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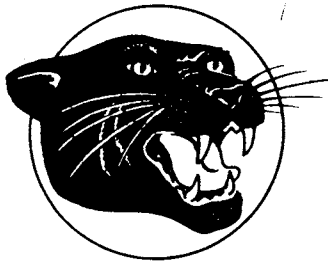
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# ***Panther Sports News***

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## FOR IMMEDIATE RELEASE

CHARLESTON, IL--Ricky Robinson (East Aurora), Eastern Illinois University senior forward, ended his four year career as the basketball Panthers seventh all-time leading scorer.

Robinson led the team with a 14.1 average this season, and 1251 for his career.

Eastern was 14-13, winning eight of its last ten, in just its first year of NCAA Division I competition. It was the ninth straight winning season.

During this 10-game streak he averaged nearly 17 points a game and over six rebounds.

"Ricky really played well down the stretch . . . he gave us some real leadership up front," said Coach Rick Samuels.

"He shot well, boarded well, ran the offense well . . . always looked for the open man. Hopefully he will get some type of opportunity to make a pro team."

During the four years he averaged 11.3 points in 111 games, shot 47% from the field, 71.5% from the line and had 607 rebounds.