

Split-T Management signs Heavyweight Prospect Antonio Mireles

NEW YORK (July 21 2021) – Split-T Management is pleased to announce the signing of its biggest athlete in 6'9" Iowa-native Antonio Mireles.

Mireles, 24 years-old of Des Moines, Iowa is affectionately known as "The Lincoln Giant" because of his tremendous stature and status as a graduate of Lincoln High School in Des Moines.

"I am very excited to sign with Split-T Management. They had their eye on me as an amateur. They saw me in a few tournaments and they were impressed. The goal was the Olympics and now I am ready to turn professional," said Mireles.

"I am a boxer, I like to keep my opponents at bay and use my range. I am out in Oxnard training with Robert Garcia and hopefully will make my debut in September."

"I am as excited about signing Antonio as anyone I've ever signed," said David McWater of Split-T Management. "I think he has the ability to be heavyweight champion of the world some day and the opportunity to be a tremendous star."

Mireles, of Mexican-American descent, initially began boxing at the Des Moines PAL at the age of 12 and started competing at 15. He was guided for his entire amateur career by a pair of two strong coaches in John Saunders and Elly Nunez.

In his relatively brief, but extremely successful run in the amateurs, Mireles compiled a record of 28-4 with 10 knockouts – culminating in winning the 2020 USA Olympic Trials in the Super Heavyweight division. He was also a 2019 National Golden Gloves Champion, a 2019 Eastern Elite Amateur Champion and a

five-time Iowa Golden Gloves Champion.

Mireles has already impressed new coach Robert Garcia in his transition to the pro ranks, with Garcia noting his new fighters dedication, boxing skills, and “great power” as reasons for a successful future together.