

STAFF SPOTLIGHT

This month, we shine a spotlight on Marie Wallmark from our RA team. Thanks for sharing, Marie!

In 1 word, please describe what you do in ERSO.
Research Administrator

In 2 words, please tell us about yourself.
introverted extrovert

You have 30 minutes to spend a million dollars.
Where is your first stop?
High-end real estate agency

What advice would you give to your teenage self?
Don't be so serious.

Worst song or movie ever?
There are soo many....most of Taylor Swift's music catalog and Beyonce's Texas Hold 'Em.

Which travel destination in the US (outside of California) do you think is the best and why?
Whidbey Island, located in the Puget Sound just north of Seattle.

What question should we ask the next Spotlight colleague?
What is your favorite junk/processed food?
Nerds are my kryptonite.

Please share a picture that best represents you.



Your questions & feedback is welcome! Please submit it via this [anonymous form](#).

ERSO CELEBRATIONS

"Start where you are. Use what you have. Do what you can." - Arthur Ashe

Pet Costume & Carving Contest Winners:

Coco (Jennifer Stone)



Elmo Cooking (Emily Martinez)



Happy Anniv-ERSO-ry

Krystle Bartholomew, 11 years
Dan Matsuoka, 10 years
David Anderssen, 7 years
Ruben Speers, 3 years
Denise Ramirez, 2 years

Happy Birthday

Angela Brito Baldwin
Anne Krysiak
Anthony Mabanglo
Brooke Estrada
Helen Vance
Jennifer Kim
Jolo Cabera
Ken Major
Leslie Goldstein
Reagan Lu
Sanchita Pal



ERSO Staff Holiday Gathering:

Wednesday, Dec 11th
5:30pm to 8:00pm

Il Fornaio, Walnut Creek

RSVP by Dec 4th

Congratulations, Esther – we salute you!

"I enthusiastically nominate Esther [Feng] for a Staff Salute. August and September are months when the Student Hiring Teams workload is tremendous due to the start of the Fall semester. The team was down staff at a such a critical time and Esther willingly stepped in to assist. Esther used to be a part of the Student Hiring Team so she was able to hit the ground running with helping out the team while also maintaining her own high-volume workload. Thank you so much Esther for not only being a team player but going above and beyond!"