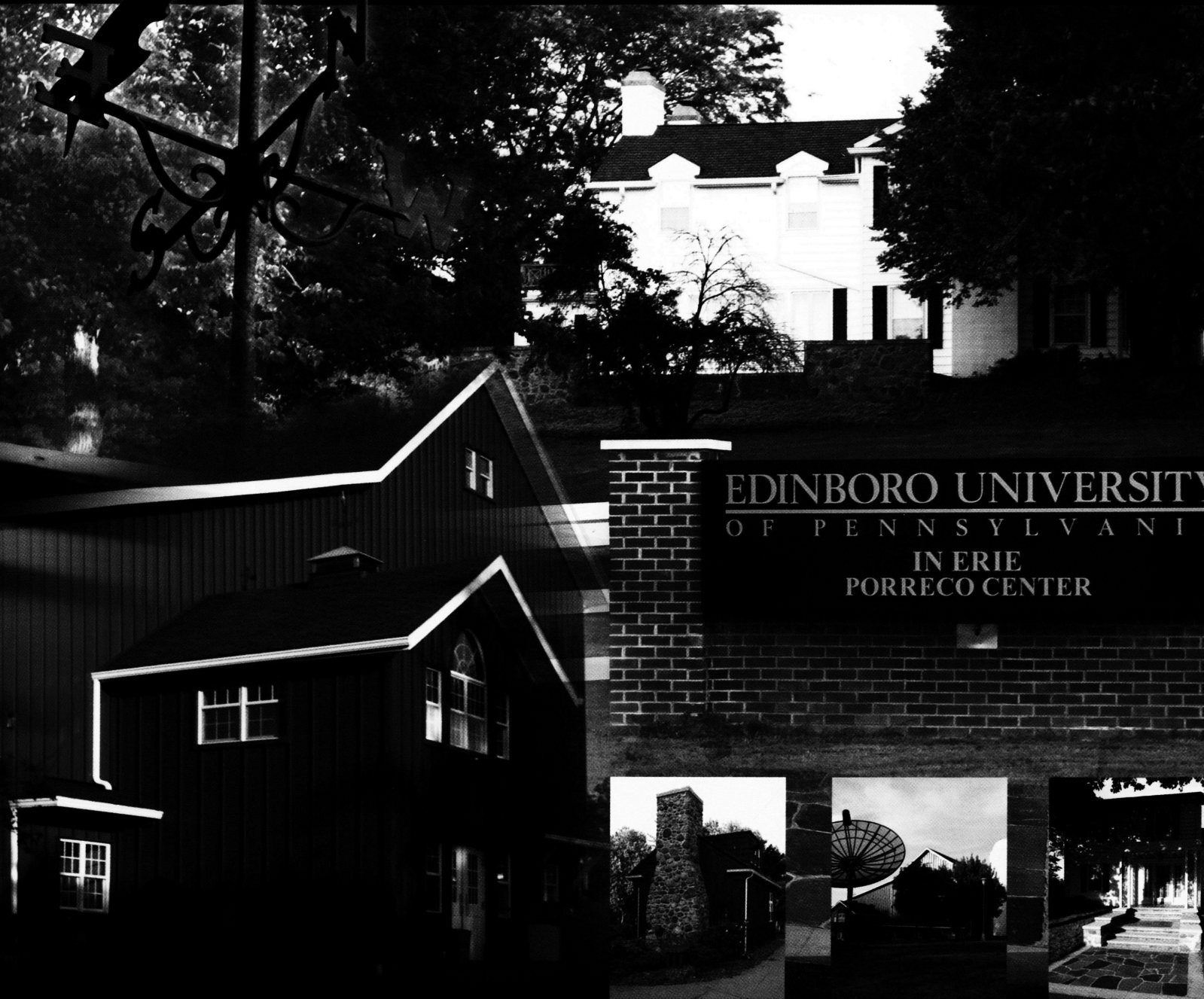




THE PORRECO CENTER  
*A New Direction*



EDINBORO UNIVERSITY  
OF PENNSYLVANIA  
IN ERIE  
PORRECO CENTER

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Our Mission

The mission of Edinboro University is to create and share knowledge by providing access to education and learning experiences for the academic, cultural and personal growth of the students and the larger community we serve.

Edinboro University is committed to lifelong learning and service. Through the Office of Extended Learning, the University strives to:

- Serve the northwestern Pennsylvania area through community service activities;
• Link the University's resources to the needs of the community;
• Provide continuing professional education to business & industry and other area professionals;
• Enhance personal enrichment of the community through non-credit offerings.

We look forward to serving the needs of our family.

General Information

Registration: We encourage you to register early. This will prevent the classes you are interested in from being canceled due to low enrollments. Please register at least one week in advance.

Refund and Cancellation Policy: You may cancel one week before class begins to receive a full refund. Classes canceled less than one week will not receive a refund, and you will be responsible for your class fee.

Extended Learning reserves the right to postpone, limit enrollment, cancel, split or combine classes, and change instructors and class locations when necessary.

Incident Weather: In the event of severe weather conditions, students should listen to local radio and television stations for the official closing of the campus. If the University is closed, all off-campus locations will be closed as well.

Instructors: The courses listed in this catalogue are taught either by regular University faculty members or other qualified professional persons from the area. Each possesses a talent, skill or specialized interest, which he/she wishes to share with the community.

For more information about the programs listed in the Extended Learning publication or certificate and contract training needs, call (814) 836-1955 or 1-800-526-0121.

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Policy of Non-Discrimination and Affirmative Action

Edinboro University of Pennsylvania is an equal opportunity education institution and will not discriminate on the basis of race, color, national origin, sex and handicap of its activities, programs or employment practices as required by Title VI, Title IX, Section 504 and the ADA.

For information regarding civil rights or grievance procedures, contact Mr. Patrick F. Coleman, Director of Human Resources and Staff Development, Title VI, Title IX, Section 504 and the ADA Coordinator, Reeder Hall, second floor, Edinboro, Pennsylvania, 16444 (814) 732-2703. For information or assistance regarding services, activities and facilities that are accessible to and usable by persons with a disability, contact Dr. Robert McConnell, Office of Students with Disabilities (814) 732-2462 V/TTY.

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## About Edinboro University in Erie THE PORRECO CENTER

### Brief History

The rich history of the Porreco estate dates back to the mid-19th century, when a German immigrant, Henry Knobloch, purchased the original 400 acres. The main property stayed in the Knobloch family until 1931, when the first of the Gebauer's took title. Jesse Gebauer became the owner in 1942 while married to Adrian Archbold, grandson of John Archbold, the partner and Standard Oil fortune successor to John D. Rockefeller.

Mrs. Archbold died in 1976, and much of the estate was divided into smaller holdings and sold privately. The core of the property, however, was retained and put on public auction. In 1978, Louis J. Porreco purchased it. In 1986, Mr. Porreco donated the estate to Edinboro University to enhance the quality and convenience of educational offerings in the Erie area.

Today, the renovated estate is used by Edinboro University to provide both credit and non-credit educational opportunities for traditional and non-traditional students, and for holding special events. Various organizations within the community also use the facilities for educational and cultural programming.

### Academic Programs

More than 10,000 students have taken classes in various programs at the Porreco Center since Edinboro University consolidated its academic offerings at one convenient location more than 13 years ago. **Undergraduate courses** in such areas as biology and health services, business administration and economics, mathematics and computer science, speech and communication studies, educational services, elementary education, English & theatre arts, foreign language, geosciences, philosophy and history are provided.

In addition, Edinboro University offers **graduate and continuing education** classes, plus an **Associate of Science degree in Business Administration** and an **Associate of Arts degree in Liberal Studies**.

During the summer, the grounds are alive with the sound of children's voices. **The Kids Academy at Porreco** is an exciting opportunity for children in grades 1-6 to participate in a wide array of unique learning experiences thanks to Edinboro University in Erie.

### Community & Corporate Resource

In tandem with its role as an academic institution, Edinboro University in Erie also provides facilities for citizens and organizations wishing to hold **special events** at the Center. Facilities are available for training sessions, retreats, conferences, meetings, receptions, classroom space, videoconferencing and press conferences. In addition, the facility houses a computer lab and distance education classroom.

Edinboro University in Erie's primary academic facility is housed within one of the largest standing barns in Erie County. The renovated interior includes **classrooms** and a **seminar area**. The Barn also houses a fully equipped **computer lab** with 24 computers with Internet capabilities and a **distance education classroom**.

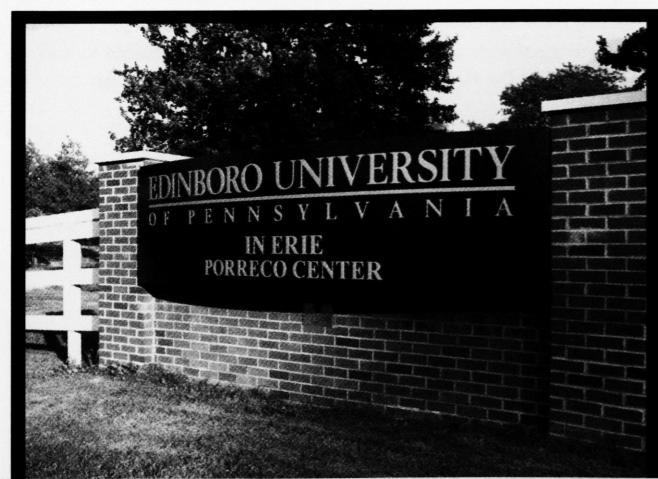
The Center also houses a **full-service cafeteria** and a converted guest house (The Garden House) which contains classrooms, faculty offices, a library service area with reference materials and direct computer access to **Edinboro University's main library catalogue**, the largest educational resources center in northwestern Pennsylvania.

Mary Porreco Hall, the original estate mansion and still its centerpiece, has been maintained to preserve its 1800s vintage farmhouse milieu. Among its 12 rooms is a large living area perfect for **executive seminars, retreats, conferences, receptions and cultural events, and professional and social gatherings**. Mary Porreco Hall also has a library, three small conference or break out rooms, dining and lounge facilities, and a fully equipped kitchen. **Special-event catering services** are also available.

**Videoconferencing/Distance Education Capabilities** – Edinboro University in Erie offers videoconferencing capability for meetings, classes or conferences. Utilizing state-of-the-art technology, meetings can be conducted at a distance to save both time and expensive travel costs. A **two-way, fully interactive videoconference classroom** complete with multiple cameras, fax, and computer presentation is available.

For more information about Edinboro University in Erie – The Porreco Center, or to utilize the Center and its facilities, please contact:

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## Building Officials Code Administrators International (BOCA) Training

Building Officials Code Administrators International (BOCA) sets guidelines and provides training to "Code Enforcement Officials" (CEOs) of all Pennsylvania municipalities, counties, townships, and cities.

The State System of Higher Education through Educational Resources Group will offer the broadcast training in a three part series. State System of Higher Education schools, utilizing interactive video conferencing will continue the building code enforcement training this fall with the following sessions:

### Session I: Residential Code Inspection Series

Dates: September 6, 10, 11, 12, 18, 19, 24, 25, 26, 30;  
October 1, 2, 9 and 10.  
Time: 8:00 am - 4:00 pm  
Cost: \$1,500 for entire series, plus texts (up to \$345)

### Class Schedule

IRC 2000 Overview & Code Development Process: September 6  
Performing IRC 2000 Inspections: September 10, 11, and 12  
Performing IRC 2000 Electrical Inspections: September 18 & 19  
Performing IRC 2000 Plumbing Inspections: September 24 & 25  
Performing IRC 2000 Mechanical Inspections: September 30,  
October 1 & 2  
2000 IECC Residential Provision: September 26  
Performing IRC 2000 Plan Reviews: 9 & 10

### Session II: Commercial Inspection Series

Dates: October 16, 17, 23, 24, 28, 30; November 5 and 6  
Time: 8:00 am - 4:00 pm  
Cost: \$1,000 for entire series; plus texts (up to \$288)

### Class Schedule

Overview of the IBC 2000: October 16  
Solving Means of Egress Problems – Comm.: October 17  
Fire Protection Systems: October 23  
Sprinkler Advantage: October 24  
Special Uses and Mixed Occupancies 2000: October 28  
Hazardous Materials: October 30  
Accessibility 2000: November 5  
Mixed Occ/Day Care & Assistive Living: November 6

### Session III: Commercial Building Plan Review Series

Dates: October 7, 8, 14, 15, 21, 22, 29  
Time: 8:00 am - 4:00 pm  
Cost: \$900 for entire series; plus texts (up to \$165)

### Class Schedule

Performing Structural Plan Reviews 2000: October 7 & 8  
Performing Non-Structural Plan Reviews 2000: October 14 & 15  
Fire Sprinkler Plan Review 2000: October 21 & 22  
Residential Fire Sprinkler Plan Review 2000: October 29

### Session IV: Commercial Building Plan Review Series (Repeat of Session III)

Dates: November 11, 12, 18, 19, 25 & 26; December 2  
Time: 8:00 am - 4:00 pm  
Cost: \$900 for entire series; plus texts (up to \$165)

### Class Schedule

Performing Structural Plan Reviews 2000: November 11 & 12  
Performing Non-Structural Plan Reviews 2000: November 18 & 19  
Fire Sprinkler Plan Review 2000: November 25 & 26  
Residential Fire Sprinkler Plan Review 2000: December 2

For more information and to register, please call Extended Learning at 836-1955.

## Child Care & ACT 48 Training Programs Act 48 Hours

### Strategies to Enhance Comprehension Before, During and After Reading

In this workshop, teachers will learn specific strategies to use before, during and after reading in order to meet state standards. The presenter will model specific strategies that can be utilized with a variety of text. Opportunities will be provided for participants to develop and share activities that utilize the strategies with a specific text or piece of literature. This class is for K-8 classroom teachers, reading specialists, administrators, and curriculum coordinators. Teachers will be awarded 3 Act 48 contact hours.

### Session I: Thursday, October 17, 4-7 pm

Edinboro University in Erie – The Porreco Center  
Instructor: Shelly Bentley  
\$45

### Session II: Thursday, October 24, 4-7 pm

Edinboro University in Erie – The Porreco Center  
Instructor: Shelly Bentley  
\$45

### Child Care Training

The Pennsylvania Department of Public Welfare and the Pennsylvania Child Care/Early Childhood Development (PACC/ECD) Training System underwrite training costs. Each session can be applied toward the Department of Public Welfare's annual six-hour training requirement. Call for class description, date and time.

**Registration Cost: \$5 per 3-hour course. The registration**

**fee is non-refundable. Applicants should assume acceptance of registration unless otherwise notified. If a class is filled or canceled, we will notify you. Registration cannot be taken over the phone. Registration must be made at least one week in advance.**

Please call 836-1955 for fall dates and descriptions.

## Community Learning Series

### Antiques Classes:

#### Antiques on the Road in Corry Sunday, October 6, 1-4 pm

Co-sponsored by the Corry Higher Education Council

Are you harboring a treasure in your attic? Do you think you found a bargain at the neighborhood flea market? Dust them off and enjoy an afternoon of fun and information on Sunday, October 6, when experts will help you identify your treasure. Informal verbal evaluations of your antiques and collectibles will be provided from 1-4 pm. The \$5 admission fee covers the evaluation of one item and refreshments. Additional items can be evaluated for \$3 each. Likely areas of concentration include:

- China and silver
- Glass
- Collectibles
- Orientalia
- Paper
- Furniture
- Toys
- Jewelry

Coins and rugs will not be included. Since the evaluations are non-binding for insurance purposes, our experts may also offer assistance in locating formal appraisals if desired. Collaborating with Edinboro University is the Corry Higher Education Council. Spend a fun-filled afternoon with us in Corry - discover the history of your personal treasures. Hope to see you there!

Sunday, October 6, 1-4 pm

Corry Higher Education Council – Smith Education Center – Corry, PA

\$5 admission and one verbal evaluation; \$3 each additional verbal evaluation

#### Antiques on the Road in Edinboro Sunday, November 10

Co-sponsored by the Edinboro University Women's Association

Sunday, November 10, 1-4 pm

University Center Multipurpose Room – Edinboro University of Pennsylvania, Edinboro

\$5 admission and one verbal evaluation; \$3 each additional verbal evaluation.

### Art Classes:

#### Drawing With Pencils

This drawing with pencils class will be a study of historical information about drawing. Students will study still life drawing, from photographic images and outdoor landscapes. Students need to bring pencils, drawing table, erasers, pencil sharpeners, fixative spray, tape, drawing board (easel optional), along with objects for still life study and photos. This class is for adults and high school students.

Thursdays, October 3-November 21 (no class October 31),  
6-8 pm (7 classes)

Edinboro University in Erie – The Porreco Center

Instructor: Judith Schroeder  
\$75, plus supplies

#### Painting With Acrylics

This painting with acrylics class will be held indoors and outdoors. Students will study still life, photographic subjects, and landscapes. Students will need to bring acrylic paints, brushes, painting trowel, palette, tape, containers for water and clean-up; tablet for acrylics, drawing board (easel optional), objects for still life study and photographs. This class is for adults and high school students.

Wednesdays, October 2-November 6, 7-9 pm (6 classes)  
Edinboro University in Erie – The Porreco Center  
Instructor: Judith Schroeder  
\$75, plus supplies

#### Painting With Watercolors

This class will be held indoors and outdoors. Students will study still life, photographic subjects, and landscapes. Students need to bring watercolors, brushes, containers for water and clean-up, watercolor sketch tablet, tape, drawing board, and objects for still life study and photographs. This class is for adults and high school students.

Wednesdays, November 13-December 18, 7-9 pm (6 classes)  
Edinboro University in Erie – The Porreco Center  
Instructor: Judith Schroeder  
\$75, plus supplies

#### Pastel Drawing Class

This pastel drawing class will be held indoors, with possible outdoor classes. Students will study still life, photographic subjects, and landscapes. Students need to bring soft chalk pastels, pastel pencils, charcoal pencils and sticks, conte' crayons optional, tablet for pastels, fixative spray, tape, drawing board, erasers, and pencil sharpeners. This class is for adults and high school students.

Mondays, October 14-November 18, 6-8 pm (6 classes)  
Edinboro University in Erie – The Porreco Center  
Instructor: Judith Schroeder  
\$75, plus supplies

#### Watercolor

Do you like watercolor but get frustrated easily? Do your colors seem to blend into a muddy mess? Then this is the class for you. Students will learn the importance of mixing colors, using quality materials, and watercolor basics. This class is designed for beginning and intermediate watercolorists. Various subject matters and techniques will be introduced.

Mondays, October 7-November 11, 6-9 pm (6 classes)  
Edinboro University in Erie - The Porreco Center  
Instructor: Tami Hritzay  
\$75, plus supplies.

#### Calligraphy

This class will introduce the important basics of Calligraphy. Students will be guided through various alphabets. They will learn various techniques from illuminating letters to constructing books. They will apply these to different art forms. This class is for those interested in perfecting their calligraphy and for those who are ready to try a new art form?

Tuesdays, October 8-November 12, 7-9 pm (6 classes)  
Edinboro University in Erie - The Porreco Center  
Instructor: Tami Hritzay  
\$75, plus supplies.

#### Kids Drawing

This class is for the student who wants to spend time perfecting their drawing skills. Various subject matter from animals to landscapes and everything in between will be used.

Saturdays, October 21-November 2, 10 am - 12 pm (4 classes)  
Edinboro University in Erie - The Porreco Center  
Instructor: Tami Hritzay  
\$75, plus supplies.

#### Photographing Your Neighborhood – An Introduction to Documentary Photography

People, places, things – everyday we pass them by without a second glance; but in the future, people will ask what was it like to live in that small corner of the world; what was it like in the neighborhood of my ancestors. This course will examine the history of the documentary photograph, the techniques to capture photographs, how to archive them and curate them in both digital and conventional ways. Students must have their own camera and film or digital camera. This class is for high school students through adult ages, photographers, historians, and anyone interested in local, regional documentation from a cultural anthropological viewpoint.

Saturdays, October 12 - November 2, 9 am - 12 pm (4 classes)  
Edinboro University in Erie – The Porreco Center  
Instructor: Edwin J. Bernik, Edinboro University Department of Art  
\$60

### Computer Classes:

#### Beginning Computer I: Buying Your First Computer

This two-hour course is geared toward individuals who are thinking of buying a new and/or their first computer. The first hour will focus on developing a working vocabulary of key terms and concepts. The second hour will be used to discuss some of the many issues to consider and questions to ask before actually purchasing your new computer. The format of the class is designed to permit as much time for questions as possible. There are no prerequisites.

Tuesday, October 15 - 6-8 pm (1 class)  
Edinboro University in Erie – The Porreco Center  
Instructor: Monty L. McAdoo, Instruction and Electronic Resources Librarian, Edinboro University.  
\$20

#### Beginning Computer II: Keyboarding & Mouse Skills

This hands-on class provides participants with a basic operational knowledge of how to use a keyboard and mouse. The degree to which individuals are able to successfully use a computer is largely dependent on their skills with these pieces of hardware. This class moves very slowly and is geared toward those with little or no experience. There are no prerequisites.

Tuesday, October 22 - 6-8 pm (1 class)

Edinboro University in Erie – The Porreco Center  
Instructor: Monty L. McAdoo  
\$20

#### Beginning Word Processing Using Word

This workshop provides an introduction to word processing using Microsoft Word. Through a combination of hands-on experience and discussion, you will learn the basics of creating, saving, and printing a document. Throughout, participants will be exposed to some of the more commonly used formatting and editing features of this powerful tool. *Prerequisite:* basic keyboarding and mouse skills. Participants may also wish to bring a diskette on which to save their work.

Tuesday, October 29, 6-8 pm (1 class)  
Edinboro University in Erie – The Porreco Center  
Instructor: Monty L. McAdoo  
\$20

#### Internet Basics

This two-hour course will provide students with a working familiarity of the Internet. The first hour will focus on how to get connected and what it means to be connected. A "Web vocabulary" will then be developed through a discussion of the various features and functions of a browser. Using a variety of hands-on activities, the second hour will focus on the mechanics of searching and the challenges and opportunities of Internet-based information. Basic security and privacy issues will be discussed throughout the presentation. *Prerequisite:* basic keyboarding and mouse skills.

Tuesday, November 5, 6-8 pm (1 class)  
Edinboro University in Erie – The Porreco Center  
Instructor: Monty L. McAdoo  
\$20

#### Beginning Spreadsheet Using Excel

This two-hour workshop is designed to provide a basic working overview of the vocabulary and functionality of spreadsheets using Microsoft Excel. During the first half hour, participants will acquire a working vocabulary of key terms and concepts. The remainder of the class will be used to gain hands-on experience working with the software and creating a basic spreadsheet. Time for questions and answers has been incorporated into the entire class. *Prerequisite:* basic keyboarding and mouse skills. Participants may also wish to bring a diskette on which to save their work.

Tuesday, November 12, 6-8 pm (1 class)  
Edinboro University in Erie – The Porreco Center  
Instructor: Monty L. McAdoo  
\$20

### General Classes:

#### Carpentry 101

This lecture-style class will cover the terminology of tools, the types of carpentry, and different types of wood and material. We will cover what tools you will need, how to use different tools, how to become a contractor, and how to obtain your contractor discount. You will also learn how to purchase material – where to buy and how much to buy. We will discuss square footage and lineal feet. Participants will be able to apply classroom

lectures to hands-on carpentry such as installing windows, doors, cabinets, and flooring. You will learn how to measure, cut, etc. and use tools safely and correctly. This class is for anyone interested in do-it-yourself repairs. Learn about home fix-ups and repairs so no one can take unfair advantage of you. Learn how to save money.

Thursdays, November 7-December 5, 7-8:30 pm (4 classes)  
Edinboro University in Erie – The Porreco Center  
Instructor: Duane Ford, self-employed for 30+ years in the construction field  
\$45

### Elementary Spanish

This course is for anyone interested in learning start-up Spanish, anyone planning to travel to a Spanish-speaking region, or anyone interested in doing business with Spanish speakers. The class introduces students to the essentials of conversational Spanish (greetings, days of the week, expressions of time, asking directions, formulating and answering questions). The course also introduces students to the basics of Spanish grammar and Spanish writing.

Tuesdays, October 1-December 3, 6-9 pm (10 classes)  
Edinboro University in Erie – The Porreco Center  
Instructor: John Cussen, Assistant Professor, Edinboro University's Department of English & Theatre Arts  
\$75, plus textbook

### Fly Tying for Steelhead

This class is taught assuming students have no prior experience in fly tying. Beginning fly tiers will get the knowledge they need to master the most common and important fly tying techniques in use today. Each class will feature different flies using different tying techniques. Techniques learned from one fly can be extrapolated to other patterns with no change in tying technique.

Tuesdays, October 8-November 26, 7-8:30 pm (8 classes)  
Edinboro University in Erie – The Porreco Center  
Instructor: Edward Bartlett, member of the Gem City Fly Tying Club. Bartlett has been fly tying for 16 years and has been commercial tying for four years.  
\$60, plus supplies

### Effective Interpersonal Communication

This class will cover a review of the types of communication used most often: oral communication, written communication and body language communication. In addition, the class will also include discussion of the "dynamics that influence communication"; discussion of how our "own style of communication" affects others; a demonstration of successful communication techniques; and "interactive discussion" to provide opportunities for participants to identify and enhance their own communication styles.

Instructor: Ron Sturga, Retired Edinboro University of Pennsylvania Faculty.

Choose One Session:  
Session 1: Tuesday, November 5, 6-7 pm Edinboro University Campus  
Session 2: Wednesday, November 6, 6-7 pm Edinboro University Campus  
Session 3: Thursday, November 7, 6-7 pm Edinboro University in Erie – The Porreco Center  
\$15

### Introduction to Standard Arabic

This course is intended to introduce students to the basic structures of standard Arabic (M.S.A.) in both spoken and written forms.

Instructor: El Ayadi Redouan, Fulbright Scholar, Edinboro University of Pennsylvania  
Tuesdays, October 15-December 3, 6-9 pm (8 classes)  
Edinboro University Campus  
\$75, plus text

### Financial Classes

#### Investing 101

This class is directed at individuals who are interested in learning more about investing. Students will learn to set financial goals and establish realistic investment objectives. You will take an in-depth look at many different types of investments available to and suitable for investors who are working or retired.

Tuesdays, October 15-November 12, 6:30-8:00 pm (5 classes)  
Edinboro University in Erie – The Porreco Center  
Instructor: E. Todd Rebich, EdwardJones Investments  
\$45

#### Smart Women Finish Rich™

Smart Women Finish Rich™ is an educational seminar that provides you with seven steps to help you achieve financial security and fund your dreams. If you act upon these simple steps to improve the quality of your financial life, you will be well on your way to a fuller, richer life! You'll learn how to:

- Put Your Money Where Your Values Are
- Figure Out Where You Stand Financially
- Discover the Power of the Latte Factor™
- Build Financial "Baskets" for Your Retirement, Your Security and Your Dreams

Instructor: Colleen E. Burbules, Edward Jones Investments  
Tuesday, October 8, 7-8:30 pm (1 Class)  
Edinboro University Campus  
\$25

## MUSIC PROGRAMS

### Community Music School

#### The Edinboro University Community Music School

Founded as the Preparatory Division by the Music Department at Edinboro University in the 1970s, the Edinboro University Community Music School was reborn in 2000 with a major expansion. Its mission is to provide music lessons to students without regard to their ability to pay. With this in mind, the Community Music School expanded into Erie at the Boys and Girls Club of Erie, Inc. and at Edinboro University in Erie - The Porreco Center. Currently, we have approximately 200 students studying a full range of musical instruction including wind and brass instruments, Suzuki piano, Suzuki violin, piano, strings, guitar, percussion, Kindermusik, and the Erie Children's Choir.

The Community Music School offers scholarships to over 40% of its students. To fund these activities, a generous grant from the Boys and Girls Club of Erie, Inc. was received in year one. Since then, fundraising efforts have included student fees, private donations, and grants. Please contact the Community Music School to discuss donor opportunities. The Community Music School can be reached at (814) 732-1357 or via e-mail at dburdick@edinboro.edu. The Community Music School website can be found on the Music Department website at <http://www.edinboro.edu>. The staff of the Community Music School includes Dr. Daniel Burdick, Executive Director, and Professor LeAnne Wistrom, Administrative Director. In addition, the staff of the Porreco Center provides crucial assistance and support throughout the year.

### First Annual Highland Tea To Support The Edinboro University Community Music School

Sunday, September 29, 2002  
Edinboro University in Erie – The Porreco Center  
2951 West 38<sup>th</sup> Street

Tour and Silent Auction 2:00 pm  
Highland Tea 3:15 pm  
\$20 per person  
Please contact the Community Music School for tickets at 732-1357.

### 20<sup>th</sup> Anniversary of the Concert Band of Northwest Pennsylvania

*Edinboro University of Pennsylvania is pleased to congratulate the Concert Band of Northwest Pennsylvania on 20 years of concerts under the direction of Mr. John Z. Fleming!*

### Concert Band of Northwest Pennsylvania Fall Concerts

Please join us for rehearsals and concerts for our 20<sup>th</sup> year of the Concert Band of Northwest Pennsylvania and plan to attend the special 20<sup>th</sup> Anniversary Concert on November 10<sup>th</sup>!

Date	Time	Location	Description
Sept. 15	7:00 pm	Diebold Center/Edinboro	Rehearsal for Hirt Concert
Sept. 17	7:30 pm	Hirt Auditorium	Concert, Erie Bayfront
Sept. 22	3:30 pm	Soldiers & Sailors	Concert
Oct. 6	2:00 pm	Wesbury	Concert
	3:00 pm	Wesbury	Concert
Oct. 13	7:00 pm	Diebold Center/Edinboro	Rehearsal Fall Concert
Oct. 20	7:00 pm	Diebold Center/Edinboro	Rehearsal Fall Concert
Oct. 27	7:00 pm	Diebold Center/Edinboro	Rehearsal/Anniv. Concert
Nov. 3	2:00 pm	GMHS Auditorium	Rehearsal/Anniv. Concert
Nov. 10	3:00 pm	GMHS Auditorium	20 <sup>th</sup> Anniversary Concert

## SPECIAL PROGRAMS

### Intergenerational Center

Diebold Center for the Performing Arts (basement)  
Edinboro University campus  
Edinboro, PA  
(814) 732-2244

The Intergenerational Center at Edinboro University is a group of lifelong learners from the Edinboro area who meet for companionship and a variety of programs/projects, using the resources, knowledge and expertise of many people from the campus and the community. The Center is located in the basement of the Diebold Center for the Performing Arts (located next to Reeder Hall on Meadville Street in Edinboro).

Coffee, conversation and card games are quiet times available for you at the Intergenerational Center on Tuesday, Wednesday, and Thursdays, 9:00 am to 3:00 pm. Participate in RSVP projects, sewing projects, book reviews, lunch and fellowship, nurse screenings, bingo, lectures and educational classes. If you don't want to drive to the Center, call the LIFT at 456-2299. LIFT will pick you up at home; bring you to the Center, then back home. Other Center members use the LIFT daily. Try it; you'll like it. Parking: single event – secure a visitor's pass at the Police Department in Earley Hall. Come to the Center daily – see Dr. Stone for a semester pass.

Area volunteers needed: We need your help to keep our Center activities growing. Any skills you can bring...painting, sewing, game instruction, arts and crafts or just your time for coffee and conversation. Visit the Center for more information.

The Center is open Tuesday through Thursday, from 9:00 am to 3:00 pm. The Intergenerational Center welcomes area adults and Edinboro University of Pennsylvania students to visit the Center and participate in its programs. Come join us!

### Emeritus Lecture Series

Thursdays, 9:30-11:30 am, October 17, 24, 31 and November 7, 14, 21.

Diebold Center for the Performing Arts  
Edinboro University Campus

### A Survey of Recent History and Current Events in Russia, Eastern and Central Europe and the Balkans

The political, economic, and social developments of the following areas will be included:

- The Gypsies (Roma) and Their Suffering
- Russia Since the Collapse of Communism
- Russia's Former Republics – 1989-2002
- Yugoslavia Since 1989 & Its Collapse
- Bosnia & Herzegovina, Serbia, Montenegro, and Kosovo
- University Emeritus Professor, Edward Zebrowski

### Thursday, September 26, 1:00 pm – Tour of Edinboro University's new Crawford Center for Health & Physical Education and Disability Resources

Dr. Robert McConnell, Director of the Office of Students with Disabilities, will give a tour of our new facility and answer questions regarding the Americans with Disabilities Act.

## Purple Martin Conservation Association

The Purple Martin Conservation Association is an international, non-profit, tax-exempt organization dedicated to the conservation of the Purple Martin (*Progne subis*) species of bird through scientific research, state-of-the-art wildlife management techniques and public education. It is supported by membership contributions and product sales. The PMCA is associated with Edinboro University of Pennsylvania through its Office of Extended Learning, which played a valuable role in the formation of the PMCA and continues to provide assistance and logistical support.

Purple Martins are condo-nesting members of the swallow family that spend their winters in Brazil and migrate back to North American breeding grounds in the spring, when the weather warms enough to provide flying insects for their food. The eastern race of Purple Martins is different from all other species of birds in that they no longer nest in the wild. Today, east of the Rocky Mountains, they are totally dependent on people to supply them with houses and gourds for nesting. Unfortunately, Purple Martins are not as common as they were a century ago. The PMCA is working to reverse this trend.

Today, the PMCA conducts research at its colony site on the eastern shore of Edinboro Lake, where as many as 150 pairs of martins nest each year. Over 6,000 members receive its quarterly publication, *The Purple Martin Update*. Additionally, the PMCA is in touch with over 100,000 Purple Martin enthusiasts throughout North America. By making accurate information on martins available to would-be landlords, designing better martin housing systems, and by conducting scientific research, the PMCA is working to increase the Purple Martins' population throughout its North American breeding range.

For more information about the Purple Martin Conservation Association, please contact:



The Purple Martin Conservation Association  
Edinboro University of Pennsylvania  
Edinboro, PA 16444  
814-734-4420; fax: 814-734-5803  
or [www.purplemartin.org](http://www.purplemartin.org)

## Workforce and Economic Development Network (WEDnet)

The Commonwealth of Pennsylvania has created the opportunity for certain employers to train employees through two programs offered by the Guaranteed Free Training (GFT) Program. Area manufacturers and companies supporting the manufacturing sector may apply. Point-of-sale business companies are excluded.

The Information Technology Training and Basic Skills Training programs are available to qualified in-state businesses and out-of-state companies relocating to the economic friendly business climate of Pennsylvania.

Qualified companies receive training provided through the Workforce and Economic Development Network of Pennsylvania, known as WEDnetPA. This alliance of 14 State System universities, Pennsylvania's 14 community colleges, the Pennsylvania College of Technology and the North Central Industrial Technical Education Center, CAMtech, Greater Altoona Career and Technology Center, Lancaster County Career and Technology Center, and the University of Pittsburgh at Bradford offers a diverse array of training employers need most.

The Department of Community and Economic Development (DCED) funds this program.

**Basic Skills Training** includes the teaching of a variety of basic and entry-level skills to benefit employees and employers. Basic and

entry-level skills are defined according to the type and scope of your business. Some of the training elements offered through the program include:

- Communications and teamwork
- Applied mathematics and measurement
- Workplace health and safety
- Problem solving
- Quality assurance
- Business operations
- Computers
- Product and process control
- Workplace behavior skills

**Manufacturing fundamentals** include some of the following:

- Blueprint reading
- Welding, soldering
- Tooling, grinding

**Information Technology Training** includes the teaching of a variety of skills to benefit employees and employers. A simple set of qualifications determines which companies and employees are eligible to receive this benefit. Specific skills are defined according to the type and scope of your business. Some of the training elements offered through the program include:

- Applied manufacturing technology
- E-business/commerce
- Technology support
- Database development
- Software engineering
- Computer programming
- Network administration
- Systems analysis
- Information security
- Management information systems
- Web site design and development

Edinboro University is strongly committed to regional workforce training. Acting as a licensed education administrator (LEA) for area manufacturers and high-tech companies, Edinboro University has enabled the following firms to submit training applications for current year funding:

Spectrum Control	Erie Plating Co.	Sterling Technologies
Niagara Plastics	PHB Molding	Erie Steel Products
Ameridrives	Jepson Precision Tool	Janitors Supply
Haysite Plastics	Carson Enterprises	R.A. Greig
Reddog Industries	Corry Laser Tech.	Multi-Products
Meadowbrook Dairy	PHB Die Casting	Entech Plastics
PHB Machining	Paragon Packaging	Erie Ceramic Arts
Erie Molded Plastics	NMA	Anson Mold
Tru-Weld Grating	TWL	General Electric
Zurn Industries	Laser Tool	Custom Engineering
Erie Advanced Manufacturing	Better Baked Foods	

This program year DCED will commit nearly \$2 million in training support to our northwest region to enhance employee skills, improve and retain jobs, and make our companies globally competitive.

Find out if your company can benefit from the Basic Skills Training or Information Technology Training programs offered through WEDnetPA. Call Kenneth P. Brandt at (814) 836-1955.

## How to Register

1. By Mail: Send completed Registration Form with payment in full to:

Edinboro University in Erie - The Porreco Center  
Office of Extended Learning  
2951 West 38th Street  
Erie, PA 16506-4403

Payment may be in the form of:

- Check (made payable to Edinboro University of PA)
- Money Order
- Visa, Mastercard, or Discover (include information to right)

2. By Phone: Call 814-836-1955 or 800-526-0121  
Monday through Friday, 8 am to 4:30 pm

3. By Fax: Fax completed Registration Form to:  
814-833-2085, 24 hours/day, 7 days/week

4. In Person: Stop by our office: 2951 West 38th Street,  
Erie, PA - Monday through Friday, 8 am - 4:30 pm

**For more information about the programs listed in the Extended Learning publication or certificate and contract training needs, call (814) 836-1955 or 1(800) 526-0121.**

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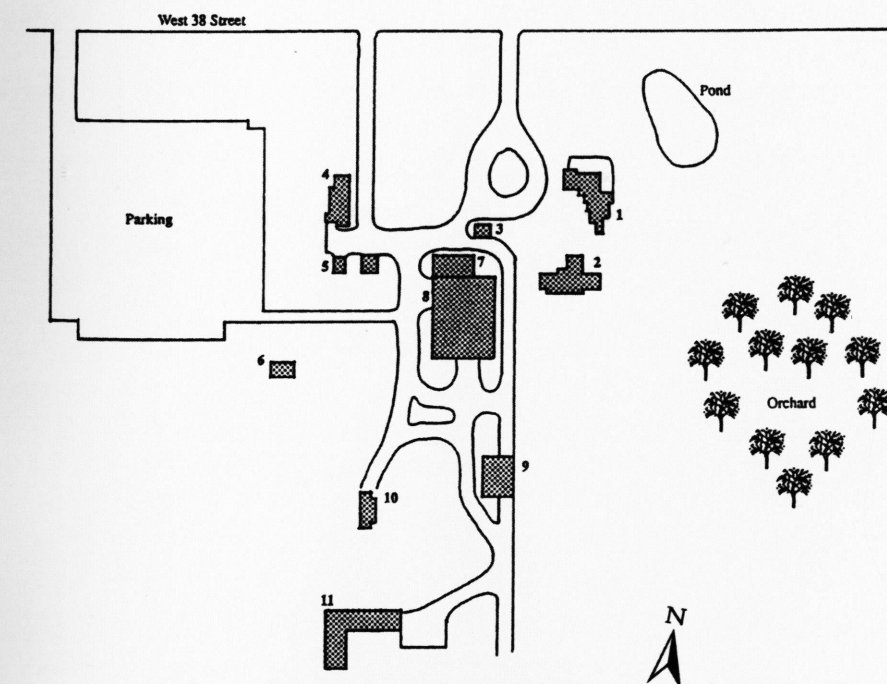
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## Map of the Porreco Center



1. Mary Porreco Hall (Conference and Seminar Center)
2. Garden House (Classrooms 1,2,3)
3. Spring House (Administration Office)
4. Caretaker's House (Office of Extended Learning)
5. Storage
6. Studio
7. Classroom 4
8. Barn (Classrooms 5, 6, 7, 8, 9)
9. Carriage House (Storage)
10. Summer Cottage
11. Future Auditorium



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