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Strengthening Our Promise – Our brightest days are ahead of us

On May 5, UK's Board of Trustees met and heard courageous, innovative, and forward-facing reports from leaders representing all sectors of our institution detailing our response and our path forward. President Capilouto concluded this meeting with a message of resolve and hope:

"We will not just return to normal, we are going to use this opportunity to refine and reinvent how we better serve our Commonwealth and strengthen our promise as the University of, for, and with Kentucky. When we do, and in this I have my greatest confidence, WE WILL THRIVE."

Listen to the President's full message and the reports from University Leaders: https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=UyVjZCe4RNo&feature=youtu.be

STUDENT SALUTES-A Finals Week Tribute to our Student Employees:



Rachel Kaplan-Utilities and Energy Management

Rachel is a senior and member of the class of 2020, UK's Corona Class, and a native of Lexington. This week she will receive her Bachelors of Science in Chemical Engineering from the College of Engineering. For the past year, Rachel has worked with **Britney Ragland** in our Utilities and Energy Management unit as part of the UK Sustainability Internship Program. In this work, Rachel has focused on lab energy efficiency and she is working in UK's Occupational Health and Safety department to draft new practices and provide educational material for teaching labs.

CONGRATULATIONS AND THANK YOU RACHEL!



Megan Reinhart-Planning Design and Construction

This week, Megan will graduate with a degree in mechanical engineering from UK's College of Engineering. She is from Lake Villa, Illinois and has worked with Facilities Management since March of 2018. Over the past two years, Megan has become a significant addition to our design team. She evidenced a quick ability to learn, and her positive attitude is matched by her strong work ethic. During her time with us, Megan has supported our project managers and design team both in the office and out in the field. Megan's strong work ethic has paid off, as she had multiple job offers by December of last year and will begin her career with DuPont in June. Megan and a partner have also created an automated AI investment start-up company in their spare time.

CONGRATULATIONS AND THANK YOU MEGAN!



Way Back Wednesday: Kid Photo Reveal

Thanks to everyone who submitted a photo of themselves as a kid. We had 21 entries and 13 people completed the Who's Who quiz. **There were three perfect scores! Melissa Ortega, Eva Fornash, and Tara Tecau!** Nice work ladies. **Krishna Hobbs**, at left, won the People's Choice Award for cutest kid photo. Page 2 of today's newsletter has all the photos with the names. You can also find this online at: www.uky.edu/sustainability/FacilitiesDaily

Friday Photo Collage: Our Students In honor of finals week and Friday's graduation, we will be honoring and highlighting the students who work for Facilities Management this week. <u>Please submit photos of your student employees to Shane.tedder@uky.edu by Thursday at 5pm so we can feature them in this week's collage.</u> Include their name, major, and the area of FM where they work.



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FACILITIES PHOTO FRIDAY – Kid Picture Edition + Who's Who Contest

Y'all used to be so cute! What happened? Thanks to Kimberly Browning's suggestion we are gonna have a little fun with this one. As you see, the pictures are numbered, not named. Go to www.... to submit your guesses on who these cute kids grew up to be. We will reveal the names and announce the winner of the Who's Who contest on Wednesday of next week. Winner gets to see kid pictures of Mary Vosevich! Thanks so much for submitting your photos!









































