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DLSU-D Joins WURI's Most Innovative Universities



De La Salle University-Dasmariñas (DLSU-D) proudly announced its inclusion to the prestigious World University Ranking for Innovation (WURI) 2025, demonstrating its commitment to pioneering initiatives across various key areas. This significant recognition highlights DLSU-D's impactful programs and dedication to meaningfully contributing to industry and society.



DLSU-D and Tongmyong University Forge Partnership at WURI Global Conference 2025



De La Salle University-Dasmariñas (DLSU-D) and Tongmyong University (TU) officially signed a Memorandum of Understanding (MOU) today during the WURI Global Conference 2025 held onsite at Tongmyong University in Busan, South Korea.

The agreement was signed by Dr. Yo Han An Dean of the International Affairs Department of Tongmyong University, and Br. Inigo R. Riola, EdD, President of DLSU-D.

This new partnership paves the way for academic collaboration, faculty and student exchanges, and joint initiatives.

LCDC Secures Continued NGO Accreditation from the Province of Cavite



The Lasallian Community Development Center (LCDC) has once again been accredited as a non-government organization (NGO) by the Sangguniang Panlalawigan of the Province of Cavite. Representing LCDC during the accreditation awarding ceremony were Dr. Maria Theresa Gochuico, LCDC Director, and Ms. Iris Diorella Andaya, LCDC QUEST (Service-Learning) Coordinator.

This renewed accreditation is more than just a recognition—it is a strategic opportunity to deepen our impact in Cavite's development. As an accredited NGO, LCDC is now empowered to:

- Participate in Local Special Bodies, contributing to policy-making and program planning that directly affect communities

- Collaborate with government agencies to co-implement development projects and social services

- Access funding opportunities from both public and private sectors, enhancing our capacity to serve

- Promote transparency and accountability, aligning with standards of good governance

- Strengthen partnerships with other civil society organizations for collective action and innovation

Through this accreditation, LCDC continues to be a trusted partner in provincial development, helping shape a more inclusive, empowered, and socially responsible Cavite.

We remain committed to the Lasallian mission of faith, service, and community transformation.

DLSU-D Welcomes Visiting Professor from Christ University to Strengthen Academic Ties



De La Salle University-Dasmariñas (DLSU-D) successfully hosted Dr. Aneesh Kumar, a visiting professor from Christ University, India, for a three-day academic engagement from September 28 to 30, 2025.

The visit was instrumental in solidifying plans for major collaborative initiatives between the two universities.

Lecture and Cultural Immersion.

Dr. Kumar delivered a captivating lecture titled "Can Values Be Taught? Working with the Changing Generation", which sparked dynamic discussions among students.

In addition to the academic session, he enjoyed a campus tour and a visit to the Museo De La Salle. Following the lecture, Dr. Kumar and the Philosophy and Psychology Department held an exploratory meeting that resulted in concrete plans for academic exchange throughout the year:

- * Joint Research Conference: Plans were established to co-organize a research conference.
- * Mirror Classes: The universities agreed to conduct mirror classes to facilitate shared virtual learning.
- * Academic Exchange: Discussions also covered the implementation of further academic exchange programs.

Hospitality Leaders Inspire CTHM Seniors on International Training and Internship Opportunities



Fourth-year students from the College of Tourism and Hospitality Management (CTHM) gathered at the Centennial Hall for an industry forum featuring leaders from Odom Hotelz, The Wise Pineapple, and ZIP Travel Philippines. The event highlighted global career paths and international internship opportunities for aspiring hoteliers.

Students were inspired by Tania Koehler and Joseph Kneeland of Odom Hotelz, who shared their extensive leadership experiences with global brands. Christine Trippi, CEO of The Wise Pineapple, delivered motivational strategies for excellence, while Angie Salazar of Odom Hotelz provided perspectives from her years in hotel operations.

Representatives from ZIP Travel Philippines—Mary Jean De Guzman, Remina Joy Destriza, Mary Ann Perez, and Marilou Wana—presented international training and internship programs designed to prepare CTHM students for careers in the global hospitality and tourism industry.

Closing the successful event, Dr. Grace Cella Mejia, Chair of the Tourism Management Department, captured the forum's core message:

"Today's orientation, titled 'Beyond Check-In,' truly reflects our commitment: we are preparing our students not just for local roles, but for global leadership in tourism. Hearing from experts like Odom Hotelz and The Wise Pineapple is the first step in ensuring they are internationally competitive."

International Student Association Holds Successful General Assembly

The International Student Association (ISA) successfully held its General Assembly at the ADG Reception Hall, drawing over 40 international students from diverse backgrounds.

The assembly served as a lively venue for international students to meet new friends, strengthen connections, and celebrate cultural exchange. Participants enjoyed fun games, lively interactions, and a taste of Filipino culture with native delicacies.

Dr. Christian George Francisco, the University Provost, officially welcomed the students and expressed his support for fostering inclusivity and cultural exchange within the university.

A highlight of the event was the election of new ISA officers who will spearhead initiatives to represent and support the international student body for the AY 2025-2026.



Newly Elected Officers

Executive Board

- President: Cindinha Hayley da Graca Belo
- Vice President: Angeline Glimada P. Travasso
- Secretary: Angelina Mari Pace
- Deputy President for Finance: Alexandra Claudine Manalang
- Deputy President for Communication and Outreach: Megan Esperanza E. Jaug

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- Deputy Secretary for Finance: Cania Rodrigues
- Deputy Secretary for Social Responsibility and Student Welfare: Jane Shirah Igares
- Deputy Secretary for Media and Productions: Melania E. Araujo de Jesus
- Deputy Secretary for Creatives: Cleria Martinha Leite Billy

Premium Members

- Events and Logistics Committee: Jane Tusha Igares
- Sponsorships and Finance Committee: Margaret Ja Zin Mai
- International Students Relations Committee: Christian Friedrich
- Media and Design Committee: Chilia Fatima Britess



Closing the program, Dr. Nornelyn Cachuela, Vice President for Global Engagement and External Relations and ISA adviser, emphasized the importance of the association.

"The International Student Association plays a vital role in creating a welcoming and inclusive environment for our global learners. Through initiatives like this general assembly, we see the true spirit of Bayanihan — where students from diverse cultures come together, support one another, and celebrate their shared journey here at DLSU-D."

DLSU-D and NU-Dasmariñas Forge Strategic Partnership



In a significant step toward academic collaboration and innovation, De La Salle University-Dasmariñas (DLSU-D) and National University-Dasmariñas (NU-Dasmariñas) formalized their partnership through a Memorandum of Understanding (MOU) signing ceremony held on September 4, 2025, at the Ayuntamiento de Gonzalez Building.

This partnership was made possible through the proactive efforts of the College of Information and Computer Science at DLSU-D, aiming to foster joint initiatives that actively engage both faculty and students from the two institutions.





The MOU signing was graced by key leaders from both universities. Representing DLSU-D were Bro. Iñigo Riola, FSC, and Dr. Nornelyn Cachuela, Vice President for Global Engagement and External Relations, along with administrators from the College of Information and Computer Studies. NU-Dasmariñas was represented by Dr. Catherine Lagadia, Executive Director, Mr. Ramon Rodriguez, Academic Director, and other key officials.

This collaboration stems from a shared advocacy to provide students with meaningful learning experiences and to produce competitive, industry-ready graduates. Through joint programs, research initiatives, and academic exchanges, both institutions aim to drive innovation and contribute to shaping the future of technology.



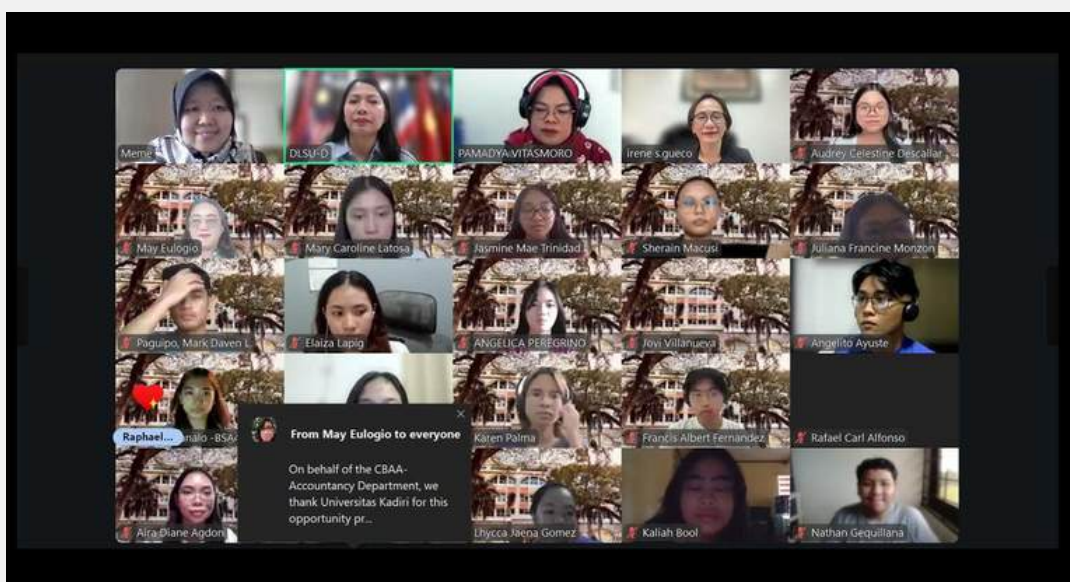
CBAA Students Join International Virtual Lecture on Public Finance

Students from the College of Business Administration and Accountancy (CBAA) actively participated in a virtual class organized by the Office of the Vice President for Global Engagement and External Relations (OVPGEER), in collaboration with Universitas Kadiri, Indonesia.

The session featured a lecture by Mrs. Meme Rukmini, S.T., M.T., titled "Public Finance Made Clear: Policies, Practices, and Impact." Her presentation offered students a comprehensive understanding of public finance, highlighting key policies, practical applications, and their broader implications on national development.

Mrs. Rukmini's insights sparked meaningful discussions among participants, particularly on the shared challenges and similarities in public finance practices between countries. The lecture emphasized how financial policies are shaped by common economic concerns, fostering a deeper appreciation of global perspectives.

This initiative is part of an ongoing international lecture series designed to expose students to diverse academic viewpoints and real-world practices from other countries.



Hospitality Management Students Explore Food Safety in International Virtual Lecture

Hospitality Management students from De La Salle University-Dasmariñas recently participated in a virtual class led by Agustia Dwi Pamijati, a lecturer from Universitas Kadiri in Indonesia. The session focused on "Food Safety Fundamentals: Understanding Microorganisms and Contamination Pathways," a topic highly relevant to students engaged in food preparation and service.

Ms. Pamijati's lecture emphasized the critical role of proper food handling in preventing foodborne illnesses. She discussed various microorganisms and contamination pathways that pose risks in hospitality settings, providing students with practical insights that complement their laboratory experiences.

The interactive session encouraged student engagement and highlighted the importance of food safety as a foundational element in hospitality management. It also underscored the global nature of food safety challenges and the value of learning from international academic perspectives.



LSEG Roadshow Inspires DLSU-D Graduating Students with Scholarship-to-Employment Pathway

The London Stock Exchange Group (LSEG) brought inspiration and opportunities to graduating students of De La Salle University-Dasmariñas (DLSU-D) through its highly anticipated roadshow held on September 4, 2025.

The event featured key leaders from LSEG, including Deepak Verma, Francis Chua, Rainier Catalig, Milady Esto, and Jill Tabares, who shared valuable insights about the prestigious LSEG Scholarship Program, a unique initiative designed to provide students with a seamless scholarship-to-employment pathway



Dr. Maria Nornelyn L. Cachuela, Vice President for External and Alumni Relations (VPGEER), welcomed both the participants and the LSEG team, expressing the university's appreciation for their continued partnership. While, Dr. Irene Gueco, Linkages and Scholarship Director, highlighted the importance of such collaborations in shaping the future of DLSU-D students.

A highlight of the event was the inspiring testimony of three DLSU-D alumni who shared their journey from being LSEG scholars to becoming full-time employees of the organization. Jaimelou Hernandez and Marielle Brenda Javier, both graduates of BSBA Marketing Management, along with Laeticia Andreana Trinidad, a graduate of BSBA Business Economics, recounted their experiences and the impact of the scholarship on their professional growth.



This partnership demonstrates both DLSU-D and LSEG's commitment to creating meaningful opportunities for youth empowerment, aligning with global efforts to bridge education and career readiness.



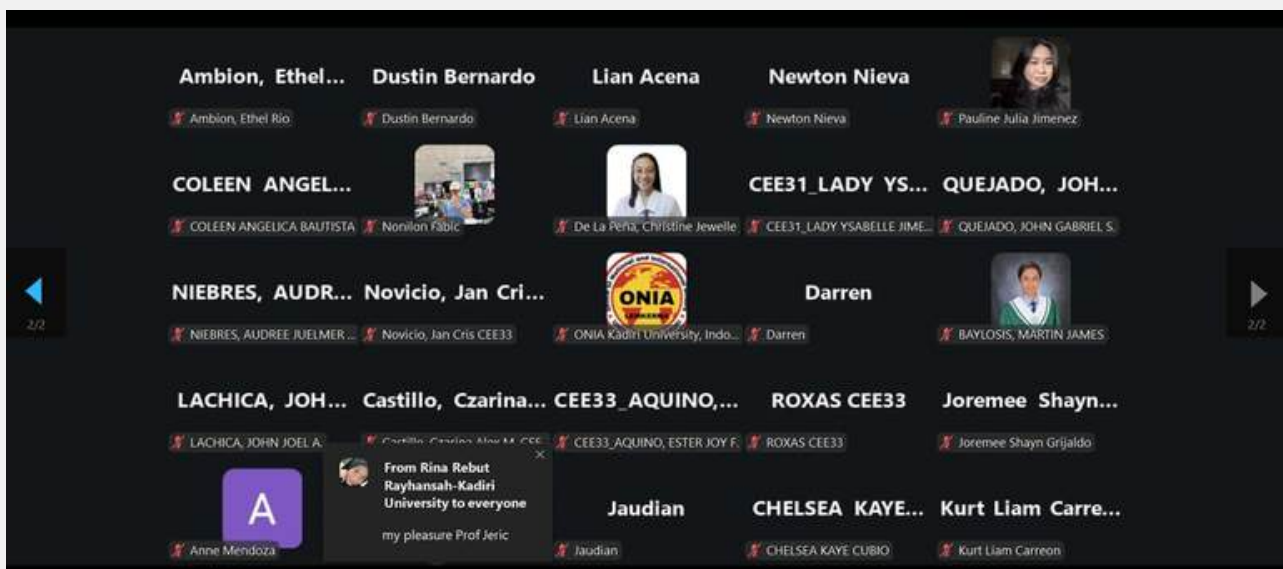
CEAT Hosts International Lecture on Cutting-Edge Liquefaction Mitigation Techniques

As part of its ongoing Virtual Lecture Series in collaboration with international academic institutions, the College of Engineering and Architecture Technology (CEAT) at De La Salle University-Dasmariñas (DLSU-D) welcomed Ms. Rina Rebut Rayhanshah, a renowned academic from Universitas Kadiri, Indonesia.

On September 8, 2025, Ms. Rayhanshah delivered a compelling lecture titled “Advancing Mitigation: Micro-Pile and Soil Grouting Solutions for Liquefaction-Induced Flow Slides.” Her presentation offered third-year Civil Engineering students a deep dive into innovative geotechnical engineering approaches designed to address the complex challenges of soil liquefaction—a critical issue in earthquake-prone regions.



This academic engagement is part of DLSU-D’s strategic partnership with Universitas Kadiri, underscoring a shared commitment to academic excellence and global collaboration. The Lecture Series not only showcases the expertise of international scholars but also promotes cross-cultural learning and professional development among students and faculty.



DLSU-D CPGS Sends Second Batch of PhD Students for Cultural Immersion at RMUTT



The College of Professional and Graduate Studies (CPGS) of DLSU-Dasmariñas has successfully deployed its second batch of Doctor of Philosophy in Educational Management students for an international cultural and academic immersion at Rajamangala University of Technology Thanyaburi (RMUTT), Thailand, from August 24 to September 6, 2025.

The participating students include Zylldjian Tepora, Rufino G. Perilla, Glewil B. Dones, Yolanda L. Del Rosario, and Karen Dyan H. Bautista. They were accompanied by Dr. Olivia Legaspi, representing the faculty during the two-week program.



The immersion featured a series of academic and cultural engagements designed to foster professional growth and global collaboration. Highlights included:

- Orientation and courtesy visit with the administrators and teachers of the Department of Home Economics Technology.
- Facilitation of English classes for first to third-year Early Childhood Education students, focusing on fun self-introductions for kindergarteners, play-based activities to develop higher-order thinking skills (HOTS), and an orientation on the kindergarten program in the Philippines.
- Meetings with the Vice Dean for Academic Affairs of the Faculty of Technical Education and the Director of the Innovation Demonstration School (IDS).
- Classroom observation and participation in Early Childhood Education and Culinary classes within the Department of Home Economics Technology.
- School visit to Phakhaisutthapramuk School in Ayutthaya, hosted by Principal Mr. Pathai Utumsakulra.



Through this program, DLSU-D develops the global mindset of graduate students to thrive as future leaders in education.

DLSU-D and Universitas Kadiri Collaborate in International Virtual Lecture on Sustainable Construction



DLSUD's College of Engineering, Architecture and Technology hosted a virtual lecture featuring Dr. Ir. Sony Susanto from Universitas Kadiri, Indonesia, as part of its ongoing faculty exchange program. The session, titled "Building Smart: Environmental Waste Management in Construction," brought together administrators and faculty members from both institutions, along with the 4th year Civil Engineering students of DLSU-D, led by Engr. Arnaldo Reyes.



Dr. Susanto's lecture explored sustainable practices in the construction industry, emphasizing the importance of environmental waste management. He presented research studies that utilized various tools for risk assessment and treatment, offering practical insights into how sustainability can be integrated into construction processes.

The session was further enriched by the exchange of experiences between Dr. Susanto and Engr. Reyes, who discussed the challenges and innovations in the construction sectors of Indonesia and the Philippines. Their dialogue provided students with a comparative perspective on industry practices, highlighting both shared concerns and unique approaches in each country.

EADIC Founder Ricardo Carraminana from Spain Highlights BIM in Visit to DLSU-D

DLSU-D welcomed Mr. Ricardo Carraminana, Founder and Chairman of EADIC (Escuela de Ingeniería y Arquitectura) Engineering, Training & Development Solutions, in a special visit that emphasized the importance of digital innovation and lifelong learning in engineering education.

Mr. Carramiñana met with Provost Dr. Christian George C. Francisco; Vice President for Global Engagement and External Relations Dr. Nornelyn Cachuela; Linkages Office Director Dr. Irene Gueco; Dean of the College of Engineering, Architecture, and Technology (CEAT) Engr. Nathalie Pineda; Associate Dean of CEAT Ar. Scissel S. Naing; CEAT Faculty Member Engr. Sandra Tirol; Dean of the College of Information and Computer Science (CICS) Ms. Marivic Mitschek; and Dean of the College of Criminal Justice Education (CCJE) Dr. Rodel Esmilla to discuss opportunities for bridging academic learning with industry practice. Rodel Esmilla to discuss opportunities for bridging academic learning with industry practice.





He highlighted EADIC's commitment to professional development through postgraduate programs, student exchanges, and specialized training in Building Information Modeling (BIM), Artificial Intelligence, and Cybersecurity.

As part of his visit, he delivered a lecture titled "Digital Foundations: Why BIM Matters in Modern Design and Construction" to architecture students. He explained how BIM enhances efficiency, reduces errors, and fosters collaboration in construction projects, inspiring students to prepare for a digital-first industry.

The future of engineering lies in digital innovation. By embracing tools like BIM, we can empower students and professionals to design smarter, build better, and lead with global competitiveness," said Mr. Carraminana.



Japanese Language Certificate and Internship Opportunities Finalized with JP Holdings Inc.



De La Salle University-Dasmariñas (DLSU-D) proudly welcomed representatives from JP Holdings Inc.'s Business Development Office—Mr. Akira Kise, Assistant Manager, and Mr. Yabuki Norihisa Gacutan, Associate Manager—for a strategic meeting aimed at enhancing academic and professional opportunities for students.

Organized by the Office of the Vice President for Global Engagement and External Relations (OVPGEER), the meeting was joined by Mr. Loreto Camiloza, Chair of the Philosophy and Psychology Department, and Ms. Cristina Padilla, Chair of the Professional Education Department. The agenda focused on finalizing the details of an endowed certificate program in Japanese language, which will be offered to students from selected programs such as Education, Psychology, and Communication.

In addition to the language program, discussions also centered on the upcoming internship opportunities with JP Holdings Inc., set to begin next semester. These internships aim to provide students with immersive, real-world experiences in a global business environment.

This partnership between JP Holdings Inc. and DLSU-D reflects a shared commitment to academic excellence and global engagement. Through collaborative programs like these, both institutions continue to empower students with the skills and experiences needed to thrive in an increasingly interconnected world.

DLSU-D Strengthens Scholar Support Through DOLE-SPES and SFAG Orientation



More than 300 scholars of De La Salle University-Dasmariñas (DLSU-D) attended the orientation on the Special Program for Employment of Students (SPES) under the Department of Labor and Employment (DOLE) and the Student Financial Aid Grant (SFAG) policies held at the Ayuntamiento de Gonzalez Building.

The event, organized and facilitated by the Scholarship Unit headed by Dr. May Mojica, Scholarship Officer, and Mr. Dennis Bautista, Office Associate, was conducted in two batches to accommodate the large number of participants.



During the orientation, Ms. Anne Marie Faye Marjes-Gloria, Senior Labor and Employment Officer, presented the unique opportunities of SPES—a program that helps students earn while they learn. Under SPES, student wages are subsidized by both the government and partner employers, enabling scholars to support their education while gaining meaningful work experience.



At the same time, the Scholarship Unit walked scholars through the SFAG policies on student assistantship, duty hours, and compliance requirements.

The orientation emphasized that beyond financial support, these programs help scholars apply their classroom learning in real work settings, hone practical skills, and develop a sense of discipline and service—all of which prepare them for future careers.

The event was graced by messages of support and inspiration from Dr. Mary Felidora Florinor M. Amparo, Vice Provost for Academics; Dr. Maria Nornelyn L. Cachuela, Vice President for Global Engagement and External Relations; Mr. Julius M. Tibayan, MBA, Director of the Advancement and Alumni Relations Office; and Ms. Irene S. Gueco, Director of the Linkages and Scholarship Office.

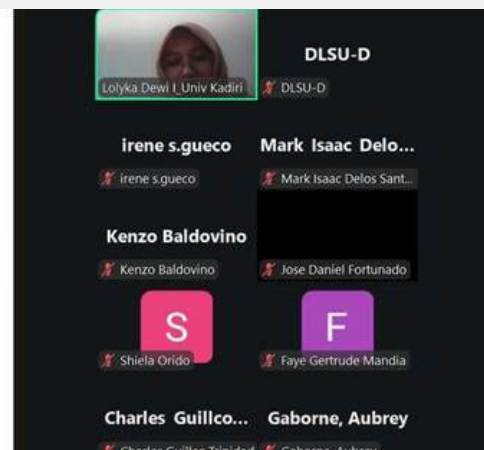
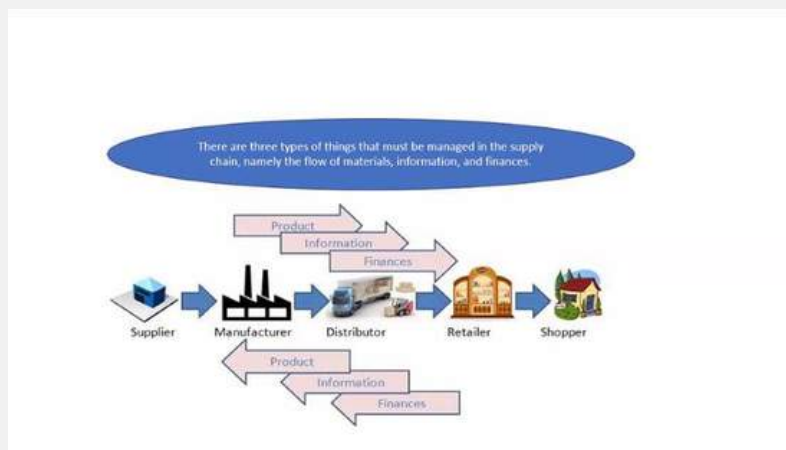
Through DOLE-SPES, DLSU-D scholars are empowered to pursue their education with added support and embody Lasallian values by contributing their talents to meaningful and productive work.

CEAT's Industrial Engineering Students Gain Global Perspective on Supply Chain Management

DLSU-D's Industrial Engineering students from the College of Engineering, Architecture and Technology (CEAT) recently had the opportunity to attend a special virtual lecture on Supply Chain Management. The session featured a guest expert, Ir. Lolyka Dewi Indrasari from Universitas Kadiri, Indonesia.

Ir. Indrasari delivered an insightful presentation that provided students with a forward-looking perspective on the industry. She highlighted emerging trends, technological advancements, and the evolving landscape of logistics, emphasizing the vast career opportunities available in the global supply chain sector.

This academic engagement is part of the ongoing partnership between DLSU-D and Universitas Kadiri, which underscores both institutions' commitment to academic excellence and international collaboration. By connecting students with global experts, these partnerships enrich the learning experience and foster a deeper understanding of industry practices across borders.



LSEG Scholars Share Their Journey from Scholarship to Career Success

From classrooms to careers, the experiences of LSEG Scholars at De La Salle University-Dasmariñas have become powerful examples of how opportunities can shape futures.

The LSEG Scholarship Program goes beyond financial support. For many scholars, it has been a life-changing journey—helping them excel academically, gain industry-relevant skills, and ultimately step confidently into the professional world.

This was highlighted by the testimonies of three proud alumni who once walked the halls of DLSU-D as LSEG scholars and are now thriving as full-time employees at the London Stock Exchange Group.

Their stories capture the heart of what it means to be an LSEG scholar: to rise above challenges, embrace opportunities, and carry forward the values of perseverance and service.



DLSU-D and Universidad de Colima Kick Off First Mirror Class

De La Salle University-Dasmariñas (DLSU-D) and Universidad de Colima (UCol) in Mexico initiates academic partnership with the successful first mirror class.

The inaugural session, led virtually by Ms. Christine Anne Belinario of the Tourism Management Department (CTHM), was attended by Tourism students from UCol. The class spotlighted the rich cultural heritage of the Philippines, with special emphasis on local flavors and Filipino values.

"This mirror class is more than just a cultural exchange—it is a bridge that brings our students closer to understanding one another," shared Ms. Belinario.

Through lively discussions and multimedia presentations, participants explored the deep connections between the Philippines and Mexico—two nations bound by centuries of shared history, colonial influences, and vibrant traditions.



Students from UCol gained valuable insights into Filipino culture, particularly its festive culinary traditions and the values that guide daily life. The session also served as an open invitation to visit the Philippines, highlighting the warmth, hospitality, and diversity of its people and regions.

Lasalayanong Sandugo-an Orientation

A heartfelt gratitude to all College Council Representatives who actively participated in the Lasalayanong Sandugo-an Orientation!

The session served as a meaningful space to:

- Strengthen shared understanding of servant leadership
- Reaffirm commitment to Lasallian values
- Build unity and collaboration across councils
- Equip leaders with practical tools for the academic year

Your presence and engagement reflect your dedication to leading with faith, zeal for service, and communion in mission.

As one student body, let us continue to move forward with purpose and compassion — for God and country.



Lasallian Community Development Center and Cavite- Provincial Disaster Risk Reduction Management Council Council Meeting



The Lasallian Community Development Center (LCDC) of De Lasalle University-Dasmariñas joined Cavite- Provincial Disaster Risk Reduction Management Council (PDRPMC) 3rd Quarter Full Council Meeting held last September 2, 2025 at the New Provincial Capitol Building in Trece Martires City, Cavite..

The meeting brought together 36 institutions and organizations across Cavite, including LGUs, academic institutions, civil society organizations (CSOs), and key stakeholders to discuss:

- Updates on provincial disaster preparedness
- Risk reduction strategies and response coordination
- Community-based resilience initiatives
- Inter-agency collaboration for sustainable DRRM efforts.

Together, we build a culture of preparedness and resilience.

CISC Faculty Service-Learning Orientation

The College of Information and Computer Studies (CICS) successfully participated, on September 10, 2025, in the Faculty Service-Learning Orientation conducted by the QUEST (Service-Learning) Program Team of the Lasallian Community Development Center (LCDC) which centered on strengthening the integration of service-learning into its academic programs. The orientation highlighted three key areas: the QUEST Service-Learning Program, the use of the Lasallian Reflection Framework (LRF) as a guide for critical reflection, and the integration of service-learning into the curriculum and course syllabi. The orientation was conducted by Dr. Mayeth Deligan Gochuico, LCDC Director, Jhoven Llabres Paulite, Quest Program Officer, and Lorenzo Joncent Centino Jr, QUEST Program Officer.



The CICS Faculty members were introduced to the QUEST program as the main platform for community engagement initiatives of students through service-learning, emphasizing its role in aligning academic learning outcomes with meaningful service to communities. The Lasallian Reflection Framework was presented as a vital tool to deepen students' learning experience, guiding them through structured critical reflection that connects service, faith, and life. Furthermore, the discussion on curriculum integration provided concrete strategies for embedding service-learning within courses, ensuring both academic rigor and social relevance.

Beyond its being a guide for Service-Learning integration preparation, the orientation served as a platform for dialogue where faculty were able to raise questions and clarify matters related to the implementation of service-learning in their respective programs. The session not only equipped participants with practical knowledge but also reinforced the college's commitment to holistic education rooted in service and critical reflection.

The orientation was attended by 11 faculty members of the College of Information and Computer Studies.



Distribution of School Supplies and Hygiene Kits at Bukal ng Kapayapaan

On September 17, 2025, the Lasallian Community Development Center, with heartfelt gratitude, led the distribution of School Supplies and Hygiene Kits gathered during the PANIMOLA DLSU-D Freshmen Orientation 2025. In partnership with the Office of Student Services (OSS), the freshmen extended their kindness and generosity to various communities, including Bahay Pag-asa ng DLSU-D, San Nicolas Elementary School, Bahay Kalinga, Bucal ng Kapayapaan, Dasmarinas City Jail, Bahay Tuluyan ng mga Bata, MALETA Project beneficiaries, Tulayin Project for Indigenous People (Mangyan Community in Mindoro), and the Diocese of Imus Synodality Center.



Lasallian Community Development Center Forges Stronger Partnership with Dasmariñas City Jail

On September 16, 2025, the Lasallian Community Development Center (LCDC) held a courtesy call and planning session with Dasmariñas City Jail (DCJ) wardens JSUPT Jerome Y Soriano (Male Warden) and JCINSP Marvi A Diaz (Female Warden) alongside their personnel at De La Salle University-Dasmariñas (DLSU-D).



The meeting highlighted LCDC's ongoing commitment to restorative justice and community driven initiatives. Ms. Rona T. Serrano, Community Development Project Officer, presented an accomplishment report of collaborative programs during the academic year 2024-2025. Dr. Maria Theresa D. Gochuico, LCDC Director, introduced the LCDC Office briefer and outlined new strategic directions for academic year 2025-2026, emphasizing innovative projects and strengthened partnerships. Also in the meeting were Ms. Jhelyn Relopez, Community Development Coordinator and Ms. Iris Diorella Anadaya, QUEST Coordinator, reaffirming a united effort toward sustainable community impact.



The meeting paved the way for future partnerships, with both parties expressing enthusiasm for expanded initiatives aimed at rehabilitation, education, and holistic support for DCJ residents (PDLs). This meeting reaffirms LCDC's mission to bridge academic resources with community needs, fostering hope and transformation.



Self-Care Workshop for Committee on Disaster Response under the PDRRMC



On Sept 18–19, a transformative Self-Care Workshop was held at Angels' Hills, Tagaytay City for the Committee on Disaster Response under the PDRRMC, sponsored by PSWDO Cavite.

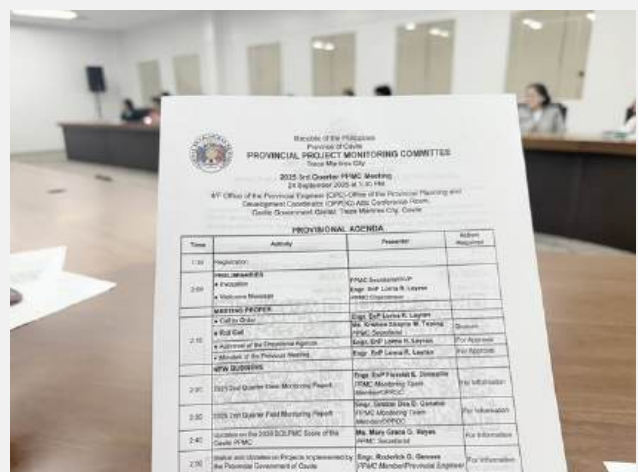
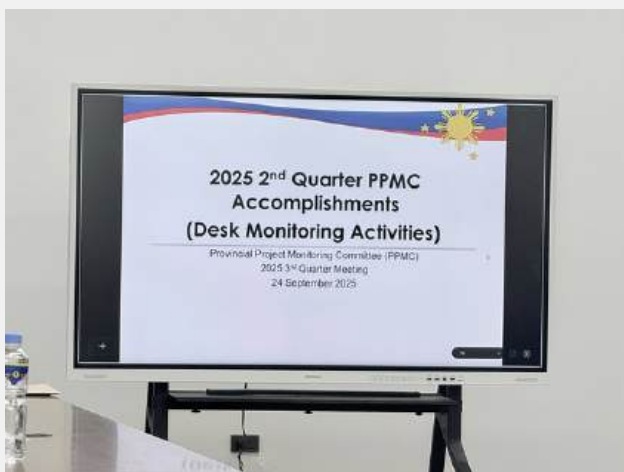
Thirty-four (34) participants from various sectors—including Social Workers, Coast Guards, DepEd, PENRO, BFP, CSOs and others —joined the two-day workshop. Ms. Angelica Irah Watamura (DLSU-D- PPD) and Dr. Grace Red (DLSU-D-LCDC) served as resource speakers/ facilitators, guiding the group through self-care exercises, reflection, and sharing.



LCDC Joins the 3rd Quarter Provincial Project Monitoring Committee Meeting

Faculty members Iris Diorella Andaya Gochuico and Maria Theresa Gochuico of the Lasallian Community Development Center (LCDC) attended the 3rd Quarter Provincial Project Monitoring Committee Meeting held at the New Provincial Capitol in Trece Martires City, Cavite. The meeting focused on reviewing the 2025 2nd Quarter desk and field monitoring reports, assessing the status of various projects implemented by the Provincial Government of Cavite, and evaluating the fund utilization from 2021 to 2025.

Through participation in these discussions, LCDC continues to uphold its commitment to civic engagement and collaborative development efforts in the province.



3rd Quarter Meeting of the Dasmariñas City Disaster Risk Reduction and Management Council: Strengthening Resilience and Preparedness

The 3rd Quarter Meeting of the Dasmariñas City Disaster Risk Reduction and Management Council (CDRRMC) was held last September 25 at the Socio-Economic Building. As an active member of the council, the Lasallian Community Development Center (LCDC) was represented by Dr. Socorro Grace Red, LCDC's Project Officer for Disaster Risk Reduction and Management (DRRM). She was joined by Mr. Frederick Godinez, Director of the General Services Office (GSO) of DLSU-D.





The meeting focused on updates and coordinated preparations by the LGU and various agencies in response to Typhoon Opong, aiming to mitigate its impact and strengthen disaster response efforts. It also highlighted the accomplishments of member agencies and organizations during the previous quarter, reinforcing the importance of collaboration in building resilient communities.



De La Salle University-Dasmariñas Participates in Basic Incident Command System Training



The De La Salle University-Dasmariñas participated in the Basic Incident Command System (ICS) Training on 24-26 September 2025 in Tanza Oasis Hotel and Resort, organized by the Office of the Provincial Disaster Risk Reduction and Management Officer of Cavite, and Office of Civil Defense.

DLSU-D was represented by Mr. Vjorn Christian Grimaldo of the Lasallian Community Development Center and Mr. Johnatan Villa of the General Services Office.

Basic ICS Training aims to capacitate local government personnel, civil society organization members and DRRM practitioners with essential knowledge and practical skills in managing incidents. ICS creates a common organizational structure and procedures to coordinate response among various agencies and sectors during disasters.

This training contributes to the goal of building safe, sustainable and disaster-resilient communities by ensuring coordinated and prepared responses.

Advancement and Scholarship Annual Assembly



The event was graced by Mr. Julius Tibayan, Director of Advancement and Alumni Relations, alongside Dr. May Mojica, Director of the Scholarship Office, and Mr. Dennis Ian Bautista, Office Associate of the Scholarship Office.

Piso Para sa Skolar Coin Campaign



The Advancement and Alumni Relations Office (AARO) facilitates the collection and counting of Piso Para Sa Iskolar, with the presence of the Finance and Accounting Office, Risk, Compliance, and Audit Office (RCAO), and student representatives.

With the collective effort, the University had raised Php 21,620.15 for the One La Salle Scholarship Program.

Journey To Purpose Homecoming Concert of Music and Stories



Spearheaded by Faculty Organization of De La Salle University – Dasmariñas. A concert in line with Teachers' Month and the 38th Chartering Anniversary of DLSU-D celebration.

List of Sponsorship/s:

1. Kenny Rogers Roasters - Php 10,000.00
*with complimentary booth set up
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3. Café Amadeo - Php 5,000.00

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The banner features a laptop displaying the DLSU-D Career & Placement website, a hand holding a smartphone with a QR code, and the DLSU-D logo and Seemeconnect logo.

Key features of the DLSU-D Career Portal include the following:

- *A streamlined job search with access to positions across multiple industries
- *Virtual recruitment tools for a more efficient and interactive application experience
- *Networking opportunities with employers who highly value Lasallian talent

LINKAGES REPORT

SIGNED MOU/MOA/Contract (3)

- MOU with National University (CICS)
- MOU with JP-Holdings (COEd & CLAC)
- MOU with Saint Louis University, Baguio City

INBOUND FACULTY (6)

A.) Christ Deemed to be University (1)

- 1.) Dr. Aneesh Kumar Pradeep-CLAC

B.) Kadiri University, Indonesia (5)

- 1.) (Virtual) Mrs. Meme Rukmini, S.T., M.T.-CBAA
- 2.) (Virtual) Mrs. Agustia Dwi Pamijati-CTHM
- 3.) (Virtual) Ms. Rina Rebut Rayhanshah-CEAT
- 4.) (Virtual) Dr. Ir. Sony Susanto-CEAT
- 5.) (Virtual) Ir. Lolyka Dewi Indrasari-CEAT

OUTBOUND FACULTY (1)

A.) Universidad de Colima, Mexico (1)

- 1.) (Virtual) Ms. Christine Anne Belinario-CTHM

FULL SCHOLARSHIP EQUIVALENT (FSE)

First Semester, AY 2025-2026

Basic Education

	FSE Mainstream - Academic	FSE Mainstream – Non-Academic	Externally Funded Scholarship	FSE Special Program	FSE Institutional
Student Population/FTE	42	18	0	0	60
FSE Count	47.66	28.24	0	0	76
FSE %	2.44%	1.45%	0%	0%	4%
Total Student Population for = <u>1,953</u>					

Undergraduate

	FSE Mainstream - Academic	FSE Mainstream – Non-Academic	Externally Funded Scholarship	FSE Special Program	FSE Institutional
Student Population/FTE	306	282	0	0	588
FSE Count	90.42	196.72	0	0	284
FSE %	1.02%	2.22%	0.00%	0%	3%
Total Student Population for = <u>8,872</u>					

Graduate School

	FSE Mainstream - Academic	FSE Mainstream – Non-Academic	Externally Funded Scholarship	FSE Special Program	FSE Institutional
Student Population/FTE	2	0	29	0	31
FSE Count	1.67	0.00	18	0.00	20
FSE %	0.13%	0.00%	2.21%	0%	2%
Total Student Population for = <u>770</u>					

Headcount Computation

Scholarship Program	Basic Education	Undergraduate	Graduate School
Internally Funded Scholarship	60	588	2
Externally Funded Scholarship	0	0	29
Special Program (Co-Funded Scholarship (LGU), DOLE, NIGHT Class)	0	0	
Total	60	588	31

RESOURCE GENERATION REPORT

September	Cash	In-Kind	Total
Bahay Pag-Asa		₱ 52,311.00	₱ 52,311.00
Piso Para sa Iskolar	₱ 21,620.15		₱ 21,620.15
DLSU-D Merchandise	₱ 3,070.00		₱ 3,070.00
Lasallian Community Development Center	₱ 6,000.00	₱ 42,376.00	₱ 48,376.00
Journey to Purpose Sponsorship		₱ 20,000.00	₱ 20,000.00
POLCA		₱ 15,072.55	₱ 15,072.55
Investiture Donations	₱ 5,000.00		₱ 5,000.00
Total	₱ 35,690.15	₱ 129,759.55	₱ 165,449.70

These collective efforts highlight the unwavering generosity of benefactors and the active participation of the community in various initiatives. The significant share of in-kind donations, particularly for Bahay Pag-Asa and LCDC, demonstrates a strong commitment to directly addressing the needs of beneficiaries. Meanwhile, cash contributions through scholarship support, merchandise sales, and investiture donations reinforce sustainability and program development.

The September donation drive's outcomes not only provide substantial financial and material support but also embody the Lasallian spirit of solidarity and service, ensuring that more individuals and communities continue to benefit from these advocacies.

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Thank you!

Your support to the Lasallian Mission will ensure that we will continue to provide educational service to the people entrusted to our care.