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THE UNIVERSITY of
MISSISSIPPI

Lavender

G R A D U A T I O N

May 5, 2017
Inn at Ole Miss
4:00 p.m.

WELCOME

Jaime Harker

Director of the Sarah Isom Center for Women and Gender Studies and Professor of English

UNIVERSITY GREETINGS

Brandi Hephner Labanc

Vice Chancellor for Student Affairs

ALLY OF THE YEAR AWARD

Kevin Cozart

Operations Coordinator of the Sarah Isom Center for Women and Gender Studies, and Co-Coordinator of the Allies Program

RECOGNITION OF GRADUATES

Jaime Cantrell

Visiting Assistant Professor of English and UM Pride Network faculty advisor

LAVENDER GRADUATES: THEN AND NOW

Holden Hays

President, Feminist Empowerment at the University of Mississippi

LOVE YOUR NEIGHBOR

Daniel Ball

HRC Mississippi Faith Organizer

CLOSING REMARKS

Katrina Caldwell

Vice Chancellor for Diversity & Community Engagement

Reception to follow

Lavender Graduation is a cultural celebration that recognizes LGBTQ students and acknowledges their achievements and contributions to the university as students who successfully navigated the college experience. Lavender Graduation is an event where graduates are officially recognized by the institution for their leadership, successes, and achievements.

Honorees

UNDERGRADUATE STUDENTS

VICTORIA BATEMAN

History and Political Science

REID BLACK

Biochemistry and Philosophy

ALEXANDER BORST

International Studies with minors in
Environmental Studies and German

HOLDEN HAYS

Psychology with minor in Women and Gender Studies

KATELYN LEE

Psychology

DYLAN LEWIS

Broadcast Journalism

TIARA MABRY

Psychology and Nursing

RYAN NOLEN

Political Science

WILLIAM WILDMAN

International Studies and French

GRADUATE STUDENTS

KEVIN COZART

Higher Education and Student Personnel

ROD HICKMAN

Juris Doctor

DANIEL McDONALD

Juris Doctor

ASHTON MOORE

Juris Doctor

JARED O'CONNOR

English

IAN WHALEN

Sociology

SHAN'TERNA WILLIAMS

Sociology



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