

LaGuardia Community College

2016 Student Senator Elections – Candidate Profile

Richard Rojas

How did you become interested in running for College Senate?

I became interested in running for Senate due to my passion in public service. I have had variety of experiences doing community service throughout my 18 years of life. I cannot truly detail how amazing doing service has been for me. A guilty pleasure of mine is helping others, helps me.

What are some basic principles that would guide your leadership as a member of the College Senate?

Basic Principles of mine is simple: Assertiveness & Work Ethic. To be able to lead requires someone who can be confident to do the position efficiently. To be confident and efficient requires work ethic. I profusely work to be informative and be able to connect well with others to resolve the issues. They go hand-in-hand when it comes to being a leader.

Why should a student vote for you to represent them?

A student should vote for me because I am someone who is compassionate and enjoys doing public service. My major is Electrical Engineering. College Senate is not related with science, but I enjoy doing it. Everyone has their own goals in life and I want to be in service to help others look for that and achieve it. My goal is to be bigger than myself and as I grow, I want others to grow with me too.

