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FROM : **CARMELA C. ORACION** *gan*
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SUBJECT : **NOMINATION TO THE SEAMEO QITEP IN SCIENCE FOR THE
TRAINING ON SCIENCE EDUCATION THROUGH SPATIAL AND
ENVIRONMENTAL PERSPECTIVES**

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1. The **Southeast Asian Ministers of Education Organization Regional Centre for Quality Improvement of Teachers and Education Personnel (SEAMEO QITEP) in Science (SEAQIS)** invited the **Department of Education (DepEd)** to nominate primary and lower secondary science teachers to participate in the **Training on Science Education through Spatial and Environmental Perspectives**, which will be held from **28 July to 3 August 2026** at **Guizhou Normal University, Guiyang, Guizhou, China**.



2. The training is a flagship event of the 2026 China-ASEAN Education Exchange Week, co-organized by SEAQIS, the Guizhou Provincial Department of Education, Guizhou Normal University, and the Guizhou Teacher Development Centre.
3. The program aims to strengthen contextual science teaching through spatial and environmental perspectives using an integrated approach that includes lectures, field studies, classroom observations, and professional exchanges with educators.
4. **SEAQIS** will provide the following to selected participants:
 - Accommodation throughout the program
 - Meals during the program
 - Local transportation within China
5. The cost of **international airfare** may be charged against the **Schools Division Office (SDOs)** Human Resource Training and Development (HRTD) funds of the concerned office, **subject to the availability of funds and existing accounting and auditing rules and regulations.**
6. The following participants were screened and selected based on Memorandum **DM-OULS-2026-018, Guidelines on Ensuring Effective Management of NEAP Scholarship Processes**, issued on 23 January 2026, nominees may be sourced directly from the established pool of potential scholars when the preparation period is less than three (3) weeks.

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7. Should there be any clarifications, your staff may contact the National Educators Academy of the Philippines Scholarship Secretariat through email at scholarships@deped.gov.ph or neap.od@deped.gov.ph.

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