

# Where is My College?



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**W**ednesday marked the 25th annual College Fair. According to Coordinator of Admission and Information Amy Hauenstein, 5,000 students and their parents planned on attending the two and a half hour event.

Hauenstein said that the fair is held on in service days because of pure logistics. In the past when the fair was held during a regular day parking and traffic became a nightmare. Hauenstein said that in the past students and their parents were directed to park in west campus. Shuttles were used to transport high school students and their parents from lots A, M and N to the Physical Education arena. In time, the realization that transporting students and parents for one end of campus too the other was to difficult and time consuming

This year 231 four-year institutions participated in the College Fair. "This fair is directed to high school students

only. The transfer fair is directed to the college's current population," Hauenstein said. "There are 32 high schools in COD district 502 and the fair is directed to each of those institutions."

Even though the fair is dedicated to four-year institutions Hauenstein said the students and parents that attend are "Wowed" at the college's facilities and some of the attending students end up here at the college instead of attending four-year institutions. Hauenstein said that all four academic departments are present at the fair. The departments include Business and Technology, Liberal Arts, Health and Social Behavior Science and Math and Natural Science.

The fair is held at 6 p.m., allowing high school students to finish up with any extra curricular activities that they might be in as well as allowing parents to come home from work.



Kye T. Hawkins expresses the great diversity at DePaul University to prospective student Serin Homsni.



Prospective students and parents enter the 25th annual College Fair in the Physical Education arena.