



Republic of the Philippines
Department of Education
 REGION VIII - EASTERN VISAYAS

February 12, 2024

REGIONAL MEMORANDUM
 HRDD-2024- 142

PARTICIPANTS TO THE 3RD WOMEN IN STEAM SUMMIT: CELEBRATION OF THE INTERNATIONAL DAY OF WOMEN AND GIRLS IN SCIENCE

To: Schools Division Superintendent } Leyte Division
 } Maasin City Division
 } Samar Division

Others Concerned

1. In reference to the official communication from the University of the Philippines National Institute for Science and Mathematics Education Development (UP NISMED), this Office, through the Human Resource Development Division (HRDD), requests the identified participants to attend to the 3rd Women in STEAM Summit: Celebration of the International Day of Women and Girls in Science on February 13, 2024, at the UP NISMED Auditorium, UP Campus, Diliman, Quezon City.

Name	Position	Division
Joann Arivas	SHS Teacher	Leyte
Sarrah T. Dollete	Master Teacher I	Leyte
Myra E. Cardona	Teacher II	Maasin City
Ma. Elisa A. Salino	Master Teacher II	Samar
Emily A. Pacaña	Master Teacher I	Samar

- Travel Authority of the participants shall be prepared in the division in accordance to DepEd Order No. 022, s. 2019.
- All concerned Schools Division Superintendents shall ensure the 100% attendance of the expected participants.
- Other details relative to the conduct of this activity are stipulated in the aforementioned communication.
- Lunch and snacks shall be charged against the UP NISMED, while accommodation, travel and other incidental expenses shall be charged against their respective local funds, subject to usual auditing rules and regulations.
- Immediate dissemination of and compliance with this Memorandum are desired.

EVELYN R. FETALVERO CESO IV
 Regional Director

Enclosures: None
 References: As stated
 To be indicated in the Perpetual Index under the following subjects:
 WOMEN STEAM SUMMIT

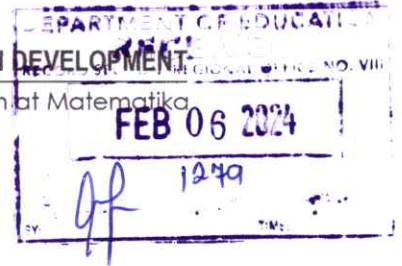
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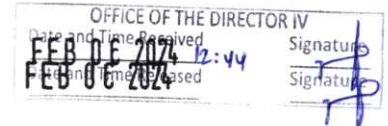


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DR. EVELYN R. FETALVERO, CESO IV
 Regional Director
 Department of Education
 Region VIII (Western Visayas)
 Gov't. Center, Candahug, Palo, Leyte



Re: Invitation to the Women in STEAM 2024 Summit, 13 February 2024, NISMED Auditorium

Dear Dir. Fetalvero:

Greetings from the UP National Institute for Science and Mathematics Education Development!

In partnership with the International Labour Organization (ILO) - Philippines through its Women in STEM program, the Austrian Embassy, and the Center for Integrated STEM Education, Inc. (CISTEM), we are organizing the **3rd Women in STEAM Summit – Celebration of the International Day of Women and Girls in Science on 13 February 2024, 8:30 A.M. to 5:30 P.M.**, at the **UP NISMED Auditorium, UP Campus, Diliman, Quezon City.**

With the theme, *“Transforming Science, Technology, Engineering, Arts/Agriculture, and Mathematics (STEAM) for Lifelong Learning”*, the Summit is a hybrid event that aims to convene leaders, educators, artists, communicators, and entrepreneurs to showcase inclusive lifelong learning initiatives and innovations of women of Science, Technology, Engineering, Arts/Agriculture, Mathematics (STEAM).

Potential workshops include: Robotics Program (De La Salle Santiago Zobel School), Microsoft Education, UP College of Music (Indigenous Musical Instruments), Strategic Intervention Material for Teaching with Augmented Reality (SIMATAR), and UP College of Music and UP College of Fine Arts. Most workshops require the use of laptops and smartphones. We recommend participants to bring their own gadgets.

In this regard, we invite you, your officials, administrators, and educators to participate in the **Women in STEAM Summit**. We are allocating **5 participants from your region**. The in-person event is **free of charge** and limited to invited participants. Snacks and lunch will be provided by the organizers. Accommodation, transportation, and other meals will be shouldered by the participants. If you prefer to stay near UP NISMED, please refer to this [link](#) containing the suggested accommodations within UP Diliman. Onsite participants are advised to wear masks while inside the UP NISMED premises.

We look forward to receiving your **confirmation on or before 09 February 2024 (5:00 P.M.)** by registering through this link: <https://forms.gle/tJNUCcFqdoootitL8>. For any questions or clarifications, please do not hesitate to send an email to nismed.upd@up.edu.ph.

Very truly yours,


SHERYL LYN C. MONTEROLA, Ph.D.
 Director

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TENTATIVE PROGRAM

Theme: "Transforming Science, Technology, Engineering, Arts/ Agriculture, and Mathematics (STEAM) for Lifelong Learning"

8:00 a.m. to 8:30 a.m. Arrival of Participants / Registration

8:30 a.m. to 9:00 a.m.

Opening Program

National Anthem

Welcome Remarks

Dr. Maria Vanessa Lusung-Oyzon
Vice Chancellor for Academic Affairs, University of the Philippines Diliman

Message of Support

H.E. Dr. Johann Brieger
Austrian Ambassador to the Philippines

Mr. Gustavo Gonzalez
United Nation Resident Coordinator

Mr. Khalid Hassan
*Director, International Labour Organization
Country Office for the Philippines (ILO CO-Manila)*

Presentation of Participants

Group Photo

9:00 a.m. to 9:30 a.m.

Introduction of the Speaker

Ms. Linartes Viloría
*National Coordinator, Women in STEM Workforce Readiness and Development
Programme, ILO CO-Manila*

Keynote Message

Atty. Jocelle Batapa-Sigue
Undersecretary for ICT Industry and Development,
Department of Information and Communications Technology (DICT)

TENTATIVE PROGRAM

9:30 a.m. **Plenary Talk 1**
to 10:00 a.m. **Theme: *Breaking the Glass Ceiling for Women in Data Science***

Introduction of Plenary Speaker 1

Dr. Monalisa T. Sasing
Deputy Director for Research and Extension
UP NISMED

Ms. Stephanie Sy
Founder/CEO, Thinking Machines

Question and Answer

10:00 a.m. **Health Break**
to 10:15 a.m.

10:15 a.m. **Plenary Talk 2**
to 10:45 a.m. **Theme: *(TBC)***

Introduction of Plenary Speaker 2

Ms. Madeleine Mitchell Diolanda
Press, Education, and Cultural Affairs Officer, Austrian Embassy Manila

Austrian Scientist/Artist (TBC)

Question and Answer

10:45 a.m. **Plenary Talk 3**
to 11:15 a.m. **Theme: *(TBC)***

Introduction of Plenary Speaker 3

Ms. Maria Michelle V. Junio
Science Education Specialist
UP NISMED

Ms. Hillary Dianne Andales
Astrophysicist-in-Training at MIT

Question and Answer

TENTATIVE PROGRAM

11:15 a.m.
to 12:00 nn

Viewing of Exhibits

12:00 nn
to 1:30 p.m.

Lunch Break

1:30 p.m.
to 3:45 p.m.

Parallel Workshops

(1) Robotics Program (De La Salle Santiago Zobel School)

Dr. Genevieve Arizala-Pillar

Applied Sciences Chair, De La Salle Santiago Zobel School

(2) Microsoft Education

Ms. Clarissa Segismundo

Regional Industry Advisor for Education, Microsoft Asia

(3) UP College of Music (Indigenous Musical Instruments)

Dr. Jocelyn T. Guadalupe

College Secretary, University of the Philippines College of Music

Co-Project Leader, DOST-funded project Bamboo Music Instrument innovation

(4) Strategic Intervention Material for Teaching with Augmented Reality (SIMATAR)

Ms. Josephine S. Feliciano

Science Research Specialist II, DOST Science Education Institute

(5) UP College of Music and UP College of Fine Arts

Asst. Prof. Anna Patricia R. Carranza

Chairperson, Music Education Department,

University of the Philippines College of Music

Asst. Prof. Joan Hope Elgincolin

Faculty, University of the Philippines College of Music

Ms. Clarissa Marie Rodriguez

Faculty, Studio Arts, University of the Philippines College of Fine Arts

TENTATIVE PROGRAM

3:45 p.m.
to 4:00 p.m. **Health Break
Networking**

4:00 p.m.
to 5:00 p.m. **Panel Discussion
STEAM for Lifelong Learning**

Dr. Marilette R. Almayda
*Director, Bureau of Alternative Education
Department of Education*

Fr. Carmelo A. Caluag
Head, Alay Kapwa Community Schooling

Ms. Maria Melizza Tan
Education Specialist, UNICEF (Microcredentialing and Alternative Learning System)

5:00 p.m.
to 5:30 p.m. **Closing Program
Awarding of Certificates**

Closing Remarks
Dr. Renato Solidum, Jr.
Secretary, Department of Science and Technology

UP Naming Mahal