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¡Hola todos! We're almost halfway through the year, and we are thrilled to announce our second in-person event! Take a few minutes to read about our latest updates and upcoming events.

As always, we would like to hear from you! If you have comments, suggestions, or ideas, please email us at latinxsinsustainability@latinoverde.org.

[[S Updates

LIS Professional Development Stipend



etc. So far, LIS has committed to support 7 members totaling \$1,150 in stipends. There are still a limited amount of funds available for a few more stipends. Members can still apply to receive support through this <u>application</u>. Given our limited resources, we are prioritizing Latinx applicants who are LIS members (receiving the newsletter and/or belonging to the LinkedIn group).

Below are some statements from some of the first recipients of the LIS PD Stipend:

- "The LIS Professional Development stipend has been extremely helpful and beneficial to me in a tremendous way... supporting my EIT license test application, a key next step in my professional career."
- "It isn't just about the financial assistance, it is also about knowing there is a community that is supporting me and wants me to succeed."
- "The Latinx in Sustainability professional development stipend has been beneficial in my
 preparation to find a summer internship by allowing me to complete a certificate on data
 analytics and visualization."

LIS Inclusive Mentorship

This Spring LIS launched an inclusive mentorship program because we believe that when more Latinx mentors exist, more Latinx individuals can succeed. Our Inclusive Mentorship Program matches folks with common lived experiences, which makes them the best source of knowledge for how to overcome barriers and navigate this new and emerging sustainability field. We matched 16 individuals in this first cohort and participants will benefit from our support as well as facilitated quarterly *charlas*.

Upcoming Events



After two years of virtual events, we're excited to announce our first inperson event in the East Coast! Join Latinxs in Sustainability on June 16 for Juntos este junio with Latinxs in Sustainability.

You're invited to this after work happy hour in Jersey City, NJ where we will meet for drinks and connect with other Latinx professionals in or interested in the sustainability industry!

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Registration required. Limited seats. RVSP here.

When: Thursday, June 16, 2022 @ 6pm EDT

Where: Legal Grounds Café, 170 Grand St., Jersey City, NJ 07302

Cost: \$5 entrance fee to support LIS efforts to expand our programs and opportunities

Past Events

LIS is elevating its presence in San Diego! At our first in person happy hour, attendees had a wonderful time meeting and connecting with others that are eager to show that representation matters. Be on the lookout for more events, or reach out to us if you're interested in helping organize them. LIS is a volunteer-led organization and if you are interested in organizing a meet up in your city let us know so we can help!



Job and Internship Opportunities

For internship, fellowship, and job postings, follow us on LinkedIn!









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