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**Other important links:**

Purdue University
[http://www.purdue.edu/](http://www.purdue.edu/)

Latino Cultural Center
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**Puerto Rican Student Association**

Purdue University

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**Puerto Rico in Purdue…**

- A community of 75+ undergraduates and graduates students from Puerto Rico at Purdue University.

- The students span over 15 + different departments.

**PRSA facts…**


- Work in conjunction with other Latino organizations in Purdue.

- The PRSA is part of the Latino Cultural Center in Purdue.

- The PRSA have a commitment of providing Community Services and Professional, Cultural, Social and Recreational activities for the members.
**PRSA Goals:**

1. Establishment and maintenance of a comfortable environment to students at Purdue University.

2. We will provide different academic, professional and socio-cultural activities to encourage the discussion of Puerto Rican affairs.

3. We will sponsor workshops, seminars and conferences of professional development for undergraduate and graduate students.

4. We will promote links between the community, corporations, and non-profit organizations near the Greater Lafayette surroundings.

5. We will provide some social and recreational activities to their members.

6. The PRSA is a bilingual organization that recognizes and respects the right of individuals to use the language of preference in any circumstance of life. The PRSA promotes a comfortable environment for efficient communication among members and non-members in which the use of the language of preference should be spontaneous and flexible.

**Activities:**

**Community Services:**

Fall Harvest Food Drive, Season of Sharing, Diabetes Screening (photo), and more…

**Professional Activities:**

Resume workshop, conferences, leadership retreat (photo), and more…

**Social Activities:**

Parties, Thanksgiving Dinner (photo), BBQ’s, and more…

**Contact Services:**

Contact Puerto Rican community at Purdue campus as well in other universities in the US.

**Cultural Activities:**

Bomba Café, Hispano Heritage Month, and more…(photo: Plena Libre concert in Purdue)

**Recreational Activities:**

Boricuas Softball team (photo), softball and volleyball tournament, bowling night, and more…

**And Fun Activities…**

Parties, trips, and more…

For more photos and information, visit us: [http://web.ics.purdue.edu/~prsa](http://web.ics.purdue.edu/~prsa)