

# Lambda Chi Alpha

## Iota Sigma Zeta

Valparaiso University

November/December 2016

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### Upcoming Events:

Spring Initiation:  
March 24<sup>th</sup>  
Spring Golf-  
Outing:  
April

### Brotherhood Shoutout:

This edition's brotherhood shoutout goes to our newly elected Zeta comprised of **Alpha** Alex Zapletosch (Junior), **Beta** Jake Larson (Junior), **Theta** Jake Landgraf (Sophomore), **Tau** Mike Balcerzak (Junior), **Gamma** James Knoble (Sophomore), **Rho** Ryan Newendyke (Junior), **Epsilon** Zack Diamond (Sophomore), **Delta** Max Grover (Sophomore), **Phi** Stephen Sekoulopoulos (Junior), **Sigma** Dan Brown (Sophomore), **Iota** Zack Medo (Junior), **Kappa** Derek Schapiro (Junior). These brothers will steer the direction of the active chapter for the next year to come.

### Follow us on Social Media!

Twitter/Instagram:  
@valpolamdachi

Ask the High Rho to be added to the alumni Facebook Group!

## Stars and Stripes Themed Semi-Formal

On December 3<sup>rd</sup>, the chapter had its annual semi-formal at Casa Del Roma. Each year we choose a different theme for the dance. This year the theme was America. Brothers and dates alike were decked out in stars and stripes, some going

so far as to sport themed suits. Two lovely ladies were also lavaliered at the dance and another was lavaliered the night before. It was a truly heartfelt



night and a great time for all the brothers and their dates.



Brothers and their Lavalieres

## Greeks-giving

Each year our chapter holds a potluck Thanksgiving before leaving for thanksgiving break. This year the chapter decided to make this a unity event with Chi Omega. Some senior brothers cooked a turkey. Most brothers brought side dishes. The sisters of Chi



Brother Alex Zapletosch and two members of Chi O preparing food. Bridget (far right) is a Lavalier

Omega baked deserts and provided beverages. The food was all delicious and there was plenty of food to go around. Brothers and sisters alike had a great time.

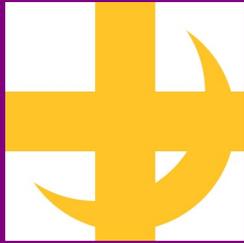
## Graduating Seniors

This semester we graduated three exemplary brothers. Leandro Jaime, Logan Mulvihill and Rahul Rayan. Rahul is a pre-med graduate and is graduating a semester early. He will be taking a gap year before continuing schooling to become a doctor. Logan, a business major, decided to take an extra semester to study abroad in China and Leandro is a finance major with minors in Mathematics and Mechanical Engineering. Leandro received recognition from president Heckler, an honorary brother at graduation. Logan and Leandro are responsible for starting TEDx at Valparaiso University and were two of four VU students who got to present their senior capstone research to Whirlpool.



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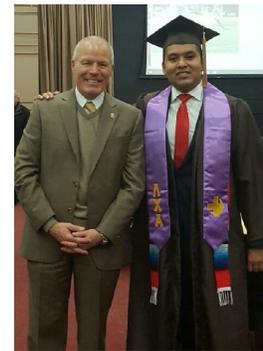
## Alumni Spotlight: Leandro Jaime

Nickname: (None)

Zeta Number: 1017

Graduation Year: 2016

Current Age: 24



VU President Mark Heckler (left) and Leandro (right)

### Our Favorite Memories of Leandro:

Leandro has always taken great pride in his name and is famously remembered for introducing himself on numerous occasions as Leandro Ivan Jaime Bedolla

### Family:

Leandro is currently single and lives with his family in Joliet.

### Work:

Leandro has just recently graduated and is a finance major seeking to get into Venture Capital.

### Where is he now?

Leandro graduated from Valparaiso University on December 11<sup>th</sup> and is highly decorated. Among his many accomplishments are starting TEDx Valparaiso University with fellow brothers Eric Kurbyn and Logan Mulvahil, serving as a mentor to younger students in the College of Business, doing great work with the Orr Fellowship and is featured on the Valpo website (<http://www.valpo.edu/news/2016/02/10/defining-experiences-leandro-jaime-16-uncovers-the-power-of-at-valpo/>).

At graduation, Leandro was recognized by Mark Heckler for all that he has accomplished as an undergraduate. It is only a matter of time before Leandro takes his skills to a professional setting and makes his mark on the world.

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