LET US INTRODUCE OURSELVES!

The Center for Science and Math Education Research at the University of Puerto Rico - Río Piedras Campus (UPRRP) was created with support from the National Science Foundation (NSF) through its Innovation Institutional Integration (I3) Program. The Center’s goals are to: support and strengthen science education research that is conducted at UPRRP and at participating K-12 schools, develop educational research skills in UPRRP faculty and teachers from K-12 schools, reinforce scientific and math content on K-12 teachers, and promote outreach of scientific projects to schools and the community.

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GOALS

- Enhance and sustain collaborative partnerships among STEM researchers and educators to strengthen the higher education infrastructure and enhance the education knowledge base.
- Increase synergy and collaboration across NSF-funded projects to improve science and mathematics education by integrating research and best educational practices.
- Integrate and expand the impact of NSF-funded projects outreach efforts to solve community solid waste problems in a cross-disciplinary way.

VISION

CSMER will provide support to conduct research in science and math education and establish outreach opportunities with partners.

CSMER SERVICES

- Offer educational research workshops for faculty members
- Advisory services on:
  - education research design and evaluation
  - budget preparation for proposals with outreach components
- Share our network of K-12 schools
- Proposal administration, coordination, and support

OBJECTIVES

- Establish the CSMER.
- Develop educational research skills in UPRRP faculty and teachers.
- Reinforce Science and Math content on 7-12 teachers.
- Develop and implement collaborative science projects with schools.
- Foster the integration of outreach activities and science and math education research at UPRRP.
- Support, strengthen and disseminate science and math education research.
- Strengthen Science and Math K-12 education.
- Outreach to community through K-12 schools.

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LOCATION

Former Architecture Building UPRRP