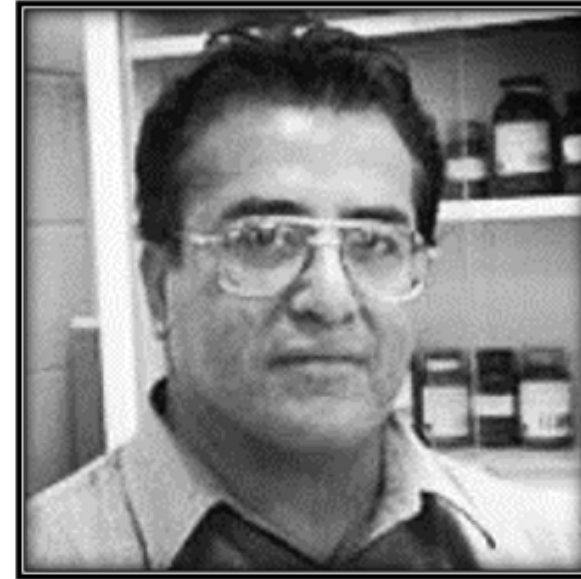




In Memoriam

In this segment the PRWRERI remembers those within this program that have sadly passed way. With the upmost respect for the individual's life as well as their academic accomplishments, this segment will stand as a testament that though time may pass the memories they have created will always live on.



Oscar J. Perales-Pérez

A professor of the Department of Materials Science and Engineering, Dr. Oscar Perales- Pérez was a friend to all those lucky enough to work alongside him. Be it in his multiple projects revolving around nanotechnology or simply getting to work in one of his classes, Perales- Pérez was a creative and innovative part of the research community that will be thoroughly missed. He lived not only as a tremendous part of academia but also as a friend. The program of PRWRERI, including his coworkers, peers and students give all their condolences to his family and friends in these trying times.