

BOARD OF TRUSTEES AGENDA

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(A) ☐ Report Only ☐ Recognition

**Presenter(s): SAMUEL MIJARES, DEPUTY SUPERINTENDENT FOR C & I
JOHN COX, EAGLE PASS HIGH SCHOOL PRINCIPAL**
Briefly describe the subject of the report or recognition presentation.

**RECOGNITION OF STUDENT MICHAEL LOZANO WHO REPRESENTED
EAGLE PASS HIGH SCHOOL AT THE CONGRESS OF FUTURE SCIENCE
AND TECHNOLOGY LEADERS IN BOSTON, MASSACHUSETTS.**

(B) ☐ Action Item

Presenter(s):

Briefly describe the action required.

(C) **Funding source: Identify the source of funds if any are required.**

(D) **Clarification: Explain any question or issues that might be raised regarding this item.**




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Memorandum

To: Mr. Samuel Mijares, Deputy Superintendent for C & I
From: Mr. John M. Cox, EPHS Principal 
Subject: Student Recognition October Board Meeting
Date: September 25, 2017

I would like to formally request that the following student be recognized at the next regular board meeting.

Michael Lozano, senior, 11th grade student, represented Eagle Pass High School and CC Winn High School and the State of Texas at the Congress of Future Science and Technology Leaders in Boston, Massachusetts where he received his Award of Excellence, certifying his successful completion of the Congress.

If you have any questions please call me at your convenience.

Thank you in advance.

See Attachment:



The National Leadership Academies

Honored Mentors and Speakers (2014-2017)

Mario Capecchi, Ph.D.
Nobel Prize in Medicine
National Medal of Science

J. Craig Venter, Ph.D.
National Medal of Science
World Renowned Genomist

Rainer Weiss, Ph.D.
Special Breakthrough Prize in
Fundamental Physics
MIT Professor Emeritus of Physics

Jack Szostak, Ph.D.
Nobel Prize in Medicine

David Wineland, Ph.D.
Nobel Prize in Physics
National Medal of Science

George M. Whitesides, Ph.D.
National Medal of Science
Harvard University Chemistry Professor

John C. Mather, Ph.D.
Nobel Prize in Physics

Sir Richard Roberts, Ph.D.
Nobel Prize in Medicine

Ferid Murad, M.D., Ph.D.
Nobel Prize in Medicine

Dean Kamen
National Medal of Technology & Innovation
Legendary Inventor

Cherry Murray, Ph.D.
Harvard School of Engineering
and Applied Sciences Dean (2009-2014)

Stephen Ray Mitchell, M.D., MBA
Medical Education Dean at Georgetown
University

Boris D. Lushniak, M.D., M.P.H.
United States Surgeon General
(2013-2014)

Aneesh Chopra
United States Chief Technology Officer
(2009-2012)

Sylvester James Gates, Jr., Ph.D.
National Medal of Science

Marc Raibert, Ph.D.
Founder and CTO of Boston Dynamics

Robert M. Metcalfe, Ph.D.
National Medal of Technology & Innovation
Inventor of the Ethernet

David Roberts, M.D.
External Education Dean at Harvard
Medical School

Friday, September 15, 2017

Mr. Jesus Diaz-Wever
Principal
Eagle Pass High School-Cc Winn Campus
265 Foster Maldonado Blvd.
Eagle Pass, TX 78852

Nomination Deadline: October 20, 2017

Dear Mr. Diaz-Wever:

In June, Michael Lozano represented Eagle Pass High School-Cc Winn Campus and the State of Texas at the Congress of Future Science and Technology Leaders in Boston, Massachusetts. I am delighted to enclose Michael's official Award of Excellence, certifying his successful completion of the Congress.

As Michael's principal, we think it only appropriate that he receive the enclosed Award from you. I know he has been waiting for it.

When you present Michael his Award of Excellence, please take the time to sit down and learn more about the remarkable life-changing experiences he had at the Congress. You can watch a 3-minute highlight film at www.SciTechLeaders.com.

Michael was surrounded by many fellow high school students who share his passion, ability and potential.

So many Delegates found new friends to help them reach their dreams and future colleagues to collaborate with.

Michael was personally taught by some of the **greatest living minds in science and technology** – winners of the world's most prestigious international prizes, such as:

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- David J. Wineland, Ph.D., Winner, 2012 Nobel Prize in Physics and Recipient of the National Medal of Science;
- Sheldon Glashow, Ph.D., Winner, 1979 Nobel Prize in Physics;
- Rainer Weiss, Ph.D., Winner, 2016 Special Breakthrough Prize in Fundamental Physics and Professor Emeritus of Physics at MIT;
- Sylvester James Gates, Jr., Ph.D., Recipient of the National Medal of Science and Professor of Physics at Brown University;
- Robert M. Metcalfe, Ph.D., Inventor of the Ethernet, Founder of 3Com and Recipient of the National Medal of Technology and Innovation; and
- J. Craig Venter, Ph.D., Recipient of the Presidential National Medal of Science.

Michael was also inspired by **young geniuses** who are leading the future of science and technology, including:

- Jack Andraka, 2012 Intel Science and Engineering Fair Grand Prize Winner, breakthrough inventor, scientist and cancer researcher;
- Shree Bose, 2011 Google Science Fair Grand Prize Winner;
- Eric Chen, 2013 Google Science Fair Grand Prize Winner, 2013 Siemens Competition Grand Prize Winner and 2014 Intel Science and Talent Search Competition First Place Winner; and
- Paige Brown, 2016 Intel Science and Talent Search Competition First Place Winner.

I invite your participation to become a Member of The National Leadership Academies' **Honorary Board of Educators** and ask you to help us identify your best students through the enclosed nomination forms who meet all three of the following criteria:

- 1) They aspire to become physicians, scientists or technologists (including biomedical scientists, software and hardware technologists, engineers, and mathematicians);
- 2) In your opinion, they possess leadership potential; and
- 3) They have a GPA of 3.5 or above (or the equivalent), either current or cumulative.

We have enclosed one nomination form for you, and three additional nomination forms to distribute at your discretion to fellow educators in your school. All students nominated will receive an invitation, without obligation, to attend the **Congress of Future Science and Technology Leaders** or the **Congress of Future Medical Leaders**, to be held in Boston, Massachusetts, next summer.

Note: Each nomination form enclosed includes a full academic scholarship section. When you and your fellow educators are completing your nominations, please remember to each select one highly qualified student with financial need to receive a **full, unrestricted academic scholarship** fully waiving the Congress tuition.

The theme of each Congress is "**Greatness Awaits**," and it offers your best students an extraordinary opportunity to be mentored by some of the **most**

important leaders of our time - true giants of the profession who are fundamentally changing our future for the better at an awe-inspiring pace.

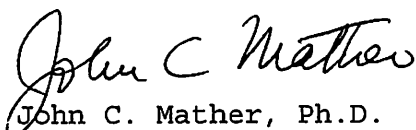
At the close of the Congress, you will receive your students' Awards of Excellence to present to them.

We will help your students prepare a news release for local TV stations and newspapers, and we will happily provide copies of their award certificate and letters confirming their nomination and attendance for them to share with the colleges and universities of their choice.

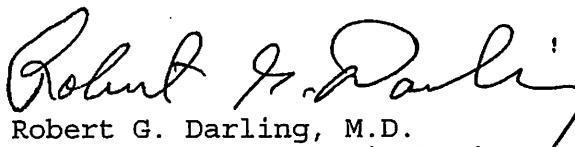
If you have any questions, please call our Educator VIP Office at 1-888-986-6929 or email VIP@TheNationalLeadershipAcademies.com.

Please note that this is an honors only program, and students must have a minimum GPA of 3.5 (or the equivalent), either cumulative or current, to be nominated.

With gratitude for your support,



John C. Mather, Ph.D.
National Academy Science Director
Winner, 2006 Nobel Prize in Physics



Robert G. Darling, M.D.
National Academy Medical Director
White House Physician to the
President of the United States
(1996 - 1999)
Director, Navy Medicine Office of
Homeland Security (2004 - 2006)

P.S. The Academies' primary founding principle is to honor and reward high-achieving students dedicated to medicine or the S.T.E.M subjects.

We will have a number of VIP educators and principals in attendance and would be delighted to have you observe the proceedings as our special guest in Boston.

If you cannot travel to Boston, we will make sure you and your fellow educators have complete live video access to the entire three days of events and receive copies of all educational materials without cost.

This will be one of the most meaningful and life-changing academic experiences of your students' young lives - a valuable head start toward the successes they dream of achieving. They will be recognized and honored for their achievements and potential.

The students you select will receive letters of nomination and all necessary information without obligation.

Please help us recognize and reward your students by returning the completed nomination forms in the enclosed postage paid envelopes no later than the deadline of October 20, 2017.

Thank you.