

## 26 DOC Students Inducted to Lambda Pi Eta

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More than two dozen Department of Communication students were inducted to the Xi Upsilon chapter of Lambda Pi Eta, the honor society of the National Communication Association. The Ceremony took place in the SAU Skalny Room on Thursday evening, 30 April.

Zach Myrow, Michael Diaz, Erin Hughson, Thomas Baker, Samantha Dudics, Andrew James, Patricia Beggs, Carolyn Dunne, Lisa Janos, Alison Bird, Daniel Fasulo, Jamie Least, Haley Clint, Danielle Gotschall, Ashley McCaslin, Dorothy Miteva, Lynda Redden, Angela Strouse, Shakima Moore, Nicole Ricker, Gabriela Lopez, Janice Murphy, Justin Saldo, Yarinete Lopez, Luz Ramirez and Joel Skelton were inducted. They join 33 other current Department of Communication students as members of this prestigious organization. The ceremony was officiated by Lambda Pi Eta officers Elissa Nyerges, Dawn Dewald, Sherry Hoag, Kimberly Reeb and Marlana Yacci.

Professor Keri Barone, Xi Upsilon Advisor, welcomed the assembled audience and introduced the evening's featured speaker, Monroe County Executive Maggie Brooks. Ms. Brooks shared her journey from newscaster to government leader and reflected on the impact communication has had in her life.

Dr. Keith Jenkins presented recognition certificates to the Department's three current Peer Mentors: Michael Diaz, Daniel Fasulo and Lauren Hittinger. Dr. Grant Cos presented the award for Ethics and Communication to Danielle Gotschall.

Congratulations to all inductees and award recipients.