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EDUCATION

Universidad del Sagrado Corazón | San Juan, PR (August 2025-Present)
Double major in Psychology and Visual Arts with a Neuroscience minor

RESEARCH EXPERIENCE

University of Puerto Rico, Molecular Science Research Center, San Juan, PR
Center for Neuroplasticity
Undergraduate Research Assistant (March 2026-present)

MindCORE Summer Research Fellowship, University of Pennsylvania, Philadelphia, PA
Wharton Neuroscience Initiative, Humanities and Human Flourishing Project
Undergraduate research assistant (June 2026- August 2026)

Universidad del Sagrado Corazón. San Juan, PR
Volunteer research assistant (October 2025-April 2026)

Fundación Dr. Raúl García Rinaldi, San Juan. PR (May 2024-August 2024)
Summer Intern

OTHER EXPERIENCE

Fundación Dr. Raul Garcia Rinaldi
Alumn Program (January- August, 2026)
Research committee leader
Graphic Designer

Alianza por un Puerto Rico sin drogas
Drug use prevention pilot project (August 2024-May 2025)
Committee member

Fundación Dr. Raul Garcia Rinaldi
Summer Program (May 2024- August 2024)
Research committee member
Research group leader
Community service group deputy leader
Clinical observer

San Lucas Summer Science Internship
Clinical Observer (July 2023)

Semillas de Triunfo, Ciencia Puerto Rico (August 2021- May 2022)

Student

STUDENT ORGANIZATIONS & INVOLVEMENT

Sagrado Corazón Neuroscience Association (August 2025-Present)
Member

Sagrado Corazón Psychology Association (August 2025-Present)
Member

Puerto Rico Psychological Association (September 2025-Present)
Member

Ponceño Jr. Doctors Club (August 2023- May 2025)
President (2024-2025)
Public relations officer (2023-2024)

Ponceño Cancer Research Society (August 2024- May 2025)
Founding Secretary

Senior Class Board (September 2024- May 2025)
President (January-May 2025)
Treasurer (September-December 2024)

PUBLICATIONS & CREATIVE PROJECTS

National dress Miss Petite Global Puerto Rico – Painter (2026)
Siembra tu semilla del triunfo – Contributing author and artist (2025)
Visión 20/50 – Individual art exhibition (2025) Escuela Especializada de Bellas Artes de Ponce

CERTIFICATIONS

Citi Program Social and Behavioral Research
Citi Program Biomedical Responsible Conduct of Research
Citi Program Animal Care and Use
Citi Program Learner Groups: Researchers

AWARDS & ACKNOWLEDGEMENT

Sagrado Achievers (Universidad del Sagrado Corazón, 2025)
San José de Calasanz Award (Colegio Ponceño, 2025)
Piedad y Letras Award (Colegio Ponceño, 2025)
Miguel Pou Award (Escuela Especializada de Bellas Artes de Ponce, 2025)

RELEVANT SKILLS

Data Visualization & Analysis (R)
Qualtrics