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Rene moved to Wisconsin in 2014 to serve as the founding Director of Admissions at Cristo Rey Jesuit High School in Milwaukee. Currently, he serves as the Director of Diversity at Marquette University High School. Rene's current Diversity and Equity work involve curriculum, school climate, staff teaching practices, admissions, and more. Rene's work with low-income and underrepresented groups has granted him a unique understanding of these communities in Wisconsin.

Originally from Chicago, Rene attended Chicago Public Schools from K-12. He received a Bachelor of Arts in Journalism from Dominican University and will graduate with a Master's Degree from UW-Milwaukee next spring. In his spare time, Rene enjoys playing basketball and spending time with his wife and daughter.