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WRIGHT NAMED WARNER SCHOLAR

CHARLESTON, IL.--Melissa Wright, whose parents, Mr. and Mrs. Walter Wright, live in Villa Grove, is the recipient of Eastern Illinois University's 1990 Errett and Mazie Warner Presidential Award in History.

Wright, a junior History major, is a 1987 graduate of Villa Grove High School. She is a member of Kappa Delta Pi, Phi Alpha Eta, and Phi Alpha Theta and is the recipient of Eastern's 1987 Academic Achievement Award. Her father is a 1970 Eastern graduate.

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Since their inception in 1977, the Warner Presidential Awards have gone to 168 outstanding Eastern juniors, seniors and graduate students in 17 different academic areas.

The late Mr. Warner, a 1925 Eastern graduate, established a permanent endowment fund in 1976 to continue the scholarships. His estate will provide more than \$750,000 in cash and farm land for the endowment fund.