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IWU Inducts Truitt into Nursing Honorary

BLOOMINGTON, Ill. -- Rachel Truitt of Illinois Wesleyan University will be inducted into the Theta Pi chapter of Sigma Theta Tau, an international honor society for professional nursing.

Truitt, a junior nursing major from **Princeton (HS)**, will be inducted on Sunday, April 13, in ceremonies at IWU's Evelyn Chapel at 2 p.m.

Rachel is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. George Truitt, 658 Eastmor Drive, Princeton.

Truitt was selected for membership in the organization on the basis of her academic achievement, her contributions to the profession, and recommendation of chapter members. She joins a worldwide membership of registered professional nurses whose purpose it is to support scholarship in nursing.

Illinois Wesleyan, founded in 1850, enrolls about 1,900 students in a College of Liberal Arts, College of Fine Arts, and a four-year professional School of Nursing. A \$15 million athletics and recreation center opened in the fall of 1994 and a \$25 million science center opened in fall 1995. The \$4.6 million Center for Liberal Arts, a facility housing 60 faculty offices, six classrooms, and other facilities for social sciences, humanities, business and economics, and interdisciplinary studies' facility, is slated to open next August. The Carnegie Commission for the Advancement of Teaching promoted Illinois Wesleyan to a "Baccalaureate I" institution in 1994, a classification that places it among 161 highly selective National Liberal Arts Colleges in the annual U.S. News & World Report rankings. Barron's Profiles of American Colleges, another respected college guide, rated IWU "highly competitive +" in its latest edition.