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# CAREER PANEL

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Thursday, March 18th | Sign up at [winwardacademy.com/webinar](http://winwardacademy.com/webinar)

## Panel 1 - Innovation

7:00-7:45am PT | 9:00-9:45am CT | 10:00-10:45am ET

- **Mireille Kamariza, Ph.D.**, Postdoctoral Scientist at Broad Institute of MIT and Harvard
- **Donald Raymond, Ph. D.**, Research Scientist at Broad's Center for the Development of Therapeutics

## Panel 2 - Impact

8:15-9:00am PT | 10:15-11:00am CT | 11:15-12:00pm ET

- **Ena Patel**, Head of Soccer Operations, Angel City
- **Daniel Feinberg**, Associate Director of Social Responsibility, NBA

## Panel 3 - Inclusion

9:30-10:15am PT | 11:30-12:15pm CT | 12:30-1:15pm ET

- **Ronalee Zarate-Bayani, MBA**, Chief Marketing Officer, Los Angeles Rams
- **Ramsey Jay, Jr., MBA**, Finance Executive Turned Entrepreneur



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**PANELIST: Mireille Kamariza, Ph.D.**

Postdoctoral Scientist, Broad Institute of MIT and Harvard  
Junior Fellow, Society of Fellows at Harvard University

Dr. Mireille Kamariza is a postdoctoral researcher at Broad's Stanley Center for Psychiatric Genetics. Her current research focuses on diversifying the European-dominant genetic pool on which global precision medicine is based. She is also the chair of the Equity in Biomedicine Seminar series at the Broad Institute. Prior to her appointment at Harvard and Broad, Dr. Kamariza completed her Ph.D. in biology at Stanford University where she developed a new diagnostic technology for the rapid and simple detection of tuberculosis at the point-of-care. Her work was translated into a public benefit corporation and, as a co-Founder of OliLux Biosciences, Inc. -- a company dedicated to providing low-cost, portable and reliable diagnostic devices in low-resource settings -- she continues to serve the underserved and underrepresented populations. She also holds a Masters degree from the University of California, Berkeley in molecular and cell biology and a Bachelors degree from the University of California, San Diego in biochemistry and chemistry.

In 2017, Dr. Kamariza was named as one of the World's Most Powerful Women by Fortune Magazine. In 2020, she was named one of the Talented 12 by Chemical & Engineering News for her invention of a quick, low-cost test to detect tuberculosis.



**PANELIST: Donald Raymond, Ph.D.**

Research Scientist, Broad Institute's Center for the Development of Therapeutics

Dr. Donald Raymond is a research scientist in the Center for the Development of Therapeutics (CDoT) at the Broad Institute of MIT and Harvard. His research uses X-ray crystallography to solve important biological questions related to diseases in support of drug development explorations at the Broad Institute. The goal of this research is to validate screening hits by solving and analyzing 3D structures of target proteins bound to small molecules. Dr. Raymond came to the Broad Institute in January 2017 after completing his postdoctoral fellowship at Harvard Medical School, where he worked as part of a large collaboration involving groups from academia and industry to investigate how viral proteins interface with the host immune system.

Dr. Raymond earned his Ph.D. in biological chemistry from the University of Michigan. His graduate work focused on structural studies of the flavivirus replication complex, which is made up of several subunits and is responsible for replicating and capping the viral RNA genome, and the RNP of bunyaviruses, which packages and protects the viral genome. He also holds a B.Sc. in biology and philosophy from Temple University. Dr. Raymond received a Broad Excellence Award in Science in 2020 for his work that led two hard-won successes with challenging drug targets in inflammatory bowel disease. In one of these projects, he devised a successful strategy for a workhorse pipeline to optimize compounds for greater selectivity and potency. That work has now resulted in a proof of concept of the drug in vivo.

Dr. Raymond is passionate about inspiring the next generation of scientists and for the last ten summers has mentored high school and college students who have gone on to have fulfilling careers in STEM fields.

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**PANELIST: Ena Patel**

Head of Soccer Operations, Angel City

Ena Patel is the Head of Soccer Operations at Angel City Football Club - a National Women's Soccer League team coming to Los Angeles in 2022. She oversees the entire soccer operations function as well as external affairs for the club. Previously, Ena was the Director of Player Personnel for the Colorado Rapids Major League soccer club.

Her background is in corporate and tax law, and she earned her BA in Political Science from USC, JD from Loyola Law School, and LLM in taxation from Northwestern University Pritzker School of Law. Ena is a member of the Sports Lawyers Association and sits on the board of weXL.org, a nonprofit organization focused on storytelling to create a more equitable world.



**PANELIST: Daniel Feinberg**

Associate Director of Social Responsibility, NBA

Daniel Feinberg has spent the past 7 years working with the NBA to develop better diversity and inclusion for several groups and across many issue-areas. Daniel's work maintaining successful working relationships with national community partners has helped bolster many of the league's social justice initiatives such as Pride LGBTQ+, disability inclusion & autism awareness, and mental wellness initiatives.

In addition to this work, Daniel also developed an innovative social justice program in collaboration with the NYC Departments of Education and Corrections and re-entry support organizations to engage current and former NBA and WNBA players to participate in an incentive-based basketball and community conversation program reaching over 500 young adults ages 17-21. Daniel also uses his expertise to support the on-going development of the NBA Foundation, continued efforts around civic engagement in the lead-up to the 2020 general election, and the uplifting of player and stakeholder voices around important social justice issues.

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### **PANELIST: Ronalee Zarate-Bayani, MBA**

Chief Marketing Officer, Los Angeles Rams

Ronalee Zarate-Bayani is the Chief Marketing Officer for the Los Angeles Rams. In this role, she is responsible for defining and building the Rams brand, serving as a key member in shaping the experiences and value proposition of the new 300-acre Los Angeles Stadium and Entertainment District at Hollywood Park, and creating a modern LA entertainment experience for the next generation of fans.

Prior to joining the Rams, Ronalee was Head of Global Integrated Marketing Communications and Digital Advancement for the Hershey Company. In that role, she focused on establishing modern marketing excellence, ensured Hershey's portfolio of brands had compelling consumer experiences, and built enhanced digital capabilities. Prior to Hershey, Ronalee worked in multiple leadership roles at Visa Inc with an emphasis on leveraging consumer insights and digital experiences to create effective consumer marketing campaigns. While there, she formed a new internal marketing consulting group that embedded cultural and social insights into brand strategies and led the development of digital-first, new product launches. Prior to Visa, Ronalee cultivated her zeal for brand building through various marketing roles with Taco Bell that started in Brand Marketing, then Brand Communications and then culminated in leading the Digital Team.

Ronalee is passionate about building brands, especially through modern digital experiences, and has over 15 years of marketing experience across a variety of industries. Throughout her career, she focused on growing brands and cultivating winning teams both as an entrepreneur and an intrapreneur in global companies around the world, including Japan, South Africa, and the Philippines. Ronalee holds an M.B.A. from the Stanford Graduate School of Business and graduated summa cum laude with a B.A. in Political Science from the University of California, Irvine.



### **PANELIST: Ramsey Jay Jr., MBA**

Finance Executive Turned Entrepreneur

Ramsey Jay, Jr. is Principal of Ramsey Jay, Jr. And Associates, a strategic consultancy specializing in systematic change management, sales optimization, diversity and inclusion, corporate communications, enterprise leadership, and executive talent management. Ramsey is also the author of the best-selling book "Empowering Dreamers To Become Achievers," international keynote lecturer, and motivational speaker. Prior to launching his consultancy, Ramsey was a Wall Street global investment management executive. Presently, Ramsey is President of the Gamma Zeta Boulé Foundation Board of Directors and an Ambassador for the National Association of Corporate Directors-Pacific Southwest Chapter, where he serves on the Corporate Social Responsibility committee.

Ramsey earned a BS in Business Administration from Fresno State where he was an all-conference track and field athlete. Ramsey also earned an MBA from the Tuck School of Business at Dartmouth where he was voted class commencement speaker. Notably, Mr. Jay made opening remarks at the White House where Former President Barack Obama hosted an event honoring the philanthropic legacy of Ray Charles.