San German, Puerto Rico March 20<sup>th</sup>, 2013

Dr. Mary-Beth A. Cooper Senior Vice President for Student Affairs Rochester Institute of Technology 1 Lomb Memorial Drive Rochester, NY 14623

Dr. Mary-Beth A. Cooper:

I address to you on regard of my interest to work as a Graduate Assistance at the Rochester Institute of Technology. Recently I graduated from the University of Puerto Rico at Mayaguez -with a BS in Civil Engineering- and I am currently interested in enhancing my professional experiences and to pursue a Master degree in Architecture at the Golisano Institute for Sustainability. With this goal in mind, I would appreciate to update my career and enhance my experience. I am currently in the process to study to pass the EIT exam, and to take the LEED GA exam, to be more prepared in courses and certifications than can help the construction industry for the new XXI Century. Attached this document is a copy of my résumé.

Thanks for your attention,

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## David Santiago-Bonilla

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OBJECTIVE : To gain experience as a Graduate Assistance while studying at the Rochester Institute of Technology.

EDUCATION : University of Puerto Rico, Mayaguez Campus (2006-2012)

B.S. in Civil Engineering, curricular sequence in Art

GPA: 3.10/4.00

EXPERIENCE : •IDA Tutoring Center; San German, PR October- December 2012

Tutoring Math and Science classes for junior high school students

•Research in **Public transportation systems: Implementation for new communities**Fall Semester 2011

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Research in transportation engineering, public transportation systems, and its advantages in dense populated areas. Research as part of the Civil Engineering

Seminar course (INCI4019)

•Volunteer in Community project group Fall Semester 2011

Community of Poblado Rosario, San German, PR

Brought solutions to engineering related problems in the community, with agricultural engineering and sustainable emphasis, as part of the *Construction Engineering II* course (INCI4056)

•Volunteer in Community project group Fall Semester 2009

Community of Pepe Hoyos, Cayey, PR

Brought solutions to engineering related problems, developing structural improvements to the

community's park as part of the Construction Engineering I course (INCI4055)

•Reparto Saman Inc., Cabo Rojo, PR Summer & Winter 2008-2007

Assistant in construction management's office work

COURSES : •Creating a Sustainable Campus November 16th, 2012

Seminar, given by New Jersey Institute of Technology and Kean University faculty members, with

emphasis in creating sustainability awareness at colleges using modern scientific approaches, at UPR-Mayaguez

•LEED Green Associate course December, 2011

US Green Building Council professional course for the GBCl's Examinations, at UPR-Mayaguez

CERTIFICATIONS : •Construction Safety and Health Certification

Outreach Training Program 30-hour Occupational and Health Training Course

Occupational Safety and Health Administration (OSHA).

SKILLS : •Computer knowledge: Microsoft Office, programming in VBA, autoCAD, WinPAS, Matlab, Google SketchUp,

basic Adobe Photoshop.

Interpersonal skills: Sustainable design, green building, report writing, teamwork, problem solving, research, blueprints reading

Communication skills: Fluent in English and Spanish

ACTIVITIES : •Member of the American Concrete Institute; 2012-current

Editor & member of the Puerto Rico's Civil Engineers Institute student chapter
 Member of the U.S. Green Building Council student chapter;
 Member of the University's Creative Artistic Workshop (TACU);
 Member of the American General Contractors student chapter;
 Member of the Honor Roll of the Engineering Faculty of UPRM;

INTERESTS : •Architecture •Engineering •Sustainable designs •Green building • Urbanism •Art & Culture

Tropical design
 Structural design

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