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#### **ACCOLADES AND ACCOMPLISHMENTS**

#### Kristin Rohrbeck Nominated for Oakland County Executive's 2019 Elite 40 Under 40 "Best of the Best"

Kristin Rohrbeck, director of the Joanne and Ted Lindsay Foundation Autism Outreach Services (OUCARES), has been announced as one of three nominees for the "Best of the Best" of the Oakland County Elite 40 Under 40 Class Set for 2019. According to a press release from the Oakland County Department of Economic Development and Community Affairs:



"As director of OUCARES, Kristin serves over 2,300 people impacted by autism spectrum

disorder in southeast Michigan with more than 100 annual programs. The award-winning OUCARES program has been featured more on various TV, radio and other media.

In 2018, she led the development of a partnership with the Ted Lindsay Foundation, which resulted in a \$1 million gift to grow OUCARES programs to support teens and adults living with an autism spectrum disorder. She developed an employment readiness skills program for adults which resulted in more than 30 adults either receiving jobs or continuing their education to reach career goals."

Online voting for the Oakland County Executive's Elite 40 Under 40 winner is open to the public from now through noon on Friday, January 25. Individuals may vote once every 24 hours. The winner will, among other opportunities, introduce Oakland County Executive L. Brooks Patterson at his State of the County Address on February 7. To vote for Kristin, visit Elite40.com.

Congratulations, Kristin!

# Lowry Teacher Appointed to the Early Childhood Investment Corporation Executive Committee.

Lowry teacher Jennifer Archey has been appointed to the Early Childhood Investment Corporation (ECIC) Executive Committee. The ECIC collaborates with state and local, public and private partners to promote early childhood policy and program innovations, and provide technical assistance and evidence-based information about community strategies that help children and families thrive.



Jennifer is a lead teacher at the Lowry Center for Early Childhood Education and a freelance copy editor for Readers Digest trade books division. She earned her bachelor's degree in psychology from Princeton University and her master's in early childhood education from Oakland University. With her teaching background, work with families, and experience with training OU undergraduate students, she brings a sound theory-to-practice perspective that is a focus of the work of ECIC.

Congratulations, Jennifer!

#### **UPCOMING EVENTS**

#### ERL's sOUper Bowl Pot Luck - January 25

The ERL will host its third annual sOUper Bowl pot luck on Friday, January 25. Everyone attending will have a chance to place their bets on the winning team for a chance to win a prize. Names will be selected after Super Bowl Sunday.

The potluck will be held in the ERL main area, and will feature soups, chili and sides. Please use the <u>2019 SEHS/ERL sOUper Bowl RSVP Form</u> to sign up.



## Evening in the ERL: Spotting the Warning Signs Event – February 6

An Evening in the ERL — Spotting the Warning Signs: Supporting Children Facing Trauma and Stress in Our Classrooms will be held on Wednesday, February 6 from 5:30 – 7:30 p.m.

Statistics about the number of children who have experienced at least one adverse childhood experience (ACE) are alarming. A 2017 fact sheet on adverse experiences among U.S. children, issued by the Childhood and Adolescent Health Measurement Initiative, found that nearly 47% of all children in the United States have experienced ACEs such as abuse, neglect, death of a parent/guardian or witnessing community violence. A panel of OU faculty and staff, along with social workers and educators from Rochester Schools, will present information and a discussion about identifying and responding to the needs of children in K–12 classrooms who are living with stress or have faced traumatic experiences which impact learning and behavior.

All students, faculty and staff are welcome, but registration will cap at 40, so be sure to <u>register soon</u>.

#### **BIRTHDAYS**



If you do not wish to have your birthday included, contact Trevor Tyle.

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If you have questions about the bulletin, email Trevor Tyle at ttyle@oakland.edu.

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