

**From:** Kate Brigman **On Behalf Of** Frances M. Leslie

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**To:**

**Subject:** Announcement of 2018 Chancellor's Club Fund for Excellence Fellows

To: Deans, Associate Deans, Graduate Advisors, and Graduate Affairs Staff

Dear Colleagues,

I am pleased to announce the awardees of the 2018 Chancellor's Club Fund for Excellence Fellowships. The pool of nominees was very strong, and awardees were selected on the basis of demonstrated academic excellence, accomplishments, and leadership qualities consistent with the mission of the Chancellor's Club to represent, develop, and support our future leaders. Graduate students selected for these fellowships must also be first-generation college students.

The 2018 Chancellor's Club Fellows are as follows:

Elizabeth Hemming-Schroeder, Ecology & Evolutionary Biology

Jessica Kemp, Pharmaceutical Sciences

Veronica Newhart, Education

Kayleigh Perkov, Visual Studies

Christopher Persichilli, Physics & Astronomy

Crystal Reynaga, Ecology & Evolutionary Biology

Jamie Rogers, Comparative Literature

Joshua Ross, Art

Kyle Welker, Art

Justin Wilford, Public Health

Thank you for nominating such a truly impressive group of students. Individual letters have been sent to all students whose nominations were submitted to the Graduate Division.

Sincerely,

**Frances Leslie**

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