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For Immediate Release:

TRIO PROGRAM OFFERS STUDENTS FREE OPPORTUNITY TO DEVELOP RESUMES

CHARLESTON – Eastern Illinois University students seeking assistance in developing their resumes are invited to attend a TRIO-sponsored event on Tuesday, March 18.

According to Claude Magee, director of Eastern's TRIO program, computers with special resume-building software installed will be provided for ANY student wishing to make use of them. All interested persons should come to the Effingham Room, located in the University Union, between 10 a.m. and 2 p.m.

Personnel will be at the site to provide assistance. There is no charge for the service.

The primary focus of Eastern's TRIO program is to increase retention and graduation rates of eligible students and to foster an institutional climate supportive of the success of low-income and first-generation college students and/or college students with disabilities.

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