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For Immediate Release:

EIU TO SPONSOR "SYNERGY FROM OTHERS," A DIVERSITY WORKSHOP

CHARLESTON -- "Synergy From Others," a diversity workshop, will begin at 1:30 p.m. Thursday, Feb. 24, in Eastern Illinois University's University Ballroom, located in the Martin Luther King Jr. University Union.

A one-hour presentation featuring a performance by the Chicago-based theatre group, "SST Communication," will address sensitive and difficult issues and the pathway to recovery through dramatic and comedic vignettes.

A two-hour breakout session will follow in two smaller groups, with facilitators bringing up questions, topics and issues to spark discussion among participants. Anyone interested in participating in the breakout sessions will need to pre-register by calling 581-7092 or by registering via e-mail at [www.eiu.edu/~affirm/SSTTraining.htm](http://www.eiu.edu/~affirm/SSTTraining.htm). Seating is limited.

Participants must attend the one-hour presentation before participating in a breakout session. Admission to both the presentation and the break-out sessions is free and open to the public.

The event is being sponsored by Eastern's Office of Housing and Dining Services and the Office of Civil Rights.