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Noncommercial Broadcast Stations Biennial
Ownership Report (FCC Form 323-E)

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Section I - General Information

1. Respondent

FRN		Entity Name			
0008114431		Eastern Illinois University			

Street Address	City (and Country if non U.S. address)	State ("NA" if non-U.S. address)	Zip Code	Phone	Email
600 Lincoln Avenue	Charleston	IL	61920	+1 (217) 581-5956	jdowens@eiu.edu

2. Contact Representative

Name		Organization			
Emilie de Lozier		Wilkinson Barker Knauer, LLP			

Street Address	City (and Country if non U.S. address)	State	Zip Code	Phone	Email
1800 M Street NW Suite 800N	Washington	DC	20036	+1 (202) 383-3378	edelozier@wbklaw.com

3. Application Filing Fee

Not Applicable

4. Control of Respondent

(a) Provide the following information about the Respondent:

Relationship to stations/permits	Licensee
Is the Respondent's governing board (or other governing entity) directly or indirectly under the control of another entity?	No

(b) Provide the following information about this report:

Purpose	Biennial
"As of" date	10/01/2023 When filing a biennial ownership report or validating and resubmitting a prior biennial ownership report, this date must be Oct. 1 of the year in which this report is filed.

5. Licensee(s)

and Station(s)

Respondent is filing this report to cover the following Licensee(s) and station(s):

Licensee/Permittee Name			FRN	
Eastern Illinois University			0008114431	

Fac. ID No.	Call Sign	City	State	Service
18299	WEIU	CHARLESTON	IL	FM
18301	WEIU-TV	CHARLESTON	IL	DTV

Section II – Biennial Ownership Information

1. 47 C.F.R. Section 73.3613 Documents

Licensee Respondents that hold authorizations for one or more full power television, AM, and/or FM stations should list all contracts and other instruments set forth in 47 C.F.R. Section 73.3613(a) through (c) for the facility or facilities listed on this report. If the agreement is a network affiliation agreement, check the appropriate box. Otherwise, select “Other.” Non-Licensee Respondents should select “Not Applicable” in response to this question.

Not Applicable.

2. Ownership Interests

(a) Ownership Interests. This Question requires Respondents to enter detailed information about ownership interests by generating a series of subforms. Answer each question on each subform. The first subform listing should be for the Respondent itself. If the Respondent is not a natural person, also list each of the officers, members of the governing board (or other governing entity), stockholders, and any other persons or entities with a direct attributable interest in the Respondent pursuant to the standards set forth in 47 C.F.R. Section 73.3555. (A “direct” interest is one that is not held through any intervening companies or entities.) List each interest holder with a direct attributable interest in the Respondent separately.

Leave the percentage of total assets (Equity Debt Plus) field blank for an interest holder unless that interest holder has an attributable interest in the Respondent solely on the basis of the Commission’s Equity Debt Plus attribution standard, 47 C.F.R. Section 73.3555, Note 2(i).

In the case of vertical or indirect ownership structures, list only those interests in the Respondent that also represent an attributable interest in the Licensee(s) for which the report is being submitted.

Entities that are part of an organizational structure that includes holding companies or other forms of indirect ownership must file separate ownership reports. In such a structure do not report, or file a separate report for, any interest holder that does not have an attributable interest in the Licensee(s) for which the report is being submitted.

Please see the Instructions for further detail concerning interests that must be reported in response to this question.

The Respondent must provide an FCC Registration Number for each interest holder reported in response to this question. Please see the Instructions for detailed information and guidance concerning this requirement.

Ownership Information		
FRN	0008114431	
Entity Name	Eastern Illinois University	
Address	PO Box	
	Street 1	600 Lincoln Avenue
	Street 2	
	City	Charleston
	State ("NA" if non-U.S. address)	IL
	Zip/Postal Code	61920
	Country (if non-U.S. address)	United States
Listing Type	Respondent	

Positional Interests (check all that apply)	Respondent		
Tribal Nation or Tribal Entity	Interest holder is not a Tribal nation or Tribal entity		
Interest Percentages (enter percentage values from 0.0 to 100.0)	Voting	0.0%	
	Equity	0.0%	
	Total assets (Equity Debt Plus)	0.0%	
Does interest holder have an attributable interest in one or more broadcast stations that do not appear on this report?			No

Ownership Information			
FRN	9990118300		
Name	Dr. Jay Gatrell		
Address	PO Box		
	Street 1	c/o 600 Lincoln Avenue	
	Street 2		
	City	Charleston	
	State ("NA" if non-U.S. address)	IL	
	Zip/Postal Code	61920	
	Country (if non-U.S. address)	United States	
Listing Type	Other Interest Holder		
Positional Interests (check all that apply)	Officer		
Principal Profession or Occupation	Education		
By Whom Appointed or Elected	Appointed by EIU Board of Trustees		
Citizenship, Gender, Ethnicity, and Race Information (Natural Persons Only)	Citizenship	US	
	Gender	Male	
	Ethnicity	Not Hispanic or Latino	
	Race	White	
Interest Percentages (enter percentage values from 0.0 to 100.0)	Voting	0.0%	
	Equity	0.0%	
	Total assets (Equity Debt Plus)		
Does interest holder have an attributable interest in one or more broadcast stations that do not appear on this report?			No

Ownership Information			
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FRN	9990118331		
Name	Barbara Baurer		
Address	PO Box		
	Street 1	c/o 600 Lincoln Avenue	
	Street 2		
	City	Charleston	
	State ("NA" if non-U.S. address)	IL	
	Zip/Postal Code	61920	
	Country (if non-U.S. address)	United States	
Listing Type	Other Interest Holder		
Positional Interests (check all that apply)	Other - Pro-Tem Member of Governing Board (or other governing entity)		
Principal Profession or Occupation	Retired		
By Whom Appointed or Elected	Governor of Illinois		
Citizenship, Gender, Ethnicity, and Race Information (Natural Persons Only)	Citizenship	US	
	Gender	Female	
	Ethnicity	Not Hispanic or Latino	
	Race	White	
Interest Percentages (enter percentage values from 0.0 to 100.0)	Voting	16.7%	
	Equity	0.0%	
	Total assets (Equity Debt Plus)		
Does interest holder have an attributable interest in one or more broadcast stations that do not appear on this report?		No	

Ownership Information			
FRN	9990138796		
Name	C. Christopher Hicks		
Address	PO Box		
	Street 1	c/o 600 Lincoln Avenue	
	Street 2		
	City	Charleston	
	State ("NA" if non-U.S. address)	IL	
	Zip/Postal Code	61920	
	Country (if non-U.S. address)	United States	

Listing Type	Other Interest Holder		
Positional Interests (check all that apply)	Other - Vice Chair of BoardMember of Governing Board (or other governing entity)		
Principal Profession or Occupation	Alumni Director - McKendree University		
By Whom Appointed or Elected	Governor of Illinois		
Citizenship, Gender, Ethnicity, and Race Information (Natural Persons Only)	Citizenship	US	
	Gender	Male	
	Ethnicity	Not Hispanic or Latino	
	Race	Black or African American	
Interest Percentages (enter percentage values from 0.0 to 100.0)	Voting	16.7%	
	Equity	0.0%	
	Total assets (Equity Debt Plus)		
Does interest holder have an attributable interest in one or more broadcast stations that do not appear on this report?		No	

Ownership Information		
FRN	9990138797	
Name	Audrey Edwards	
Address	PO Box	
	Street 1	c/o 600 Lincoln Avenue
	Street 2	
	City	Charleston
	State ("NA" if non-U.S. address)	IL
	Zip/Postal Code	61920
	Country (if non-U.S. address)	United States
Listing Type	Other Interest Holder	
Positional Interests (check all that apply)	Other - Secretary of BoardMember of Governing Board (or other governing entity)	
Principal Profession or Occupation	Education	
By Whom Appointed or Elected	Governor of Illinois	
Citizenship, Gender, Ethnicity, and Race Information (Natural Persons Only)	Citizenship	US
	Gender	Female
	Ethnicity	Not Hispanic or Latino
	Race	White

Interest Percentages (enter percentage values from 0.0 to 100.0)	Voting	16.7%	
	Equity	0.0%	
	Total assets (Equity Debt Plus)		
Does interest holder have an attributable interest in one or more broadcast stations that do not appear on this report?			No

Ownership Information			
FRN	9990138798		
Name	Joyce Madigan		
Address	PO Box		
	Street 1	c/o 600 Lincoln Avenue	
	Street 2		
	City	Charleston	
	State ("NA" if non-U.S. address)	IL	
	Zip/Postal Code	61920	
	Country (if non-U.S. address)	United States	
Listing Type	Other Interest Holder		
Positional Interests (check all that apply)	Other - Chair of BoardMember of Governing Board (or other governing entity)		
Principal Profession or Occupation	CPA - Partner		
By Whom Appointed or Elected	Governor of Illinois		
Citizenship, Gender, Ethnicity, and Race Information (Natural Persons Only)	Citizenship	US	
	Gender	Female	
	Ethnicity	Not Hispanic or Latino	
	Race	White	
Interest Percentages (enter percentage values from 0.0 to 100.0)	Voting	16.7%	
	Equity	0.0%	
	Total assets (Equity Debt Plus)		
Does interest holder have an attributable interest in one or more broadcast stations that do not appear on this report?			No

Ownership Information		
FRN	9990144455	
Name	Dr. Anne Flaherty	
Address	PO Box	

	Street 1	c/o 600 Lincoln Avenue	
	Street 2		
	City	Charleston	
	State ("NA" if non-U.S. address)	IL	
	Zip/Postal Code	61920	
	Country (if non-U.S. address)	United States	
Listing Type	Other Interest Holder		
Positional Interests (check all that apply)	Officer, Other - Vice President for Student Affairs		
Principal Profession or Occupation	Education		
By Whom Appointed or Elected	University President		
Citizenship, Gender, Ethnicity, and Race Information (Natural Persons Only)	Citizenship	US	
	Gender	Female	
	Ethnicity	Not Hispanic or Latino	
	Race	White	
Interest Percentages (enter percentage values from 0.0 to 100.0)	Voting	0.0%	
	Equity	0.0%	
	Total assets (Equity Debt Plus)		
Does interest holder have an attributable interest in one or more broadcast stations that do not appear on this report?		No	

Ownership Information		
FRN	9990144724	
Name	Jeff Owens	
Address	PO Box	
	Street 1	717 South 30 St.
	Street 2	
	City	Mattoon
	State ("NA" if non-U.S. address)	IL
	Zip/Postal Code	61938
	Country (if non-U.S. address)	United States
Listing Type	Other Interest Holder	
Positional Interests (check all that apply)	Other - WEIU GM	

Principal Profession or Occupation	WEIU GM		
By Whom Appointed or Elected	Appointed by EIU President		
Citizenship, Gender, Ethnicity, and Race Information (Natural Persons Only)	Citizenship	US	
	Gender	Male	
	Ethnicity	Not Hispanic or Latino	
	Race	White	
Interest Percentages (enter percentage values from 0.0 to 100.0)	Voting	0.0%	
	Equity	0.0%	
	Total assets (Equity Debt Plus)		
Does interest holder have an attributable interest in one or more broadcast stations that do not appear on this report?			No

Ownership Information		
FRN	9990151868	
Name	Dr. Ryan Hendrickson	
Address	PO Box	
	Street 1	c/o 600 Lincoln Avenue
	Street 2	
	City	Charleston
	State ("NA" if non-U.S. address)	IL
	Zip/Postal Code	61920
	Country (if non-U.S. address)	United States
Listing Type	Other Interest Holder	
Positional Interests (check all that apply)	Officer, Other - Provost and VP for Academic Affairs (Interim)	
Principal Profession or Occupation	Education	
By Whom Appointed or Elected	Appointed by EIU President	
Citizenship, Gender, Ethnicity, and Race Information (Natural Persons Only)	Citizenship	US
	Gender	Male
	Ethnicity	Not Hispanic or Latino
	Race	White
Interest Percentages (enter percentage values from 0.0 to 100.0)	Voting	0.0%
	Equity	0.0%

	Total assets (Equity Debt Plus)	
Does interest holder have an attributable interest in one or more broadcast stations that do not appear on this report?		No

Ownership Information		
FRN	9990151869	
Name	Matthew Bierman	
Address	PO Box	
	Street 1	600 Lincoln Avenue
	Street 2	
	City	Charleston
	State ("NA" if non-U.S. address)	IL
	Zip/Postal Code	61920
	Country (if non-U.S. address)	United States
Listing Type	Other Interest Holder	
Positional Interests (check all that apply)	Officer, Other - Vice President for Business Affairs	
Principal Profession or Occupation	Education	
By Whom Appointed or Elected	Appointed by EIU President	
Citizenship, Gender, Ethnicity, and Race Information (Natural Persons Only)	Citizenship	US
	Gender	Male
	Ethnicity	Not Hispanic or Latino
	Race	White
Interest Percentages (enter percentage values from 0.0 to 100.0)	Voting	0.0%
	Equity	0.0%
	Total assets (Equity Debt Plus)	
Does interest holder have an attributable interest in one or more broadcast stations that do not appear on this report?		No

Ownership Information		
FRN	9990151870	
Name	Julie Everett	
Address	PO Box	
	Street 1	600 Lincoln Avenue
	Street 2	

	City	Charleston
	State ("NA" if non-U.S. address)	IL
	Zip/Postal Code	61920
	Country (if non-U.S. address)	United States
Listing Type	Other Interest Holder	
Positional Interests (check all that apply)	Member of Governing Board (or other governing entity)	
Principal Profession or Occupation	Banking - Financial	
By Whom Appointed or Elected	Appointed by Illinois Governor	
Citizenship, Gender, Ethnicity, and Race Information (Natural Persons Only)	Citizenship	US
	Gender	Female
	Ethnicity	Not Hispanic or Latino
	Race	White
Interest Percentages (enter percentage values from 0.0 to 100.0)	Voting	16.7%
	Equity	0.0%
	Total assets (Equity Debt Plus)	
Does interest holder have an attributable interest in one or more broadcast stations that do not appear on this report?		No

Ownership Information		
FRN	9990151871	
Name	Bernie Ranchero	
Address	PO Box	
	Street 1	600 Lincoln Avenue
	Street 2	
	City	Charleston
	State ("NA" if non-U.S. address)	IL
	Zip/Postal Code	61920
	Country (if non-U.S. address)	United States
Listing Type	Other Interest Holder	
Positional Interests (check all that apply)	Member of Governing Board (or other governing entity)	
Principal Profession or Occupation	EIU Student	

By Whom Appointed or Elected	Appointed by Illinois Governor	
Citizenship, Gender, Ethnicity, and Race Information (Natural Persons Only)	Citizenship	US
	Gender	Male
	Ethnicity	Not Hispanic or Latino
	Race	Asian
Interest Percentages (enter percentage values from 0.0 to 100.0)	Voting	16.7%
	Equity	0.0%
	Total assets (Equity Debt Plus)	
Does interest holder have an attributable interest in one or more broadcast stations that do not appear on this report?		No

Ownership Information		
FRN	9990151872	
Name	August Biernbaum	
Address	PO Box	
	Street 1	600 Lincoln Avenue
	Street 2	
	City	Charleston
	State ("NA" if non-U.S. address)	IL
	Zip/Postal Code	61920
	Country (if non-U.S. address)	United States
Listing Type	Other Interest Holder	
Positional Interests (check all that apply)	Other - Student Trustee (non-voting)Member of Governing Board (or other governing entity)	
Principal Profession or Occupation	Student	
By Whom Appointed or Elected	Elected 1 Year Term	
Citizenship, Gender, Ethnicity, and Race Information (Natural Persons Only)	Citizenship	US
	Gender	Male
	Ethnicity	Not Hispanic or Latino
	Race	White
Interest Percentages (enter percentage values from 0.0 to 100.0)	Voting	0.0%
	Equity	0.0%
	Total assets (Equity Debt Plus)	

Does interest holder have an attributable interest in one or more broadcast stations that do not appear on this report?	No
(b) Respondent certifies that any interests, including equity, financial, or voting interests, not reported in this filing are non-attributable. If "No," submit as an exhibit an explanation.	Yes
(c) Is Respondent seeking an attribution exemption for any officer or director with duties wholly unrelated to the Licensee(s)? If "Yes," complete the information in the required fields and submit an Exhibit fully describing that individual's duties and responsibilities, and explaining why that individual should not be attributed an interest.	No

3. Organizational Chart (Licensees Only)

Attach a flowchart or similar document showing the Licensee’s vertical ownership structure including the Licensee and all entities that have attributable interests in the Licensee. Licensees with a single parent entity may provide a brief explanatory textual Exhibit in lieu of a flowchart or similar document. Licensees without parent entities should so indicate in a textual Exhibit.

Non-Licensee Respondents should select “N/A” in response to this question.

Eastern Illinois University is a single level licensee.

Section III - Certification

Certification

Section	Question	Response
Authorized Party to Sign	WILLFUL FALSE STATEMENTS ON THIS FORM ARE PUNISHABLE BY FINE AND/OR IMPRISONMENT (U.S. CODE, TITLE 18, SECTION 1001), AND /OR REVOCATION OF ANY STATION LICENSE --OR CONSTRUCTION PERMIT (U.S. CODE, TITLE 47, SECTION 312(a)(1)), AND/OR FORFEITURE (U.S. CODE, TITLE 47, SECTION 503).	
Certification	I certify that I have examined this report and that to the best of my knowledge and belief, all statements in this report are true, correct and complete.	Official Title: President Exact Legal Title or Name of Respondent: Eastern Illinois University Name: Jay D. Gatrell Phone: 2175812011 10/19/2023