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FOR IMMEDIATE RELEASE:

Editors/photographers: Eastern Illinois University presents its "Highlights of the Week Ahead" Calendar listing for potential story/photo opportunities and a contact person. If you need assistance making arrangements for an interview/photo, please call Eastern's Public Affairs Office at 581-5983.

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2 Basketball. In conjunction with Eastern's African American Heritage Celebration, the Black Greek Council will sponsor a faculty/student basketball game at 7 p.m., Sunday in McAfee Gym. The game is open to the public and will cost \$1. Door prizes will be given away to lucky ticket-holders. For more information, call Tina Leonard at 581-3413.

4 Orientation. Career Services' Rosalyn Gresens will present a job fair orientation, "Prepare for Success," at 4 p.m., Tuesday in the University Union Effingham Room. The orientation is free and open to the public. For more information, call Career Services at 581-2412.

Poetry. The Coles County Arts Council will sponsor open poetry reading at 7:30 p.m., Tuesday at the Dudley House, 895 Seventh Street. In honor of Valentine's Day, the theme will be love. Readers may share their own and/or others' poems on this or any topic; listeners are welcome as well. The event is free and open to the public every first Tuesday of each month, September through May. For more information, call Sally Dolson at 581-6405.

5 Presentation. Meta Micken-Baker, a State Farm representative, will present "Dress for Success" at 7 p.m., Wednesday in the University Union Effingham Room. As part of Eastern's African American Heritage Celebration, it will focus on interview

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skills, appropriate dress and resumes. The presentation is free and open to the public. For more information, call Tina Leonard at 581-3413.

6 Job Fair. Career Services will hold the Spring Career/Job Fair from 9:30 a.m. to 2:30 p.m., Thursday in both University Union ballrooms and the walkway. There is a \$10 fee for anyone who is not an Eastern student or not yet registered with Career Services. For a list of participating employers or for more information, call 581-2412.

Seminar. Keith Watson of Eastern's psychology department will present "Stop Smoking" at noon, Thursday in the University Union Kansas Room. This life skills seminar will provide tested strategies and an effective plan to halt smoking once and forever. For more information, call the Counseling Center at 581-3413.

7 Play. Excerpts from the play "For Colored Girls Who Have Considered Suicide When the Rainbow Wasn't Enough" will be at 8 p.m., Friday in the Booth Library lecture hall. The play is part of Eastern's African American Heritage Celebration. It is free and open to the public. For more information, call Tina Leonard at 581-3413.

Comedian. Comedian Fabian Shepard will appear at 9:09 p.m., Friday in the University Union Rathskeller as part of Eastern's African American Heritage Celebration. The act is open to the public. Cost is \$1 for students with I.D. and \$3 for the public. For more information, call University Board at 581-5117.

Concert. The 38th annual Eastern Jazz Festival Concert will take place Friday in the Dvorak Concert Hall. This year's special guests are the John Hart Quartet featuring Chris Potter. Tickets will be available at the door. Admission is \$3 for adults and \$1 for students and seniors. For more information or reservations, call 581-3010.

8 Workshop. Visiting artist Pamela Bannos will teach how to make photographic prints in watercolors using the gum bichromate process during a workshop from 10 a.m. to 3 p.m., Saturday at the Tarble Arts Center. The workshop will teach participants how to make photographic prints using the gum bichromate process. This process, also known as gum printing, is a 19th century photographic printing process with watercolor paints as the printing agent. Admission is free, but preregistration is required. To enroll, call the Tarble Arts Center at 581-2787. Observers are welcome as space permits.

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Tarble Arts Center:

The American Center for Design's "18th Annual 100 Show" will be on display at the Tarble Arts Center through March 9. Exhibited are examples of contemporary design such as posters, flyers, magazines, books, and other pieces of printed materials. Each year the American Center for Design sponsors a juried competition to identify the best in contemporary graphic design. The works range from the MTV: Music Television Video Music Awards Program Guide to the book *Empathy* to Nike New York City Trash Talk billboard designs. The show recognizes work representing significant trends in communication design.