

Join #CienciaBoricua events at SACNAS! ^[1]

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Add [#CienciaBoricua events](#) ^[3] to your personal calendar at SACNAS! From October 27th to the 29th the Puerto Rico Convention Center will be filled with the flavor, knowledge, and strength of Puerto Rican science. Several members of our [CienciaPR team](#) ^[4] and community will speak at panels, present posters, and facilitate professional development workshops. We've made it easy for you not to miss a beat! Take a look at our [#CienciaBoricua at SACNAS Calendar](#) ^[3] and follow us on [Twitter](#) ^[5] with the [#CienciaBoricua](#) ^[6] [#2022NDiSTEM](#) ^[8] hashtags.

There will also be **essential mentoring sessions** led by team members and collaborators at our booth, located at the entrance of the Exhibit Hall. Take advantage of this opportunity to get professional advice from the CienciaPR team about your interest in putting science in service of society. The first four people to arrive at each mentoring session will receive beautiful posters from our [Aqui Nos Cuidamos](#) [9] collection.

Thursday, October 27th

Communities for marginalized identities in STEM (2:30 - 3:15pm)

Get advice on how to find or create supportive communities that provide encouragement, visibility, and advice to people from historically excluded backgrounds in STEM.

Giovanna Guerrero Medina, PhD - Executive Director, CienciaPR

Marcos Ramos, PhD - Founder & President, Ciencia en Tus Manos Inc

Supporting women and girls in STEM (4:15 - 5:00pm)

Chat with leading advocates for girls and women in STEM about programs and strategies that promote gender equity in these disciplines.

Gretchen Díaz Muñoz, PhD - Director, Science Education Program & Community Partnerships, CienciaPR

Liz Hernández Matías, PhD - Senior Education Specialist, CienciaPR

Ana María Porras, PhD - Assistant Prof of Biomedical Engineering, Science Communicator & AAAS IF/ THEN Ambassador

Friday, October 28th

Strategies for effective science communication (9:30 -10:15am)

Connect with science communication experts to take your science communication game to the next level and give back to the communities you care about.

Mónica Feliú-Mójer, Phd - Director, Communications & Science Outreach, CienciaPR

Edmy Ayala Rosado - Community Projects Manager, CienciaPR

Getting involved in K-12 education and outreach (2:30 - 3:15pm)

Learn from science education and outreach experts about how to collaborate and work with K-12 schools, educators, and students.

Elvin Estrada - Education Program Coordinator, CienciaPR

We will also have some fun raffles to win [#PuertoRicoEsCiencia](#) merchandise [10]! All you have to do is visit our booth and register at cienciapr.org or update your profile, and you'll automatically receive a ticket to participate. Winners will be announced on October 28 at 3:30pm [via our Twitter channel](#) [5].

At CienciaPR we're excited to connect with you and share what we know, come by our booth to chat, join our mentoring sessions and enjoy [#CienciaBoricua](#) at [SACNAS](#) [3].

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