



Eighth Annual

Making A Difference In The Dominican Republic

May 9, 2018

Hostos Community College

Each year, DRSEA pays tribute to an individual or organization that has made a significant contribution to the advancement of Dominicans and the Dominican Republic, particularly in the areas of education and related youth issues. The selection of this year's honoree will be determined shortly

2017 Honoree – Philadelphia Phillies – One of only four Major League Baseball teams with a mandatory education program for Dominican prospects.

2016 Honoree – Arizona Diamondbacks, one of the three MLB teams to offer a mandatory education program

2015 Honoree - Together with his wife Carolina, Pedro Martinez runs the Pedro Martinez and Brothers Foundation, headquartered on the outskirts of Santo Domingo, where he helps impoverished youths in his hometown of Manoguayabo. In addition to operating a school, the Foundation has built 30-40 homes and two churches in his hometown. Their motto: "*Hay poder en aprender,*" or "There is power in learning." Martinez was elected to the National Baseball Hall of Fame in January 2015 with 91.1% of the votes.

2014 Honoree – Rafael Perez, Director, Dominican Office Operations for Major League Baseball. Perez initiated several education programs for Dominican prospects.

2013 Honoree – The Pittsburgh Pirates. The Pirates are one of a few MLB teams with a mandatory comprehensive education program for their Dominican prospects.

2012 Honoree – Lou Melendez, MLB executive who retired after 29 years with the league. Throughout his career, Melendez demonstrated an unwavering commitment to player education and community outreach programs in the Dominican Republic.

Proceeds Benefit the Dominican Republic Sports & Education Academy

The mission of the DRSEA is to educate young and gifted student athletes from around the world in the Dominican Republic, help develop their athletic skills, and give them the tools to succeed in life on and off the field. The fundraiser also supports the Kevin J.

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The National Consortium for Academics and Sports is a proud sponsor of the fifth annual DRSEA *“Making A Difference In The Dominican Republic.”*

The mission of the NCAS is “to create a better society by focusing on educational attainment and using the power and appeal of sport to positively affect social change.”

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The advertisement features a photograph of Pedro Martinez in a white Dominican Republic baseball jersey with "DOMINICANA" written across the chest. He is wearing a blue cap with a red "F" and sunglasses, and is holding a blue baseball cap. The background is a blurred baseball field. The text is overlaid on the right side of the image.



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