

Dear Douglas Hall 1<sup>st</sup> Floor Residents,

My name is Alex Wagner and I will be your RA for this coming year. My hometown is Naperville, IL, a suburb 40 minutes southwest of Chicago. I transferred here 2 years ago in the fall from NIU and have grown to love the campus, the professors, and the students here at Eastern. This will be my second year as a staff member in Douglas Hall. Here on campus along with being an RA, I am involved with National Residence Hall Honorary, Christian Campus House, and intramurals. I enjoy biking, being active, watching movies, listening to music, and being outdoors.

I look forward to encouraging you in your academics, extra-curricular activities, and relationships. With the training I will be going through, I will be a good resource for questions and concerns you may have about Eastern or anything else. I am excited to help each one of you with goals you have through out the year and to help you achieve them. Residence life is not just a place to live, but it is also a place to learn about yourself the community around you. In Douglas Hall, we like to have Xbox 360 tournaments quite often, which are always full of fun and good food! One of the goals I have set for myself is to develop strong community on our floor during this coming year so everyone will feel comfortable and gain a sense of a home away from home.

I would really like to communicate with each of you before you get to campus this fall, so feel free to contact me on Facebook, or email me at [aswagner@eiu.edu](mailto:aswagner@eiu.edu). I look forward to hearing from you prior to arriving on August 18<sup>th</sup>.

Have a great rest of your summer and I will see you in the fall!

Sincerely,

Alex Wagner