

Inspiring the first unified generation.

Special
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Virginia



Global Messenger

Antonio Rodriguez

Years Involved with Special Olympics: 26 years

Hometown: Chesapeake

Sports: Swimming, Volleyball, Soccer, Basketball, Track and Field

Educational History: Hickory High School, Class of 2000

Employment History: Children's World/Kindercare, 2000-2011

Career Goals: "I want to have a job where I can help people of all ages."

People Admired: Dad

Why is it important to build a more unified generation?

"It is important because the athletes and their unified partners can learn from one another."



"Never give up, just keep on going"

*Antonio Rodriguez
Global Messenger*



*George Rodriguez,
Mentor*

Global Messengers are Special Olympics Virginia athletes who help spread the message and vision of the movement as well as the benefits gained by participation in Special Olympics. Global Messengers deliver a powerful message of respect, inclusion, unity and attitudinal change. For more information regarding the Special Olympics Virginia Global Messenger program please contact David Pawlowski at 804-726-3034 or dpawlowski@specialolympicsva.org.