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**Office of the Schools Division  
Superintendent**

**August 5, 2024**

DIVISION MEMORANDUM  
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**FIRST PSYCHOLOGICAL ASSOCIATION OF THE PHILIPPINES SOUTHERN VISAYAS  
REGIONAL CHAPTER (PAP SVRC) REGIONAL CONFERENCE**

To: Assistant Schools Division Superintendent  
Chief, CID and SGOD  
Teaching and Non-Teaching Personnel  
All Others Concerned

1. This Office hereby disseminates the communication received from Achilles Isidore Z. Israel, MA, Rpm, Chairperson of the PAP Southern Visayas Regional Chapter, dated July 29, 2024. The communication invites participants to the **FIRST PSYCHOLOGICAL ASSOCIATION OF THE PHILIPPINES SOUTHERN VISAYAS REGIONAL CHAPTER (PAP SVRC) REGIONAL CONFERENCE**, scheduled for August 16-17, 2024, at Holy Name University, Tagbilaran City.
2. The attendance of the expected participants at this 2-day activity will be considered OFFICIAL TIME.
3. Please refer to the attached communication for details.
4. Immediate dissemination of this Memorandum is desired.

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Schools Division Superintendent

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July 29, 2024

**WILFREDA D. BONGALOS PhD, CESO V**  
Schools Division Superintendent  
Tagbilaran City Division

Dear Dr. Bongalos,

I hope this letter finds you in good health and high spirits. It is with great enthusiasm that I extend an invitation to the esteemed psychologists, psychometricians, guidance counselors, psychology students, and other interested individuals in your college/university/agency to participate in the 1st Psychological Association of the Philippines Southern Visayas Regional Chapter (PAP SVRC) Regional Conference.

The conference is scheduled to be held on August 16-17, 2024 at Holy Name University, Tagbilaran City, and its primary aim is to bring together professionals in the field of psychology and related disciplines to discuss, share, and collaborate on innovative practices, research findings, and strategies to enhance mental health and well-being among students.

We sincerely hope that you will encourage and facilitate the attendance of your representatives at this important event. Kindly confirm the attendance of your representatives by filling out this registration form <https://forms.gle/U91r2wv4QHjLWRJH9> and with the payment of PHP 2,500.00 per participant inclusive of 2-day lunch and AM/PM snacks, conference kits, certificate of attendance, and provision of CPD units.

For more information, you may visit our official Facebook Account at PAP - Southern Visayas Regional Chapter or you can contact us at [southernvisayas@pap.ph](mailto:southernvisayas@pap.ph) or +63 920 824 7437.

Thank you for your time and consideration. We look forward to the active involvement of your university in making this conference a resounding success.

Respectfully yours,

**Achilles Isidore Z. Israel, MA, RPm**  
Chairperson  
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### PROGRAM FLOW

Time	Activity
<b>DAY 1</b>	
7:00 AM - 9:00 AM	Registration
9:00 AM - 9:30 AM	Opening Preliminaries
9:30 AM - 10:45 AM	<p><b>Key Note Speaker: Dr. Betty Cernol-McCann</b>            Outstanding Psychologist of the Philippines Awardee 2002</p> <p>"The Transformative Role of Educators: Empowering Psychology Students to Enrich Communities"</p>
10:45 AM - 12:00 NN	<p><b>Plenary Speaker 1: Dr. Margaret Helen Udarbe-Alvarez</b>            Former PAP President, 2016-2018</p> <p>"Ethics in Psychology: Navigating Complexities and Upholding Integrity in Practice"</p>
12:00 NN - 1:00 PM	Lunch
1:00 PM - 1:30 PM	Afternoon Preliminaries
1:30 PM - 2:45 PM	<p><b>Plenary Speaker 2: Dr. Nelly Z. Limbadan</b>            Former PAP Clinical Division Chair, 2018-2022</p> <p>"Integrating Psychological Science into Public Service: Enhancing Government Policies and Community Well-being"</p>
2:45 PM - 3:00 PM	Coffee Break and Networking
3:00 PM - 4:45 PM	<p>Roundtable Discussion</p> <p><b>Roundtable Discussion Speakers</b>  <b>Ms. Karina Mae A. Uy</b>            Human Resource Officer, City of Tagbilaran</p> <p><b>Ms. Marianne E. Taladua</b>            Psychologist II, Gov. Celestino Gallares Memorial Hospital</p> <p><b>Hon. Brylle Deeiah D. Tumarong-Quio</b>            Board Member, Siquijor</p> <p><b>Moderator: Mr. Simon Glen U. Alvarez</b> (confirmed)</p>



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	"Integrative Approaches in Modern Psychological Practice: Sharing Experiences Across Specializations"
4:45 PM - 5:00 PM	Closing Remarks / Reminders
<b>DAY 2</b>	
7:00 AM - 9:00 AM	Registration
9:00 AM - 9:30 AM	Morning Preliminaries
9:30 AM - 10:45 AM	<b>Plenary Speaker 3: Ms. Ma. Margarita Bandija</b> Director, Human Resource Management, Holy Name University  "Bridging Psychology and Human Resource Management: Enhancing Workplace Well-being and Productivity"
10:45 AM - 12:00 NN	<b>Plenary Speaker 4: Dr. Michele Joan D. Valbuena</b> Professor/Sports Psychologist, Silliman University  "Psychological Muscles in Talent Development for Optimal Performance"
12:00 NN - 1:00 PM	Lunch
1:00 PM - 1:30 PM	Afternoon Preliminaries
1:30 PM - 2:45 PM	<b>Plenary Speaker 5: Dr. Kit N. Balane</b> Private Practice Psychologist/Journalist  "The Intersection of Journalism and Psychology: Shaping Public Perception and Mental Health Discourse"
2:45 PM - 3:00 PM	Coffee Break & Networking
3:00 PM - 5:00 PM	PAP SVRC General Assembly