

Hernandez, Juan: Born: 28 as of Oct. 12, 2020. From: Veracruz, Mexico

From Mexico, began riding professionally there at age 16 in 2008. Won more than 200 winners there before shifting his tack to the U.S. (Golden Gate Fields) in 2009. Became a perennial leading rider in Northern California before shifting his tack to the Southern Cal circuit full-time in the summer of 2020. Was winning at a 31% clip in Northern CA before making the move.

Was able to secure longtime top agent Craig O'Bryan in southern Cal. Won his first G1 stakes on Sept. 26, 2020 on MUCHO UNUSUAL at Santa Anita Park.

Family: Wife, Melissa. Two children.