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Attention editors, photographers, et al.: Eastern Illinois University presents its "Highlights of the Week Ahead" calendar listings in order to present you with potential **story/photo opportunities**. If you need assistance making arrangements for an interview/photo, please contact Eastern's Department of Media Relations at 581-7650. Also, if there are ways with which to make this listing more beneficial for you and your use, please let us know!

EIU HIGHLIGHTS

April 11-19

- 13 Public lecture on historic preservation**, 7 p.m. Monday, Dudley House, 895 Seventh Street, Charleston, Ill. Roger Lang, director of community programs and services with the New York Landmarks Conservancy, will discuss various issues surrounding the preservation of landmarks and strategies needed to preserve a community's historic buildings and landmarks. He is currently involved in efforts for preserving Governors, Ellis and Roosevelt Islands located in New York harbor. Co-sponsored by EIU's history department and the Coles County Historical Society. Admission is free and open to the public.
- 13 State Rep. Dale A. Righter**, 7 p.m. Monday, Charleston/Mattoon Rooms, University Union. He will speak on the experience of running for state office, his thoughts on the campaign process and the message that he hopes to convey to voters in his district. **Democratic Party candidate Carolyn Brown-Hodge** will speak at 7 p.m. Monday, April 27, in the Arcola/Tuscola Rooms, University Union. Sponsored as part of EIU's political science department's newly established 1998 Candidate Series.

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- 14 **"Internships -- What Are They and Why Do I Need One?"** 4 p.m. Tuesday, Effingham Room, University Union. Sponsored by Career Services.
- 14 **Public Relations Day Panel Discussion**, 4 to 6 p.m. Tuesday, Faculty Development Center, rooms 2504 and 2444, Buzzard Hall. Features EIU alum who have chosen public relations as their career. A Journalism Month activity.
- 14 **Distinguished Graduate Student Awards Reception**, 5 p.m. Tuesday, University Union Grand Ballroom. Honors those students selected by their departments for exemplary academic and personal achievement.
- 15 **"Assertiveness,"** noon Wednesday, Kansas Room, University Union. Presented by Karola Alford, EIU Counseling Center. "Learn how to stand up for yourself, get what you want without anger, fear or guilt. Gain self-confidence and self-respect. Start living your own life now with skills in assertiveness."
- 15 **EIU 1998 Health Fair**, 1 to 7 p.m. Wednesday, Student Recreation Center. Open to EIU students, staff and faculty/spouses. Sponsored by Student Wellness Association and Health Service. Featuring five-minute massages, body fat and exercise prescription, aerobics on the hour, acupuncturist and more. For information, contact Holly at 581-7015, Katie at 348-1977 or Stephanie at 348-1105.
- 16 **"Molecules in Space,"** 7:30 p.m. Thursday, Phipps Lecture Hall, Physical Science Building. Helene R. Dickel from the University of Illinois' astronomy department will talk about the gas and dust clouds in the Milky Way and methods used to investigate their composition. Her talk is designed for a general audience and, according to those who have heard it, is quite lively and interesting. An informal reception will begin the evening at 7 p.m. Sponsored by EIU's chemistry department and the local section of the American Chemical Society.
- 18 **"From John Peter Zenger to Paparazzi Zingers,"** presented by Bill Garrett, former editor of *National Geographic*, 2:30 p.m. Saturday, Buzzard Auditorium. Free and open to the general public. A Journalism Month activity.
- 18 **Phi Beta Kappa Banquet**, 6:30 p.m. Saturday, 1895 Room, University Union. **Honors area high school juniors** who have won prizes in EIU's PBK chapter's Young Scholar Award competition. A brief after-dinner talk will feature Jacqueline Jackson, author of *Stories from the Round Barn*. For information, contact Frank McCormick, 581-6121.

Speech Communication Week at Eastern is scheduled for **April 13-17**, beginning with presentations by two guest speakers. **Professional speaker and trainer Patty Hendrickson** will speak at 7:30 p.m. Wednesday, April 15, in Coleman Hall Auditorium. **Sandra Miller, director of International Marketing Research for Dell Computers**, will speak at 7:30 p.m. Thursday, April 16, also in Coleman Hall Auditorium. Other Speech

Communication Week activities include **panel discussions, an Illinois Broadcasters Association seminar and the annual Bock Persuasive Speaking Contest.** All events are free and open to the public. For more information, contact the Department of Speech Communication at 581-2016.

International Week is also scheduled to take place **April 13 through 18.** Events are as follows: Monday -- **"Enhancing Intercultural Understanding"** (faculty panel discussion), 7 p.m., Arcola/Tuscola Rooms, University Union; Tuesday -- Film Festival: **Africa**; Wednesday -- Film Festival: **Asia**; Thursday -- Film Festival: **Europe**; Friday -- Film Festival: **The Americas**, and **panel discussion**, 7:30 p.m., Arcola/Tuscola Rooms; and Saturday -- **potluck dinner/cultural program**, 6 to 8:30 p.m., McAfee Gymnasium. All films begin at 7 p.m. in Lumpkin Hall 017. More information about the week's events, contact International Programs, 581-2321.

THEATRICAL PERFORMANCES (581-3110):

Hansel and Gretel -- April 23 through 26, Fine Arts Theatre

RECITALS/CONCERTS (581-3010) (In Dvorak Concert Hall unless otherwise noted)

- 11 **Student Recital**, Tiffany Cheatham, **flute**, noon Saturday
 Student Recital, David Jolly, **percussion**, 5 p.m. Saturday
- 13 **Faculty Recital**, Donald Tracy, **cello**, 7:30 p.m. Monday
- 16 **Composers' Forum**, 7:30 p.m. Thursday
- 17 **Student Recital**, Shawn Salmon, **guitar**, noon Friday
 Student Recital, Jim Pesek, **cello**, and Gwen Novak, **soprano**, 5 p.m. Friday
 Concert, EIU Percussion Ensemble, 7:30 p.m. Friday (*Admission -- \$2 for adults, \$1 for students with ID*)
- 18 **Graduate Recital**, Rachel Walters, **piano**, 2 p.m. Saturday
 Student Recital, Joe Arenberg and Chad Davidson, **percussion**, 5 p.m. Saturday
 Student Recital, Joe Smith, **percussion**, 7:30 p.m. Saturday
- 19 **Student Recital**, Tawanda Lawrence, **piano**; Becky Keeslar, **mezzo-soprano**, 5 p.m. Sunday
 Student Recital, Tony Artimisi, **percussion**, 7:30 p.m. Sunday

AT THE TABLE ARTS CENTER (581-2787):

Exhibitions/Related Activities

1998 Enameling by Siona Benjamin-Kruege, through April 19

Recent works by the 1998 Table Arts Center's Arts-In-Education artist-in-residence.

1998 Graduate Art Exhibition, through April 26

A group thesis exhibition for MA degree candidates in studio art.

Puppetry: Art and Performance, April 24 through June 7

Puppets from different cultures and in various media illustrating the role of puppetry for communicating cultural traditions and political satire, and as a vehicle for social change; selected from the collections of The University Museum, Southern Illinois University-Edwardsville. **Note:** *Ginger Lozar will present the puppetry performance, "Plum Blossom and the Dragon," at 2 p.m. Sunday, May 3. Also, a puppetry exhibition tour/discussion/puppet-making workshop will be available to area schools between May 5 and May 28. Phone TAC for details on a school near you!*

Coming Up

Chamber Music Concert: American Chamber Trio -- 3 p.m. April 19

Reading: "The Vehicle," poetry and prose from the student publication -- 4 p.m. April 22

Reading: John Balaban -- 4 p.m. April 23

High School Writing Awards Reception -- 11 a.m. April 24

Concert: Charleston Youth Orchestra -- 3 p.m. April 26

Marilyn Booth: Traditional Dress of the Middle East -- 7 p.m. May 5

Coles County Arts Council Honors Recital -- 7 p.m. May 19

Recital: Students of Debbie Hesterman -- 2 p.m. May 24

MARK YOUR CALENDARS:

National Library Week/Booth Library Book Sale, April 22

Little People's Weekend, April 24 and 25

EIU Board of Trustees Meeting, April 27

15th Annual EIU Retirement Dinner, May 1

Carrot Top, May 2

Commencement, May 9 (Ceremonies at 9 a.m., 1 and 5 p.m.)

CELEBRATION: A Festival of the Arts, August 21, 22 and 23

Fall 1998 Classes Begin, August 24

Homecoming, October 17

Family Weekend, October 30, 31 and November 1