



# NYSCamp

June 19th - July 12th, 2023

## STUDENTS SELECTED TO ATTEND THE 2023 NATIONAL YOUTH SCIENCE CAMP

Two (2) local students have been selected to represent Trinidad and Tobago in the National Youth Science Camp (NYSCamp). The United States Embassy in Trinidad and Tobago announced that Amarnath Choon and Daniel Sebro were selected to represent Trinidad and Tobago at the 2023 NYSCamp.



Amarnath Choon



Daniel Sebro

Every year the U.S. Embassy and the **National Institute of Higher Education, Research, Science and Technology (NIHERST)** accepts applications from sixth form students for a scholarship to attend the NYSCamp in West Virginia, USA.

Now in its 60th year, the NYSCamp is a residential science, technology, engineering, and mathematics (STEM) programme in the eastern mountains of West Virginia designed to honour and challenge some of the nation's rising STEM leaders and provide them with opportunities to engage with STEM professionals and participate in exciting outdoor activities.

Support from the Bureau of Educational and Cultural Affairs (<https://eca.state.gov/>) of the U.S. State Department National Youth Science Academy ([www.nysacademy.org](http://www.nysacademy.org)), formerly the National Youth Science Foundation, allows Amarnath Choon and Daniel Sebro to attend the NYSCamp programme free of charge.

### GET TO KNOW OUR REPRESENTATIVES:

**Amarnath Choon** is an Upper Sixth Form Student of Shiva Boys' Hindu College. He has represented his school in various sporting competitions and in the Australian Mathematics Olympiad competition. He is a member of the Interact Club and holds medals for his involvement in track and field, football and cricket.

**Daniel Sebro** is a Lower Sixth Form student of Queen's Royal College (QRC). He is an avid swimmer, footballer and practises martial arts as well as an active member of church. He has also won several prizes in SanFest for his handicraft artwork and as a member of a choir and a male dance group. He played an integral part in the establishment of QRC's student affairs initiative and is a member of the Environmental Club.

For more information about the programme, please visit <http://www.nyscamp.org>.



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