial letters, and forms for students applying or admitted to the EIU graduate program.</p>	<p>I typed the changes and made review suggestions. On several occasions, I asked the graduate assistant for his recollections of the materials and information received upon admission of the graduate school.</p>	<p>Because I attended EIU as an undergraduate, I didn't remember receiving some of the materials I was reviewing from the Graduate School sent after students are admitted. My site supervisor confirmed that former EIU students were expected to "know the ropes."</p> <p>It is certainly important to understand that every student's experience in attending EIU will be different based on their prior experiences. I remember having trouble figuring out how to register for graduate classes under the PAWS system since undergraduate registration was done through the touch-tone dialing registration system.</p>	<p>I am not confident that expecting students to 'know the ropes' is always that dependable as a course of action. Whenever there is even the smallest opening for miscommunication, misunderstanding usually has a way of occurring. CGE</p>