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FOR IMMEDIATE RELEASE

CHARLESTON, IL--Approximately 1600 persons are eligible to participate in Eastern Illinois University's Spring commencement on Saturday, May 9, in the Library Quadrangle.

Ceremonies will be held at 10 a.m. and 2 p.m. In the event of rain, commencement will be moved to Lantz Gym.

Participating in the morning convocation will be graduates from the Schools of Business, Education, Health, Physical Education and Recreation, Home Economics and Industrial Technology. Taking part in the 2 p.m. ceremony will be the Graduate School, the College of Arts and Sciences, School of Fine Arts, the Board of Governors Degree Program, and the Career Education Program.

President Daniel E. Marvin, Jr., will confer degrees and award diplomas. Dr. Stanley G. Rives, Provost and Vice President, Academic Affairs, will present the candidates.

An honorary degree, Doctor of Humane Letters, will be conferred on Dr. Daniel R. Reedy, Chairman of the Department of Spanish and Italian Languages at the University of Kentucky.

Faculty marshal for commencement is Dr. Lavern M. Hamand. Dr. Donald Walters, Executive Officer of the Board of Governors, will attend the afternoon convocation.