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WILHELMSSEN RECEIVES WARNER AWARD

CHARLESTON -- Jennifer Wilhelmsen, daughter of Bernie and Shirley Wilhelmsen of Hinckley, is the recipient of the Raymond L. Modesitt Mathematics Scholarship.

The award was established in honor of Modesitt, a member of Eastern's mathematics faculty from 1912 to 1927, by his wife and daughter. The award is given annually to a junior or senior math major who has the specific intent to teach mathematics.

Wilhelmsen, a 1992 graduate of Hinckley-Big Rock High School, is a senior mathematics major.

Eastern, which is celebrating its 100th anniversary in 1994-95, is a comprehensive university with more than 10,500 students and 46 undergraduate and 27 graduate degree programs. It is a teaching institution which prides itself on the quality and affordability of its undergraduate program.