

## PRESS RELEASE

### Student Obtains CEBS Designation

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The Certified Employee Benefits Specialist (CEBS) designation encompasses an eight course curriculum designed to provide individuals with a comprehensive understanding of employee benefits concepts and principles. The designation is sponsored by the International Foundation of Employee Benefit Plan and the Wharton School at the University of Pennsylvania and is the premier designation for Employee Benefit professionals. Candidates must demonstrate their mastery of a variety of areas including: group health plan design, management, financing and reform; retirement plan design and management; personal wealth management; and human resources and compensation management. Due to the comprehensive nature of the program, CEBS is one of the most well respected designations in the industry.



The Sigma Chapter of Gamma Iota Sigma, in accordance with Temple University's Department of Risk, Insurance, and Healthcare Management, are proud to congratulate **Edmund Puodziunas** on receiving his Certified Employee Benefit Specialist (CEBS) designation. Edmund is a senior Risk Management and Insurance major in the Fox School of Business who will be graduating in May 2017. Edmund is also an active member of Gamma Iota Sigma, where he currently holds a leadership position as Director of Finance. He began his exam journey in February 2016 and passed his final exam in January 2017. This accomplishment is an extraordinary achievement as obtaining the CEBS designation before graduating college is rare. We are excited and proud of Edmund for his hard work and wish him the best of luck in his future endeavors!



**Edmund Puodziunas, CEBS**