

SOMOS el Futuro

Somos el Futuro, Inc. Mission Statement

Mission

Somos el Futuro, Inc. is a nonpartisan, nonprofit 501(c) 3 organization. Its mission is to create a platform for legislators, scholars, business and labor leaders, as well as representatives from the community, to unite and address the various issues and concerns that are pertinent to the Puerto Rican/Hispanic community. Said platform is the Somos el Futuro Bi-Annual Conferences. The first Conference takes place in Albany, New York during the spring and the second Conference is held in San Juan, Puerto Rico during the month of November.

Vision

To be the leading statewide organization for policy and advocacy in the Hispanic community and to serve as a bridge to opportunities for Hispanics of all backgrounds to expand their influence.

Goals and Objectives

- To create opportunities that will facilitate the development and growth of Hispanic youth. The Somos el Futuro organization uses the funds collected through its conferences to sponsor Hispanic youth with:
 - Scholarships, which encourage furthering their education
 - Internships while in college, which help promote retention
 - Apprenticeships, which introduce newly, graduated youth into the public, labor, nonprofit, and private sector.
- To spread awareness and recruit support to current and upcoming legislation that would address issues pertaining to the Hispanic community.
- To provide an opportunity for collaboration, communication and the exchanging of ideas among Hispanic organizations in order to address the needs of the Hispanic community.