



## **Sarah Hamilton**

Sarah Hamilton graduated Cum Laude from Western Michigan University, with a degree in Human Resource Management. After completing her undergraduate studies, she entered the Master of Arts in Human Resources and Industrial Relations program at the University of Minnesota- Carlson School of Management, where employee engagement is her favorite area of study. In addition to the classroom, Ms. Hamilton excelled in the workplace and the community, as an HR Intern with Parker Hannifin- Fluid System Connectors Division and as HR Assistant/Recruiter for Montage Furniture Services. As a member of her school's SHRM Chapter, Society for Excellence in Human Resources (SEHR), Ms. Hamilton co-founded their first mentorship program, resulting in higher retention, increased engagement within the organization and community, 70+ active members, and the chapter earning the Superior Merit Award from SHRM. Ms. Hamilton chose a career in human resources because she wanted to empower others to create positive change within themselves, their organization, and the world, and she is honored to receive this award from such a strong group of distinguished human resources professionals.