The Kappa Chapter of California of the University of California, Davis presents the

The Phi Beta Kappa Society

Ceremony of Initiation 2019

Wednesday Afternoon
Fifteenth of May
Five O’Clock pm
Peter J. Shields Library Courtyard

Love of Learning is the guide of life.
Ritual of Initiation

The Greeting

The Presentation

The Promise

The History

Reception

The Kappa chapter is pleased to recognize the following awards from the Northern California Association of Phi Beta Kappa:

Teaching Excellence Award

JAMES HOUSEFIELD
Design

DAVID OLSON
Chemistry

PBKNA Graduate Scholarship

RYANE LOGSDON
Animal Behavior Graduate Group

KAPPA OF CALIFORNIA PRESIDING OFFICERS

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Alpha of Rhode Island, 1976

Treasurer
KAREN OLSON
Kappa of California, 1977

Vice President
JON ROSSINI
Delta of Ohio, 1993

Historian
ERIC RAUCHWAY
Theta of New York, 1991

Secretary
JAIME ALLEN
Mu of California 2012

Chair, Committee on Members in Course
KATHERINE MAWDSLEY
Alpha of Delaware, 1961

The Phi Beta Kappa Society is the oldest and most prestigious national academic honorary society in the United States. Its Handbook for New Members begins, “For over two hundred years election to Phi Beta Kappa has been a recognition of intellectual capacities well employed, especially in the acquiring of an education in the liberal arts and sciences.” The Society was founded in 1776 at the College of William and Mary in Williamsburg, Virginia; the UC Davis chapter, designated Kappa of California, was chartered in 1968.

Kappa Chapter recognizes by election as Members in Course juniors and seniors who have compiled outstanding academic records in a curriculum including the humanities, natural sciences, and social sciences.
CANDIDATES FOR INITIATION AS
MEMBERS IN COURSE 2019
elected April 2019

JUNIORS

Alexa Alcser
Lindsay Alter
Olivia Bailey
Monica Becher
Guneet Bindra
Brittany Black
Maya Block
Kiana Borjian
Emily Bui
Miranda Burgett
Claire Burke
Danielle Castro
Christina Chang
Navya Chauhan
Aarya Chidambaram
Joli Chien
Emily Clarkson
Cassandra Coraggio
Eric Coyle
Talia D’Amato
Magdalena Duran
Steven Ellenberger
Jumana Esau
Dominic Faria
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Daniel Graves
Jacqueline Graves
Olivia Gray
Mohammed Halabi
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Elias Heffan
Isaac Heller
Alyssa Henderson
Elisabeth Henkens
Irene Ho
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Limin Huang
Maggie Inman
Nikhil Jaha
Tegwyn John
Abigail Johnson
Sarah Kadlec
Binwant Kahlom
Harikumara Kathi
Juliya Key
Muga Kim
Olivia Kotlarek
Ryan Launer
Vincent Le
Celina Leong
Jingyanshan Li

Psychology
Anthropology and Design
Economics, Math Analytics
Biological Sciences
Biological Sciences
Psychology and Human Development
Biological Sciences
American Studies
Biological Sciences
Biological Sciences
English
Neurobiology, Physiology & Behavior
Statistics
Neurobiology, Physiology & Behavior
History
Design
Spanish
Political Science
Neurobiology, Physiology & Behavior
Political Science-Public Service
Microbiology
Political Science
English
Economics and Political Science - Public Service
Biochemistry & Molecular Biology
Biological Sciences
Genetics and Genomics
Political Science
Economics
Psychology and Sociology
Political Science and Economics
Computer Science
Applied Mathematics
English and Cinema & Digital Media
Computer Science
Computer Science
Pharmaceutical Chemistry
Mathematical Analytics & Operations Research
Classical Civilization
Neurobiology, Physiology & Behavior
Linguistics and Psychology
Political Science-Public Service and Spanish
American Studies and Gender, Sexuality & Women’s Studies
International Relations
Psychology
Economics
Cognitive Science and Computer Science
Design
Evolutionary Anthropology and Japanese
Computer Science
Cognitive Science and Design
Neurobiology, Physiology & Behavior
Kana Limpanukorn
Ryan Lin
Kathryn Lopez
Juliana Mak
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Sean Mcginty
Qingyao Meng
Nicholas Merlesena
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Divya Mistry
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Francia Orduño
Nicole Parker
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Ravina Patel
Madeleine Peterson
Alisa Prokurashko
Sophia Racke
Sevanna Reitter
Olivia Reyes
Erika-Loren Rodriguez
Daniel Scalet
Isabella Schrammel
Tara Shahrvinı
Mitchell Sivilinsky
Nathan Soland
Rowan Swain
Claudia Tang
Eric Thai
Morgan Tieu
Genevieve Tikasingh
Giulia Travostino
Christina Trinh
Shang-Ying Tsai

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Alina Ali
Emily Antonino
Michelle-Sarah Appleton
Camila Arellano
Kaisa Arrasmith
Husnain Asghar
Arian Ashrafi
Farnaz Azizi Shalbaf
Stephany Bazan Inoue
Gabriella Bertaccini
Shane Bolina
Meghan Brennan
Olga Brevnova
Blair Burkhart
Ashley Cabrera
Nicholas Capranica
Timothy Cater

Japanese
Neurobiology, Physiology & Behavior
English
Communication
Design
Microbiology
Computer Science
History and Political Science
Biological Sciences
Psychology
Communication
Communication
Anthropology
International Relations
Neurobiology, Physiology & Behavior
Political Science and Chinese
Sociology
Biochemistry & Molecular Biology
Statistics
Communication
Psychology
International Relations
International Relations
Political Science and French
Neurobiology, Physiology & Behavior
Design and Sustainable Environmental Design
International Relations and Economics
Neurobiology, Physiology & Behavior and Italian
Neurobiology, Physiology & Behavior
Microbiology
Chemistry
English
Neurobiology, Physiology & Behavior
Political Science
Design
Linguistics
English
Biochemistry & Molecular Biology
History

English
Political Science
Plant Biology
Biological Sciences
Biological Sciences
Neurobiology, Physiology & Behavior
Biochemistry & Molecular Biology
Neurobiology, Physiology & Behavior
Neurobiology, Physiology & Behavior
Psychology
Cell Biology
Biological Sciences
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Psychology
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Kaitlyn Goudy  
Xander Guldman  
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Jing Huang  
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Lauren Jaech  
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Statistics  
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Psychology  
Biochemistry & Molecular Biology  
Communication  
Spanish and Sociology  
Biological Sciences  
Genetics & Genomics  
Neurobiology, Physiology & Behavior  
Biological Sciences  
Religious Studies and Psychology  
Physics  
International Relations  
Biological Sciences  
Neurobiology, Physiology & Behavior  
Economics - History  
East Asian Studies  
American Studies  
Genetics & Genomics  
Psychology  
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Statistics  
Political Science-Public Service  
Art Studio  
English  
Biochemistry and Molecular Biology  
East Asian Studies  
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International Relations  
Classical Civilization and Art History  
Linguistics and Cognitive Science  
Biological Sciences  
Spanish  
Genetics and Genomics  
Computer Science  
Pharmaceutical Chemistry  
Psychology  
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Genetics & Genomics  
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Neurobiology, Physiology & Behavior  
International Relations  
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Neurobiology, Physiology & Behavior
Psychology
Chemistry
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Economics
International Relations
Psychology
Economics
English
English
Political Science
Neurobiology, Physiology & Behavior
Marine & Coastal Science
Cognitive Science
English
Biochemistry & Molecular Biology
Neurobiology, Physiology & Behavior and Psychology
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Chicana/o Studies and Clinical Nutrition
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Genetics & Genomics and Psychology
Managerial Economics
Biochemistry & Molecular Biology
Biological Sciences
Economics
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Political Science and Economics
When you set out on your journey to Ithaca,
pray that the road is long,
full of adventure, full of knowledge.
The Lestrygonians and the Cyclops,
the angry Poseidon-do not fear them:
You will never find such as these on your path,
if your thoughts remain lofty, if a fine
emotion touches your spirit and your body.
The Lestrygonians and the Cyclops,
the fierce Poseidon you will never encounter,
if you do not carry them within your soul,
if your soul does not set them up before you.

Pray that the road is long.
That the summer mornings are many, when,
with such pleasure, with such joy
you will enter ports seen for the first time;
stop at Phoenician markets,
and purchase fine merchandise,
mother-of-pearl and coral, amber, and ebony,
and sensual perfumes of all kinds,
as many sensual perfumes as you can;
visit many Egyptian cities,
to learn and learn from scholars.

Always keep Ithaca in your mind.
To arrive there is your ultimate goal.
But do not hurry the voyage at all.
It is better to let it last for many years;
and to anchor at the island when you are old,
rich with all you have gained on the way,
not expecting that Ithaca will offer you riches.

Ithaca has given you the beautiful voyage.
Without her you would have never set out on the road.
She has nothing more to give you. And if you find her poor,
Ithaca has not deceived you.
Wise as you have become, with so much experience,
you must already have understood what these Ithacas mean.