



*In August of 2017, Houston was hit by Hurricane Harvey. Harvey tied with Hurricane Katrina as the costliest tropical storm on record, causing \$125 billion worth of damage. Two months after the devastating storm, the Houston Astros defeated the Los Angeles Dodgers in game seven of the World Series to bring Houston its first World Series Championship. The Astros brought the city together and gave Houston a reason to celebrate.*



*Rice Sport Business Society is a student-run organization at Rice that seeks to build practical Sport Management skills and sport industry connections for its members as well as the prestige of the Rice Sport Management degree.*



*The Department of Sport Management explores basic business concepts as related to the sport industry. Sport Management offers a Bachelor of Arts (B.A.) undergraduate degree.*

# From Harvey to History: How the Astros Won More than the World Series



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**RICE SPORT BUSINESS SOCIETY**

APRIL 12, 2018  
7:00-8:00PM





## Justin Wolin '15

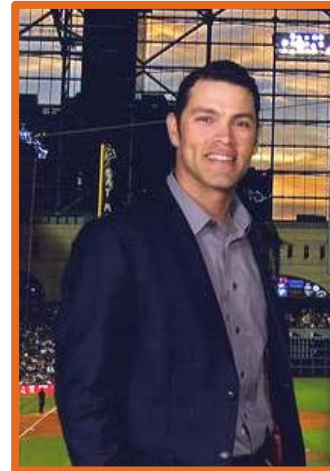
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- Senior Analyst of Business Strategy and Analytics
- Develops plans for increasing revenue across various departments
- Graduated from Rice in 2015 with a double major in Sport Management and Economics and a minor in Business
- Former RSBS President

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- General Counsel
- Responsibilities include mergers and acquisitions, litigation, employment matters, contracts, lease agreements, and more
- Former partner at Weller, Green & Toups



## Jose Enrique Cruz '13

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- Corporate Sales Manager, Corporate Partnerships
- Serves as an Account Executive in sales
- Owner of Cruz Baseball
- Led Rice to its only College World Series Championship in 2003 as an All-American
- Six-year professional baseball career