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Education

University of Puerto Rico - Río Piedras Campus

August 2019 - Present

Bachelor of Science in Computational Mathematics and Statistics

Second major in Computer Science, minor in Human Rights

General GPA: 3.97 | Major GPA: 3.92

Expected Graduation Date: May 2024

Research Experience

NYC Discrete Math REU

June 2022 - August 2022

- Mentor: Dr. Matthew Junge (jungem13@gmail.com)
- Research in Clustered Ballistic Annihilation

Undergraduate Research

January 2021 - December 2021

- Mentor: Dr. Ivelisse Rubio (iverubio@gmail.com)
- Research in Involutions of Finite Fields Obtained from Dickson Polynomials.

Mathematical Science Research Institute - REU

June 2021 - July 2021

- Mentor: Dr. Pamela E. Harris (peh2@williams.edu)
- MSRI-UP Parking Functions: Choose Your Own Adventure
- Research on Defective Parking Functions

Teaching Experience

Discrete Mathematics Tutor

August 2021 - December 2021

- Supervisor: José R. Ortiz Ubarri (jose.ortiz23@upr.edu)
- Tutor in the Stipend Program project: Design and Development: Scholar COMPASS: Scholarships, Community, and Peer Academic Support for Success

Tutoring Assistant at EMT Solution

January 2020 - February 2020

- Supervisor: María Rodríguez (emtsolution@outlook.com)
- Review for the Math section of the College Board Exam

Work Experience

Webpage Developer

January 2022 - December 2022

- Supervisor: Ivelisse Rubio (iverubio@gmail.com)
- Updated the *Laboratorio Emmy Noether* webpage

Office Work: Biology Department UPR-RP

August 2019 - May 2020

- Supervisor: Angela Pelet (angela.pelet1@upr.edu)
- Assisted students during the enrollment process
- Organized and delivered important documents

Presentations and Talks

The Defective Parking Space

April 2022

- Join Mathematics Meeting 2022 (virtual talk)

Orbits of Defective Parking Functions and the Infinity Norm

October 2021

- SACNAS Poster Presentation

The Defective Parking Space

July 2021

- MSRI-UP REU Presentations (virtual talk)

Computer Skills

Proficient in the programming languages:

- Python
- C++
- R

Experienced in WordPress and HTML

Languages

Spanish

- Native language
- Advances skills on writing, reading and speaking

English

- Advances skills on writing, reading and speaking

Awards and Honors

Dean's Honor List

January 2020 - Present

AEELA Scholarship

August 2020 - May 2024

- Scholarship for the children and grandchildren of the members of AEELA

Scholar COMPASS: Francis Castro Scholarship

August 2022 - May 2023

Hispanic Scholarship Fund Scholar Designation

2022

Graduate Research Opportunities for Women (GROW) Conference

October 2022

- One of the 82 participants selected to form part of this conference

Tapia 2022 Conference Scholarship

September 2022

Scholar COMPASS: Francis Castro Scholarship

August 2021 - May 2022

Hispanic Scholarship Fund Scholar Designation

2021

Grace Hopper Celebration Scholarship

September 2021

Scholar COMPASS: Francis Castro Scholarship

August 2020 - May 2021

Rafael Carrión Jr. Award for Academic Excellence

August 2019

Extracurricular Activities

General Student Council

September 2022 - Present

- Vice president (November 2022 - Present)
- Alternate representative to the University Board (September 2022 - October 2022)

Student Council of the College of Natural Sciences

September 2022 - Present

- Representative to the General Student Council

Computer Science Student Association (AECC)

August 2022 - Present

- Member of the association
- Member of the directive: secretary (August 2022 - May 2023)

Student Council of the College of Natural Sciences

August 2019 - August 2020

- Mathematics Representative