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EIU FALL COMMENCEMENT DEC. 11

CHARLESTON, IL.--Nearly 800 students are eligible to participate in Eastern Illinois University's fall commencement ceremonies at 2 p.m. Sunday, Dec. 11, at Lantz Gymnasium.

President Stan Rives will confer degrees and award diplomas contingent upon successful completion of all requirements for graduation. He will also give the charge to the class.

John White, Jr., of Elburn, president and CEO of Illinois Farm Bureau and Country Companies, Bloomington, will receive an honorary Doctor of Laws degree from Eastern.

Dr. Leonard Durham, associate dean of the College of Liberal Arts and Sciences since 1982, will be the faculty marshal.

The list of speakers includes: Mrs. Nancy Froelich of Hudson, chairman of the Board of Governors of State Colleges and Universities; Michael Riordan of Country Club Hills, student body president; and Tom Gaffigan ('70) of Decatur, president of the EIU Alumni Association.

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