

## Dress Code:

Because participants will be meeting with professionals in Indianapolis and networking for future career, internship, and partnership opportunities, it is important to represent Butler, Summer Fusion, and yourself in a professional, responsible way. Therefore, on days when we are meeting with external partners and individuals (about three days a week including charrette development, networking Indy, and Fridays) we ask that participants dress appropriately.

For days when participants have “team charrette development” on their schedules, we ask that they dress in business casual attire due to the fact that they will be meeting with mentors, relevant individuals and businesses to use as resources in Indianapolis, and virtual business meetings possibly through video chat. Business casual means...

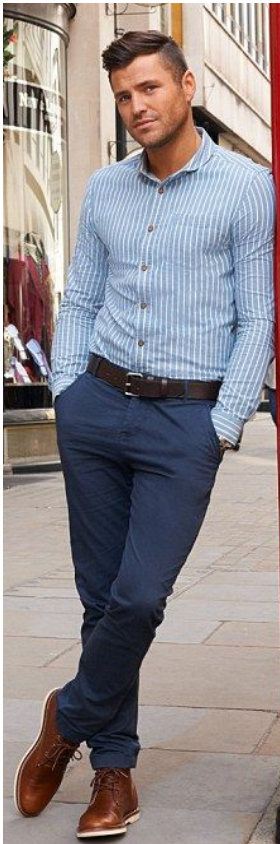
### For women:

- Skirts and dresses are an appropriate length hitting just above the knee or longer
- Tops are not low-cut
- Clothing is not skin tight
- No jeans
- No flip-flops, sneakers, or other casual shoes

### For men:

- Button down shirt tucked into business slacks or khakis
- No jeans
- No shorts or capris
- No flip flops, sneakers, or other casual shoes

Here are some appropriate examples of what to wear for days when the dress code is business casual.



For days when participants will be networking with external partners and having more formal, professional interactions, we ask that they dress in business professional attire (networking Indy nights and Fridays). Participants should bring a more casual change of clothes for Friday afternoons if they would like to be more comfortable while exploring the city. Business professional means...

For women:

- Business slacks or a tailored skirt
- Skirts that hit no higher than just above the knee
- Tailored jacket of a dark, solid color
- Nice blouse (not sheer)
- Closed toed heels or flats
- keep accessories to a minimum

For men:

- Matched suit that is a dark, solid color (since this is during the day, however, lighter grey is also acceptable)
- Nice dress shirt underneath
- Solid colored or conservative print tie
- Dark colored dress shoes that match the rest of the outfit

For either dress code you should ask yourself these questions and if the answer is “yes” to any of them, you should not wear it.

- Would I wear this to bed?
- Would I wear this to work out in?
- Would I wear this out clubbing?
- Would I wear this to a costume party?
- Would I wear this to do yard work in/clean the house in?

Here are some appropriate examples of what to wear when the dress code is business formal.





Use your best judgement when dressing for events that require appropriate dress, and if you have any questions about whether or not something is appropriate feel free to contact the Summer Fusion team at [butleradvance@butler.edu](mailto:butleradvance@butler.edu).