

By: Straus

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R E S O L U T I O N

1           WHEREAS, Melanie Trostel, an intern in the office of the  
2 speaker of the house, has been named a Distinguished College  
3 Scholar by The University of Texas at Austin; and

4           WHEREAS, Each spring since 1948, UT-Austin has designated  
5 exceptional students as Distinguished College Scholars on Honors  
6 Day; Distinguished College Scholars rank in the top four percent of  
7 their class in the college or school of their major, based on their  
8 in-residence cumulative grade point average; students must have  
9 completed at least 30 semester hours of course work in residence and  
10 at least 60 hours of college course work overall, including  
11 transferred work and credit by examination; and

12           WHEREAS, A student in the College of Education at UT-Austin,  
13 Melanie Trostel graduated in 2010 from Lake Highlands High School  
14 in the Richardson Independent School District, where she was a  
15 member of the Mu Alpha Theta mathematics honor society; currently,  
16 she serves as an intern for the speaker's chief of staff, Jesse  
17 Ancira; and

18           WHEREAS, Melanie Trostel has demonstrated an exceptional  
19 commitment to academic achievement, and through her intelligence,  
20 initiative, and determination, she has earned membership in an  
21 elite group of students; now, therefore, be it

22           RESOLVED, That the House of Representatives of the 83rd Texas  
23 Legislature hereby congratulate Melanie Trostel on her selection as  
24 a Distinguished College Scholar by The University of Texas at

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1 Austin and commend her for her dedicated service in the office of  
2 the speaker of the house; and, be it further

3       RESOLVED, That an official copy of this resolution be  
4 prepared for Ms. Trostel as an expression of high regard by the  
5 Texas House of Representatives.