Athletic Training Student Selected for Eminent National Leadership Symposia in Athletic Training

The Collegiate Sports Medicine Foundation has awarded Christina Orozco, a full-scholarship to participate in the Second Annual Athletic Training Student Leadership Workshop held May 2007 in Fort Lauderdale, Florida.

"I'm extremely excited that I have been given this opportunity. It is a great honor to represent Fresno State, my district (California, Hawaii, and Nevada), and the student generation of athletic training today. Meeting the leaders of my profession (NATA) and other students around the country will give me a better insight on what athletic training truly is about. I'm eager to comeback and share my experience with my peers."

The scholarship consists airfare, hotel, and meals. The meeting will focus on leadership qualities, past, present and future of the athletic training professionals, graduate preparation, job opportunities, research and organizational skills for a leader in the health care field. Faculty will consist of present and past NATA leaders in an open format to provide students with an opportunity to connect with those individuals that have shaped the profession of athletic training.

Christina first attended Fresno State in the fall of 2006 and intends to graduate in the spring of 2008. She received her Associates of Arts in Physical Education from Antelope Valley College in May of 2006 and attended Arcadia High School, where began her athletic she training experience. Christina lives in Palmdale where she hopes to comeback to her junior college to establish an athletic training program as a trainer and professor. Her goals also include to work within Major League Baseball and become a leader within the Athletic Training Profession.



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