



Alpha of Missouri, Phi Beta Kappa

Presents a lecture by:

**William A. “Buz” Brock**

Economist, Mathematician, Climate Scientist

**A CAREER IN CHAOS:  
EARLY WARNINGS OF BIG CHANGES**

March 8, 2018 @ 4 pm

Leadership Auditorium (Student Center 2501)

Reception & Refreshments @ 5 pm

Please join us in celebrating Professor Brock’s honorary election into the Alpha of Missouri chapter of Phi Beta Kappa, the nation’s oldest and most prestigious honor society.

Professor Brock graduated from Mizzou in 1965 with a degree in mathematics and an intense intellectual curiosity about the study of social and natural phenomena. Over his academic career, his curiosity has driven him to investigate a wide range of topics: from chaos theory to climate change, macroeconomics to macrobiology, asset pricing to agriculture, ecology to econometrics. Professor Brock is a member of the National Academy of Sciences and the American Academy of Arts and Sciences. Professor Brock will be initiated as an honorary member of Phi Beta Kappa along with student inductees in May.

Phi Beta Kappa was founded on December 5, 1776 in Williamsburg, Virginia. Members have included 17 US Presidents, 40 US Supreme Court Justices, and more than 130 Nobel Laureates. The Alpha Chapter of Missouri, founded at Mizzou in 1901, initiated its first members, including honorary member Mark Twain, in 1902. Other honorary members of the chapter have included President Harry S. Truman and, most recently, Missouri author William Least Heat-Moon.

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