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Education

August 17-Present

Bachelor

University of Puerto Rico, Bayamon

Major: Human Biology

August 14- May 17

Student

University Gardens High School

Research Experience

January 15 - Present

Volunteer Student, Department of Biochemistry, Universidad Central del Caribe - School of Medicine, Bayamón, Principal investigator: Dr. Michelle Martinez- Montemayor,

Investigation in cancer title has: Effects in *Ganoderma lucidum* (GLE) in breast cancer cell viability, migration, and protein expression.

Volunteer Service

May 2017-Present

Volunteer Iniciativa Comunitaria, Carolina, Puerto Rico

Iniciativa Comunitaria is an organization that help people homeless and with addiction.

January 2008 - Present

Volunteer

Visiting elderly people in my community.

February 2015 - April 15

Captain San Jorge Children's Foundation, San Juan, Puerto Rico

My class and I collect personal hygiene articles for the foundation, to help the families, while a patient is in the hospital receiving treatment.

Extracurricular Activities

February 2015 - May 2017

National Honor Society

As a member I participate in leadership, service, academic and character development projects and activities.

Awards/Certificates

December 2018

MAC Travel Award

Award that is granted by the American Society of Cell Biology Minorities Affairs Committee.

May 2018

Puerto Rico Cancer Meeting 2018

Participate as an a oral presenter

December 2017

American Society of Cell Biology Minorities Affairs Committee 2017

Special Recognition in the Minorities Affairs Committee Poster Session.

MAC Travel Award

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March 2016

Sciences Fair Regional

The Sciences Fair Regional- I competed in the Biomedical Health category, were I obtained First Place.

February 2016

Sciences Fair District

Won the first place in the Medicine and Biomedical Sciences category.

January 2016

Sciences Fair

Investigation on Breast cancer. Winner in the category of Health and grand Price

April 2015

STEMMED II

STEMMED II is an organization that provides workshops for high school students. Participating in this workshop I learned about the aquatic environment in Puerto Rico.

Skills/Academic Achievement

June 2016

Student Techno Challenge

Student Techno Challenge Competition, a competition were you have to complete different strategies designed by NASA Engineers.

October 2016

Microsoft Excel Specialist

September 2016

Microsoft PowerPoint Specialist

July 2016

Microsoft Word Specialist

April 2016

Junior Sciences and Humanities Symposium

Junior Science and Humanities Symposium is a competition sponsored by the Department of the Army, Navy and Air Force. In Puerto Rico, 149 students participated this year, and I was awarded with the 5th place for my investigation on breast cancer