

# CHANGEMAKER **BOILER CHANGEMAKER**

**The Boiler Changemaker Award recognizes:**

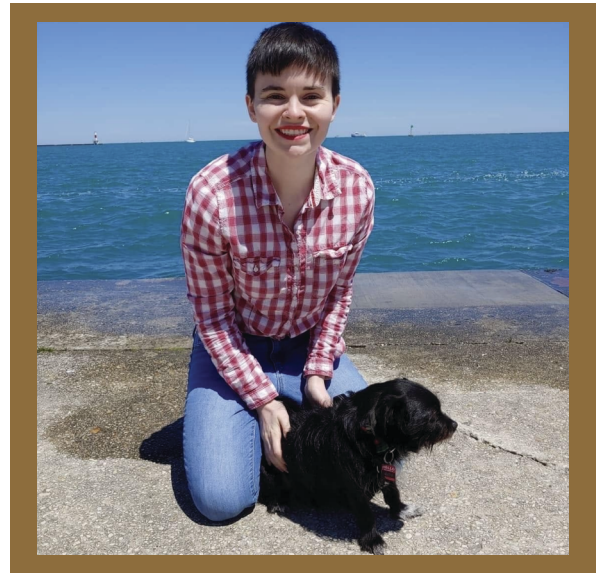
## **MEREDITH AULDS**

Meredith's nominator wrote:

Meredith Aulds has proven herself a fierce advocate and valuable mentor for graduate students in the Department of Anthropology. Meredith is a generous leader determined to make this community a better place.

As President of the Anthropology Graduate Student Organization, Meredith has organized events focused on supporting graduate students. These range from community-building events to facilitating discussions with faculty and administrators. As Graduate Student Representative, Meredith represents and advocates for the well-being of graduate students at the Department of Anthropology's faculty meetings and Graduate Committee.

She inspires others to get more involved within the Purdue Anthropology community. Most recently, Meredith has been collaborating with Anthropology faculty and administrators to develop a Teaching Assistant handbook, which would serve as a guide passed down to all future graduate students.



As a teaching assistant, Meredith never hesitates to offer her lesson plans and resources to help other graduate students. Meredith leads by example through her mentorship, frequently inviting other graduate students to observe her lessons and learn from her teaching style. Her generosity when sharing teaching material and classroom experience has aided immensely in the professional development of first and second-year graduate students.

Thank you, Meredith!

*Do you know a grad student who is making big changes? Nominate them at: [bit.ly/BCMAWARD](https://bit.ly/BCMAWARD)*