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Event: Alexandra McHale, comedian, will perform as part of Illinois Wesleyan University's Funny Bone Comedy series

Date: Nov. 30, 2001 (Friday)

Time: 8 p.m.

Location: Main Lounge, Memorial Student Center, 104 E. University St., Bloomington

Admission: Free, open to the public

Background: Alexandra McHale, a graduate of Fairfield University (Connecticut), is a member of the prestigious Actor's Studio in New York City, where she studied with Paul Newman, Sally Field, and Robert Redford. While studying at the studio, she decided to focus on comedy and began performing at local clubs.

McHale quickly became a regular at clubs such as The Comic Strip, Catch a Rising Star, and Caroline's. She also is well known in the improv. circles, having performed with N20 Comedy, All Legs, No Brains, and The Bottlerockets.

Most recently McHale has performed on the new comedy show segment on the Metro Channel's weekly show Goths'n.

Alexandra who currently resides in New York City, also performed this past summer at the Toyota Comedy Festival.

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