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ALEX JANVRIN RECOGNIZED WITH GAMMA PHI BETA FOUNDATION'S 2016 INDIVIDUAL SHINING STAR AWARD FOR COLLEGIANS

Centennial, Colorado – The Gamma Phi Beta Foundation presented Alex Janvrin with the Shining Star Award at the Sorority's 77th biennial Convention in Atlanta, Georgia. The award acknowledges one collegian and one alumna, for their direct community involvement in addition to their contributions to Gamma Phi Beta.

Alex Janvrin attends the University of Nebraska-Lincoln, where she is a member of Gamma Phi Beta's Pi Chapter. She has shown her tenacity to serve through her positions held within the chapter, on campus and within the community. Janvrin currently serves as Standards Chair.

Involved with multiple organizations on campus, Janvrin volunteers her time as a teaching assistant and tutor in the mathematics department and resource center. She is also a member of the Honors Program where she mentors freshman students through their first semester of college. Janvrin is a member of the Actuarial Science Club.

In the community, Janvrin is involved with the Nebraska Human Resource Institute in which she mentors young girls about leadership and how to grow as effective leaders. In addition, she volunteers at the Lancaster County Corrections Facility teaching English to inmates twice a week and the Restored Home in Lincoln where she supervises children of women who attend night classes to help them get back on their feet.

Janvrin has been involved with the United States State Department Peer Ambassador Institute Program for two years, spending time with South African students integrating them into life in America. She volunteers nearly 200 hours of her time to this program.

The Shining Star Award is presented at each Gamma Phi Beta Convention. The award recognizes one collegian and one alumna who have contributed exceptional leadership service and made an impact on organizations outside of Gamma Phi Beta.

About The Gamma Phi Beta Foundation

Established in 1959, the Gamma Phi Beta Foundation is a nonprofit 501(c)(3) organization whose mission is to support and inspire the lifelong development of women. The Foundation provides

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charitable and educational funding for leadership development, financial aid for members and philanthropic opportunities for Building Strong Girls; the Foundation has distributed \$12.5 million to date.

About Gamma Phi Beta International Sorority

Gamma Phi Beta International Sorority was founded in 1874 at Syracuse University in Syracuse, New York. The Sorority's mission is to inspire the highest type of womanhood. Headquartered in Centennial, Colorado, the Sorority has chartered 185 collegiate chapters across the United States and Canada, and has more than 200,000 collegiate and alumnae members worldwide.

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