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CHARLESTON, IL--The Information Services and Technology (IST) program at Eastern Illinois University meets requirements for the media specialist certificate, according to Dr. Donald W. Smitley, Chairman of the Department of School Services Personnel.

Smitley said the approval came on Jan. 20 from the Illinois State Teacher Certification Board. He said this meant that students completing the M.S. in Education degree in IST are now eligible to receive the certificate "through entitlement" through the School of Education.

The program includes course work in the traditional fields of library science and instructional media as well as computer systems applications. Smitley said courses which students have previously taken in instructional media and library science will apply toward the requirements for the new major.

Courses in the new program to be offered during the summer term include Computer Systems Applications, Photography I Print Applications, and Selection of Information Sources and Collective Development.

Complete information about the new program and class schedules for the summer term, and for fall and spring semesters may be obtained from Smitley by writing (Room 211 Buzzard Building) or by telephone (217) 581-2826, Eastern Illinois University.