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College of Business Announces Fellowship Winners

May 22, 2003. Champaign, Ill. — Seven graduate students in the College of Business were named recipients of Irwin Fellowships by Associate Dean Greg Oldham, who said the scholars “show exceptional achievement and promise.”

The 2003-2004 class of Irwin scholars, all of whom already have teaching experience and who aspire to careers as educators and researchers, includes:

Stephen Dimmock, Finance
Sean Fingland, Accountancy
Michele Gribbins, Business Administration
Keejae Hong, Accountancy
Minqiang Li, Finance
Joseph Marks, Finance
Kevin Rock, Business Administration

The Richard D. and Anne Marie Irwin Fellowships are made possible by the Irwin Family Foundation in Chicago, which established the awards to “help in the development of qualified teachers in business.” The fellowships, which also include payment of tuition and fees, are given each year by the College of Business to outstanding PhD students. Richard Irwin attended the University of Illinois at Urbana-Champaign and started a successful textbook publishing firm.

Nationally recognized as one of the leading business schools, the University of Illinois College of Business has outstanding programs in accounting, business, economics, and finance. The College enrolls approximately 3,300 undergraduates, 900 MBA and master's students, and 165 doctoral candidates.

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