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FOR IMMEDIATE RELEASE:

"SURF THE INTERNET" WORKSHOP TO BE HELD

CHARLESTON -- The Business and Technology Institute at Eastern Illinois University will offer a workshop on how to "Surf the Internet" on May 23 and 25 in Lumpkin Hall, Room 012, from 6:30 to 8:30 p.m.

Participants will learn to search all over the world for information, data, software and graphics by using the Internet, a global connection of networks with about 30 million users. The Internet is a useful tool to share ideas, discuss the latest research and make contacts across the globe.

After an introduction to the basics of computer access to a network, the workshop will cover E-mail, Gopher, Usenet, transferring files with FTP, mailing lists and WWW (the World Wide Web). A temporary mainframe account will be issued to each participant in this hands-on workshop.

Registration is \$49. To register or for more information, call Eastern's Business and Technology Institute at 581-2913.

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