Chapter News
October 2013

Initiation
On Saturday, October 5, 2013, we had our 8th Initiation Ceremony where we welcomed fifteen new members to our Chapter. The ceremony was a huge success! We had different members from our Campus community as guests, including several professors. Meteorologist Ada Monzón also attended, and lastly our parents. The ceremony took place in the Salón Tarzán at 2:00PM. It was mainly focused on the new members, but we also the new Chapters Officers took their oath of office, and the award for the Honorary Member of the year was given.

Figure 1. New members join the family of the AMS UPRM Student Chapter at this year’s Initiation!
Monthly Meeting

On October 10, we had our third monthly meeting of the 2013-2014 school year. During this meeting we discussed future activities for the Chapter, such as, our Halloween Party, Weather Today #2, and the 40th Anniversary of the Physics’ Department Planetarium, and lastly a fundraiser for the first science museum in Puerto Rico.
Weather Today

On October 17, we had our second Weather Today, about the Nautilus Expedition. The conference was given to us by a Professor of the University’s Marine Sciences Department, Dr. Wilford Schmidt. The conference lasted about an hour, where he talked to us about the instruments and machinery they were using for this expedition, and also about the key aspects of it.

Figure 3. Members awaiting the start of the October Monthly Meeting.
Halloween (Weatherween) Party

On October 21, we had our Halloween Party at “La Cueva de Tarzan” at the University’s Cafeteria Building. The night was full of laughter and costumes, were we enjoined some karaoke singing.

Interview

On October 24, he had an interview with Enrique Vargas from “Ciencia PR”. The interview was for a Podcast he is creating about science. He asked questions about our Society at the University, what were some of our goals and how do we contribute to the community.
Figure 5. Chapter Officers at the CienciaPR Interview.