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Hurray for the Falling Forward Foundation! Created by **Sam Porritt**, a significant supporter of our school and a member of our board of advocates, the foundation is celebrating 10 years of helping patients pay for rehabilitation care expenses not covered by health insurance. We congratulate Falling Forward on this remarkable achievement. Please [share this Facebook post](#) with as many people as possible during the foundation's 10-day celebration August 16-25. Learn more at fallingforward.org and connect on [Instagram](#) and [LinkedIn](#).

An invited article co-authored by respiratory care faculty **David Burnett, Ph.D., RRT**, and **Cheryl Skinner, M.Sc., RRT**, [was published](#) in the journal Respiratory Care, the official science journal of the American Association for Respiratory Care. Titled "Year in Review: Long COVID and Pulmonary Rehabilitation," it followed a presentation Burnett delivered during the association's international congress held last year in New Orleans. Great job.

Occupational therapy education faculty member **E (Alice) Zhang, Ph.D., BCBA-D**, presented a poster at the 49th Annual Convention of the Association for Behavior Analysis International held in Denver, Colorado, on May 28, 2023. Her project is titled "Trauma-Informed Care: A Comparison Between Behavior Analysts and Social Workers." Nice work.

A 2023 graduate of our master's degree program in speech-language pathology has published a children's book. **Alayna Wilson, M.A., CF-SLP**, wrote "[Unlocking Your Superpower](#)" to help hospitals, teachers, students and others address important topics faced by families affected by pediatric cancer. All proceeds sales of the book go toward funding for childhood cancer research through [Sammy's Superheroes](#).

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