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### **Fashion Featured at Scarlet Masquerade**

HANCOCK – A fashion show performance by Finlandia University art and design major Pamela Kotila (Dodgeville, Mich.) is featured at the MTU Social Dance Club second annual Scarlet Masquerade at the South Range Community Hall, November 1, 2008, from 5:00 p.m. to midnight.

The performance, which includes original choreography, will preview eleven new, original costume garments designed and created by Kotila.

“Pamela has been working with her models every weekend rehearsing the dance in preparation for the performance,” said Finlandia fiber arts associate professor Phyllis Fredendall. “Her concept includes quite a cast of archetypal characters. Pamela’s aesthetic is strongly influenced by contemporary Japanese culture.”

The Scarlet Masquerade also features music by the Café Accordion Orchestra, Tony Lowe, Camilo, and Ted Alder. Dinner will be prepared by the Library Restaurant of Houghton and door prizes awarded.

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