### ORDER OF EXERCISES

May 14, 2017 | 9 a.m.

#### **PROCESSION**

Faculty and Degree Candidates from the School of Molecular & Cellular Biology

### **WELCOME**

Stephen G. Sligar, Director, School of Molecular & Cellular Biology

### DEAN OF LIBERAL ARTS & SCIENCES ADDRESS

Carla Cáceres, Associate Dean of Liberal Arts & Sciences

### ALUMNI SPEAKER

Kris H. Jenner, MD, DPhil

RECOGNITION OF CANDIDATES RECEIVING AWARDS AND HONORS

PRESENTATION OF DOCTOR OF PHILOSOPHY CANDIDATES

PRESENTATION OF MASTER OF SCIENCE CANDIDATES

# PRESENTATION OF BACHELOR OF SCIENCE CANDIDATES

Distinction Recipients

MCB Honors Concentration Candidates

Biochemistry, Specialized Curriculum Candidates

MCB Candidates

#### CLOSING REMARKS

Stephen G. Sligar, Director, School of Molecular & Cellular Biology

### SINGING OF "HAIL TO THE ORANGE"

Hail to the Orange, Hail to the Blue, Hail Alma Mater, Ever so true. We love no other, So let our motto be, Victory, Illinois, Varsity!

#### RECESSION OF FACULTY AND GRADUATES

For the safety of our graduate candidates, we ask that you please keep the aisles clear to reduce any congestion near the stage area as candidates are trying to access or exit the stage platform. Thank you for your cooperation.

#### RECEPTION

Please wait until all graduates have exited the hall before leaving your seats. We invite you and your graduate to join us for an informal reception in the Krannert Center lobby immediately following the ceremony.

### TO OUR GUESTS

Convocation is the culmination of academic work and achievement. Today we celebrate our graduates' accomplishments. We hope this ceremony will be an important and meaningful occasion for students, their families, and the faculty and staff. To enhance the dignity and ensure the smooth flow of the ceremony, guests are asked to withhold applause until each group of graduates has been recognized. Thank you.

## MASTER OF CEREMONY

Stephen G. Sligar, Director, School of Molecular & Cellular Biology

## DEAN OF COLLEGE OF LIBERAL ARTS & SCIENCES

Carla Cáceres, Associate Dean of Liberal Arts & Sciences

### ALUMNI SPEAKER

Kris H. Jenner, MD, DPhil, is co-founder of Rock Springs Capital in Baltimore, Maryland. Rock Springs Capital is a healthcare-dedicated investment fund that was founded in 2013 with investments in areas such as pharmaceuticals, biotech, medical devices, and healthcare services. Prior to founding Rock Springs Capital, Dr. Jenner was a Vice President at T. Rowe Price where he managed their Health Sciences Fund.

Dr. Jenner came to the University of Illinois at Urbana-Champaign in 1980 after graduating from Mascoutah Community High School in Mascoutah, Illinois. He was a member of the Fighting Illini football team during his undergraduate period, including trips to the Liberty Bowl (1983) and Rose Bowl (1984). He graduated with Bronze Tablet and Phi Beta Kappa honors in 1984. As an undergraduate, Dr. Jenner worked in the lab of Dr. Stephen G. Sligar on the mechanisms of enzymes critical to human health and was encouraged by Dr. Sligar to complete his honors thesis. This mentorship contributed to Dr. Jenner's success in receiving a scholarship to Oxford University as a Marshall Scholar, where he entered a doctoral program in molecular biology. After receiving his DPhil at Oxford University, he completed his medical degree at The Johns Hopkins School of Medicine and was subsequently admitted into the hospital's general surgical residency program.

### PARTICIPATING FACULTY

Milan K. Bagchi, Professor and Head of Molecular & Integrative Physiology

Eric C. Bolton, Professor of Molecular & Integrative Physiology

William M. Brieher, Professor of Cell & Developmental Biology

Jefferson K.F. Chan, Professor of Chemistry and Biochemistry

Yann R. Chemla, Professor of Physics and Biophysics & Quantitative Biology

Antony R. Crofts, Professor of Biochemistry and Biophysics & Quantitative Biology

Roberto Galvez, Professor of Psychology and Neuroscience

Martha U. Gillette, Professor of Cell & Developmental Biology and Neuroscience

Jongsook Kim Kemper, Professor of Molecular & Integrative Physiology

Susan A. Martinis, Professor and Head of Biochemistry

Robert H. McCusker, Professor of Animal Sciences and Neuroscience

William W. Metcalf, Professor of Microbiology

K.V. Prasanth, Professor of Cell & Developmental Biology

Supriya Prasanth, Professor of Cell & Developmental Biology

Justin S. Rhodes, Professor of Psychology and Neuroscience

David H. Rivier, Professor of Cell & Developmental Biology

Mary A. Schuler, Professor of Cell & Developmental Biology

Paul R. Selvin, Professor of Physics and Biophysics & Quantitative Biology

Scott K. Silverman, Professor of Chemistry and Biochemistry

James M. Slauch, Professor of Microbiology

Richard I. Tapping, Professor of Microbiology

Carin K. Vanderpool, Professor of Microbiology

Huimin Zhao, Professor of Chemical & Biomolecular Engineering and Biochemistry

### **MARSHALS**

Timothy E. Bowers, Academic Advisor, Molecular & Cellular Biology

Jennifer H. Brandyberry, Academic Advisor, Molecular & Cellular Biology

Chester M. Brown, Instructor and Academic Advisor, Molecular & Cellular Biology

Aurora Cruz-Torres, Academic Advisor, Molecular & Cellular Biology

Bradley G. Mehrtens, Instructor and Academic Advisor, Molecular & Cellular Biology

Alejandra L. Stenger, Life Science Teaching Specialist, Molecular & Cellular Biology

## CEREMONY COORDINATOR

Tina M. Knox, Coordinator of Undergraduate Instruction, Molecular & Cellular Biology

### ACADEMIC DRESS

Academic dress, consisting of cap, gown, and hood, originated about the twelfth century and was worn primarily for warmth. Subsequently, the material of the gown and lining, and the shape of the hood, represented the economic and social, as well as academic status of the wearer.

In the United States, the great majority of the academic costumes now worn are in accordance with the general provisions of the Intercollegiate Code of 1895, which was revised in 1932 and again in 1960. Under this code, the bachelor's gown has pointed sleeves, the master's gown has oblong sleeves with an arc at the bottom, and the doctor's gown has bell-shaped sleeves. All gowns are black, although the adoption of colored gowns by individual institutions in the United States is becoming more prevalent.

The bachelor's and master's gowns are untrimmed. The doctor's gown is faced down the front with velvet and has three bars of velvet across the sleeves. The facing and bars may be black or may be the color of the subject to which the degree pertains. The bachelor's gown is worn closed; the master's and doctor's gowns may be worn open or closed. Women may wear white collars with the bachelor's gown when no hood is worn.

Hoods are also black. The bachelor's hood is 3 feet in length, the master's is 3 1/2 feet, and the doctor's is 4 feet. Hoods are lined with the official color or colors of the college or university conferring the degree. At the University of Illinois, the lining is orange and blue. The colored velvet border of the hood, which is 2 inches, 3 inches, and 5 inches wide for the bachelor's, master's, and

doctor's degree respectively, identifies the faculty or field of study to which the degree pertains.

The black mortarboard cap is standard in the United States. Usually, all tassels are black, but where the graduating seniors do not wear hoods, as at the University of Illinois, the color of the cap tassel indicates the department of study. At the University of Illinois, candidates for degrees wear tassels on the right front quadrant of their caps before degrees are conferred, and move them to the left front quadrant after degrees are conferred. Caps are considered a part of the costume and are customarily removed only during an invocation or benediction, and then by men only. The orange and blue braided cords worn on the left shoulder signify University Honors. The white cord is worn by James Scholars.

For all academic purposes, including trimmings of doctor's gowns, edging of hoods, tassels of caps, and linings of banners, there are different colors associated with the different disciplines. The color for Liberal Arts & Sciences is white.

Caps and gowns were worn for the first time at the University of Illinois Commencement ceremony of 1897. In the early 1900s the Commencement procession marched up Burrill Avenue to the old Armory. After diplomas were received, the procession marched back to the lawn south of Green Street. The seniors sang the State song and "Auld Lang Syne" before they said good-bye to each other and the campus.

### AWARDS AND HONORS

Students earning the certificate in Microbiology are noted with \*. Students earning the certificate in Neuroscience are noted with ^.

# UNIVERSITY DISTINCTION

#### BRONZE TABLET SCHOLARS

Abdul-Rahman Abdel-Reheem, MCB
Hajira Ahmed, MCB, Fall 2016
Jessica Bachman, MCB, Fall 2016
Larry Chen, MCB, Fall 2016
Brett Geever, MCB, Fall 2016
Juhi Gupta, MCB^
Octavio Herrera, MCB
Mark Huston, MCB
Stephen Jan, MCB
Tae Gyoon Kim, MCB

Tina Moazezi, MCB

Udit Nangia, MCB Honors Conc.

David Rhode, MCB

David Rossi, MCB

Diane Schnitkey, MCB Honors Conc.

Christine Shen, MCB

Matthew Siegel, MCB

Ross Skelly, MCB Honors Conc.\*
Lacey Solomon, MCB
Pha Thaprawat, MCB Honors Conc.\*
Andy Wu, MCB Honors Conc.\*
John Zahour, MCB

### CHANCELLOR'S SCHOLARS

Juhi Gupta, MCB^ Akash Patel, MCB Emma Schuster, Biochemistry Matthew Siegel, MCB Ross Skelly, MCB\* Hailey Weidner, MCB, Fall 2016

## COLLEGE DISTINCTION

### JAMES SCHOLARS

Anusha Adkoli, MCB Hajira Ahmed, MCB, Fall 2016 Jessica Bachman, MCB, Fall 2016 Megan Bartimoccia, MCB John Belz, MCB Abdul Bhuiya, MCB Honors Conc. Larry Chen, MCB, Fall 2016 Macey Coppinger, MCB Honors Conc. Heidi Doden, MCB\* Katrina Dovalovsky, MCB, Fall 2016 Rachel Full, MCB Brett Geever, MCB, Fall 2016 Daniel Gryzlo, MCB^ Qingrou Gu, MCB Juhi Gupta, MCB^ Armaan Haleem, MCB Matthew Heffernan, MCB Octavio Herrera, MCB Allison Hollarz, MCB Honors Conc. Zhuoli Huang, Biochemistry Samantha Hunt, MCB Stephen Jan, MCB Eun Ji Jeong, MCB Honors Conc. Erin Johnson, MCB, Fall 2016 Sarah Kaschke, MCB Amish Khan, MCB, Fall 2016 Jessica Kosapatti, MCB Susmitha Kowligy, MCB^ John Krapf, MCB Honors Conc. Hugo Lee, Biochemistry Frank Leuzzi, MCB

#### **AWARDS AND HONORS**

Justin Lien, MCB^

Jasmine McDowell, MCB

Elan Melman-Volchenko, MCB

Molly Mevis, MCB\*∧

Maria Mihailescu, MCB

Katherine Mitchell, MCB

Udit Nangia, MCB Honors Conc.

Christopher Nardone, MCB

Michael Nemsick, MCB

Elizabeth Nettleton, MCB

Gabriele Noreikaite, MCB, Fall 2016

Weilun Pang, MCB

Akash Patel, MCB

Shivaliben Patel, MCB, Fall 2016

Kovas Polikaitis, MCB, Fall 2016

Renee Pond, MCB

David Rhode, MCB

Sidra Salman, MCB

Diane Schnitkey, MCB Honors Conc.

Emma Schuster, Biochemistry

Toral Shastri, MCB

Christine Shen, MCB

Matthew Siegel, MCB

Ross Skelly, MCB Honors Conc.\*

Lacey Solomon, MCB

Sabrina Tahseen, MCB

Pha Thaprawat, MCB Honors Conc.\*

Thomas Topalis, MCB^

Benjamin Wang, MCB

Kaitlyn Wehrheim, MCB

Andy Wu, MCB Honors Conc.\*

John Zahour, MCB

### PHI BETA KAPPA

Hajira Ahmed, MCB, Fall 2016

Armaan Haleem, MCB

Matthew Heffernan, MCB

Amish Khan, MCB Honors Conc., Fall 2016

Tae Gyoon Kim, MCB

Elan Melman-Volchenko, MCB

Udit Nangia, MCB Honors Conc.

Christopher Nardone, MCB

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Andy Wu, MCB Honors Conc.\* John Zahour, MCB

The lists are organized first by degree, then by major. Not all graduates listed are participating in today's ceremony. Due to print deadlines, lists may be incomplete.

# DOCTOR OF PHILOSOPHY

### **BIOCHEMISTRY**

Zehua Bao Jonathan Chekan, Fall 2016 Alexander Cioffi Joshua Gajsiewicz, Fall 2016 Michael Gregory, Fall 2016 Daniel Harris, Jr., Fall 2016 Gus Lawrence Paween Mahinthichaichan, Fall 2016

Nitesh Shashikanth, Summer 2016 Shannon Walsh

Kiruthika Selvadurai, Fall 2016

Shannon Walsh Xin Ye, Fall 2016

Xiaobin Zheng, Fall 2016

# BIOPHYSICS & QUANTITATIVE BIOLOGY

Javier Baylon Cardiel, Summer 2016

Janish Desai, Fall 2016

Tyler Harpole, Summer 2016

Seyfullah Kotil, Fall 2016

Bo Liu, Summer 2016

Stuart Rose

Kai Wen Teng, Fall 2016

Erdal Toprak, Fall 2007

Kevin Whitley

Charles Wilson

# CELL & DEVELOPMENTAL BIOLOGY

Yu Chen, Summer 2016

Xiang Deng, Fall 2016

Paul Hamilton, Summer 2016

Anika Jain

James Kemp

Ruiqi Liao

Ambika Nadkarni, Summer 2016

Christina Rosenberger, Summer 2016

Amir Saberi, Summer 2016

Younguk Sun, Summer 2016

Rachel Waldemer-Streyer, Summer 2016 Yating Wang, Summer 2017 Hui-Chia Yu-Kemp, Fall 2016

Xinying Zon

### **MICROBIOLOGY**

Maksym Bobrovskyy

Ariana Bravo-Cruz

Whitney England, Fall 2016

He Fu

Nicholas Hess

Crystal Hopp, Fall 2016

Song Jiang, Summer 2016

David Krause, Summer 2016

Madeline López Muñoz

Kenneth Ringwald, Fall 2016

Margaret Wetzel, Fall 2016

# MOLECULAR & INTEGRATIVE PHYSIOLOGY

Congcong Chen, Fall 2016

Kirsten Eckstrum

Itamar Livnat

Janelle Mapes

Daniel Ryerson

### NEUROSCIENCE

Aadeel Akhtar, Fall 2016 Amogh Belagodu Alexandra Brooks Petra Majdak, Fall 2016 George Nikolaidis, Summer 2016 Matthew Petrucci, Summer 2016

Jenessa Seymour Bernard Slater, Fall 2016

Benjamin Zimmerman, Fall 2016

# MASTER OF SCIENCE

### **BIOCHEMISTRY**

Gulishana Adilijiang Aaron Frimel, Fall 2016 Carissa Klanseck

# BIOPHYSICS & COMPUTATIONAL BIOLOGY

Sreeradha Biswas, Fall 2016

# BACHELOR OF SCIENCE

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John Zahour, MCB

# HIGHEST DISTINCTION, RESEARCH

Nicole Blum, MCB Honors Conc.
Lolita Golemi, MCB, Fall 2016
Zhouli Huang, Biochemistry
John Krapf, MCB Honors Conc.
Hayoon Lim, Biochemistry
Christopher Nardone, MCB
Emma Schuster, Biochemistry
Ross Skelly, MCB Honors Conc.\*
Pha Thaprawat, MCB Honors Conc.\*
Andy Wu, MCB Honors Conc.\*

# HIGH DISTINCTION, RESEARCH

Abdul Bhuiya, MCB Honors Conc.
Kristopher Bosi, MCB
Corinne Cannavale, MCB^
Macey Coppinger, MCB Honors Conc.
Mary Kate Feldner, MCB
Zachary Foust, MCB\*
Matthew Heffernan, MCB
Allison Hollatz, MCB Honors Conc.
Nhan Huynh, MCB Honors Conc., Fall 2016

Eun Ji Jeong, MCB Honors Conc. Linyang Ju, MCB, Fall 2016

Phillip Kim, Biochemistry

Jordan Kryza, MCB

Nicholas Lammer, Biochemistry

Vamsikrishna Naidu, MCB

Diana Pacyga, MCB^

Weilun Pang, MCB

Kurt Reynolds, MCB

Nainika Roy, MCB

Kimberly Sam, MCB Honors Conc.

Diane Schnitkey, MCB Honors Conc.

Madeline Steiner, MCB

Benjamin Wang, MCB

### DISTINCTION, RESEARCH

Ali Aijaz, MCB

Humza Ashraf, Biochemistry

Katrina Dovalovsky, MCB, Fall 2016

Brandon Jones, MCB

Amish Khan, MCB Honors Conc., Fall 2016

Giyeong Kim, Biochemistry

Xinyi Li, Biochemistry

Katie Liang, MCB

Alaa Mansour, MCB\*

Andrew McClintock, Biochemistry

Omar Shennib, MCB, Summer 2017

Edward Wang, Biochemistry

Alexander Willis, Biochemistry\*

Adam Wylder, Biochemistry

# MOLECULAR & CELLULAR BIOLOGY HONORS CONCENTRATION

Abdul Bhuiya

Nicole Blum

Macey Coppinger

Allison Hollatz

Nhan Huynh, Fall 2016

Eun Ji Jeong

Amish Khan, Fall 2016

John Krapf

Udit Nangia

Kimberly Sam

Diane Schnitkey

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## BIOCHEMISTRY, SPECIALIZED CURRICULUM

Humza Ashraf Iesse Barr

Ivan Chau

Yiling Ding, Fall 2016

Zhuoli Huang Giyeong Kim Philip Kim

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Hugo Lee Xinyi Li Hayoon Lim Jiayi Luo

Anita Mathew\*

Andrew McClintock

Richard Park
Zoe Petros
Emma Schuster
Malvika Singh
Aleksas Valaitis
Edward Wang
Alexander Willis\*
Adam Wylder

# MOLECULAR & CELLULAR BIOLOGY

Alyssa Abay

Abdul-Rahman Abdel-Reheem

Malini Achar

Farjad Adamjee, Fall 2016

Ariana Adelman^ Anusha Adkoli

Hajira Ahmed, Fall 2016

Hamza Ahmed Arjun Ahuja Ali Aijaz

Abdul-Quddus Akinlusi

Waleed Aldadah

Irfan Ali

Lauren Andersen

John Anderson, Summer 2017

Gabriel Arce, Fall 2016

Josephine Awah-Kanneh, Fall 2016^

Kayla Bachar

Jessica Bachman, Fall 2016

Eun Seol Baek Samiat Balogun Megan Bartimoccia Hannah Behle Vanessa Belknap

John Belz

Franco Benyamin, Fall 2016

Rohit Bhonagiri James Biondo Samuel Boctor Paul Bogdan Kristopher Bosi Diamond Brown

Paul Brown Saloni Buch Paul Camacho^

Stefani Canadzic Corinne Cannavale^ Alejandro Cardona Arturo Chaidez

Cecilia Chan, Fall 2016\*

Audra Chaves Marialicia Chavez John Cheline, Fall 2016 Larry Chen, Fall 2016

Max Chen^ Rachel Chinchilla Maham Choudry

Grace Clayton, Fall 2016

Adam Cohen Joshua Cohrs

Haven Comeaux

Kyle Coots

Azariel Coss

Elizabeth Cullum

Nicole Curtis

Ryan Cyriac^

Farnaz Dadrass

Paroma De, Summer 2017

Zachary Dean

Matthew Del Pino

Senem Demir, Summer 2017 Taylor Desanto, Fall 2016

Samantha DiCaro

Nathaniel Dimaano, Summer 2017

Chuhong Ding Patrick Doah Heidi Doden\*

Alexander Dolinar, Fall 2016

Vinisha Doshi

Katrina Dovalovsky, Fall 2016

Kevin Drent, Fall 2016

Kevin Duffin, Fall 2016

Clarence Dukes

Kevin Dwyer Neil Edat

Samantha Eichner

Cortney Eiers, Fall 2016

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Palak Genge, Summer 2017

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Michael Giuliano Mahima Goel

Lolita Golemi, Fall 2016

Jose Gonzalez, Summer 2017

Aleksandra Gorski Jeffrey Gougis, Jr. Daniel Gryzlo^

Qingrou Gu, Summer 2017 Jovanny Guadarrama-Aniceto\*

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Mohammed Hamad, Fall 2016

Owen Haupt
Matthew Heffernan
Brittany Hermosillo
Octavio Herrera
Hui Ting Iris Hou
Samantha Hunt
Mark Huston
Helena Igbo
Abdalah Ismail

Teodora Ivanova

Jacek Iwanicki

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Stephen Jan Adrianna Jelen^ Kun Jing, Fall 2016

Varsha John^

Erin Johnson, Fall 2016

Brandon Jones

Linyang Ju, Fall 2016

Ayub Julany Christian Kalfas Constadina Kalouris^ Wei-Chun Kao

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John Keene

Elizabeth Kehl, Fall 2016

Patrick Kelly

Shivani Khakhkhar Nadia Khan, Fall 2016

Sana Khan Akash Khurana Connie Kim

Kyung Il Kim, Summer 2017

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Tae Gyoon Kim

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Scott Lyons Jad Maamari Jared Madden Jennifer Main Theodore Manahan

Gio Manguerra, Summer 2017^

Alaa Mansour\*

Hanna Matseshe Kyle McClatchey

Janayah McClellan

Jasmine McDowell

Matthew McKenna\*

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Elan Melman-Volchenko

Daniel Melnikov

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Stephanie Menezes Molly Mevis\*^ Maria Mihailescu

Michelle Miller, Fall 2016

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Mitchell Mohr Allison Monie Rachel Moore\*

Jeremy Mikrut

Grace Morrissey

Samuel Mounce

Robert Mowery, Fall 2016

Angelica Mulica, Fall 2016

Vamsikrishna Naidu Kimberly Nalley

Sara Napoli

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Emilee Nawa Yusuf Nekzad

Michael Nemsick Elizabeth Nettleton

Joseph Neumann Heather Newman

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Christine Oksas, Fall 2016^

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Priya Patel Ravi Patel

Reema Patel

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Shivam Patel^

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Porsha Pilate Nathan Pinsky

Kovas Polikaitis, Fall 2016

Renee Pond Sarah Rahman Neha Rai Jeffrey Raikum

Jeffrey Rajkumar Adin Rand

Alyssa Reitz Denise Reynish

Kurt Reynolds Matthew Rhee David Rhode

Andrea Rice Noah Risner

Jordyn Robare, Fall 2016

Aleetra Roberts

Megan Robin

Abraham Rodriguez

Alexander Rodriguez, Fall 2016 Daniel Rodriguez, Fall 2016

Samuel Romo

Evi Rondo, Fall 2016

Anita Rong, Summer 2017

Kathryn Ross David Rossi Nainika Roy

Daisy Salgado Sidra Salman Donel Samuel

Diana Sarfo Ryan Schaab

Chelsea Schultz, Summer 2017

Minjoo Seo, Fall 2016

Alexandria Shadid, Fall 2016 Shane Shafi, Fall 2016

Amy Shah

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Vaibhav Sharma Toral Shastri

Christine Shen

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Iulia Sidor

Matthew Siegel

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Christopher Thuruthiyil

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Christian Vanhooser

Pravin Vence

Okker Verhagen Metman

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Hailey Weidner, Fall 2016

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Theresa Welle^

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Jaleel Williams

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Julia Witvliet

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Xuling Xu

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### **Degree Information**

This program contains an unofficial list of degree candidates for May and August 2017, as well as a list of graduates who received degrees in August and December 2016. Due to printing deadlines, names of some degree recipients may not appear while names of some degree candidates who have not yet completed degree requirements may be included.

The University's official registry for conferral of degrees is the Office of the Registrar, 901 W. Illinois St., Urbana, IL 61801.

