

# OAKLAND UNIVERSITY™

## School of Education and Human Services



### **ACCOLADES AND ACCOMPLISHMENTS**

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#### **Danielle Ligocki Publishes Research on Theory of Liquid Modernity**

The recently published edited volume, *Research Methods for Social Justice and Equity in Education*, contains a chapter written by Dr. Danielle Ligocki. Her chapter, "Viewing Research for Social Justice Through the Lens of Zygmunt Bauman's Theory of Liquid Modernity," aims to educate students, educators and researchers about the theory of liquid modernity and how the features of this time period deeply impact the work of educational researchers.



**Congratulations, Danielle!**

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#### **2019 American Educational Research Association Annual Meeting**

The American Educational Research Association (AERA) is hosting their annual meeting in Toronto, Canada from April 5 – 9. This year, AERA will include many SEHS faculty members as they present their works and lead sessions at the conference.

To see who is presenting and when, [view the full schedule](#) of SEHS presenters.

**Congratulations to all involved!**

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## 2019 McDonald's All American: Rickea Jackson

Detroit Edison Public School Academy senior Rickea Jackson was selected to play in the McDonald's All-American Game. Rickea is the first female player from Detroit to make the prestigious All-American team. The game showcases top senior girls basketball players and will take place on March 27 in Atlanta.

Jackson was also named Girls Basketball Player of the Year and Female Athlete of the Year at the 2018 Free Press Sports Awards. Rickea has committed to Mississippi State and will begin in the fall.



*Rickeya Jackson accepting her McDonald's All-American Jersey.*

The OU/PSA office congratulates Rickea Jackson and wishes her much success!

**Congratulations, Rickea!**

## IN THE NEWS

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### Weekly ERL Update

The ERL now has about 15–20 book club sets. Each bag contains 6 paperback copies of the selected title and can be checked out for book groups, lit circles or shared reading sessions. Most titles are suitable for upper elementary, but some cross over into secondary or adult. ESL classes offered through the International Programs often use ERL materials, and will also be using them. The sets can be found near the beginning of the Reference shelves in the ERL. To find the complete list of titles in the library catalog, do a search for "[book club set](#)" and limit your search to the ERL.



### Robert Fink Continues to Make Headlines After Late Telegram

Counseling Professor Robert Fink recently made national news headlines after receiving a telegram that was sent to him 50 years ago to congratulate him on his graduation from the University of Michigan. The original article was published on [MSN](#) and in [The Washington Post](#). This past week, additional stories on Fink's late mail were published in [The Oakland Post](#) and on [MLive](#). A video interview with MLive was also published and can be viewed below:

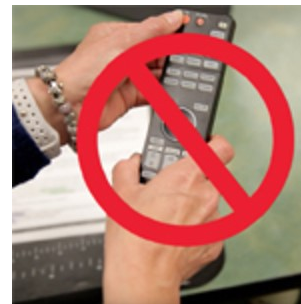




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### **A Message from the Tech Desk**

When turning on the projectors in the classrooms, it is vital that you use the on/off buttons on the Extron control panel on top of the desk. Please only use the remote if all else fails, as it causes the unit to go out of sync. If you have to use the remote, or you encounter any other technology issues in the classroom, please notify [sehstech@oakland.edu](mailto:sehstech@oakland.edu) and provide the room number in the subject line.



Video demonstration

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## **UPCOMING EVENTS**

### **1,000 Papercuts: The Impact of Microaggressions — March 13**

The Committee for Equity, Diversity and Inclusion will be presenting “1,000 Papercuts: The Impact of Microaggressions” on Wednesday, March 13 from 5:30 – 7:30 p.m. in Founders Ballroom D of the Oakland Center.

The focus of the event, which is part of the “Myth of Living in a Post-Racial Society” series, is to continue discussions regarding why race still matters in America through the lens of understanding microaggressions, as well as what they are and how impactful they can be. The event is open to everyone, and refreshments will be served.

For more information, [view the event flyer](#). Additional questions and/or accessibility requests should be emailed to [sehs-edi@oakland.edu](mailto:sehs-edi@oakland.edu).

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### **Analyzing Big Data Via Artificial Intelligence and Statistics: Automatic Analysis of Conversations — March 28**

Guest researcher Dr. Ming Ming Chiu will give a talk, “Analyzing Big Data via Artificial Intelligence and Statistics: Automatic



Analysis of Conversations,” in the Gold Rooms B and C of the Oakland Center on Thursday, March 28 at 7 p.m. Dr. Chiu’s methods are broadly relevant to faculty and student research in many disciplines — education, psychology, sociology, linguistics and criminal justice to name a few.

For more information, [view the event flyer](#) or [visit the event’s page on the OU calendar](#). Contact Tanya Christ at [christ@oakland.edu](mailto:christ@oakland.edu) or (248) 370-3091 if you have further questions.

## **BIRTHDAYS**

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If you do not wish to have your birthday included, contact [Trevor Tyle](#).

## **ABOUT THE SEHS BULLETIN**

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The SEHS Bulletin is a place where faculty and staff can share news and celebrate the wonderful things happening in SEHS. The bulletin is the perfect place to share information about your publications and awards, special projects and committee news, as well as announce events.

All are welcome to send items for inclusion. If you choose to do so, please ensure that your items are print ready, that you include all related links, and that you have permission to publish any photos being submitted. Please put “SEHS Bulletin” in the subject line and email your information to: [ttyle@oakland.edu](mailto:ttyle@oakland.edu).

**If you have questions about the bulletin, email Trevor Tyle at [ttyle@oakland.edu](mailto:ttyle@oakland.edu).**

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