

Presidential Salute

Florida International University



March 29, 2018

Dear members of the university community,

Please join me in recognizing Daniel A. Gutierrez for his admirable dedication and commitment to delivering excellent service to the FIU community. A proud FIU alumnus, holding a Bachelor of Science degree in Information Technology, Daniel joined the FIU family as a Student Assistant for the Center of Administration of Justice on April 17, 2008. In 2012, he transferred to the Office of Research and Economic Development as a Coordinator of Computer Systems Control. Most recently he was promoted to Sr. Application Business Analyst.

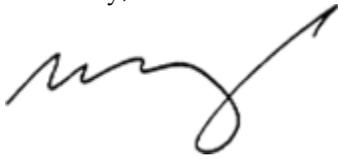
Daniel's commitment and love for FIU is evident through his every day work ethic. Not only is he dependable but he is responsible, respectful, always courteous and, above all, proud of our FIU. His nominator, Jeisa Hernandez-Thomas, Grants Assistant, Office of Research and Economic Development, stated that he personifies FIU's core values: Truth, Freedom, Respect, Responsibility and Excellence. She is confident that her sentiments are echoed by those who interact with Daniel on a daily basis and have come to rely on his extraordinary level of service and knowledge. His supervisor, David W. Driesbach, Assistant Vice President, Office of Research and Economic Development, whole-heartedly agrees and has expressed how fortunate they are to have him on the team.

Jeisa also shared that Daniel is well deserving of this salute as he embodies what it means to be Worlds Ahead. Daniel offers an “excellent balance between disseminating technological services, which keeps our office providing university and sponsor support, and the personal connection of superb customer service. His leadership ensures the responsible stewardship of research activities.”

[Meet Daniel](#) and you will clearly see his exemplary passion for our great university. We are proud and grateful to have him as part of the FIU Worlds Ahead family!

I look forward to learning of the next candidate for the Presidential Salute. If you know someone deserving of this recognition, please let us know. To submit your nomination, please [click here](#).

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read 'Mark B. Rosenberg', with a stylized flourish at the end.

Mark B. Rosenberg
President