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EDUCATION:

The New School for Social Research M.A. Economics Major: Global Political Economy and Finance	New York, New York May 2014 (expected)
University of Puerto Rico, Rio Piedras Campus B.A. Social Science Major: Political Science Minor: International Relations	San Juan, Puerto Rico December 2011 <i>Magna Cum Laude</i>
John Hopkins University, School of Advanced International Studies Non-Degree Principles of Economics Online Course	Washington D.C December 2011

PROFESSIONAL EXPERIENCE:

07/2013- Current The CUNY Research Foundation <i>Research Assistant Database Manager, Center for Puerto Rican Studies</i>	New York, New York
9/2012- 4/2013 The New School for Social Research Economics Department	New York, New York
07/2011-9/2012 Puerto Rico House of Representatives <i>Legislative Assistant, Representative José L. Rivera-Guerra</i>	San Juan, Puerto Rico
06/2011-7/2011 Legislative Assembly Internship <i>Intern, Representative José L. Rivera-Guerra</i>	San Juan, Puerto Rico
01/2011-06/2011 US House of Representatives <i>Intern, Office of Congresswoman Ileana Ros-Lehtinen</i> <i>Foreign Affairs Committee</i>	Washington D.C.
08/10-12/10 Ramos Comas Legislative Internship <i>Intern, Office Representative José L. Rivera-Guerra</i>	San Juan, PR

SEMINARS, CONFERENCES AND WORKSHOPS

ILSSO International Leadership Seminar for State Officers; January, 2012 (Popular Republic of China: Nanjing, Beijing, Xian and Shanghai)

Help participants develop a global perspective and become more culturally aware of the diversity in agriculture business around the world.

The Washington Center; January 2011 (District of Columbia)

Provides to selected students around the World, challenging opportunities to work and learn in Washington, D.C., for academic credit.

SPC State President Conference; July 2007 (District of Columbia)

Helps the participants to create personal growth plans, master speech, writing and delivery and develop personal management skills. In addition, participant held meetings with recognized leaders such as President George W. Bush during a meeting at the White House as well presidents and CEO of renowned corporations during the different sessions of the conference.
Washington DC

NLCSSO National Leadership Conference for State Officers; June 2007 (Orlando, Florida)

Helps participants to identify their strengths and weaknesses as a group, and learn advanced interpersonal communication strategies and presentation delivery techniques.

Puerto Rico Leadership Congress; April 2007 (San Juan, Puerto Rico)

Provides a unique experience of the professional, corporate and enterprise world for outstanding students of School adult, university and professional and its ex students when preparing them for the life and the work.

CIVIC ENGAGEMENT EXPERIENCES

Staff, National Association of Secretaries of State Summer Conference.
July, 2012; San Juan, Puerto Rico

Volunteer, DC Central Kitchen.
March, 2011; Washington DC

Staff, Annual Convention of the Puerto Rican Chamber of Commerce.
June, 2007; Fajardo, Puerto Rico

MEMBERSHIP AND AFFILIATIONS

Rotary International
Member Since July/2012-present

Fulbright Association
Member Since April/2012-present

Golden Key Honor Society University of Puerto Rico, Rio Piedras Chapter

Member Since August/2010-Present

LEO Club Arecibo, P.R.

Chapter President August/2010-September/2012

Arranged civic engagement activities, coordinate conventions and chair meetings.

Lions International, Hatillo, P.R.

Ambassador 2008-2009

Represented the Club through a variety of civic activities.

National FFA Organization Puerto Rico Association

State President 2006-2007

Events planning, increased student participation, represent the association in Nation- wide activities.

Department of Education San Juan, P.R.

Counselor of the Secretary of Education 2003-2007

Share with the Secretary of Education the current situation of Puerto Rico's public schools.

ADDITIONAL SKILL AND INTEREST

IT Skills- Windows (2000, 2003, XP, Vista, Windows 7 and 8), UNIX, Linux and Macintosh; Software: MS Office Suite, Mathematica, STATA, MS SQL Server, Visio, I.T.S. and ROC; Databases: Data Ferrett, Access and File Maker Pro.

Language Proficiency- Spanish: Oral and Written (Native Speaker), English: written and Oral (Professional) and French: Oral (Introductory).

Other Interest - International Relations, foreign Policy, decision making, political and economic development, political economy, politics, peace and conflict studies.

References are available upon request.

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