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## MSOP PROGRAM WELCOMES NEW FACES



The start of the fall semester saw the introduction of the MSOP class of 2018. The new cohort includes 20 students from 8 different states. They've been exploring Ypsilanti with a rotating weekly lunch. We wish them luck as they begin their Masters education.



The start of the new year also saw the introduction of a new faculty member, Nate Kearns. Nate has been a part of the MSOP program for several years, teaching on a part-time basis. He joins the team as a tenure-track faculty member, teaching both first and second year classes. Welcome Nate!

## ALUMNI WINS AOPA ABSTRACT AWARD

Former Eastern MSOP student Tyler Klenow was recently awarded the Edwin and Kathryn Arbogast Award. The award for Excellence in Education 2016 was presented to Eastern Michigan University on behalf of the American Orthotic and Prosthetic Association (AOPA) in recognition for the best prosthetic abstract submitted by a qualifying student or resident. Congratulations Tyler and Eastern.

## UPCOMING NEWS & EVENTS

**Open House** - The program held its first open house of the year on September 15th. 20 guests visited Rackham, accompanied by family/friends. We also had 8 prospective student attend via virtual linkup. We look forward to our next open house which will be held on October 15th. Please contact us if you're interested in attending.

**Digital Divas** - The program will host 30 middle school girls to introduce them to STEM fields. The event will be held on November 4, 2016.