Southern Illinois University Edwardsville President Plus Luer is retiring July 1, and the SIUE School of Pharmacy and the Academic Affairs Denise Gupchup who is the current Dean of the School of Pharmacy will be assuming the leadership position on the School’s 50th anniversary.

Luer has an extensive career in academia, professional organizations, and community service. He earned his bachelor’s degree from the University of Illinois Chicago College of Pharmacy in 1990, his doctor of pharmacy (PharmD) degree from the University of Illinois College of Pharmacy in 1993, and his doctor of science degree in the specialty of pharmacy practice in 2003. Luer is a member of the American College of Clinical Pharmacists and the American Association of Colleges of Pharmacy. As an active member of the American Cancer Society’s Relay for Life, Luer has completed the Academic Leaders Fellows Program, which at the American Association of Colleges of Pharmacy, and the Academic Affairs Denise Gupchup who is the current Dean of the School of Pharmacy will be assuming the leadership position on the School’s 50th anniversary.

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