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TO: EIU Administration

FROM: Robert M. Augustine, Dean

RE: 2012 Graduate Thesis Awards

DATE: October 30, 2012

Congratulations to the graduate candidates who were selected by the Council on Graduate Studies Thesis Awards Committee to receive the 2013 Graduate Thesis Awards. The top recipient's thesis has been submitted for competition in the Midwestern Association of Graduate School's Annual Outstanding Thesis Awards competition. The Awards Committee included Dr. Marilyn Coles, Graduate Coordinator, College of Arts & Humanities; Dr. Rendong Bai, CGS Representative, Lumpkin College of Business & Applied Sciences; Ms. Nina Caputo, Graduate Candidate, College of Education & Professional Studies; and Dr. Jeff Laursen, Graduate Coordinator, College of Sciences.

EIU Thesis Award

Author: John Anderson, Biological Sciences

Title: Desiccation Tolerance in Insect Cells

• Mentor: Dr. Michael Menze

College of Arts & Humanities Outstanding Thesis

- Author: Jason Miller, History
- Title: A Neighbors' War: Provost Marshals, Desertion, the Draft, and Political Violence in the Central Illinois Home Front, 1861-1865
- Mentor: Dr. Mark Hubbard

College of Education & Professional Studies

- Author: Zachary K. Pope, Kinesiology & Sports Studies
- Title: Eccentric Resistance Training and Blood Flow Restriction
- Mentor: Dr. Jeffrey Willardson

Lumpkin College of Business & Applied Sciences

- Author: Theresa N. Lindsay, Family & Consumer Sciences
- Title: "Have you forgotten us?" An Analysis of Resources for Non-traditional College Students
- Mentor: Dr. Lisa Taylor

College of Sciences

- Author: Allen M. Creamean, Clinical Psychology
- Title: Predicting Rumination from the Five Facets of Mindfulness
- Mentor: Dr. Ronan S. Bernans