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Eric White Earns College Conference of Illinois & Wisconsin Football Honor

Illinois Wesleyan wide receiver **Eric White** is the co-winner of the "Offensive Player of the Week" honor in the College Conference of Illinois & Wisconsin for games played October 11.

White shares the honor with Dan Price of Wheaton, while David Soccaras of Elmhurst won on defense.

White, a 6-foot-3, 208-pound junior from **Antioch, Ill. (HS)**, caught eight passes for 194 yards with one touchdown in a 20-17 loss to Augustana. For the day the Titans only accumulated 270 yards of total offense with White accounting for 72% of the yardage.

White, who leads the CCIW in catches and receiving yards per game, now ranks No. 3 all-time at IWU with 2,082 yards and is No. 8 in receptions with 136. With the touchdown grab against Augustana last week, he has seven this season and 21 career TD receptions, making him No. 5 all-time at the school.

White's 706 receiving yards this year is already 18th best in an IWU single season and 401 yards from the record of 1107, set in 1992 by **Chris Bisailon**. Against both Chicago and Washington U., he had 12 catches in a game, tied for seventh most in an IWU game (see records below). He had 12 grabs for 203 yards and two TDs at Washington U. and the 203 yards is eighth best at IWU.

Price had a career high 202 yards rushing on 32 attempts as Wheaton beat Millikin 43-29 in Wheaton. He scored three touchdowns as the Thunder remained unbeaten at 5-0. Soccaras led a Bluejay defense that posted a shutout in a 21-0 win over Carthage. Soccaras finished with nine tackles (four solo and five assists), including three for loss. He had 1.5 quarterback sacks and both resulted in forced fumbles with Elmhurst recovering each. One sack came at the end of the first half when he jarred the ball loose and the Bluejays recovered it and returned it 71 yards for a touchdown. He also had two pass deflections and two quarterback hurries.