Jeff Garner

A life-long Saluki, Jeff earned his Bs degree here at SIU while majoring in photography from 1991-95

Jeff began working as a photographer at 16 years-of-age, by shooting numerous weddings and other events while freelancing for local newspapers. After high school, Jeff was accepted at SIU and received more training, education and experience through his university coursework.

Jeff began his career here in 1996 as a University Photographer. Over the next 15 years, Jeff won several awards for his photography work while aiding in the marketing of SIU Carbondale at SIU Communications.

After years of photography and marketing work, Jeff wanted a change and started a new chapter of his career by transferring to the Center for Teaching Excellence in 2011. Along with maintaining the departmental website, Jeff is also the campus administrator for the Echo360 Active Learning Platform, an application used to help faculty better engage with students within their online, live or hybrid courses.

"By utilizing all of the skills and disciplines I have acquired during my years at SIU, I value the opportunity to work with the faculty in the hopes of creating a better teaching and learning environment for both the instructors as well as the students"