## BOILER CHANGEMAKER

## **The Boiler Changemaker Award recognizes:**

## LAUREN V. MURFREE

Lauren's nominator wrote:

Lauren V. Murfree is an exceptionally kind and compassionate individual. She's warm and welcoming to everyone she meets, and is always there to listen when her peers are struggling. Through her work in the LGBTO center here at Purdue, she has fostered a community of friendship among 70+ students who have historically felt left out. Moreover, she has managed to do this during the COVID-19 pandemic when people were more isolated than ever. She has thoughtfully and carefully put together virtual social events, so students can still have connection while feeling safe. In addition to her work in the center, she is working hard to



produce much needed public health research.

Lauren has served Purdue's mission of creating a positive experience to its students humbly for years now and deserves recognition for her efforts.

Do you know a grad student who is making big changes? Nominate them at: bit.ly/BCMAWARD



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