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EIU TO CLOSE TRANSFER ADMISSIONS FOR FALL 1992

CHARLESTON, IL--To maintain enrollment at current levels, Eastern Illinois University, as of May 11, will close admission to all transfer students applying for fall semester 1992.

Affected by the cutoff are senior college and community college transfer applicants, according to Glenn Williams, Eastern's vice president for student affairs.

"It was necessary to discontinue acceptance of additional applications in these categories in order to maintain an enrollment level consistent with resources and our ability to provide quality education," Williams said.

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TRANSFER ADMISSIONS CLOSED

In making the announcement, Williams stressed that the application cutoff does not affect prospective summer enrollees at this time.

Community college counselors have been notified that exempt from the current cutoff are former students applying for readmission, minority applicants, graduate applicants, and those in special categories, including recipients of designated institutional scholarships and awards. Waiting lists will not be maintained for applications received after the cutoff, Williams noted.

Qualified transfer applicants who apply after the cutoff will be notified they may apply for another term.

Further information on admissions may be obtained by calling the Eastern Admissions Office at 1-800-252-5711 or 581-2223.