



Arturo Sanchez
Candidate for CCISD Board of Trustees
District #3

Arturo works at NASA Johnson Space Center in the External Relations Office and is the Integration Manager supporting the International Space Station (ISS) Program. He serves as the strategic account manager and liaison to the ISS program for all external relations activities including public affairs, internal communications, employee engagement, legislative affairs, university partnerships, education, social media and exhibits. He returned to JSC in 2012, serving as the Manager for Higher Education and Student Programs until March 2014.

From 2006-2012, Arturo worked at Texas Instruments (TI) as the director of Education and Workforce Development. He led TI's corporate K-12 science, technology, engineering and mathematics (STEM) education programs and investments, as well as managed regional strategic university relationships. Arturo drafted and negotiated terms of TI's largest, single corporate funding commitment of \$5 million to Plano ISD which established Plano's STEM Academy High School.

Arturo started his career at JSC as a graduate Co-Op (Pathways) intern in 2000 and after graduation held positions in various offices, including education, equal opportunity programs, community and government relations, and communications and outreach.

Arturo has been an active volunteer within the district. He enjoys volunteering in the classroom through formal programs like Watch DOGS (Dads of Great Students) and in the classrooms of English Language Learners. He's also enjoyed helping with school activities like field day and the fall carnival. He worked closely with Brookwood Elementary school administration and staff as a parent representative, to evaluate Two-Way Immersion program possibilities set to begin in 2017-18. Most recently he participated in CCISD's Facility Advisory Committee which examined and recommended a list of prioritized capital projects to meet the District's needs for the next three to five years – shaping CCISD's Bond 17.

He served on the board of directors of the Greater Dallas Hispanic Chamber of Commerce, is a graduate of the Dallas Regional Chamber's Leadership Dallas program and led the Chamber's Education and Workforce Committee. He has received a number of awards and recognitions including NASA's Exceptional Achievement Medal, Hispanic Association on Corporate Responsibility Young Hispanic Corporate Achievers Award and JSC Director's Commendation Award.

Arturo was born and raised in Houston. He received a Bachelor of Business Administration from Texas A&M International University in Laredo, Texas where he served on the Student Senate and was elected twice to serve as Student Body President. He earned a Master of Public Service and Administration from the George Bush School of Government and Public Service, at Texas A&M University in College Station, Texas.

Arturo and his wife Jayme have two children, Arturo IV and Danielle, third grade and kindergarten respectively, at Brookwood Elementary School.

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