SHPE E-Board

Anthony Cruz

I would like to run for External Vice-President, Internal Vice-President or Publicity Chair.

I am running for a position on the E-Board because this group needs strong active leaders to take charge, and form a strong identity for the club. As a young group it is necessary for the first official E-Board to be compromised of individuals who are willing to dedicate numerous hours of their weeks in order to plan out events, recruit, and build a community for all Hispanic students at Brown. SHPE has not succeeded in the past, and my hopes are that this time it solidifies into a strong core group for Engineering and STEM students from historically underrepresented groups. SHPE should be a club people go to for school help, career advice, and most importantly, to hang out with similarly motivated students. As I have attended most of our events, I would aim to increase the number of interested people that hear about these events as well as increase the number of those that actually attend through listserv emails and various social media outlets. I would create a SHPE website to display the impressive things we do and build an online presence. I would increase the number of meaningful employment opportunities available to us through the collaboration with the Career Lab and each Department’s IPP’s as well as industry friends. My long-term goals are to increase the number of Hispanic STEM majors receiving internships at top companies as well as the number of Hispanic students receiving grants for their individual/group research. As an executive member of SHPE, I think I can accomplish these goals, as well as be a mentor/friend to all members in this club.

Thanks.