

## PROGRAM OVERVIEW

**WELCOME** Dr. Louisa J. Hope-Weeks

**Guest Speaker** Dr. Mark A. Sheridan  
Vice Provost for Graduate Affairs  
and Dean of the Graduate School

**Presentation of Awards & Scholarships** Dr. Edward L. Quitevis

### FACULTY & STAFF AWARDS

**Staff Appreciation Award** Glenda J. Schaefer

**Distinguished Guest Scientist Fellowship  
Hungarian Academy of Sciences** Dr. L. William Poirier

**Top 100 Educators Leading Flipped  
Learning Worldwide** Dr. Dominick J. Casadonte

### STUDENT AWARDS

**Song Prize Award** Shiyue Zhou, Ph.D.

**Outstanding Teaching Assistant Award in:**

**General Chemistry (Spring 2016)** Songyue Shi  
**General Chemistry (Fall 2016)** Wenjie Li

**Organic Chemistry (Spring 2016)** Shiva Moaven  
**Organic Chemistry (Fall 2016)** Cole W. Seifert

**Upper-Division Chemistry (Spring 2016)** Josmalen M. Ramos-Lewis  
**Upper-Division Chemistry (Fall 2016)** Veronica J. Lyons

**2018 Doctoral Dissertation Completion Fellowships:** Anu Saini

**Undergraduate Outstanding Performance Awards in:**

**Analytical Chemistry** Shane A. Cristy  
Colton R. Davis  
Austin M. Fanning  
Nitish Mittal  
Whitney S. Shaffer  
Evan J. Van Aalst

**Biochemistry** Kayleah Cumpian  
Arsheen Rajan

**General Chemistry** Jada J. Cantu  
Luis A. Ordaz

**Inorganic Chemistry** Amanda C. Miller  
Sean M. Meyer

**Organic Chemistry** Mahmud Alkul  
Jarrod K. Ellis  
Briley J. Fleitman  
Benjamin R. Ilkenhans  
Sean E. Miller  
Michael L. Moore

**Physical Chemistry** Brooke D. Boston  
Lucely Santillan

**Chemical Rubber Company Award** Fletcher M. Henderson

**2016 POLYED Undergraduate Achievement Award  
in Organic Chemistry from the ACS Divisions of Polymer  
Chemistry and Polymeric Materials Science & Engineering** Aaron B. Lambert

**2017 Undergraduate Award in Organic  
Chemistry from the ACS Division of Organic Chemistry** Holden R. Fried

**Outstanding Senior** Holden R. Fried

## SCHOLARSHIPS

<b>Chemistry &amp; Biochemistry Undergraduate Scholarship</b>	Joshua M. Gutierrez Adrian N. Falco
<b>Chemistry Graduate Student Organization Endowed Scholarship</b>	Veronica J. Lyons Ting Tang Mahesh Thakurathi
<b>Craig Memorial Chemistry Dept. Endowed Scholarship</b>	Colton R. Davis Briley J. Fleitman Kerri L. Spontarelli
<b>Gordon &amp; Martha Bellah Endowed Scholarship</b>	Misty L. Campbell Tressie L. Thomas Garrett S. Welch Hyunjoon Yoon
<b>H.E. Archer Endowed Scholarship</b>	Kathyleen M. Jander Eric E. Kennison Garrett S. Welch
<b>Hulda W. Marshall Chemistry Endowed Scholarship</b>	Mariela A. Grimaldo Brittney T. Hoang Daemar H. Jones Isaiah Tate Seth D. Williamson Hyunseul Yoon
<b>Jeanette &amp; Joe Dennis Scholarship</b>	Ian Ash Merylyn Duarte Michael T. Nagel Sabrina M. Relph
<b>Jerry L. Mills ACS Student Affiliate Scholarship</b>	Merylyn Duarte
<b>Richard A. Bartsch Endowed Scholarship</b>	Nneoma M. Duruoha Ihemebiri Lilian M. Pham Ashley G. Smith Katya Y. Torres Ulloa
<b>Robert C. Goodwin Memorial Endowed Scholarship</b>	Kimberly R. Albus Sonia M. Garcia Brooke A. Marvets Farah F. Mechref Amanda C. Miller Nitish Mittal Nikke L. Tweet



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AWARDS AND RECOGNITION BANQUET

*McKenzie-Merket Alumni Center*

*May 1<sup>st</sup>, 2017*

*6:00 pm to 8:00 pm*

## **PHI BETA KAPPA INDUCTEES**

**Colton R. Davis**

**Holden R. Fried**

**Farah F. Mechref**

**Erin H. Sims**

**Colleen D. Driscoll**

**Jaime I. Haro-Silerio**

**Alexandria C. Nichols**

**Simran R. Singh**