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### 2015 Provost Doctoral Assistantship Program



Gladis Oseguera, a senior in the Albert Dorman Honors College, has been selected to receive a Provost's Doctoral Assistantship award, which grants her full tuition, fees, and a stipend for the first two years of graduate study at NJIT. Born and raised in Honduras, Gladis was the valedictorian of her high school class and a standout volleyball player who played for her country's national team from 2007 to 2013. After moving to the United States, she attended Bergen Community College (BCC) from which she received an associate degree in Engineering Science. She then transferred to NJIT to pursue a bachelor's degree. "Receiving financial support through both the Presidential and ASCE Scholarships and the Albert Dorman Honors College made it possible for me to attend NJIT," says Oseguera.

Gladis received the BCC Leadership Award in 2012 and 2013 and has been on the Dean's list throughout her college career at both institutions. She currently serves as the chair of the ASCE 2015 Metropolitan Steel Bridge competition, and has been interning for Mueser Rutledge Consulting Engineers in New York City since May of 2014. Gladis will receive a degree in civil engineering with a minor in environmental engineering and begin a Ph.D. program in structural engineering at NJIT this fall. She looks forward to securing her Professional Engineers license. "My dream is to open my own civil engineering firm back home in Honduras," says Gladis.