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**Department of Education**  
REGION VII - CENTRAL VISAYAS  
DIVISION OF CITY SCHOOLS - TAGBILARAN CITY

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Office of the Schools Division  
Superintendent

October 2, 2023

**DIVISION MEMORANDUM**

NO: 44 s. 2023

**INVITATION TO THE 12<sup>TH</sup> PHILIPPINE PROFESSIONAL SUMMIT**

TO: Chiefs, CID and SGOD  
All Public Elementary and Secondary Principals  
All Others Concerned

1. This Office hereby disseminates Regional Memorandum No. 709 s. 2023 dated September 29, 2023, and DM-OUHROD-2023-1177 titled **Invitation to the 12<sup>th</sup> Philippine Professional Summit (PPS12)** contents of which are self explanatory.
2. For more details, please see attached Regional Memorandum DM-OUHROD.
3. Immediate and wide dissemination of this Memorandum is desired.

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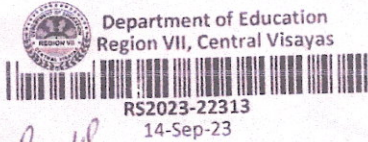




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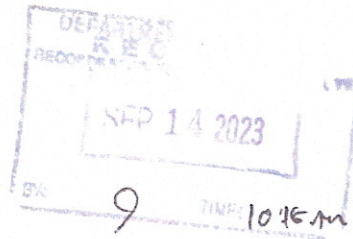
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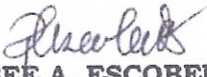
## MEMORANDUM

DM-OUHROD-2023-1177

TO : Regional Directors  
School Division Superintendents  
All Others Concerned



FROM :   
**GLORIA JUMAMIL-MERCADO**  
Undersecretary for Human Resource and Organizational Development

  
**REVSEE A. ESCOBEDO**  
Undersecretary for Operations

SUBJECT : INVITATION TO THE 12<sup>TH</sup> PHILIPPINE PROFESSIONAL SUMMIT  
(PPS12)

DATE : 06 September 2023

The **Philippine Association of the Professional Regulatory Board Members, Inc. (PAPRB)** will hold the **12<sup>th</sup> Philippine Professional Summit (PPS12)** with the theme "**The Filipino Global Professionals: Riding through the Crest of Change.**" The event will be held on **October 17-18, 2023**, at the **Manila Hotel, Manila**. This year's theme is extra significant due to the convergence of historical milestone celebrations.

*Professionals affiliated with the Department of Education may opt to attend the said activity provided that their participation will not hamper the conduct of classes in schools. The use of DepEd funds shall be subject to the approval of their respective approving authorities. The same is also contingent upon its availability, and adherence to the usual accounting and auditing rules and regulations.*

Should you have further inquiries, please email the Secretariat at [paprbsec@gmail.com](mailto:paprbsec@gmail.com).

*[BHRD-EWD/Usman]*



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**Her Excellency SARA Z. DUTERTE**  
Vice President and Acting Secretary  
Department of Education  
DepEd Complex, Meralco Ave.  
Pasig City

Dear Vice President and Secretary Duterte,

The Philippine Association of the Professional Regulatory Board Members, Inc. (PAPRB), in cooperation with the Professional Regulation Commission (PRC), will hold its **12<sup>th</sup> PHILIPPINE PROFESSIONAL SUMMIT (PPS12)** with the theme: **“The Filipino Glocal Professionals: Riding through the Crest of Change,”** through hybrid modality on October 17-18, 2023 from 8:00 a.m. to 5:00 p.m., at The Manila Hotel, Manila.

This year’s theme is extra significant due to, the convergence of historical milestone celebrations. The PAPRB will be celebrating its 75<sup>th</sup> Diamond Jubilee, and the PRC will be celebrating its 50<sup>th</sup> Founding Anniversary. Both institutions have been riding through many crests of changes and challenges to ensure the competitiveness of Filipino professionals. As they found their way above and through it, the professionals under their care, today and tomorrow, must also boldly face and ride through the changes and challenges in the years to come.

In this connection, we would like to request your wholehearted support and active participation in this event as delegate on official business. The Summit registration fee for the two-day event is as follows:

Face-to-Face	Pre-registered rate (Until August 31, 2023)	-	Php 7,200.00
	Regular Rate (September 1 onwards)	-	Php 8,000.00
Virtual	Pre-registered rate (Until August 31, 2023)	-	Php 1,800.00
	Regular Rate (September 1 onwards)	-	Php 2,000.00

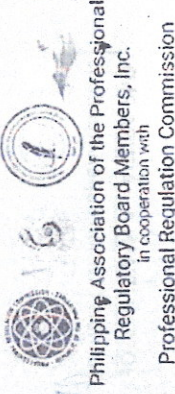
Payment can be made through cash, online bank transfer, or bank deposit to BDO current account number 0000-58021210 under PAPRB, Inc. account name and register at [www.paprb.org](http://www.paprb.org).

Last year, more than Six Thousand (6,000) Filipino professionals from more than 50 countries participated virtually.

Attached is a copy of the flyer, backgrounder, and objectives. For more information, please call our Secretariat (Shirley or Jean) at (02) 7796-0045 and 0917-5160172 or email us at [paprbsec@gmail.com](mailto:paprbsec@gmail.com).

Thank you for your support and active participation.

Very truly yours,



## REGISTRATION FEE

### FACE-TO-FACE WITH FULL VIRTUAL ACCESS

Early Bird Rate (Until July 31, 2023)	6,800.00
Pre-registered Rate (Until August 31, 2023)	7,200.00
Regular Rate (September 1 onwards)	8,000.00

### VIRTUAL ACCESS ONLY

Early Bird Rate (Until July 31, 2023)	1,500.00
Pre-registered Rate (Until August 31, 2023)	1,800.00
Regular Rate (September 1 onwards)	2,000.00

## MODE OF PAYMENT AND REGISTRATION LINK

Payment can be made through:  
 • Cash Deposit/Bank Transfer  
 • Check - payable to PAPRB Inc. Banco de Oro  
 CURRENT ACCOUNT NO.: 0008-58021210

Register at:  
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# 12<sup>th</sup> PHILIPPINE PROFESSIONAL SUMMIT

THE FILIPINO GLOBAL PROFESSIONALS  
 RIDING THROUGH THE CREST OF CHANGE

October 17-18, 2023  
 8:00AM

Hybrid Modality  
 Fiesta Pavilion, The Manila Hotel, Philippines

15 CPD credit units

## BACKGROUND

In 2012, the state mandated professional competitiveness and professional qualifications standards through E.O. No. 93, s. 2012 or the Philippine Qualifications Framework (PQF). In 2018, PQF was institutionalized by R.A. No. 10958 or the "Philippine Qualifications Framework Act". Further, in 2016, R.A. No. 10912 or the Continuing Professional Development (CPD) Act" lapsed into law. CPD is also a requirement in most of the Professional Regulatory Laws of the regulated profession.

Since then, the enhancement of professional competitiveness was slowed down by various serious challenges such as, those in the political, economic, socio-cultural, technological, environmental and legal, and specifically climaxed by the pandemic

We are in a pivotal shift from the pre-pandemic to the post-pandemic era. Professionals face challenges from various sources as the professional landscape constantly changes. The 'glocal' concept is becoming more relevant in today's increasingly interconnected, integrated, and complex global and local perspectives in all fields of human endeavor. The fast-paced and constantly evolving nature of the global economy means that advancements in one part of the region impact economies and societies in other parts. A deep understanding of global trends and local contexts for professionals to stay relevant, competitive, effective, and successful brings us to the concept of 'glocalization.' It shows us how local and global forces are shaping professional work and creating new opportunities for professionals

This year, we are holding the PPS17 with the theme: "THE FILIPINO GLOCAL PROFESSIONALS: RIDING THROUGH THE CREST OF CHANGE." We will bring together professionals from various disciplines, sectors, and backgrounds and to discuss and share insights on the latest global trends about the concept of glocalization. Examining this concept will give participants a deeper understanding of how they can adapt to their industry's changing needs while remaining true to their local context. We will also examine the recognition and value of cultural differences and the development of necessary skills and competencies as mandated by national policies. We will look at how the Philippine professional qualifications will be referenced for recognition with international qualifications standards, trends, and best practices.

This year's theme is even more timely, relevant, and significant due to the convergence of historical milestones celebrations as the Philippine Association of the Professional Regulatory Board Members, Inc. (PAPRB) will be celebrating its 75th Diamond Jubilee and the Professional Regulation Commission (PRC) will be celebrating its 50th Founding Anniversary. Both institutions have been riding through many crests of changes and challenges to ensure the competitiveness of Filipino professionals. As they found their way above and through it, the professionals under their care, today and tomorrow, must also boldly face and ride through the changes and challenges in the years to come.

## OBJECTIVES

1. Examine the progress of compliance with national policies mandating the national qualifications standards of professionals to ensure their competitiveness.
2. Discuss the issue and importance of diversity, equity, and inclusion in the workplace and the role of glocal professionals in creating a more inclusive work environment.
3. Examine the socio-economic ills that cause the Philippine environmental poverty.
4. Evaluate and share professionals and experts' experiences, perspectives, and insights on the concept of glocalization, their ability to navigate and adapt this new landscape, the impact of technological advances and key drivers of change on global economy.

## PRIMARY GOAL

To inspire and motivate participants to appreciate the changing professional landscape, embrace change and take advantage of its opportunities.

## OUTCOMES

At the end of the Summit, the participants should be able to:

1. Apply shown commitment to lifelong learning and continuous professional development towards achieving career progression and specialization or professional qualifications for international referencing and recognition.
2. Appreciate deeper the importance of diversity, equity, and inclusion in the workplace and the role of glocal professionals in creating a more inclusive work environment.
3. Develop action-oriented approaches in solving concerns for the environment and for environmental poverty alleviation.
4. Adopt the concept of glocalization and their impact on the competitiveness of professionals, recognize opportunities and challenges, manage change and respond to new situations, such as technological advances and leveraging technology to stay ahead of the competition.