



**Kristina Ann Artino**  
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**My name is Kristina Ann Artino, and I am an Administrative Assistant here at The University of Akron. I work in the Institute for Health and Social Policy, a research department dedicated to “improving health and social services for individuals and communities through research.” I have worked at the University for over five years; the first two years as a temporary employee for the Center for Policy Studies. Soon after, the Center for Policy Studies merged with The Institute for Health and Social Policy, and I was hired in full time as an Office Assistant. Within a year, I was promoted to an Administrative Assistant. I am energetic, outgoing, and hard-working!**

**If elected for the SEAC I would commit to the following:**

- **Providing an ethical and sound voice for our staff members at the University**
- **Making changes where they are needed**
- **Following Dr. Proenza’s strategies to align the staff’s interests with the overall goals of the University**
- **Always do my best**

**Achievements**

- **Associate of Applied Business in Office Administration from Summit College**
- **Bachelor of Science in Technical Education from the College of Education at The University of Akron**

**Currently working on my Master’s degree in Technical Education here at The University of Akron**

- **Received an academic scholarship from IAAP (International Association of Administrative Professionals) in 2005**
- **Received Outstanding Student of Summit College in Office Administration in 2006**

**Hobbies**

**I am a Den Leader in my son Anthony’s Cub Scout pack, and an active member of Holy Family Parish. Additionally, I enjoy spending time with my daughter Maria, and watching her in gymnastics. I also enjoy watching my son play baseball, especially when he hits a grand slam!**

**Something Unique about me**

**I love to write poetry. I have been writing poems since I was a child.**