



Colegio De Profesionales Del Trabajo Social De Puerto Rico

NOMINATION OF LARRY ALICEA RODRÍGUEZ TO PRESIDENT OF THE LATIN AMERICAN AND CARIBBEAN REGION OF THE INTERNATIONAL FEDERATION OF SOCIAL WORKERS

The Board of Directors of the Colegio de Profesionales del Trabajo Social de Puerto Rico (CPTSPR) certifies the approval of the Motion for the endorsement of the nomination of social worker and President of our professional organization, Larry E. Alicea Rodriguez, for President of the Latin American and Caribbean Region of the International Federation of Social Workers (IFSW-LA).

At present, Mr. Alicea is the Vice President for IFSW Latin America and the Caribbean Region and therefore, member of the World Executive IFSW. In his professional capacity, he is the Director of the Program of Support to Victims of Sexual Abuse and Their Families at the Carlos Albizu University in San Juan, Puerto Rico.

Alicea's work is of great importance in the discussion of topics and key issues of the profession at the national, regional and international level, and will formidably represent Latin America and the Caribbean, validating the right of our region and our compromise to support and make aware the contributions of the Social Work of Latin America and the Caribbean before our colleagues at the ISWF.

The abilities of group work, leadership, effective communication, democratization of information, self assurance, capacity to analyze and search of alternatives that promote the collective construction of the goals defined, make him an ideal candidate for this position.

With this nomination Puerto Rico reiterates its commitment to actively and responsibly participate with the strengthening of social work at both, the regional and international level.

Lydael Vega Otero
First Vice President
Board Of Directors CPTSPR
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