

# JOAQUIN E. PÉREZ

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## EDUCATION

**Cornell University**  
**COLLEGE OF ENGINEERING**  
*Candidate for Bachelor of Science in Mechanical Engineering*

**Ithaca, New York**  
*Anticipated Graduation: May 2028*  
GPA: 3.7

**Colegio Marista de Guaynabo**  
**Eagle Scout, U.S. Presidential Scholars Program Nominee, HSF Scholar, AP Scholar (2024)**  
SAT: 1490 (740 English, 750 Math)

**Guaynabo, Puerto Rico**  
*Graduation: May 2024*  
GPA 4.0/4.0

## CAMPUS INVOLVEMENT

**CORNELL HYPERLOOP PROJECT TEAM**  
*Business Subteam Member*

**Ithaca, New York**  
*September 2025 – Present*

- Contributed to strategy for securing partnerships, ensuring sustainable financial backing for prototyping and competition participation.
- Created marketing initiatives to raise awareness of Cornell Hyperloop, enhancing brand presence and attracting potential sponsors.
- Assisted in competition logistics by analyzing sponsorship opportunities and aligning financial strategies with Hyperloop project goals.

**ASSOCIATION OF LATINO PROFESSIONALS FOR AMERICA (ALPFA)**  
*Vice President of Outreach*

**Ithaca, New York**  
*February 2025 – Present*

- Completed 10-week New Member Education Program, learning key professional skills like effective communication and team building
- Demonstrated excellent success in sales skills by cooperating actively in club fundraising and surpassing predetermined profit goals.
- Engaged in networking events and mentorship programs, fostering connections with high-ranking industry professionals and peers.

**MEWS HALL EXECUTIVE BOARD**  
*Vice President*

**Ithaca, New York**  
*August 2024 - May 2024*

- Organized and facilitated several activities geared towards promoting camaraderie and positive relationships between students.
- Enhanced and developed key skills related to effective budgeting, team building, and comprehensive project management.
- Quantified and assessed several complex budgetary restrictions in order to plan and execute the most cost-effective activities.

## WORK EXPERIENCE

**PAOLO'S PLAYHOUSE COFFEE SHOP**  
*Barista*

**Santurce, Puerto Rico**  
*June 2024 – August 2024*

- Prepared and memorized over 20 different styles of drinks for customers, ensuring no cross contamination between products.
- Assisted the kitchen in making seven different types of sandwiches and four types of smoothies, creating equal service for customers.
- Practiced effective organization of workstations, maintaining cleanliness at all times for a productive and safe environment for guests.

**ISLA LAB PRODUCTS, LLC**  
*Administrative Assistant, Sales Department*

**Guaynabo, Puerto Rico**  
*July 2023 – August 2023*

- Learned about the different uses of 15+ medical devices and effectively completing sales, developing my communication skills.
- Received training on practical operation of sales, accounting, and business management softwares such as Excel and Sage.
- Coordinated with 50+ team members to streamline documentation and reporting processes, fostering organization in the workplace.

**LUIS MUÑOZ MARÍN FOUNDATION**  
*Intern, Historical Research Department*

**Trujillo Alto, Puerto Rico**  
*June 2023 – July 2023*

- Collaborated with the Foundation's team in maintaining and organizing the Archive's extensive library and public records system.
- Successfully preserved and restored historical documents, ensuring their longevity and promoting their accessibility for research.
- Led a project to renovate 120+ signs for tours surrounding the area, enhancing visitors' knowledge of the region's ecosystems.

## SKILLS

**Skills:** Fluent in English and Spanish, Basic Proficiency in MatLab, Proficient in Microsoft Word, Microsoft PowerPoint, Microsoft Excel.

**Relevant Coursework:** Calculus III, Physics II: Electricity & Magnetism, Macroeconomics