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

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Call to Order and Greeting ..................................................... Dr. Dean J. Lee
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Phi Beta Kappa Association .............................. Ms. Dana Lindquist
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Ridge Mazingo
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Genetics

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Political Science

Claudia Inez Mesa
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Timothy Isaac Milovic*
Mathematics; Physics

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Economics

Rachel Michelle Nisbet
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Mary Anna Rice
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Catherine Campbell Rivers*
English; History

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Alexander Andrew Ruley
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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

Madelyn Elizabeth Shuman
International Studies; Business Management

Matthew Christopher Simpson
Mathematics; Physics; Computer Science Economics

Zachary Lee Small
Arts Studies; Animal Science

Anna Lynn Smith
Zoology

Stephanie Thi
Biological Sciences

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Rachel Grace Walter
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