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Jen Blakley

Jen Blakley, administrative assistant in the **School of Pharmacy**, has been named Staff Council's Staff Member of the Month for January. To help us get to know her better, she answered some questions for Inside Ole Miss.

IOM: How long have you worked at Ole Miss?

Blakley: 1 year and 4 months

IOM: What is your hometown?

Blakley: Van Wert, Ohio.

IOM: Talk about your favorite Ole Miss memory.

Blakley: Watching my daughter perform as an Ole Miss Rebelette!

IOM: What do you enjoy most about your position or the department in which you work?

Blakley: Working with the faculty, staff and students.

IOM: What do you like to do when you are not at work?

Blakley: Spend time with my family, enjoy Ole Miss athletic events, shop and clean.

IOM: What is one thing on your bucket list?

Blakley: To visit Alaska.

IOM: What is your favorite movie?

Blakley: "Titanic"

IOM: What is your favorite Ole Miss tradition?

Blakley: The Walk of Champions and the Grove.

IOM: What is a fun fact about you?

Blakley: I was a baton twirler.

IOM: If you could have lunch with anyone alive or dead/fictional or real, who would it be and why?

Blakley: My late grandpa. He passed when I was younger, but he had such an impact on my life. I would love to be able to have some more time with him.

IOM: What are three words you would use to describe yourself?

Blakley: Mom, dedicated, compassionate.

IOM: If you could visit one time or place in world history (past, present or future), what would it be?

Blakley: The Apollo 11 mission.

IOM: If I could be an animal for a day I would be _____.

Blakley: An eagle.

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