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FOR IMMEDIATE RELEASE:

STUDENT MARSHALS

CHARLESTON, IL--Bruce Earl Williams, left, the son of Mr. and Mrs. Burgess Williams of Danville, and Amy Tharp, the daughter of Gene Tharp of Lombard, pose with Dr. Larry Williams, Dean of the Graduate School at Eastern Illinois University.

Williams and Tharp were selected as student marshals for the recent commencement ceremony at the University.

Williams, a 1974 graduate of Bismarck - Henning High School, is a graduate student seeking a Master of Business Administration degree.

He is secretary of the EIU MBA Association and a 1980 graduate of Southern Illinois University at Carbondale.

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Tharp, a 1984 graduate of Montini Catholic High School, is a graduate student majoring in elementary education.

She is a member of Kappa Delta Pi education honor society and a graduate assistant in Eastern's Department of Elementary and Junior High School Education.

The marshals serve as official ushers for various college occasions, particularly for commencement exercises. During the commencement, they wore white academic robes, carried batons decorated with EIU's colors of blue and gray and assisted with the processional and recessional.

