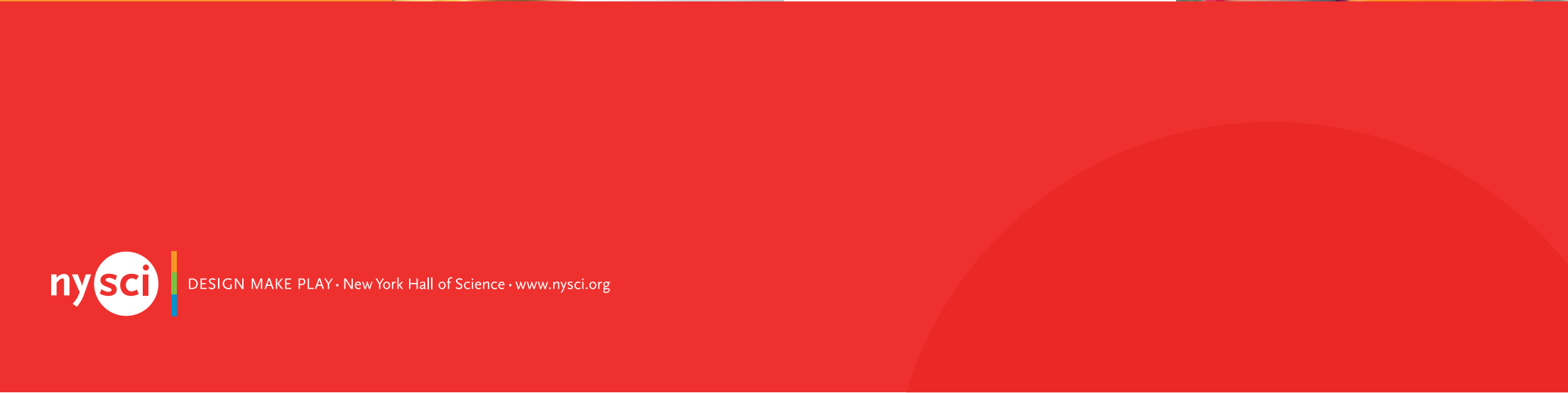


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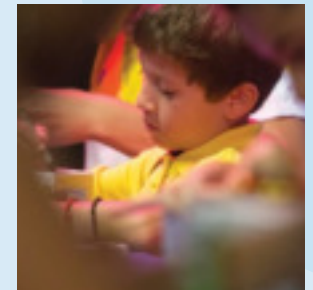
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SCIENCE MOMENT

We are asking all of our viewers at home to join us in a fun, interactive science experiment using simple household materials. This activity will be led by NYSCI Explainers in English and Spanish. Please be sure to have the following items handy if you would like to participate:

- Clear Glass or Jar
- Effervescent Tablets (like Alka-Seltzer)
- Food Coloring
- Cooking Oil
- Water
- Plastic Spiders/Eyeballs (optional)
- Glitter (optional)
- Flashlight (optional)



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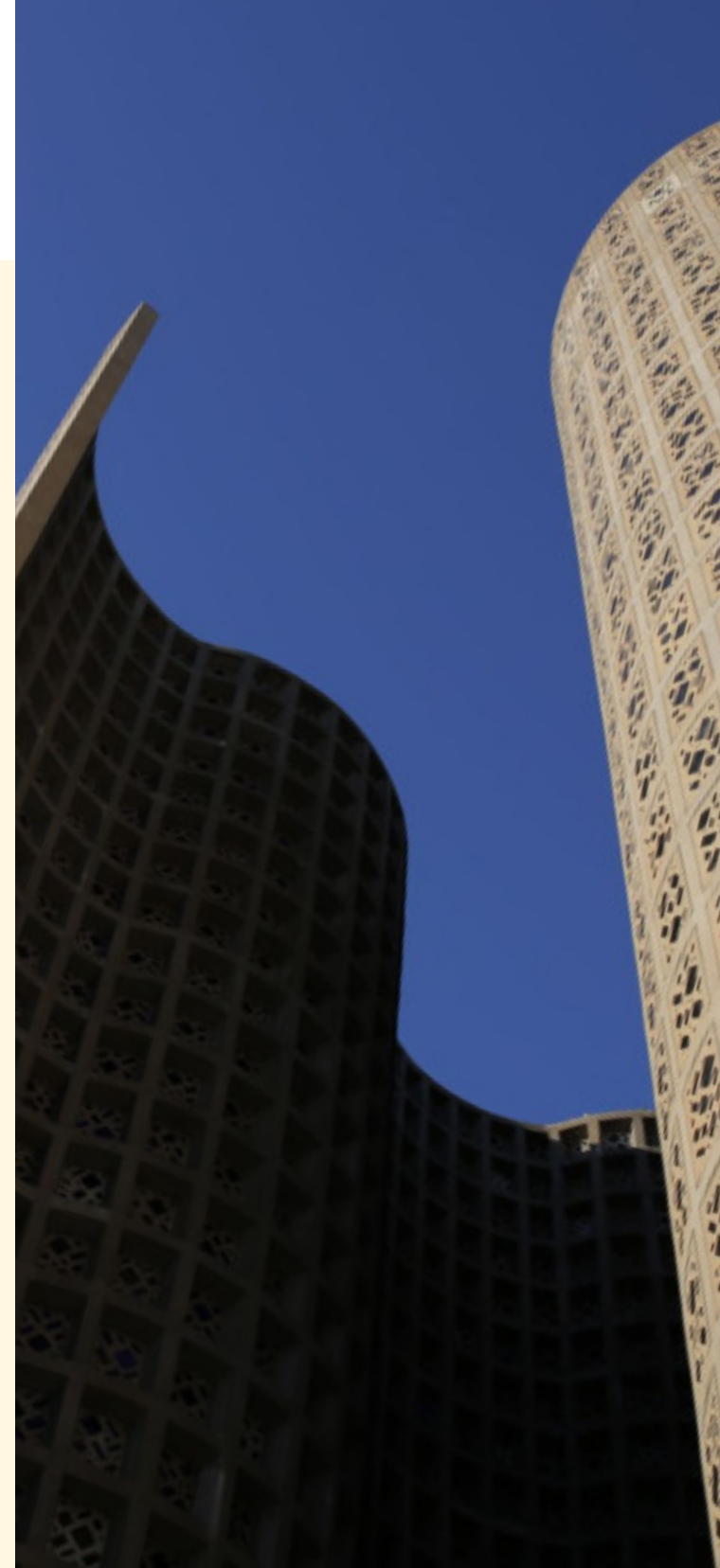
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Introduction of 2021 Honorees

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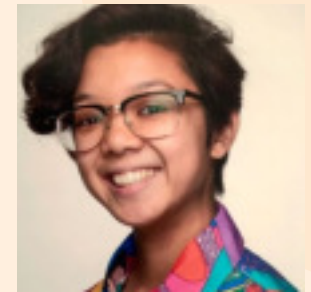


SEIDENBERG FAMILY TOP OF THE LADDER AWARD

Jessica Garcia

Since the beginning of the program, more than 4,000 students have worked as Explainers at NYSCI, moving up the Science Career Ladder toward successful careers in STEM. Ninety-five percent of Explainers go on to college and 70 percent pursue careers in STEM. This award celebrates the work that all Explainers do, and most importantly, recognizes individuals who go above and beyond to support NYSCI's mission.

Jessica Garcia has participated in the Science Career Ladder for seven years. Working her way from Explainer Trainee at age seventeen to a Senior Explainer today, Jessica has contributed to the growth and development of those around her, while developing her own leadership skills and unique teaching style. Jessica graduated from Hunter College this past spring with two Bachelor degrees in Childhood Education and Media Studies. Through the QUEST Undergraduate Program, she had the opportunity to learn and work in elementary schools citywide. In addition to teaching, she is an avid creator and performer, eager to master new tools and offer an imaginative perspective. She hopes to move people to action and foster a more inclusive atmosphere in education and beyond.



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