

# **SCHOLARS WITH DIVERSE ABILITIES PROGRAM (SDAP)**

# **SDAP**

*App State*

**Appalachian State University**



## **SDAP News & Updates**

October 2020

**We are excited to bring you our first newsletter of the semester! We plan to send out a newsletter a couple times a semester to keep you all informed about what we are up to at SDAP here in Boone, NC!**

# Meet the SDAP Staff!

We have both new and returning staff members this fall.

For more information about our team, visit the  
[SDAP website here.](https://sdap.appstate.edu)



**Dr. Susan Hedges**  
Director & Co-Principal  
Investigator



**María Hofman**  
Assistant Director & Community  
Access Coordinator



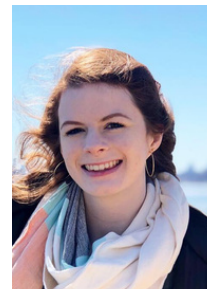
**Dr. Rebekah Cummings**  
Academic &  
Life Skills Coordinator



**Jodie Tan Qiu Yu**  
Graduate Assistant



**Tiffany Harris**  
Graduate Assistant



**Kaitlyn Lightfoot**  
Graduate Assistant

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us on Facebook and Instagram  
and check out our website!



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<https://sdap.appstate.edu>

# STUDENT SPOTLIGHT

Each newsletter, we will highlight some students of SDAP and share some updates about what they are enjoying about SDAP, App State, and Boone!



My name is Gracie Carroll! It is my first year at App State in the SDAP Program. My favorite classes are Sociology and PE. My favorite parts about App state so far are the campus and people, the weather, and the mountains. My career goals right now are to graduate and get a social work job at the military base or school.

My name is Makayla Adkins! I am 21 years old. My favorite part about App State is meeting new people around campus. Currently my favorite class is weightlifting. For my career goal I would like to be a vet tech.



**Are you an SDAP alumni?** We want to hear from you! Email us at [sdap@appstate.edu](mailto:sdap@appstate.edu) to let us know what you have been up to since you graduated. Look forward to hearing about all of your successes!

# Upcoming Events



**October 19-31**

Spooky Duke Virtual Costume March



**October 18-November 2**

Nightly Nightmare Netflix Party



**October 21 | 6pm**

Best Buddies Virtual Pumpkin Painting Party

See below for flyers for some of these exciting events! If you have any questions, comments, or other feedback, feel free to email us at

[sdap@appstate.edu](mailto:sdap@appstate.edu).

Thanks for reading!

OCTOBER 21 , 2020



JOIN BB FOR A

# VIRTUAL PUMPKIN PAINTING PARTY

• 6PM •

ZOOM

MAKE SURE TO HAVE YOUR  
OWN SUPPLIES :) SEE YOU  
THERE!



## SPOOKY DUKE

5K/10K & COSTUME MARCH

THIS YEAR WE'RE GOING VIRTUAL

OCTOBER 19TH - 31ST

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