

2020



# ATHENA *Finalist*

## CORTNEY STROHACKER

As executive director of the DeKalb County Convention and Visitors Bureau, Cortney Strohacker is responsible for leading the County's tourism marketing and development efforts.

A longtime DeKalb County resident, Strohacker has spent nearly a decade cultivating and developing strong relationships with the local municipal, business and community service leaders through her efforts to promote attractions, events and economic opportunity in the area. She serves on the boards of the DeKalb County Economic Development Corporation and The Kishwaukee College Hospitality Advisory Board and is an ambassador at the Genoa Area Chamber of Commerce. She leads the communications team of DeKalb County UNITES, a grass roots effort formed to drive a positive economic impact during the pandemic.



Strohacker is a graduate of Northern Illinois University and she currently resides in Kingston with her husband and two children.

The ATHENA Award Event will be held at 6 p.m. Tuesday, October 20, 2020. Join us for this live streamed presentation honoring our four ATHENA finalists and announcing the 2020 ATHENA Recipient. Go to [Facebook.com/DeKalbILChamber/](https://www.facebook.com/DeKalbILChamber/)

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