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Department of Education
REGION VIII - EASTERN VISAYAS

November 17, 2026

REGIONAL MEMORANDUM
No. 1544 s. 2026

CALL FOR NOMINATIONS FOR THE 2027 METROBANK FOUNDATION OUTSTANDING FILIPINOS

To: Schools Division Superintendents
Regional Office Functional Division Chiefs
All Others Concerned

1. Attached is a communication from the Metrobank Foundation, Inc., dated November 4, 2026, regarding the call for nomination for the 2027 Metrobank Foundation Outstanding Filipinos.

2. Immediate dissemination of this Memorandum is desired.

SALUSTIANO T. JIMENEZ JD, EdD, CESO III
Regional Director

Enclosures: As stated
References: As stated
To be indicated in the Perpetual Index under the following subjects:

METROBANK FOUNDATION OUTSTANDING FILIPINOS

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Open Call for Nominations:

2027 Metrobank Foundation Outstanding Filipinos

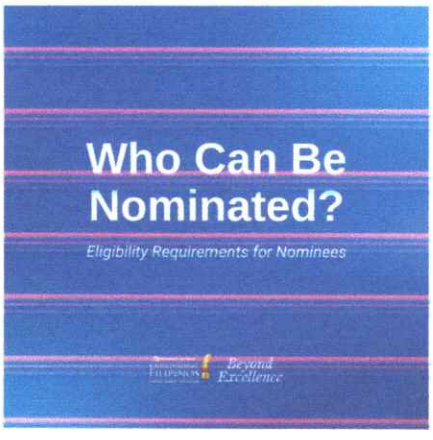
The Metrobank Foundation invites nominations for the 2027 Metrobank Foundation Outstanding Filipinos.

Recognized as the Philippines' most prestigious career-service award, the Metrobank Foundation Outstanding Filipinos honors exemplary teachers, soldiers, and police officers whose integrity, excellence, and dedication to public service have made a meaningful and lasting impact on their profession, community, and the nation.

The program is organized by the Metrobank Foundation, the corporate social responsibility arm of the Metrobank Group, in partnership with the following institutions:

Learn more

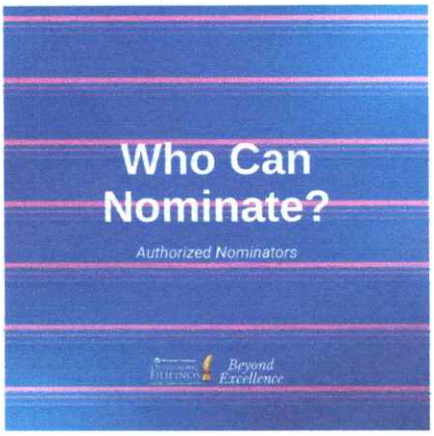
Frequently Asked Questions (FAQs)



The program is open to **techers, soldiers, or police officers** who meet the program's eligibility requirements, including position or rank, educational attainment, tenure or years in service, performance rating, good moral character, and appointment status.

Eligibility Requirements

Only authorized nominators identified under the program guidelines may submit nominations. The nominator must be personally aware of the nominee's accomplishments and willing to provide the required endorsement and supporting information.



Self-nominations are not allowed.

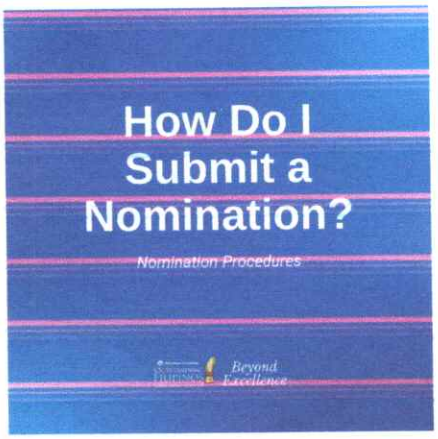
List of Authorized Nominators



Each year, a maximum of **ten (10)** individuals are conferred the distinction as Metrobank Foundation Outstanding Filipinos: four (4) teachers, three (3) soldiers, and three (3) police officers.

Each awardee receives **a cash prize of ₱1 million net of tax, "The Flame" Trophy, and a gold medallion**.

Awards and Incentives



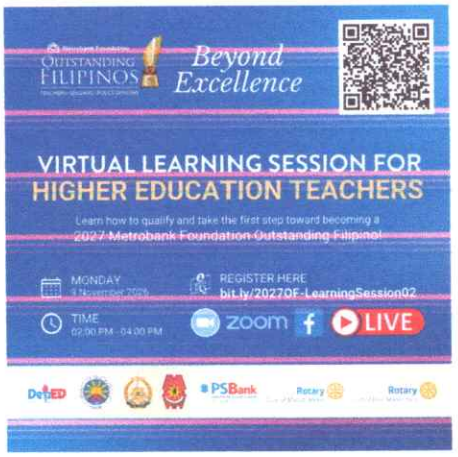
Submit your nomination via The OF Hub

Visit the Outstanding Filipinos Hub (OF Hub), create an account, complete the online nomination form, upload the required documents, and submit your nomination for evaluation. You may also track the status of your nomination through the platform.

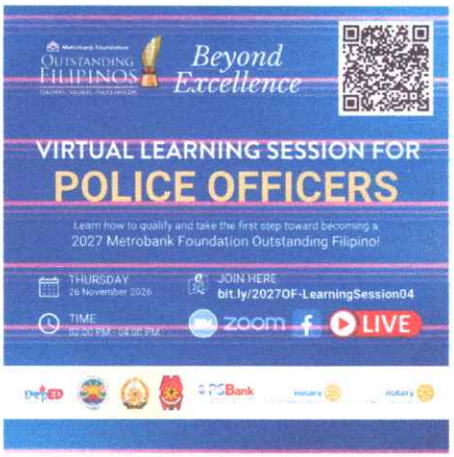
Visit The OF Hub

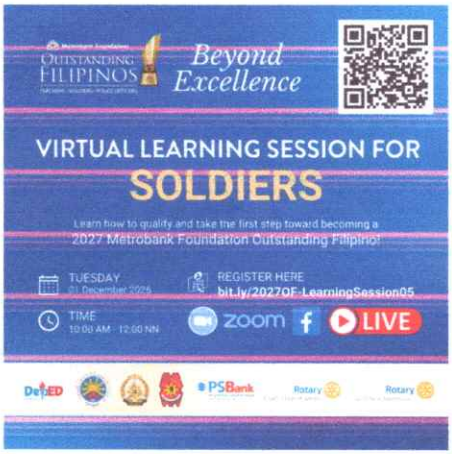
Virtual Learning Sessions









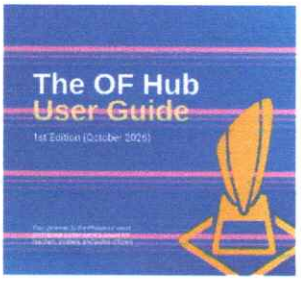


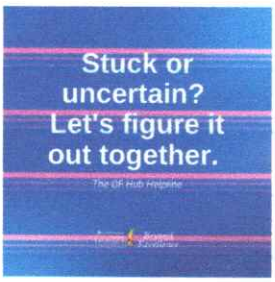
Join us for a virtual learning session!

Join any of our learning sessions and learn more about the Metrobank Foundation Outstanding Filipinos program. We'll guide you through the program requirements, nomination process, and answer your questions to help you get started.

Explore the resources below to learn more about the OF Hub, get support through the OF Hub Helpline, and discover the inspiring stories featured in the 2026 Outstanding Filipinos Souvenir Program.

Useful Resources









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