Membership in Phi Kappa Phi

Admission to the Honor Society of Phi Kappa Phi is by invitation only and requires nomination and approval by a chapter in accordance with the bylaws of both the chapter and the national Society. Both require superior scholarship and good character as criteria for membership.

Purpose

The primary objective of the national Honor Society of Phi Kappa Phi is the recognition and encouragement of superior scholarship in all academic disciplines. The Society is convinced that in recognizing and honoring those persons of good character who have excelled in scholarship, in whatever field, it will stimulate others to strive for excellence. Moreover, the Society serves the interests of the student capable of excellence by insistence that in order to acquire a chapter of Phi Kappa Phi, an institution provide the means and atmosphere conducive to academic excellence.
Motto

Philosophia Krateito Photon
(Fi-loh-so-Fi-uh Krah-TAY-toe Foe-TONE)

Affirmation of Membership

In response to the honor bestowed on me by my election to Phi Kappa Phi, I shall continue to uphold the motto of Phi Kappa Phi: Philosophia Krateito Photon: Let the love of learning rule humanity.

2006-2007 Officers

President.........................................................Dr. David Shafer
Past President...................................................Dr. Sarah Rajala
Student Vice President.................................Ms. Katherine Phillips
Student Vice President.................................Mr. John Wendler
Secretary-Treasurer........................................Ms. Susan Grant
Historian.....................................................Dr. Kathleen Brown
Student Nominations and Selection...............Dr. Grace Finkle
Induction Ceremony Coordinator.................Dr. Mike Bachman

Fun Facts about Phi Kappa Phi

- Founded in 1897 at the University of Maine, Phi Kappa Phi is the nation's oldest, largest, and most selective all-discipline honor society.

- The Society's mission is "to recognize and promote academic excellence in all fields of higher education and to engage the community of scholars in service to others."

- The motto of Phi Kappa Phi is Philosophia Krateitō Phōtōn, translated "Let the love of learning rule humanity."

- Those elected to membership include upper 7.5 percent last-term juniors (having completed at least seventy-two semester hours) and upper 10 percent seniors, along with outstanding graduate students, faculty, professional staff, and alumni.

- Since its founding, more than 1 million scholars have been inducted into Phi Kappa Phi.

- Approximately 3,000 faculty and staff volunteers give of their time to serve as officers of local Phi Kappa Phi chapters.

- Nearly 300 chapters of Phi Kappa Phi exist on the campuses of colleges and universities across the United States, Puerto Rico, and the Philippines.

- The Society's official symbols include the Phi Kappa Phi key, ribbon, and seal.

- More than $500,000 in national and local scholarships is awarded annually.
Graduate Students

Mehmet Ulker .............................................. Civil Engineering
Elizabeth Wing ........................................ Business Administration
Hao Xie ........................................................ Business Administration
Robin Yehle .................................................. Computer Science
Ming Zhao ..................................................... Computer Engineering

Induction Program
Presiding
Dr. David Shafer
Chapter President

Welcome ...................................................... Dr. Tom Stafford
Vice Chancellor for Student Affairs

Opening Remarks ........................................ Dr. Paul Ferlazzo
National President of Phi Kappa Phi

Explanation of Symbols ................................. Ms. Katherine Phillips
Mr. John Wendler
Student Vice Presidents

Certification of Initiates’ Eligibility ..................... Dr. Katie Perry
Senior Vice Provost for Academic Affairs

Affirmation of Membership ............................. Dr. Kathleen Brown

Recognition of Initiates
Undergraduates .......................................... Dr. Wendell McKenzie
Graduate Students ....................................... Dr. Terri Lomax
Emeritus Membership ................................. Dr. Cathy L. Crossland
Award for Promoting Excellence ..................... Dr. Sarah Rajala
in Higher Education

Reception ..................................................... Student Center Ballroom,
Following Ceremony

Special Thanks To

Sabrina Hunt ............................................... Pianist
Becky Kirkland .......................................... Photographer
Jon Idol ..................................................... Assistant Registrar
Lisa Miles .................................................. Technology Assistant
Undergraduate Students

Taner Alkaya .......................................................... Computer Science
Ashley Anderson .................................................. Mathematics Education
Casey Andrason .................................................... Animal Science
Syed Anvery ............................................................. Electrical Engineering
Elizabeth Autry .................................................... Biological Sciences
Elizabeth Baker ..................................................... Psychology
Anna Barnett-Robisheaux ....................................... Landscape Architecture
Erin Bathurst ........................................................ Microbiology
Kenneth Batts ......................................................... Mathematics
Robert Bedsole ........................................................ Biomedical Engineering
Timothy Bennett .................................................... Industrial Design
Adrienne Bhatnagar ................................................ Animal Science
Lauren Bishop ........................................................ Art and Design
Albert Blackmon ..................................................... Mathematics
Leigh Blanton .......................................................... Middle Grades Language
Allison Bowers ....................................................... Sport Management
Jordan Brown ........................................................ English
Shawna Buerkle ....................................................... Zoology
Jacob Carpenter ....................................................... Paper Science Engineering
Paul Carruth .......................................................... Textile Engineering
Jennifer Carter ....................................................... Mathematics
Sylvia Carver ........................................................ Mathematics Education
Julia Cavanaugh ..................................................... Biochemistry
Amit Choudhary ..................................................... Computer Science
Melissa Clapp ........................................................ Accounting
Brian Clark ............................................................ Physics
John Coggin .......................................................... Communication - Media
Leslie Coleman ....................................................... Materials Science Engineering
Jared Cronk .......................................................... Accounting, Financial Analyst
Ellen Crowell ......................................................... Communication Disorders
Erin Degerman ........................................................ Business Management
Jason Denney ........................................................ Electrical Engineering
Darryl DeWitt ........................................................ Electrical Engineering

Graduate Students

Alison Holcomb ....................................................... Public History
Srinivas Jasti .......................................................... Electrical Engineering
Byoung-Don Kong .................................................. Electrical Engineering
Suzanne Kratzer-Alexander ........................................... Art and Design
Meghan Kruse ........................................................ Veterinary Medicine
Kari Kuebel ............................................................. Curriculum/Instruction, Reading
Marianne Latz ........................................................ Social Work
Jae Young Lee ........................................................ Design
Jason Leyba ............................................................. Computer Science
Liping Li ................................................................. Electrical Engineering
Wanying Li ............................................................. Statistics
Douglas McVey ......................................................... Business Administration
Jean Monroe ........................................................ Instructional Technology
Emily Moore ........................................................ Textiles Management/Technology
Saeed Nojavan ........................................................ Mechanical Engineering
Dipak Prasad ........................................................ Business Administration
William Pritchard .................................................... Accounting
Jennie Ray ............................................................. Creative Writing
Kimberly Rothwell .................................................. Technical Communication
Patrice Sawyer ........................................................ School Administration
Megan Schamberger ................................................... Psychology
Matthew Schmidt ..................................................... Computer Science
Robert Schmidt ........................................................ Chemistry
Jennifer Schneider ................................................... Psychology
Kyuyong Shin ........................................................ Computer Science
Shannon Sinclair ..................................................... Science Education
Tonya Smith-Holliman ............................................. Spanish Language/Literature
Sarah Snelling ....................................................... Special Education, Learning Disabilities
Kristen Souza ........................................................ Special Education, Learning Disabilities
William Strader ...................................................... Counselor Education
Daniel Sullivan ....................................................... Bioinformatics-Biochemistry
### Undergraduate Students

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Abigail Lithgo ....................................................... Chemical Engineering
Lori Lomelino ....................................................... Business Management
Ashley Lyons ....................................................... Religious Studies
Elizabeth Malan ....................................................... Industrial Design
Kevin Mann ....................................................... Computer Science
Janet Mansoor ....................................................... Biological Sciences
Derrick Marcey ....................................................... Computer Science
Levi Mason ....................................................... Computer Engineering
Andrew McNamara ...................................................... Environmental Sciences
Travis McCaw ......................................................... Physics
Riane Miller ....................................................... Criminology
William Milligan ....................................................... Computer Science
Mark Mzyk ....................................................... Computer Science
Heather Nofziger ....................................................... Psychology
Melih Onvural ....................................................... Computer Science
Rachel Opperman ....................................................... Communication - Media
Marian Outland ....................................................... Political Science- Law/Justice
Monica Overstreet ....................................................... Meteorology
Thomas Ozbolt ....................................................... Political Science- Law/Justice
Holly Parsons ....................................................... Marine Sciences
Daniel Patrick ....................................................... Electrical Engineering
Samantha Patterson ....................................................... Animal Science
Ralph Peace ....................................................... Animal Science
Casey Perry ....................................................... Business Management
Warren Perry ....................................................... Biological Sciences
Brian Petullo ....................................................... Biological Sciences
Robert Phelps ....................................................... Electrical Engineering
Sarah Pickford ....................................................... Industrial Design
Austin Pickles ....................................................... Electrical Engineering
Carrie Porter ....................................................... Animal Science
Edward Rabenda ....................................................... Electrical Engineering
Carly Ragland ....................................................... Biological Sciences

Kavon Ravanbakht ....................................................... Biological Sciences
Amy Raybuck ....................................................... Fisheries/Wildlife Science
Bekgah Reed ....................................................... Accounting
Christopher Rice ....................................................... Biomedical Engineering
Kyle Roberts ....................................................... Computer Engineering
Jason Roberts ....................................................... Forest Management
Lindsey Robinson ....................................................... Chemical Engineering
Jennifer Robison ....................................................... Computer Science
Elizabeth Root ....................................................... Textile/Apparel Management
Ashley Ruggles ....................................................... Biomedical Engineering
Austin Samples ....................................................... Computer Engineering
Zakai Segal ....................................................... Electrical Engineering
Margaret Shearin ....................................................... Business Management
Ian Simpson ....................................................... Arts Applications
Jonathan Smith ....................................................... Communication, Public Relations
Benjamin Smith ....................................................... Computer Science
Phillip Stadermann ....................................................... Business Management
Doasheena Sullivan ....................................................... Business Management
Mary Taylor ....................................................... Psychology
Peter Thompson ....................................................... Biochemistry
Jackson Thornton ....................................................... Materials Science Engineering
David Thornton ....................................................... Computer Engineering
Bryce Tyner ....................................................... Meteorology
Irish Anne Villaviza ....................................................... Accounting, Financial Anal
John Vinci ....................................................... Polymer/Color Chemistry
Catherine Warner ....................................................... Mathematics Education
Brittany White ....................................................... Animal Science
Adam Whitehouse ....................................................... Psychology
Kimberley Whitley ....................................................... Accounting
Audrey Wilson ....................................................... Communications, Public Relations
Myciah Wilson ....................................................... Biomedical Engineering
Susan Woody ....................................................... Chemistry