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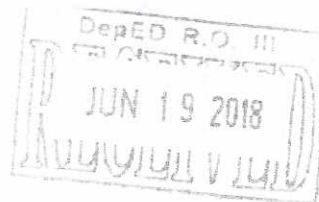
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To: Heads of Public Elementary and Secondary Schools
From: Schools Division Superintendent
Subject: 1st International Mentoring Conference at University of Asia and the Pacific
Date: June 27, 2018

This is to inform all concerned that the University of Asia and the Pacific will conduct the 1st International Mentoring Conference (IMeC) on July 19-21, 2018 at the University of Asia and the Pacific, Pasig city.

Attached is a flyer, for reference and information.


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Schools Division Superintendent



Request for Endorsement/Advisory: 1st International Mentoring Conference at University of Asia & the Pacific

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Dear Sir/Madam,

Good day!

May we request for the endorsement and/or release of advisory for the 1st International Mentoring Conference (IMeC), which will be held on July 19 to 21, 2018 at the University of Asia & the Pacific?

Attached herewith is a copy of the conference details, for your reference.

You may contact the conference secretariat at imec2018@uap.asia for more details.

Looking forward to your consideration and support.

Thank you very much.





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1st INTERNATIONAL MENTORING CONFERENCE Promoting Mentoring Culture

1st International Mentoring Conference: (IMeC): Promoting Mentoring Culture
July 19-21, 2018

University of Asia and the Pacific, Pasig City, Philippines.

The International Mentoring Conference (IMeC) organized by the University of Asia and the Pacific is set on **July 19-21, 2018**. The theme for this year's conference is *Promoting Mentoring Culture*. The program will be comprised of keynote speeches, paper presentations and workshops related to the theme. We have invited internationally known mentoring experts and authors, Dr. W. Brad Johnson, Ms. Ann Rolfe and Dr. Jean Rhodes, who will bring participants new insights on how to create, promote, and sustain a mentoring culture based on their own practice and research work. To further enrich the discussions, there will be presentations on various successful mentoring initiatives by Dr. Severina Villegas and Dr. Gabby Dy-Liacco. Research paper presentations on mentoring practices and programs in academic, business, and community settings will be held on the succeeding days.

Call for papers has been opened to accept abstracts of completed or proposed research connected to any of the topic areas listed below, or related areas:

- a. Mentoring program overview
- b. Mentoring tools and strategies
- c. Training for mentoring programs
- d. Innovations in mentoring
- e. Evaluation and assessment of mentoring programs
- f. Mentoring programs in diverse contexts
- g. Mentoring in a non-academic organization
- h. Academic research with implications for mentoring practice

Deadline for paper submission is on April 30, 2018.

The target audience of the conference are of educators, guidance counselors, NGO workers, business professionals, youth advocates and those in helping professions from all over the world who are interested to know more about the recent trends and best practices in mentoring.

The IMeC offers so many opportunities to build networks and deepen understanding on the impact and benefits of the mentoring experience.



Program Proper

DAY 1
July 19, 2018
Thursday

Morning Session

Registration and Morning Snacks	8:30 to 9:30
Opening Ceremonies	9:30 to 9:40
Philippine National Anthem Invocation Welcome Remarks Dr. Winston Padojinog University President University of Asia and the Pacific	
Introduction of Keynote Speaker	9:40 to 9:45
Dr. Cecilia M. Resurreccion Executive Director, Center for Student Affairs University of Asia and the Pacific	
Keynote Speaker: The Art (and Science) of Creating a Mentoring Culture	9:45 to 12:00
Dr. W. Brad Johnson Professor of Psychology United States Naval Academy Faculty Associate, Graduate School of Education Johns Hopkins University This keynote session draws directly on Dr. Johnson's and others' research to address the unique characteristics and contours of mentoring relationships. Topics include distinctive elements of mentorships, the benefits of mentoring, and recent evidence about frequency and efficacy of mentoring in higher education. The keynote will also address obstacles to mentoring, honest costs to mentors, and the challenges of evaluating and building mentoring competence. Some lingering tensions in the mentoring literature will be addressed, including the relative benefits of formal versus informally evolving relationships and the value of a primary mentor versus a developmental network of career helpers. Finally, this keynote will offer some mentoring strategies for both streamlining mentor time and amplifying the prevalence of mentoring in an institution. These strategies are designed to further a self-perpetuating culture of mentorship.	
Networking Lunch	12:00 to 1:30



Afternoon Session

Workshop: Becoming a Master Mentor	1:30 to 3:00
<i>Facilitated by Dr. W. Brad Johnson</i> This practical workshop provides evidence-based rules of engagement for developing high-impact mentoring relationships in Higher Education and other organizations. Topics include the interpersonal qualities and behavior strategies of highly-effective "Master" mentors, techniques for forming effective mentorships, and key ethical obligations and considerations. The habits and behaviors of truly effective mentees will also be covered. There will be a strong focus on using mentorships to leverage inclusion and diversity with particular focus on gender and race. Cultural humility and egalitarian values in the context of mentoring relationships will be emphasized. This session is also dedicated to helping participants think in an informed way about the key ingredients to a strong mentoring culture. This workshop will include the opportunity to practice some vital mentoring techniques.	
Afternoon Snacks	3:00 to 3:30
Continuation of Workshop: Becoming a Master Mentor	3:30 to 4:30
<i>Facilitated by Dr. W. Brad Johnson</i>	



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DAY 2
July 20, 2018
Friday

Morning Session

Registration and Morning Snacks	8:30 to 9:30
Introduction of Keynote Speaker Mr. James Lactao Head, Office of Student Mentoring, Guidance and Counseling Center for Student Affairs University of Asia and the Pacific	9:30 to 9:35
Keynote Speaker: Why and How Mentoring Works in Academic, Business, and Community Settings Ms. Ann Rolfe Founder Mentoring Works Australia <i>Why is mentoring universally popular? Does it always work?</i> This keynote addresses the key factors to successful mentoring and fatal flaws to mentoring programs. Topics include practical examples of effective mentoring programs in academic, business and community settings. There will be tips, tools and techniques to develop the right mentoring for settings applicable to your institutions and organizations.	9:35 to 12:00
Networking Lunch	12:00 to 1:30

Afternoon Session

Paper Presentations	1:30 to 3:00
Afternoon Snacks	3:00 to 3:30
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DAY 3
July 21, 2018
Saturday

Morning Session

Registration and Morning Snacks	8:30 to 9:30
The Future of Mentoring: Reflections on Three Decades of Research Dr. Jean Rhodes Director, Center for Evidence-Based Mentoring University of Massachusetts <i>"Mentoring relationships have emerged as a key factor in promoting the social inclusion and educational outcomes of marginalized youth."</i> In this video presentation, Dr. Jean Rhodes will provide an overview of current research on the effectiveness of youth mentoring programs. She will also provide a highlight of recent research and discuss new, evidence-based approaches to mentoring youth. Furthermore, she shall discuss the rationale and evidence for innovative models, including youth-initiated mentoring and other approaches to connecting youth with the caring adults in their extended families, schools, and communities. She will end with a set of recommendations, based on over 30 years of research and practice in the field.	9:30 to 10:15
Along the Inclined Plane in Accompanying the Mentees Dr. Gabby Dy-Liacco Associate Professor Divine Mercy University USA Member Pontifical Commission for the Protection of Minors Dr. Severina M. Villegas Program Head, Family Life Education Certificate Course Institute for Marriage and Family Development (IMFD) University of Asia and the Pacific	10:15 to 12:00
Networking Lunch	12:00 to 1:30



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DR. JEAN RHODES is a leading expert on youth mentoring research, and the depth, breadth, and rigor of her academic accomplishments have made important contributions to policies affecting children and youth. Rhodes is the Frank L. Boyden Professor of Psychology and the director of the Center for Evidence-based Mentoring at UMass Boston. Rhodes has published her findings in outlets ranging from scholarly journals to OpEds in *The New York Times* and *The Boston Globe*. Her trade book, *Stand by Me: The Risks and Rewards of Mentoring Today's Youth* (Harvard University Press), served to galvanize an emerging field. Rhodes launched longitudinal research on natural mentoring relationships with urban adolescents, deepening our understanding of the changing nature of relationships and their positive influence on an array of outcomes.



DR. SEVERINA M. VILLEGAS specializes in character, moral & values education, and mentoring. She pioneered in establishing several educational Institutions, such as the Schools for Women in Home Management – Punlaan, which spawned other schools in Metro Manila, Laguna, Cebu, and Iloilo. Another is the Center for Research and Communication (College of Arts and Sciences), which paved the way to the University of Asia and the Pacific (UA&P), as well as the School of Education (MA in Values Education). Aside from this, she does consultancy work in PAREF, UA&P, DepED and other sectors here and abroad, particularly in Macao and Singapore. Dr. Villegas has also delivered papers on Education and Human Development in several countries, which includes Scotland, Spain, Hongkong, Macau, Taiwan, Beijing, etc.



DR. GABRIEL DY-LIACCO holds a Ph.D. in Pastoral Counseling from Loyola University Maryland. Pastoral counseling is a unique discipline that blends professional counseling and psychotherapy with a carefully integrated spiritual dimension. His clinical work is in the treatment of individuals, couples, families and groups for a wide range of issues. These include adult and childhood abuse and trauma, psychiatric diagnoses, personality disorders, addiction, and non-psychiatric problems in living. He is a licensed professional counselor and has practiced psychotherapy and counseling in various mental health settings since 1997. Dr. Dy-Liacco is an Associate Professor in the School of Psychology and Counseling of Regent University in Virginia, USA. He has also taught in the Department of Pastoral Counseling of Loyola University Maryland. He is an associate editor of the journal, *Psychology of Religion and Spirituality*, of the American Psychological Association. His own research focuses on the relationships among faith, spiritual experience, spiritual struggles, and psychological flourishing. In the Philippines, he maintains a private clinical practice, provides organizational consulting for educational institutions, and conducts workshops for religious formators. In December 17, 2014, Pope Francis appointed Dr. Dy-Liacco to the Pontifical Commission for the Protection of Minors as the representative for the Asian Region.



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	Early Registration (until May 31, 2018)	Regular Registration
For local participants	8,000 PHP	8,500 PHP
International participants	200 USD	250 USD
DepEd participants	7,000 PHP	7,500 PHP

Group Rate: For every group of 5 delegates, each person is entitled to a Php 500 discount. The rate applies to both early and regular fees. Pre-registration is required to avail the discount.

** IMeC is strictly implementing the no refund policy.*

Payment

Cash payments may be made at the UA&P cashier (for early payments) or upon registration (for walk-ins).

For bank deposit payments:

Account Name: University of Asia and the Pacific Foundation, Inc.
Checking Account No. 0201 0414 73
Dollar Account No. 0204 0183 59
Bank Swift Code: BOIPHMM
Bank/Branch: Bank of the Philippine Islands, Pasig-Ortigas Branch
Bank address: G/F Benpres Building, Meralco Avenue corner Exchange Road,
Ortigas Center, Pasig City 1600, Philippines

Please send a copy of the deposit slip together with the reply form. The original deposit slip should be presented upon registration.

CONFERENCE SECRETARIAT

Should you have further queries, please contact the IMeC Secretariat, Ms. Karla Pelayo-Lozano at (02) 6370912 local 344 (imec2018@uap.asia) or Ms. Mich Alejandro at (02) 6370912 local 365 (michelle.alejandro@uap.asia).