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Included below is a press release regarding former resident William E. Davis, who was recognized by the Ferris State University Alumni Association with its 2006 Pacesetter award.

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## Davis receives Ferris Alumni Association 2006 Pacesetter award

BIG RAPIDS – William E. Davis, a 1990 graduate of Lake Michigan Catholic High School, was presented with the 2006 Pacesetter award by the Ferris State University Alumni Association.

The Ferris Alumni Association established the Pacesetter award in order to recognize individuals who demonstrate leadership and service to their profession, community, service organizations and alma mater. Davis earned his Bachelor of Science degree in Criminal Justice from Ferris in 1994.

Davis is vice president of Security Services for Wachovia Corporation. He designs and develops innovative security technology for future application at Wachovia, the fourth largest U.S. bank, at the corporation's headquarters in Charlotte, N.C.

His pursuit of education led him to earn his MBA degree from Elon University in 2003. He also has taught personal and professional goal-planning to groups in Durham and Chapel Hill, N.C.

Davis and his wife, Kathryn, have a 5-year-old daughter, Eva, and a 2-month-old son, Charlie. The Davis family resides in Charlotte, N.C.

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