

# WYOMING STATE VET LAB FEATURED STUDENT OF THE MONTH FEBRUARY 2023 KATELYN BOND



## BACTERIOLOGY & BANGOURA RESEARCH 8 months

Hometown: Longmont, CO

## **Major:** Dual Major In Molecular and Microbiology

**Expected Graduation:** May 2023

#### What do you like about working here?

I like the atmosphere and the people I get to work with, Maddie and Hally in bacteriology are wonderful and very helpful and kind. Kerry Sondgeroth provides so much guidance for school and lab work. The staff is overall great, which has made this a great place to work.

#### What are your hobbies or something we don't know about you?

Outside of school I have joined the UW Equestrian Team, where we travel throughout the semester ride horses. I have the opportunity to go to regionals towards the end of February and hopefully make it to semi-finals in March.

#### What are your future plans?

My current plans after graduation are to get my M.S in Animal and Veterinary Science her at the University of Wyoming. I was offered a Graduate Research position with Dr. Bangoura where I will be doing research in the parasitology lab. After achieving my M.S. I hope to go to veterinary school and get my DVM.