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Assistant Secretary Officer-in-Charge,

Office of the Undersecretary for Learning Systems

SUBJECT

DISSEMINATION OF THE OFFICIAL RESULTS FOR

THE NATIONAL BIOTECHNOLOGY WEEK (NBW) 2025

EVENT CATEGORIES

DATE

November 18, 2025

- Pursuant to Department of Education (DepEd) Memorandum No. 84, s. 2025 titled "National Biotechnology Week 2025 Celebration," DepEd is pleased to announce the Official Results of the National Biotechnology Week (NBW) 2025 Event Categories. The NBW 2025 Celebration was held from 28 to 30 October 2025 at Century Park Hotel, Malate Manila, with the theme: #qAInBiotech: growing Artificial Intelligence, nurturing Biotechnology.
- 2. The event was established through Presidential Proclamation No. 1414, s. 2007, and later amended by Presidential Proclamation No. 921, s. 2025, which moved the observance of National Biotechnology Week (NBW) from the fourth week of November to the fourth week of September each year to align with the Global Biotech Week celebration. The amendment also reconstituted the National Biotechnology Week Inter-Agency Steering Committee (IASC), which is now composed of the heads of eight government agencies: the Department of Education (DepEd), Department of Agriculture (DA), Department of Environment and Natural Resources (DENR), Department of Health (DOH), Department of the Interior and Local Government (DILG), Department of Science and Technology (DOST), Department of Trade and Industry (DTI), and the Commission on Higher Education (CHED), with the Chairperson and Co-Chairperson rotating annually among them.
- 3. The NBW 2025 celebration served as an avenue to highlight advancements, innovations, and contributions of biotechnology in agriculture, healthcare, the





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environment, and industry. The event also serves as a platform for collaboration among academia, government, industry, and the public to promote awareness and foster innovation. DepEd organized activities such as the Biotech Brain Triathlon, the Intercollegiate Biotech Brain Quest, and the Collaborative Digital Poster Making Contest for senior high school and college students.

4. The detailed official results for the various event categories are presented in the tables below:

Event:	BIOTECH BRAIN TRIATHLON (S	HS)
1st	Region:	Participants:
Place	Region XII- SOCCSKSARGEN	Jeleanne B. Cañete
		Rain Andrea Q. Matilde
	School:	Fernando D. Belimac, IV
	General Santos City SPED	
	Integrated School - San Isidro	Coach:
	Campus	Kathlene Ann R. Aspiras-Lorenzo
2nd	Region:	Participants:
Place	Region VI- WESTERN	Leila Antonio A. Sualog
	VISAYAS	Ludy Mae A. Pastrana
		Royston John Louis B. Pestaño
	School:	
	Regional Science High School	Coach:
	for Region VI	April Joy A. Talas
3rd	Region:	Participants:
Place	Region IV-B- MIMAROPA	Allen Dane M. Ramos
		Marc Fritzter V. Tamayo
	School:	Marco Antonio Y. Cotiangco
	Bansud National High School -	
	Regional Science High School	Coach:
	for MIMAROPA	Armi Marianne L. Carpio

1st	Region:	Participants:
Place	CARAGA REGION	Marisse J. Olvida
		Jared James R. Balaga
	School:	Ken Zhin Jhon N. Lumontod
	Surigao del Norte National	
	High School	Coach:
		Maxine Danielle M. Almero
2 nd	Region:	Participants:
Place	Region V- BICOL REGION	Daniella O. Villaluz
		Andrea A. Ambac
		Kai James Andro L. Llanes
	School:	
	Legazpi City Science High	Coach:
	School	Jovy L. Mirabueno

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3rd	Region:	Participants:
Place	Region II- CAGAYAN VALLEY	Ricelle A. Beltran
		Arjay S. Mannag
	School:	Terence Joe V. Telan
	Rodolfo B. Albano Stand-	
	Alone Senior High School	Coach:
		Jess T. Manzano

1st	School:	Participants:
Place	De La Salle University -	Francis Paul J. Nicdao
	Manila	Lance Jerson C. Crisostomo
		John Paul S. Mercado
		Coach:
		Mark Christian Felipe R. Redillas
2nd	School:	Participants:
Place	Our Lady of Fatima University	Joshua C. Limson
	- Quezon City	Bianca A. Cheng
		Emil John Alrei P. Moncera
		Coach:
		Zandra T. Salut
3rd	School:	Participants:
Place	Trinity University of Asia	Jericho Mathew B. Angcon
		Rosemarie E. Aquino
		Sean Daniel D. Habel
		Coach:
		Hannah Jane F. Din

1st	School:	Participants:
Place	Cagayan State University	Emmanuel Genesis J. Bano Giovann A. Maramag Jimwell A. Lacbawan Coach: Gabby John J. Reyes
2 nd Place	School: Cebu Technological University - Main Campus	Participants: Josh Daniel T. Buot Maria Dhina Kyle Q. Baldo Joei Haven Halasan Coach: Jocelyn A. Abojon







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3rd Place	School: STI College Muñoz-EDSA	Participants: Jianna Jace S. Deypuyart Francesca Alynna Marie R. Flores Shernaliz P. Macaraeg
		Coach: Rae Alexandra D. Billano

- Relative thereto, DepEd extends its warmest congratulations to all winners and expresses heartfelt gratitude to all participating regions for their active involvement and support, which made the NBW 2025 celebration a resounding success.
- 6. For more information, please contact the following:

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7. Immediate dissemination of this Memorandum is desired.

