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# *Honors Convocation*



**April 6, 2016**

**Westbrook Auditorium—Presser Hall**  
**11:00 a.m.**

*Linda French*  
*Professor of Physics*

*Recipient of The Kemp Foundation Award for Teaching Excellence — 2016*



Linda French, professor of physics, is the 2016 recipient of the Kemp Foundation Award for Teaching Excellence. Nominated by her peers and selected by the University's Promotion and Tenure Committee, Dr. French is the 43rd winner of the University's top teaching award.

A professional astronomer for over 30 years, Dr. French is a regular guest at prominent observatories, including the Cerro Tololo Interamerican Observatory. Students often accompany her on these observing trips, which support her work in the study of the shapes and surfaces of asteroids and comets. Her research has been funded by the National Science Foundation. She was also a recipient of a Cottrell College Science Award. Asteroid 3506 French is named for her, in honor of Dr. French's educational and research achievements.

Dr. French joined the faculty at Illinois Wesleyan in 2002 and has taught astronomy, astrophysics, and observational astronomy as well as other courses in physics. She worked with students to modernize the facilities of the Mark Evans Observatory. She has also served as chair of the physics department. Twice she has led the IWU London Program, most recently in fall 2014. During a sabbatical in 2010, Dr. French conducted on-site research on the life and work of 18th-century astronomer John Goodricke of York, England. She has published widely and presented lectures and papers on Goodricke.

A native of Hagerstown, Indiana, French earned a bachelor's degree in astronomy from Indiana University and a master's and Ph.D. from Cornell University. She also did post-doctoral work at the Massachusetts Institute of Technology.

Through the years the Teaching Excellence Award has undergone several name changes, but its purpose has always been to recognize and celebrate the vital role that teaching plays at Illinois Wesleyan. The award honors one faculty member who brings spirit, passion, and scholarship to the art of teaching. The Kemp Family Foundation began funding the award in the 2009-2010 academic year. Today we honor Professor Linda French.

*This program is dedicated to the Class of 2016  
and  
to students who have earned scholastic and activity honors.*

*Presiding—Matthew Piotrowiak '16, Class Vice-President*

Prelude .....	Susan Klotzbach Organist
Praeludium in C Major .....	Dietrich Buxtehude (1637–1707)
Processional ( <i>please stand</i> ) .....	Ms. Klotzbach Gaudeamus igitur
Invocation ( <i>remain standing</i> ) .....	Nicole Chlebek '16 <i>Multifaith Ambassador</i>
Welcome .....	Matthew Piotrowiak '16 <i>Class Vice-President</i>
Recognition of Student Honors .....	Frank Boyd <i>Associate Provost</i>
Recognition of Academic Honors .....	April Schultz <i>President of Phi Kappa Phi and Professor of History</i>
	Mark Criley <i>President of Phi Beta Kappa and Associate Professor of Philosophy</i>
Special Music .....	Madz Negro '16, <i>Violin</i> Maya Abboud '16, <i>Viola</i> Elena Denny '16, <i>Cello</i>
Tribute to Retiring Faculty .....	Jonathan D. Green <i>Provost and Dean of the Faculty</i>
Presentation of Speaker .....	Eric R. Jensen <i>President</i>
Address .....	Linda French <i>Professor of Physics</i>
"The Long and Winding Trail"	
Presentation of The Kemp Foundation Award for Teaching Excellence — 2016 .....	Toni Jenkins <i>Kemp Foundation</i>
Presentation of Previous Honorees for Teaching Excellence .....	President Jensen
Announcement of 2017 Kemp Honoree for Teaching Excellence .....	Provost Green
Alma Wesleyana ( <i>please stand and join in singing led by Megan Callison '16</i> ) .....	Ms. Klotzbach <i>National Hymn</i> <i>George William Warren</i>
From hearts aflame, our love we pledge to thee, Where'er we wander, over land or sea; Through time unending loyal we will be— True to our Alma Mater, Wesleyan.	When college days are fully past and gone, While life endures, from twilight dream till dawn, Grandly thy soul shall with us linger on— Star-crowned, our Alma Mater, Wesleyan!
	— <i>Professor W. E. Schultz</i> (1887–1964)
Recessional ( <i>remain standing</i> ) .....	Conrad Susa
March for a Joyous Occasion	(1935–2013)

## **PHI KAPPA PHI**

1922

*National scholastic honorary for students with junior and senior standing*

Austin Aldag  
 Jenna Baker  
 Sarah Bergman  
 Jillian Bleck  
 Hilary Carlet  
 Rachel Ende  
 Andrea Fortner  
 John Gardner  
 Lydia Hartlaub  
 Nicole Jovicevic  
 Tess Kelley  
 Maxwell Leonard  
 Meaghan Mormann  
 Sydney Muchnik  
 Stephen O'Neill  
 Margaret Patchett  
 Christine Peterson  
 Sophie Popovich  
 Emily Powers  
 Daniel Roadman  
 Julia Savich  
 Emily Shankar  
 Cathryn Volk  
 Megan Win  
 Ruomeng Zhang

## **PHI BETA KAPPA**

2000

*Undergraduate honors society fostering and recognizing excellence in the liberal arts and sciences*

Austin Aldag  
 Jennifer Altman  
 Stephanie AuBuchon  
 Regina Blaskie  
 ♦ Jillian Bleck  
 ♦ Alexandra Burnside  
 Jennifer Chlebek  
 Nicole Chlebek  
 Elaine Coppe  
 Mark Curtis  
 ♦ Truc Anh Dao  
 ♦ Kristina Dehlin

◊ Rachel Doose  
 Jessica Edwards  
 Lisa Elleson  
 Rachel Ende  
 Rebecca Fiedler  
 Carly Floyd  
 Yizhe Gao  
 Logan Garthe  
 ♦ Lydia Hartlaub  
 Shelby Hendricks  
 Michael Hennel  
 Brigitta Jakob  
 Molly Johnson  
 ♦ Tess Kelley  
 ♦ Maxwell Leonard  
 Lu Liao  
 Anastasia Lowenthal  
 Haley Lower  
 Kelsey Maka  
 Stephanie McAtee  
 Grace McCarten  
 ♦ Meaghan Mormann  
 Niccole Nelson  
 Thalia Novoa  
 Jacob Nowakowski  
 Xane Peters  
 Heather Prasse  
 ♦ Julia Savich  
 Tyler Stacey  
 Stephanie Stahl  
 Meg Stanley  
 Natalie Weimer  
 Megan Win  
 Jasmine Wright  
 Ruomeng Zhang  
 Initiated Students ♦

## **PERFORMANCE AND EXHIBITION HONORS IN THE FINE ARTS**

**Music**  
 Maya Abboud  
 John Cossio  
 Elena Denny

## **Theatre Arts**

Steven Czajkowski  
 Evan Dolan  
 Alexa Eldridge  
 Carlos Medina Maldonado  
 Maggie Patchett  
 Tyler Stacey  
 Alexa Weinzierl

## **AWARD RECIPIENTS**

### **BUSINESS**

**Ryan Beaupre Award for Accounting**  
 Alyssa Henzel

### **CREATIVE WRITING**

**Arthur William Hinners and Louise Hinners Sipfle Poetry Prize presented by The Academy of American Poets**  
 Grace McGovern

**The Illinois Wesleyan University Department of English Prize for Short Fiction**  
 Anastasia Lowenthal

**Kay Nelson Memorial Essay Prize**  
 Hanna Peterson

### **ECONOMICS**

**The Margaret Chapman Memorial Award in Economics**  
 Lu Liao

### **EDUCATIONAL STUDIES**

**The George E. Melton Award in Education**  
 Alexandra Burnside

## **ENVIRONMENTAL STUDIES**

**Outstanding Senior in Environmental Studies**  
 Rebecca Fiedler

**Excellence in Advancing Environmental Sustainability**  
 Nicole Chlebek  
 Kirsten Slaughter

## **FRENCH AND ITALIAN LANGUAGES AND LITERATURES**

**Outstanding Student in Italian Studies**

Marissa Cozzi

## **GERMAN, RUSSIAN, AND ASIAN LANGUAGES**

**Outstanding Senior**  
 tba

## **INTERNATIONAL STUDIES**

**Pedro E. and Rufina A. Oliveros Memorial Award for International Studies**  
 tba 4/12/16

**International Studies Outstanding Senior Award**  
 tba 4/12/16

## **LINCOLN LAUREATE AWARD**

Nicole Jovicevic

## **MUSIC**

**David Nott Collegiate Choir Scholarship**  
 Celia Williams

**Presser Scholarship**  
 tba 4/7/16

<b>NURSING</b>	<b>Student Service as a University Employee</b>	<b>ALPHA LAMBDA DELTA</b>	Monica De Paz
<b>Frances D. Alikonis Memorial Award</b>	Katherine Serrano	<i>National first year honor society</i>	Zhenghao Ding
Brock Thornton		Louis Acklin	Dung Do
<b>Alumnae Association of the Brokaw Hospital School for Nurses Scholarship</b>		Emmanuel Ahonkhai	Megan Donnelly
Margaret Devine		Moyoninuoluwa Ajayi	Nathaniel Edison
<b>Finfgeld Family Scholarship</b>	Aida Cheung	Emma Alcock	Rebekah Ehresman
Agnieszka Knych	Sunniva Holmlund	Jennifer Altman	Lisa Elleson
<b>Patricia Giese Memorial Scholarship</b>	Kira Miller	Austin Amann	Rachel Ende
Kristen Dace	Jennifer Prochotsky	Nathaniel Ames	Savannah Feher
<b>Delores Helsley-Ascher Scholarship</b>	Hannah Scatterday	Derek Andersen	Justin Feng
Julia Nykaza		Ryan Andersen	Kelsey Fenske
Mallory Schiferl		Annika Anderson	Katherine Filippo
<b>Mary D. Shanks Scholarship Established by Upsilon Pi Alumni Chapter of Alpha Tau Delta</b>		Carl Anderson	Carly Floyd
Melissa Schmidt		Ethan Anderson	Morgan Flynn
<b>Sara M. Stevenson Memorial Scholarship</b>		Stephanie AuBuchon	Andrea Fortner
Kinsey VanDeVelde		David Beard	Alexander Fregeau
<b>STUDENT LEADERSHIP AWARDS</b>	<b>THE AMES LIBRARY SCHOLARLY &amp; ARTISTIC RESEARCH AWARD</b>	Michael Bellino	Madeline Gard
<b>Cultural Leadership</b>	Sana Shafiuddin	Edrienne Besagar	Logan Garthe
Ashley Spain		Emily Billington	Eric Gile
<b>Intellectual Leadership</b>		Shravya Bommaveddi	Amelia Glueck
Kyle Nottingham		Jill Bookman	Gregory Goeden
<b>Student Service to Campus Life</b>	<b>UNIVERSITY WRITING PROGRAM</b>	Zoe Bouras	Samantha Gudat
Jazmyne Kellogg	Best Gateway Essay	Katherine Bowman	Emma Haan
<b>Student Service to the Community</b>	Megan Sperger	Emily Brink	Samantha Hakeman
Erin McCarey	Runner-up Honors	Katherine Brockman	Maria Hanna
	Andrew Pichette	Timothy Broederdorf	Lydia Hartlaub
		Emily Brown	Sevin Headley
	<b>WEIR FELLOWS — ARC</b>	Linh Chi Bui	Michael Hennel
	Rachel Shaffer	Lucy Bullock	Alyssa Henzel
		Alyssa Marie Canda	Madisyn Horack
	<b>HONORARIES</b>	Geoffroi Castro	Morgan Houk
	<b>ALPHA KAPPA DELTA</b>	Katherine Caulfield	Troy Huber
	<i>International sociology honor society</i>	Hsin-Jou Chang	Nicholas Huskisson
	Emma Alcock	Guo Chen	Morgan Hussey
	Paige Buschman	Hansheng Chen	Ogechi Iheakam
	Nicole Chlebek	Yige Chen	Joshua Immke
	Danielle Di Cristofano	Brooke Chilton	Nana Kwame Ingram
	Lauren Dineen-Griffin	Brandon Chopp	Tara Isenberg
	Carly Floyd	Julia Cicchino	Fabian Jano
	Allison Handzel	Charlotte Coats	Haotian Jiang
	Timothy Leiser	Sean Coonan	Abby Johnson
	Julie Lewis	Elaine Coppe	Molly Johnson
	Grace McCarten	Brigid Crawford	Nicholas Jordan
	Raelynn Parmely	Sydney Cucerzan	Yolanda Juarez
	Brianna Piro	Mark Curtis	Jarrod Juskiewicz
	Madisen Vukich	Kyle Czeszewski	Ryan Kaplan
		Brianna Dao	Constantine Karas
		Alexandra Daskalopoulos	

Abigail Kauerauf	Samuel Mullooly	Ashley Sons	Iris Zhang
Mallika Kavadi	Tung Nguyen	Tyler Stacey	Ke Zhang
Daniel Kelly	Taylor Nimrick	Meg Stanley	Ruomeng Zhang
Elizabeth Kennell	Rebekah Nulty	Bryan Strah	Tianze Zhang
Alexa Keramidas	Julia Nykaza	Brittany Straznickas	Yuanziyi Zhang
Hamzah Khan	Kaitlyn O'Boye	Brian Streu	Maddison Zimmer
Christina Khouri	Kaitlyn O'Brien	LeeAnna Studt	
Christopher Kincheloe	Clare O'Donnell	Jennifer Swanson	<b>ALPHA MU ALPHA</b>
Emily Knowles	Anna Oliveri	Linnea Swanson	<i>National marketing honorary</i>
Jennifer Knowles	Kelsey Ott	Cassondra Takas	Katherine Cappas
Megan Koch	Gabrielle Palfenier	Grace Tamayo	Alyssa Gibson
Jamie Kreppein	Jihoon Park	Brock Taylor	Katie Hastings
Liz Kuehn	Mansi Patel	Lorraine Tezak	Hy Nguyen
Karli Kulhanek	Fallon Perl	Brock Thornton	Cong Vu
Joshua Kuntz	Kaitlyn Petersen	Lauren Timmons	Helen Hoang
Amanda Lack	Anh Phan	Susan Tonin	Monica Villegas
Cadence Lamb	Sophie Popovich	Veronica Torres Luna	
Steven Landeweir	Teagan Potter	Jacquelyn Tran	<b>BETA BETA BETA</b>
Julia Landon	Priya Prasad	Laurel Turner	<i>National honorary for biology majors</i>
Alexis Larson	Tyler Rauwolf	Onyinye Udenze	Jennifer Altman
Tiffany Le	Ellen Renk	Martijn van Dooren	Annika Anderson
Toan Le	Faith Richard	Morgan Van Kuiken	Rachel Aron
Colleen Leonard	Laura Ripley	Jocelyn Vanderwiel	Jenna Baker
Kali Lewis	Devon Robbins	Kinsey VanDeVelde	Piotr Barnas
Xi Lin	Helena Rosse	VishnuDivya Velupula	Blake Beehler
Meghan Linder	Megan Runyard	Monica Villegas	Jillian Bleck
Rachel Loos	Eric Rydell	Victoria Viola	Shravya Bommaveddi
Krstyna Lopez	Alejandra Salinas	Jonathan Vlk	Caitlin Cadwalader
Anastasia Lowenthal	Lucero Sanchez	Daniel Walski	Suchana Chaulagain
Haoxing Lu	Sophia Sayeed	Aleya Washington	Guo Chen
Katrina Lukes	Hannah Scatterday	Michael Webb	Jennifer Chlebek
Chengliang Luo	Mallory Schiferl	Natalie Weimer	Madeline Cox
Trang Luu	Sarah Schirmacher	Kimberly Wenger	Tommy Dinges
Rebecca Macijunas	Melissa Schmidt	Rachel Westerkamp	Jessica Edwards
Kelsey Maka	Ashley Schneider	Jackson Wietecha	Spencer Eidsmoe
Gail Mar	Max Scholle	Arica Williams	Rachel Ende
Matthew Mardis	Ryan Schonert	Cady Williamson	Atul Eppurath
Katelyn Masson	Kyle Serafico	Cody Williamson	Brendan Finnell
Blake Maxwell	David Shacklette	Abby Winters	Tina Fleres
Kaitlin McManus	Sana Shafuddin	Tess Wisher	Andrea Flynn
Zhiyuan Meng	Emily Shankar	Madeline Wolf	Morgan Flynn
Breanna Metry	Jennifer Sieben	Wenxin Xu	Max Garcia
Morgan Meyer	Anna Sikora	Jia Yang	Logan Garthe
Kathryn Miller	Kyle Silang	Samantha Yoest	Daniel Gordon
Madaline Mocchi	Zachary Silver	Elizabeth Zabit	Alex Guess
Meaghan Mormann	Olivia Simkins	Patrick Zajac	Tanya Gupta
Kiara Mosley	Amanda Small	Lauren Zanoni	Baylee Hoecker
Ashton Moss	Adrienne Snider	Maggie Zeisset	

Jake Hogen  
Lesly Ingram  
Nana Kwame Ingram  
Fabian Jano  
Tess Kelley  
Christina Khouri  
Jessica Kraut  
Craig Kym  
Emily Landree  
Jennifer Lang  
Alisha Larrison  
Meghan Linder  
Haley Lower  
Nicholas MacDonald  
Keila Magafas  
Emil Maric  
Elyse McCormick  
Clay McGeehan  
Megan Mink  
Meaghan Mormann  
Sydney Muchnik  
Niccole Nelson  
An Nguyen  
Jenna Noland  
Jessica Omark  
Kelsey Ott  
Mansi Patel  
Xane Peters  
Nivedha Poondi  
Jenny Prochotsky  
Jill Rajarathnam  
Daniel Roadman  
Lydia Rudd  
Sydney Sabino  
Megan Smeets  
Audrey Smith  
Tana Smithsakol  
Adrienne Snider  
Katie Stapleton  
Brittany Straznickas  
Brock Taylor  
Ian Taylor  
Lorraine Tezak  
Nikhilesh Thapa  
Aaron Thum  
Melissa Umansky  
VishnuDivya Velupula  
Valerie Voce

Samantha Wiesinger  
Adam Wiggins  
David Yoon  
Rachel Zarchy

### **DELTA PHI ALPHA**

*National German language and literature honor society*

Kristen Andersen  
Hristina Brkovic  
Steven Czajkowski  
Hilary Doyle  
Nancy Guzman  
Kejie Huang  
Steven Landeweer  
Cameron Leberecht  
Katelyn Masson  
Diana Moody  
Helena Rosse  
Elizabeth Sanders  
Niyant Vora  
Michaela Wilson

### **ETA SIGMA PHI**

*National honorary society for students of Latin and Greek*

Brent Baughan  
Logan Garthe  
Madison Karabinus  
Timothy McDunn  
Niccole Nelson  
Cayley Rydzinski  
David Shacklette

### **GAMMA UPSILON**

*National media honorary society*

Joseph Bakke  
Regina Blaskie  
Paige Buschman  
Emily Considine  
Adriana Erickson  
Anastasia Lowenthal  
Nunzia Martino  
Jeff Neukom  
Tia Patsavas  
Rebekah Smith  
Giovanni Solano  
Jonas Wightman  
Rosa Zapata

*W.E. Schultz Award for Excellence in Media Management*

Giovanni Solano  
*Harvey Beutner Award for Journalistic Excellence*  
Adriana Erickson

### **IOTA IOTA IOTA**

*Women's Studies honorary society*

Stephanie AuBuchon  
Danielle Dicristofano  
Alexa Eldridge  
Carly Floyd  
Amanda Macuiba  
Rebecca Yarnot

### **KAPPA DELTA PI**

*National honorary for junior and senior education majors*

Alexandra Burnside  
Cara Fulcher  
John Gardner  
Troy Huber  
Anna Oliveri  
Jonathan Novak  
Stephanie Stahl  
Meg Stanley  
Jocelyn Vanderwiel  
Victoria Wilson

### **KAPPA PI**

*International honorary art fraternity*

Kelly Arends  
Miranda Baldwin  
Tess Johnson  
Ross Knezovich  
Justice Macklin  
Kelly Mangan  
Anissa Ortiz  
Nancy Qu  
Lucero Sanchez  
Rachael Schamberger  
Kyla Thomas

### **LAMBDA ALPHA**

*National anthropology honor society*

Lucy Bullock

Shelby Hendricks  
Lauren Kiesewetter  
Kira Miller  
Raelynn Parmely  
Jordan Prats  
Elizabeth Sanders  
Madisen Vukich

### **MORTAR BOARD**

*National honor society recognizing college seniors for their exemplary scholarship, leadership and service*

Moyoninuoluwa Ajayi  
Annika Anderson  
Michael Bellino  
Kiersten Bergquist  
Raymond Bolton  
Emily Brown  
Emily Diaz  
Zachary Kinney  
Megan Koch  
Timothy Leiser  
Keila Magafas  
Max Scholle  
Emily Snider  
Brock Taylor  
Cody Williamson  
Brian Yager  
Jinze Zheng

### **NATIONAL RESIDENCE HALL HONORARY**

*National scholastic, leadership and service honorary for residence hall students*

Martijn van Dooren  
Arica Williams  
Lauren McAnally  
Caroline Monsen  
Paxton Johnson  
Beatrice Koka  
Timothy Leiser

### **OMICRON DELTA EPSILON**

*National scholastic honorary for students of economics*

Moyoninuoluwa Ajayi  
Jill Bookman

Laura Brady  
Thomas Floyd  
Yizhe Gao  
Khurram Ghayur  
Michael Hennel  
Landon Hoffman  
Brigitta Jakob  
Maxwell Leonard  
Lu Liao  
Licen Liu  
Preslav Mantchev  
Matthew Mardis  
Stephanie McAtee  
Megan Nelson  
Emily Shankar  
Karen Silverman  
Tyler Stacey  
Zachary Till  
Martijn van Dooren  
Bram Warshawsky  
Cody Williamson  
Junru Zhao  
Jinze Zheng

**PHI ALPHA THETA**  
*National history honor society*  
Austin Aldag  
Lindsey Alpert  
Ziven Chinburg  
Shelby Hendricks  
Rui Jiang  
Andrew Kauerauf  
Sophie Popovich  
Stephanie Stahl

**PHI BETA DELTA**  
*Honor society for International scholars*  
Boryana Borisova  
Emily Brown  
Cristina Cervantes  
Rebecca Fiedler  
Carly Floyd  
Anel Gonzalez-Ruiz  
Lydia Hartlaub  
Anna Leeson  
Julie Lewis  
Anastasia Lowenthal

Grace McCarten  
Meaghan Mormann  
Emily Shankar  
Victoria Wilson

**PHI SIGMA TAU**  
*International honor society for philosophers*  
Nick Bates  
Nicholas Berardelli

**PI DELTA PHI**  
*National French language and literature honor society*  
Victoria Bauer  
Emily Brown  
Lucy Bullock  
Brigid Crawford  
Jacob Holm  
Molly Johnson  
Netherland Joiner  
Joseph Ziegel

**PI KAPPA LAMBDA**  
*National music honor society*  
Kelsey Maka  
Matthew Mason  
Samuel Mullooly  
Michelle Riechers  
Shaun Schaefers  
Megan Win

**PI MU EPSILON**  
*National mathematics honor society*  
Alexandra Burnside  
Zach Freundt  
Yizhe Gao  
Jill Harmon  
Jacob Henry  
Rui Jiang  
Tiancong Jiang  
Jialu Li  
Lu Liao  
Matthew Mardis  
Sydney Muchnik  
Megan Nelson  
Jacob Nowakowski  
Christine Peterson

Ariella Tavor  
Junru Zhao  
Jinze Zheng

**PI SIGMA ALPHA**  
*National honorary society for the study of politics and government*  
Austin Aldag  
Lindsey Alpert  
Regina Blaskie  
Zoe Bouras  
Alexandra Daskalopoulos  
Kevin Gordon  
Melissa Guzman  
Molly Johnson  
Nicole Jovicevic  
Kaitlyn O'Boye  
Kevin Ryan  
Hannah Scatterday  
Kirsten Slaughter  
Molly Willeford  
Maggie Zeisset

**PSI CHI**  
*National honorary for psychology students*  
Stephanie AuBuchon  
Maisy Bowden  
Katie Caulfield  
Mark Curtis  
Truc Anh Dao  
Emily Diaz  
Megan Donnelly  
Jessica Edwards  
Tanya Gupta  
Emily Haas  
Sujit Johnston  
Jennifer Knowles  
Jessica Kraut  
Amanda Lack  
Alina Lehocky  
Chengliang Luo  
Morgan Meyer  
Niccole Nelson  
Hy Nguyen  
Brianna Piro  
Heather Prasse  
Zachary Silver

Linnea Swanson  
Lorraine Tezak  
Hyeon Bin Yoon  
Alex Zappavigna  
Sarah Zwickl

**SIGMA DELTA PI**  
*National Hispanic honor society for exemplary Spanish majors*  
Emma Alcock  
Katherine Caulfield  
Lizbeth García  
Jessica Gutheil  
Lydia Hartlaub  
Christina Khouri  
Lauren Kiesewetter  
Meaghan Mormann  
Taylor Nimrick  
Thalia Novoa  
Christine Peterson  
Emily Shankar  
Victoria Wilson

**SIGMA TAU DELTA**  
*International honor society for students of English*  
Faith Borland  
Paige Buschman  
Elaine Coppe  
Kristina Dehlin  
Rachel Doose  
Lisa Elleson  
Lauren Estes  
Lydia Hartlaub  
Makenzie Kelley  
Jeff Neukom  
Tia Patsavas  
Danielle Pruger  
Savanna Steck  
Michelle Wong  
Jasmine Wright  
Maggie Zeisset

**SIGMA THETA TAU**  
*International honor society for nursing*  
Sarah Belcher  
Madeline Cahill  
Austin Charlet

Brianna Dao  
Margaret Devine  
Lizbeth Garcia  
Hayley Gastman  
Jordan Harding  
Clarissa Kidwell  
Nicolette Larsen  
Karen Matkovich  
Megan Murgatroyd  
Taylor Nimrick  
Julia Nykaza  
Laura Ripley  
Rachel Rotramel  
Sarah Sandmann  
Mallory Schiferl  
Mary Kate Schmidt  
Melissa Schmidt  
Kyle Serafico  
Sana Shafiuddin  
Brittany Sherman  
Karolina Sierzputowska  
Anna Sikora  
Skyler Tomko  
Karly Yerkes

#### UPSILON PI EPSILON

*National honorary for the computing sciences*

Andrew Braunlich  
Cale Sennett



#### STUDENT SENATE 2016

##### OFFICERS

President  
Lane Bennett  
Vice President  
Marissa Cozzi  
  
Treasurer  
Alex Stogin  
Chief of Staff  
Will Teichman

#### COMMISSIONERS

Media  
Anuvrat Baruah  
University Events  
Paxton Johnson  
Inclusion & Awareness  
Emani Johnson  
Civic Engagement  
Nicole De Matteo

#### MEDIA

*Argus* Editor  
Jeff Neukom  
WESN Manager  
Jonas Wightman  
Titan TV Manager  
Kathy Tun  
  
*Ashley Wilson Award for Argus Staffer of the Year*  
Jeff Neukom

#### CHAIRPERSONS, SPECIAL CAMPUS EVENTS

Special Campus Events  
Paxton Johnson  
Homecoming  
Kayleigh Ruffolo  
Carina Silva  
Family Weekend  
Jamal Jackson  
Yemaya Jennings

#### SENATOR OF THE YEAR

Fall 2015  
Nicole Chlebek  
Spring 2016  
Jenn Hart



#### MEN'S VARSITY ATHLETICS

##### MOST VALUABLE PLAYERS

Baseball 2015  
Pat Mollo  
Basketball  
Trevor Seibring

Cross Country  
Derek Andersen

Football  
Defense:  
Sean Garvey  
Offense:  
Artie Checchin

Golf 2015  
Kenneth Wienckowski

Lacrosse 2015  
Michael Julius

Defense:  
George Porter  
Offense:  
Nick Winter

Soccer  
Drake Leary

Swimming  
Victor Lugg

Track 2015  
Jeffrey Toraason

#### CROSS COUNTRY

Carl Anderson  
Daniel Krob

#### FOOTBALL

Artie Checchin  
Sean Garvey  
Will James  
Kevin Slawkowski

#### GOLF

Gabriel Aprati  
Kenneth Wienckowski

#### LACROSSE

Michael Julius  
Ryan Kunzi  
Steven Laduzinsky  
George Porter

#### SOCCER

Ross Knezovich  
Drake Leary

#### SWIMMING

Victor Lugg

#### TRACK

Eric Rydell  
Jeffrey Toraason  
Brenden Wall



#### WOMEN'S VARSITY ATHLETICS

##### MOST VALUABLE PLAYERS

Basketball  
Rebekah Ehresman

Cross Country  
Erin McCarey

Golf 2015  
Danielle Ellis  
Karson Taphorn

Lacrosse 2015	Swimming
Defense:	Lauren Dineen-Griffin
Claire Quist	Kirsten Slaughter
Offense:	Tennis
Abby Kushina	Allie Spontak
Soccer	Randi Wilson
Mary Kate Schmidt	Track
Softball 2015	Allison Boudreau
Hannah Bowen	Angela Herrmann
Chloe Montgomery	Kristin Johnson
Swimming	Volleyball
Kirsten Slaughter	Kyleigh Block
Meg Stanley	Colleen Rynne
Tennis	
Dana Dray	
Track 2015	
Allison Boudreau	
Volleyball	
Kyleigh Block	
Tyler Brown	
<b>TEAM CAPTAINS</b>	
Basketball	
Samantha Ellsworth	
Cross Country	
Erin McCarey	
Amanda Macuiba	
Lydia Rudd	
Golf	
Jaclyn Halden	
Karson Taphorn	
Lacrosse	
Madeline Cox	
Maggie Krause	
Soccer	
Tess Bottorff	
Mary Kate Schmidt	
Softball	
Sam Gudat	
Danielle Smith	
Cassidy Tarpey	



## PAST HONOREES FOR TEACHING EXCELLENCE

1960	William T. Beadles, <i>Insurance</i>	1988	Emily Dunn Dale, <i>Sociology</i>
1961	Wayne W. Wantland, <i>Biology</i>	1989	Pamela Buchanan Muirhead, <i>English</i>
1962	R. Dwight Drexler, <i>Piano</i>	1990	Thomas A. Griffiths, <i>Biology</i>
1963	Elizabeth H. Oggel, <i>English</i>	1991	Robert C. Bray, <i>English</i>
1964	Rupert Kilgore, <i>Art</i>	1992	John D. Wenum, <i>Political Science</i>
1965	Dorothea S. Franzen, <i>Biology</i>	1993	Mona J. Gardner, <i>Business Administration</i>
1966	Joseph H. Meyers, <i>English</i>	1994	Paul E. Bushnell, <i>History</i>
1967	Marie J. Robinson, <i>Speech</i>	1995	James D. Matthews, <i>French</i>
1968	Bunyon H. Andrew, <i>History</i>	1996	Kathleen O'Gorman, <i>English</i>
1969	Wendell W. Hess, <i>Chemistry</i>	1997	Jared Brown, <i>Theatre Arts</i>
1970	Jerry Stone, <i>Religion</i>	1998	W. Michael Weis, <i>History</i>
1971	Doris C. Meyers, <i>Philosophy</i>	1999	Michael C. Seeborg, <i>Economics</i>
1972	John Ficca, <i>Drama</i>	2000	Teodora O. Amoloza, <i>Sociology</i>
1973	Robert Burda, <i>English</i>	2001	Carole A. Myscofski, <i>Religion</i>
1974	Max A. Pape, <i>Sociology</i>	2002	Tari Renner, <i>Political Science</i>
1975	Lucile Klauser, <i>Education</i>	2003	Carolyn Nadeau, <i>Hispanic Studies</i>
1976	R. Bedford Watkins, Jr., <i>Music</i>	2004	James Plath, <i>English</i>
1977	Harvey F. Beutner, <i>English</i>	2005	Christopher Prendergast, <i>Sociology</i>
1978	Frank D. Starkey, <i>Chemistry</i>	2006	Mary Ann Bushman, <i>English</i>
1979	Fred B. Brian, <i>Art</i>	2007	James P. Sikora, <i>Sociology</i>
1980	Sammie Crawford Greer, <i>English</i>	2008	Marina Balina, <i>Russian Studies</i>
1981	Jerry M. Israel, <i>History</i>	2009	Jonathan Dey, <i>Biology</i>
1982	John D. Heyl, <i>History</i>	2010	Wes Chapman, <i>English</i>
1983	J. Robert Hippenstein, <i>Biology</i>	2011	Dan Terkla, <i>English</i>
1984	Larry M. Colter, <i>Philosophy</i>	2012	William Munro, <i>Political Science</i>
1985	Sue Ann Huseman, <i>French</i>	2013	Narendra Jaggi, <i>Physics</i>
1986	Bruce B. Criley, <i>Biology</i>	2014	Rebecca Roesner, <i>Chemistry</i>
1987	Michael B. Young, <i>History</i>	2015	Kathleen Montgomery, <i>Political Science</i>