



*Terrell Amparado has cultivated a multifaceted career that seamlessly integrates sports management, education, and student engagement, with a continuous focus on advancing his expertise in performance psychology. His professional journey is marked by a steadfast commitment to mentoring and supporting student-athletes and the broader student community.*



*Mr. Amparado commenced his academic journey at St John's University, where he earned a Bachelor of Science in Sports Management with a minor in Business in the fall of 2008. During the same year, he became a member of Lambda Upsilon Lambda Fraternity Incorporated. His professional career began as a banker at JP Morgan Chase in midtown Manhattan, a role he held for two years while also volunteering as a basketball coach.*

*In 2012, Mr. Amparado transitioned to the field of education, initially serving as a gym teacher, head basketball coach, and athletic director. His dedication to education saw him rise from a substitute teacher to the position of Dean at a high school. In his role as Dean, he developed and facilitated programs aimed at mentoring students, building socio-emotional learning competencies, and providing professional development. Concurrently, he served as an assistant college basketball coach and pursued a Master's Degree in Performance Psychology at the University of Phoenix, which he completed in the fall of 2019.*

*In 2021, Mr. Amparado joined Stony Brook University as the Manager of Student Personnel for the Campus Recreation Center, overseeing over 125 student employees. In this capacity, he built rapport with both the students who worked for him and those engaged in sports and fitness activities. His involvement in the Black and Latino Initiative at the university led to his current role as Assistant Director of Student Life, where he oversees the program under the direction of the Dean of Students. This position allows him to focus on engaging and mentoring students while developing programming and opportunities for the student body.*

*Presently, Mr. Amparado is in his second year of a doctoral program in Performance Psychology at Grand Canyon University, with a proposed dissertation on the impact of the environment on the performance of student-athletes at the collegiate level. His ultimate goal is to become a sports psychologist to assist athletes in maintaining and achieving optimal performance levels. Additionally, he is an entrepreneur, owning and operating DJ T Entertainment, and is a key partner in an investment company.*