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STUDENT MARSHALS PARTICIPATE IN EIU GRADUATION

CHARLESTON, IL.--Fourteen Eastern Illinois University students had the honor of being chosen by the Deans of EIU's six undergraduate colleges and the Graduate School to serve as marshals for fall commencement ceremonies held recently.

The marshals serve as official ushers for various college occasions, particularly for commencement exercises.

During commencement, the marshals assist with the procession-
al and recessional. They wear white academic costumes and carry
batons decorated in Eastern's colors, blue and gray.

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STUDENT MARSHALS

The University views service for commencement as an honor designating a student's academic achievement. Juniors, non-graduating seniors and graduate students are selected.

Two marshals from each of the following Colleges were selected: Business; Applied Sciences; Health, Physical Education and Recreation; Arts and Sciences; Fine Arts; Education; and the Graduate School.