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CHARLESTON, IL --"Illinois Coal Reserves and its Economic Impact on the Future of the State" will be discussed at Eastern Illinois University on Thursday, Feb. 26 at 7 p.m. in the Science Building, Room 332.

The speaker will be Dr. Heinz Damberger, head of the coal section of the Illinois Geological Survey. Dr. Alan Baharlou, Chairman of the Geography-Geology Department, said Damberger's agency has been assessing and estimating coal reserves and the feasibility of exploration.

Baharlou said "this presentation will be significant because coal is projected to be the second most important source of income for the state." A question and answer period will follow the lecture.