

The Phi Beta Kappa Society



Zeta of North Carolina Chapter at North Carolina State University

Initiation of New Members

**Duke Energy Hall, James B. Hunt, Jr. Library
North Carolina State University
23 April 2017
4:00 P.M.**

Order of Exercises

Initiation of Members in Course

Call to Order and Greeting	Dr. Dean J. Lee <i>President, Zeta of North Carolina</i> <i>Professor of Physics</i>
Recognition of College Representatives	President Lee
The History	Mr. Alexander M. Kearney <i>Student Member of the Zeta of North Carolina Chapter</i>
The Ideals	Ms. Nikita Chintalapudi <i>Student Member of the Zeta of North Carolina Chapter</i>
Presentation of New Members	Dr. Richard L. Blanton <i>Chair, Committee on Members-in-Course</i> <i>Past-President, Zeta of North Carolina</i> <i>Professor of Plant Biology</i>
Conferring of Certificates & Keys	President Lee Ms. Kristine M. Alpi <i>Treasurer, Zeta of North Carolina</i> <i>Director, William Rand Kenan, Jr.</i> <i>Library of Veterinary Medicine</i> Ms. Destiny D. Davis Ms. Kaitlyn N. Godfrey <i>Student Members of the Zeta of North Carolina Chapter</i>
Greetings from the NC State Alumni Association	Mr. Joshua A. Privette <i>Coordinator of Student and Young Alumni Programming</i> <i>NC State Alumni Association</i>
Greetings from the Wake County Phi Beta Kappa Association	Ms. Dana Lindquist <i>President</i> <i>Wake County Phi Beta Kappa Association</i>
Introducing the new Chapter President	President Lee
The Charge and Recognitions	President Carroll
Closing	Dr. Blanton

Following the Ceremony:
A Reception in Honor of the New Members
(hosted by the College of Sciences
and the College of Humanities and Social Sciences)

Spring 2017 Initiates

Lela Sadek Ali	Political Science
Alexander Eiber Arldt	Economics; Computer Engineering; Electrical Engineering
Micaela Aile Ascolese	Anthropology; Criminology
Justin Lloyd Baird	Biological Sciences
Henry Campbell McNaughton Black*	Biological Sciences
Monica Elena Borges	Statistics
Cameron Paul Bright	Biochemistry; Chemical Engineering
Marissa Michelle Brinkman*	Psychology
Shannen Marie Burns	Biological Sciences
Christopher Anthony Cardullo*	Mathematics
Elizabeth Mitchell Carter	Microbiology
Allen Spencer Coates	Arts Studies
Genna Cohen	Social Work
Joshua Alan Cook	Mathematics; Computer Science
Michelle Curtin	Economics; Business Management
Alabama Cassie Denton	Social Work
Kelsey Virginia Downs	English
Patrick Muin Dugom*	Economics
Kenneth Andrew Erickson	Fisheries, Wildlife, and Conservation Biology
Samuel J. Fedeler	Physics; Computer Science
Hannah Katharine Field	Sociology; Social Work
Shane R. Finkel	Applied Mathematics; Economics
Julie A. Franck	International Studies; Business Management
Eleanor Allen Frederick	Food Science
Melissa Eugenia Furman*	Communication
Savan H. Gandhi	Biochemistry
Ashwin Ghadiyaram	Biological Sciences
Peter Louis Girouard	Mathematics; Computer Science
Suzan Gomes	Biological Sciences
Alexander Matti Haikonen	Psychology; Statistics
Adelaide Hardwick	Political Science; Environmental Sciences
Monica Beth Hendricks	Zoology
Peyton Holden Holmquist	Communication
Emily Katelyn Howe	Biochemistry; Biological Sciences
Tyler James Johnson	Biochemistry
Josiah David Keilson	Economics
Rachel Marie Kiserow	Psychology
Lindsey Marie Kunz	Biological Sciences
Lisa Jane LaFountain	Food Science

Spring 2017 Initiates, cont'd

Regan Lauren Lane	Foreign Language and Literatures; Animal Science
Nicholas Robert Lavoie	Geology; Marine Sciences
Grace Unhye Lee	Social Work
Kaitlyn Renee Loftus	Psychology
Megan Lee Mallamas	Criminology
Ridge Mazingo	Political Science; Psychology
Connor Daniel McKenney	Genetics
Kayla McMillan	Political Science
Claudia Inez Mesa	Statistics; Economics
Hayley Christine Milczakowski	Political Science
Timothy Isaac Milowic*	Mathematics; Physics
Sarah Ellen Moore**	Economics
Rachel Michelle Nisbet	Mathematics; Mathematics Education
Rachel Norris	Biochemistry
Blake Alexander Oakley	Plant Biology
Laura Caroline Oldham	Communication
Emily Michelle Parker*	Art and Design
Arjun Nicholas Patel	Biochemistry
Blair Nicole Pearce	Biological Sciences
Manning Tucker Peeler	History
Luis Gabriel Pizarro	International Studies; Accounting
Ashley Nicole Rabuck	Psychology
Catrina Botros Rateb	Foreign Languages and Literatures; Chemical Engineering
Gloria Angelina Regalado	Applied Mathematics; Statistics
Paul Vyvyan Regensburger	Physics
Mary Anna Rice	English
Julia Logan Rigsbee	Economics
Catherine Campbell Rivers*	English; History
Megan Elizabeth Rogers	Biological Sciences
Alexander Andrew Ruley	Geology
Gibson Russell	Economics; Industrial Engineering
Jasmine Kathryn Scheitler	Economics
Malay Shah	Economics; Chemical Engineering
Nishi Shah	Genetics
Hannah Grace Shapiro*	Fisheries, Wildlife, and Conservation Biology
Morgan Elizabeth Shapiro	Zoology
Kelsey Taylor Shevlin	Statistics
Jean-Claude Shore	Mathematics; Computer Science

Spring 2017 Initiates, cont'd

Madelyn Elizabeth Shuman	International Studies; Business Management
Matthew Christopher Simpson	Mathematics; Physics; Computer Science
Zachary Lee Small	Economics
Anna Lynn Smith	Arts Studies; Animal Science
Stephanie Thi	Zoology
Alexander Jon Trei	Biological Sciences
Rachel Grace Walter	Biological Sciences
Lana Kurepa Waschka	Statistics; Business Management
Olivia Emma Weikmann	Economics; Fashion and Textile Management
Karl Alexander Widney	Biochemistry; Foreign Language and Literatures
Andrew Reuben Wilson	Natural Resources; Plant and Soil Sciences

*Designates those students being inducted as juniors.

**2016 inductee being recognized in Spring 2017.

About Phi Beta Kappa and the Zeta of North Carolina Chapter

The Zeta of North Carolina Chapter of Phi Beta Kappa was chartered on 17 April 1995, reflecting national recognition of the outstanding quality of the students, programs, and resources for undergraduate education in the liberal arts and sciences at North Carolina State University.

The purpose of the Phi Beta Kappa Society is to recognize and encourage scholarship, friendship, and cultural interests, and to support excellence and integrity in the pursuit of the liberal arts and sciences.

Election to Phi Beta Kappa recognizes intellectual capacities well-employed, especially in acquiring an education in the liberal arts and sciences. Phi Beta Kappa honors and supports an educational process that exalts openness to divergent views, the interplay of ideas, inquiry, and integrity, and the accomplishments of the human mind and spirit.

The objectives of humane learning encouraged by Phi Beta Kappa include the acquisition of knowledge and the cultivation of understanding, support for intellectual honesty and tolerance, and the development of breadth in the range of intellectual interests.

The Phi Beta Kappa Society was founded at the College of William and Mary in 1776. Chapters were established at Harvard, Yale, and Dartmouth before the end of the 18th century, setting a pattern for slow expansion that has continued to the present. Only 280 institutions of higher learning in the United States shelter chapters of Phi Beta Kappa.

There are seven chapters of Phi Beta Kappa sheltered at colleges and universities in North Carolina: the University of North Carolina at Chapel Hill (Alpha, 1904), Duke University (Beta, 1920), Davidson College (Gamma, 1923), Wake Forest University (Delta, 1941), the University of North Carolina at Greensboro (Epsilon, 1956; but originally chartered as a section of the Alpha chapter in 1934), North Carolina State University (Zeta, 1995), and Elon University (Eta, 2010).

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