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## **Elizabeth Kraemer**

Beth Kraemer, assistant professor of Kresge Library, has brought first-rate technical expertise, enthusiasm, creativity and topnotch problem-solving skills to the reference and instruction programs of Kresge Library since she joined the faculty in November 2000.

In particular, she has served as the lead faculty member for a new project initiated to expand the reach of the library's instructional efforts. Last fall, the library instituted a WebCT tutorial to familiarize all Rhetoric 160 students with basic information literacy and research skills prior to their formal library instruction sessions. The development of this new program, which supports Oakland University's commitment to providing a visionary undergraduate education within an enriched learning environment, is due in large part to Kraemer's talents and energy. She served as the point person for the project, designing, testing and fine-tuning the series of modules. She then provided orientations for the library and rhetoric faculty. She continues to trouble-shoot problems and provide ongoing support and training.

She has made substantial contributions in developing technology to enhance teaching and learning, and demonstrated dedication to service excellence.

## SUMMARY

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