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140 DLSU-D Night College Scholars Receive ₱350,000 Cavite Provincial Scholarship Aid



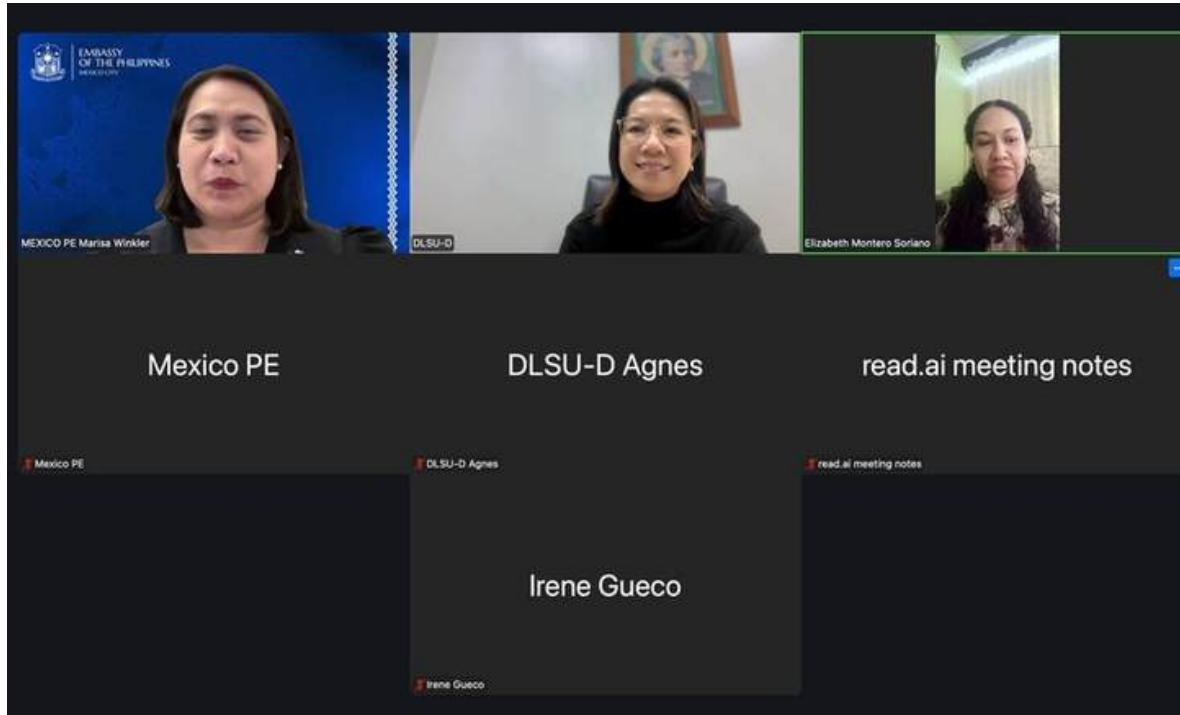
A total of 140 De La Salle University–Dasmariñas (DLSU-D) Night College scholars received financial assistance on June 1, 2026, at the Centennial Hall, through the Provincial Scholarship Program Office (PSPO) of the Office of the Governor of Cavite. Each recipient is a working student — spending their days employed and their evenings in pursuit of a college degree.

The program opened with messages of gratitude and encouragement from Chief Lasallian Mission Officer Mr. Ritchie Bongaron and Vice President for Global Engagement and External Relations Dr. Nor Cachuela. Both officials underscored that the scholarship assistance reflects the wider community's confidence in the working students' potential and their determination to pursue higher education despite the demands of daily labor.

The distribution was facilitated by Dr. Maria Rosario Salibay, Director of the Night College, together with Ms. Lhen Napa from the PSPO.

The Cavite Provincial Scholarship Program supports deserving students across the province by alleviating financial barriers to education. For DLSU-D's Night College scholars, this assistance represents not only material support, but a reaffirmation of the Lasallian commitment to inclusive, transformative education — one that meets students where they are and empowers them to rise.

DLSU-D and Universidad Autónoma del Estado de Hidalgo Discuss Future Linkages



DLSU-Dasmariñas, through the Office of the Vice President for Global Engagement and External Relations (OVPGEER), initiated exploratory discussions with Universidad Autónoma del Estado de Hidalgo (UAEH), Mexico, on June 2, 2026, to explore potential areas of academic collaboration.

The meeting was led by Dr. Nornelyn Cachuela, Vice President for Global Engagement and External Relations, and was facilitated by Ms. Marisa Winkler of the Embassy of the Philippines in Mexico City. The engagement reflects DLSU-D's continued commitment to strengthening international partnerships and expanding opportunities for both its academic community and partner institutions.

During the exploratory talks, both institutions identified key areas for possible collaboration, including faculty and student mobility programs, joint research initiatives, Collaborative Online International Learning (COIL), and the development of mirror classes. These priority areas highlight a shared interest in advancing global learning experiences, fostering intercultural exchange, and promoting collaborative academic innovation.

DLSU-D Strengthens Industry Linkages with Megaworld Hotels & Resorts



De La Salle University-Dasmariñas (DLSU-D), through the Office of the Vice President for Global Engagement and External Relations, welcomed representatives from Megaworld Hotels & Resorts in a collaborative meeting attended by administrators from various colleges.

The meeting served as a platform to further enhance existing collaborations between DLSU-D and Megaworld Hotels & Resorts, particularly in advancing internship opportunities and fostering industry-academe engagement. A key initiative highlighted during the discussion was the Industry Practitioner Engagement Program (IPEP), which facilitates the sharing of industry expertise to enrich academic instruction and professional preparation of students.

Representatives from the different Megaworld hotel properties across the Philippines introduced their respective establishments, presenting diverse opportunities for faculty immersion, student internships, and other academic-related activities. This exchange provided valuable insights into current industry practices and expanded potential avenues for experiential learning.

DLSU-D Welcomes Naga College Foundation, Inc. for Benchmarking Activity



De La Salle University-Dasmariñas (DLSU-D), through the Office of the Vice President for Global Engagement and External Relations (OVPGEER), successfully hosted a benchmarking activity with Naga College Foundation, Inc. (NCF), reaffirming its commitment to academic collaboration and institutional excellence.

Representing DLSU-D were Dr. Maria Virginia Aguilar, Dean of the College of Professional and Graduate Studies; Dr. Leo Manansala, Vice Dean of CPGS; Dr. Maria Nornelyn Cachuela, Vice President for Global Engagement and External Relations; Irene Gueco, Director of the Linkages and Scholarship Office; and Agnes Olarte, International Mobility Officer. Their collective expertise enabled a comprehensive presentation of the University's academic framework, governance mechanisms, and program offerings.

Meanwhile, Naga College Foundation, Inc. was represented by Dr. Edwin Bernal, Vice President for Academic Business Development; Prof. Jayme Ignacio, Product and Learning Development Officer; Prof. Ma. Antonette Lamery, Industry Partnership and Marketing Officer; and Prof. Leomir Paz, Data Analyst and System Development Officer. The visiting delegation actively engaged in the discussions, particularly in understanding DLSU-D's implementation of its academic structures and systems.

The engagement focused on sharing best practices and institutional insights, particularly on the structure and academic delivery of the College of Professional and Graduate Studies (CPGS). This initiative provided an opportunity for meaningful exchange of ideas, as NCF explored key areas that could inform its own program development and strategic direction.

DLSU-D and St. Mary's University of Minnesota Hold Exploratory Talks on Joint Degree Program



De La Salle University-Dasmariñas (DLSU-D), through the Office of the Vice President for Global Engagement and External Relations (OVPGEER), initiated exploratory discussions with St. Mary's University of Minnesota to explore potential academic collaborations.

The meeting brought together representatives from both La Sallian institutions to identify opportunities that would enhance student learning and global engagement. Representing DLSU-D were Dr. Maria Nornelyn Cachuela, Vice President for Global Engagement and External Relations; Dr. Irene Gueco, Director of the Linkages and Scholarship Office; and Ms. Agnes Olarte, International Mobility Officer.

Ms. Karen Ho, Director of International Partnerships at St. Mary's University of Minnesota, presented the institution's undergraduate and graduate programs, highlighting areas for possible collaboration. Discussions focused on potential initiatives such as academic pathways, student and faculty mobility, and joint academic engagements.

DLSU-D Sends Off HNUE Exchange Student



De La Salle University-Dasmariñas (DLSU-D), through the Office of the Vice President for Global Engagement and External Relations (OVPGEER), held a send-off program for NGUYỄN THỊ NGỌC LINH, an exchange student from Hanoi National University of Education (HNUE), marking the successful completion of her academic stay in the University.

NGUYỄN THỊ NGỌC LINH (Jessica) was hosted by DLSU-D during the second semester of Academic Year 2025–2026, where she pursued her studies under the Biology Department of the College of Science. Throughout her stay, she actively engaged in academic and cultural activities, gaining valuable learning experiences while immersing herself in the Lasallian community.

As part of her exposure to Philippine heritage and culture, the Linkages and Scholarship Office organized a visit to notable historical sites in Manila, which she attended together with other international students hosted by the University. These activities provided meaningful opportunities for cultural exchange and global learning beyond the classroom.

A short program and awarding ceremony were held at the OVPGEER Office, where NGUYỄN THỊ NGỌC LINH was presented with a certificate of completion in recognition of her participation in the student mobility program. The ceremony symbolized the culmination of her exchange experience and her contributions to the academic community.

DLSU-D Formalizes Strategic Partnership with WPH Digital



De La Salle University–Dasmariñas (DLSU-D) formally sealed its partnership with WPH Digital through the signing of an MOU at the ADG Boardroom on June 4, 2026.

WPH Digital is a Singapore-based, ISO 9001:2015-certified technology company specializing in innovative digital solutions across industries including education, finance, healthcare, and retail.

Representing DLSU-D, University Provost Dr. Christian George Francisco led the formalization of the partnership, while WPH Digital was represented by Managing Director Mr. Vincent Leoh and Partner Manager Mr. BJay Divinagracia.

The MOU outlines key areas of collaboration, including joint research initiatives, faculty development programs, and the co-organization of an Annual Tech Summit. A major highlight of the agreement is the establishment of the WPH-DLSU-D AI Innovation Lab, envisioned as a dynamic space for experimentation, learning, and the development of cutting-edge technological solutions.

The signing was attended by the College of Information and Computer Studies (CICS) Dean, Ms. Marivic Mitschek, and Dr. Aims Rocina, Director of the University Research Office. Through this strategic alliance, DLSU-D faculty and students are expected to gain expanded access to training and development opportunities in Cloud computing, Artificial Intelligence, and DevOps.

Gunita Tanglaw ng Isang Iskolar



Bilang bahagi ng patuloy na pagpapaunlad sa mga iskolar na kabilang sa Circle of Student Assistants (CoSA), matagumpay na isinagawa ang General Assembly na may temang "Gunita: Tanglaw ng Isang Iskolar" noong Hunyo 10, 2026, mula 1:00 hanggang 5:00 ng hapon sa ADG Reception Hall.

Pinangunahan ni Ms. Jessica Labanon ang pagtitipon na dinaluhan ng mga student assistant. Tampok sa programa ang makabuluhang pagbabahagi nina Frederick Agustin, isang visual artist, at Mr. Jason Tanjuakio, College Instructor ng Fine Arts School, na nagbigay ng inspirasyon hinggil sa kahalagahan ng pagkamalikhain, pagtitiyaga, at paghubog ng sariling pagkakakilanlan sa gitna ng mga hamon sa pag-aaral at paglilingkod.

Nagsilbing pagkakataon ang General Assembly upang pagtibayin ang diwa ng pagkakaisa at malasakit sa kapwa, habang pinapaalalahanan ang bawat student assistant na ang bawat karanasan at alaala—ang kanilang gunita—ay nagsisilbing tanglaw na nagbibigay-lakas at direksiyon sa kanilang paglalakbay bilang mga iskolar at responsableng Lasalyano.

Microchip-CEAT Partnership Delivers Next-Gen Hardware and Faculty Training



Microchip Technology Inc., through its local subsidiary MTI Advanced Test Development Corporation, has officially turned over a valuable donation of next-generation hardware to the College of Engineering, Architecture and Technology (CEAT) today, June 17, 2026.

The donation includes an array of cutting-edge instructional and developmental tools: early-access wireless kits, development boards, mini-FPGA (Field-Programmable Gate Array) boards, and MIPI DSI round touch display modules. These tools will give students direct, hands-on experience with hardware widely used in cutting-edge semiconductor testing, aerospace applications, and embedded vision systems.

The partnership was spearheaded and facilitated by Dr. Ma. Nathalie Pineda, the Dean of CEAT, who worked closely with Microchip representatives to align the hardware acquisition with the university's academic goals.

Beyond providing hardware, Microchip will conduct a series of comprehensive, free faculty training sessions to ensure that college educators are fully proficient in utilizing the advanced components.

"This collaboration is a big win for our students," said Dr. Pineda. "By integrating Microchip's early-access technologies directly into our laboratories, we are ensuring our engineering graduates are day-one ready for the semiconductor and electronics manufacturing industries."

The newly acquired hardware and training frameworks are slated to be integrated seamlessly into the upgraded CEAT engineering and technology curriculum starting next academic year.

DLSU-D, Dasmariñas City Government Renew Partnership



De La Salle University-Dasmariñas (DLSU-D) and the City Government of Dasmariñas have formally renewed their strategic partnership, reinforcing a shared, long-term commitment to educational development and local civic progress today, June 17, 2026.

The commitment was locked in through a Memorandum of Agreement (MOA) signed by university and city officials. Heading the DLSU-D delegation were University President Br. Iñigo Riola, FSC, Chief Administrative Officer Dr. Sonia Gementiza, and Vice President for Global Engagement and External Relations Dr. Maria Nornelyn Cacheula.

By keeping this teamwork alive, DLSU-D and the Dasmariñas local government unit (LGU) are set to pool their resources once again—this time focusing on heavier community outreach, helping marginalized sectors, and giving students better, hands-on training for public service and future careers.

CPGS' Dr. Manansala Signs On as Exchange Faculty at Baise University, China



Dr. Leo Manansala, Vice Dean of the College of Professional and Graduate Studies (CPGS), signed his contract as an Outbound Exchange Faculty to Baise University, Guangxi, China today, June 26, 2026.

Joining the signing were Dr. Maria Virginia Aguilar, Dean of CPGS, and Dr. Nor Cachuela, VP for Global Engagement and External Relations (OVPGEER).

Dr. Manansala will serve as Resource Speaker for Baise University's Research and Publication Training Program, sharing his expertise in research methodology, academic writing, and publication strategies. He will facilitate sessions for both students and faculty from June 30 to July 9, 2026.

LCDC Participates in in CapDev for Disability-Inclusive Practices



Three faculty members from the Lasallian Community Development Center (LCDC)—Ms. Melanie Malabanan, Ms. Keavy Cuevas, and Mr. Lorenzo Centino, Jr.—successfully completed the online Training of Trainers titled “Empowering Inclusive Communities: A Five-Day Capacity Building Training on Deaf Support, Communication Strategies, and Sustainable Disability-Inclusive Practices,” organized by the LINK Center for the Deaf, Inc. The training was conducted over five consecutive Thursdays on May 21 and 28, and June 4, 11, and 18, 2026.

The program aimed to enhance the participants’ competencies in promoting disability-inclusive practices, strengthening support mechanisms for Deaf individuals, and developing effective communication strategies that foster inclusion and accessibility within educational institutions and community settings.

Each training day consisted of two sessions. The morning session featured webinars on disability-related issues, policies, and legal frameworks affecting Persons with Disabilities (PWDs), while the afternoon session focused on Filipino Sign Language (FSL) training and practical demonstrations to develop participants’ communication skills and cultural understanding of the Deaf community.

This Training of Trainers culminated in an onsite graduation rite held at Carmona Community Center, Carmona City, Cavite, on June 25, 2026.

Physical Education Department conducts Volleyball Training Clinic for the community leaders of Gawad Kalinga–Piela



Following the consultation meeting held at GK-Piela on June 2, 2026, the Physical Education Department promptly responded to the request of community leaders by organizing a Volleyball Training Clinic aimed at promoting sports development and active community engagement.

The Volleyball Training Camp was facilitated by Mr. Fidel Rojas, Chair of the Physical Education Department, and was participated in by approximately 11 community leaders. The activity was successfully conducted at the Barangay Sampaloc III Covered Court, providing participants with foundational skills, teamwork values, and leadership through sports.

This initiative reflects the department's continued commitment to empowering communities through physical education and meaningful collaboration.

The Lasallian Community Development Center and Arkanghel Center organized the Emergency First Aid Training with Adult Basic Life Support – CPR Training



The Arkanghel Center for Healthcare, Resilience and Safety Inc., in partnership with the Lasallian Community Development Center, successfully conducted an Emergency First Aid and Basic Life Support (CPR) Training for the incoming select interns of DLSMHSI last June 19, 2026.

The training was held at the Alumni Building, De La Salle University–Dasmariñas, providing a hands-on learning environment for participants.

This intensive program equipped our future healthcare professionals with essential life-saving skills, including:

- Principles of emergency first aid

- Scene assessment & personal safety

- Adult Basic Life Support (CPR) techniques

- Management of bleeding, fractures, poisoning, diabetic emergencies, stroke, seizure, fainting, and heat-related medical conditions

- Proper wound care and bandaging techniques

Guided by expert trainers and supported with professional first aid equipment, our interns are now better prepared to respond effectively in emergency situations. Emergency First Aid & CPR BLS Training for DLSMHSI Interns

DLSU-D Participates in CaSMEDC 2nd Quarterly Meeting



The De La Salle University–Dasmariñas (DLSU-D), through the Lasallian Community Development Center (LCDC), actively participated in the Cavite Small and Medium Enterprise Development Council (CaSMEDC) 2nd Quarterly Meeting held on June 17, 2026, at the OPCDO Conference Room, Trece Martires City, Cavite.

Representing DLSU-D was Ms. Rona T. Serrano, Social Entrepreneurship Project Officer of LCDC and Corporate Secretary of CaSMEDC, who joined representatives from various government agencies, private sector organizations, and academic institutions in discussing key initiatives aimed at strengthening the Micro, Small, and Medium Enterprise (MSME) sector in Cavite.

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The webinar discussions provided a comprehensive examination of the concepts of disability, impairment, and handicap, highlighting the social and environmental barriers that contribute to exclusion. Participants were introduced to principles of reasonable accommodation, accessibility, inclusive practices, and relevant national and international legal frameworks that guide disability-inclusive development.

LCDC and URO conducted June research activities in Barangay Tua



The Lasallian Community Development Center (LCDC) and the University Research Office (URO), formally initiated the research project “Baseline Study in Barangay Tua, Magallanes, Cavite as Basis for Synthesis of a Comprehensive Community Development Plan & Programs (C2DP2).” The study aims to generate comprehensive baseline data that will serve as a foundation for future community development programs, policies, and interventions responsive to the actual needs of the residents.

As part of the June research activities, an Enumerators’ Training was conducted on June 3 for 10 selected residents of Barangay Tua. The training equipped the enumerators with the necessary skills and knowledge to administer the survey instruments accurately and ethically. Engaging community members as enumerators proved to be a strategic approach, as their familiarity with the local context facilitated smoother communication and access across the five sitios of the barangay, while also strengthening community participation and ownership of the research process.

By June 10, the enumerators successfully completed a total of 250 accomplished survey forms. A debriefing meeting followed to document their experiences, challenges encountered, and insights from the field, providing valuable inputs that will help the researchers contextualize the survey results.

Continuing the research process, an orientation for the Research Assistant was conducted on June 17, focusing on the proper encoding and digitization of the survey data. Once data processing and analysis are completed, the research team will return to the community to conduct Focus Group Discussions (FGDs) and Key Informant Interviews (KIIs) to further enrich and validate the findings.

Physical Education Department Consultation meeting with BJMP-DCJ and GK-Piela for possible Extension Activities



The Lasallian Community Development Center (LCDC) organized a meaningful consultation meeting between the DLSU-D's Physical Education Department and DLSU-D Partners (Bureau of Jail Management and Penology-Dasmariñas City Jail and Gawad Kalinga-Piela), centered in creating a platform for collaboration and partnership-building focused on community development through wellness activities.

The Physical Education Department, represented by its Chair, Mr. Fidel Rojas, facilitated discussions centered on potential extension activities, aligning academic expertise with community needs to promote health, wellness, and active engagement. BJMP-DCJ and GK-Piela shared their institutional and community perspectives, opening opportunities for collaborative programs that will benefit their stakeholders and the wider community.

This collaboration reflects the power of shared roles, working together to create sustainable impact beyond the classroom.

The Lasallian Community Development Center (LCDC) conducts First Aid and Basic Life Support Training for the residents and personnel of Bahay Tuluyan ng mga Bata



In line with its commitment to service and community empowerment, the Lasallian Community Development Center (LCDC) successfully facilitated a First Aid and Basic Life Support Training for the residents and personnel of Bahay Tuluyan ng mga Bata.

The training was participated in by a total of 50 individuals, with 21 coming from Bahay Tuluyan residents and 29 from Bahay Tuluyan personnel. Furthermore, the activity aimed to equip participants with essential life-saving knowledge and practical skills to respond effectively during emergency situations. Through hands-on demonstrations and guided discussions, the training strengthened preparedness, confidence, and collective responsibility in ensuring safety within the community.

LCDC remains steadfast in its mission of nurturing compassionate, responsive, and service-oriented communities.

Baseline Study in Barangay Zone 1-A Commenced on June 5



The Baseline Study in Zone 1-A, Dasmariñas, Cavite officially began on June 5 with a courtesy call to the barangay officials, led by Barangay Chairman Marlo Dupal-ag, followed by the training of research enumerators. The study seeks to examine and evaluate key community domains, while identifying the community's needs, challenges, strengths, and opportunities.

The results of this research will provide the groundwork for the development of a Comprehensive Community Plan and Program for Barangay Zone 1-A. This project is funded by the University Research Office (URO) and implemented by researchers Dr. Grace Red (Team Leader, LCDC), Ms. Melanie Malabanan (LCDC), Dr. Jenneth De Guia (Student Wellness Center), and Ms. Mary Ann Salvador (Museo De La Salle).

Barangay Zone 1-A is a partner community of the Lasallian Community Development Center (LCDC), underscoring the collaborative commitment to sustainable and inclusive community development.

Graphics and Multimedia Department's (GMD) Service-Learning Activity for the 2nd Semester of S.Y 2025–2026 concluded with a culminating event



The Multimedia Arts students (MMA31 and MMA32) under the College of Engineering and Architecture Technology's Graphics and Multimedia Department successfully conducted their Culminating Activity, marking the official conclusion of their Service-Learning initiative titled: "The Identity Hope Project."

This culminating event served as a platform for the presentation of student-produced multimedia outputs that embodied themes of identity, empowerment, and social awareness. The showcased works reflected the students' integration of academic competencies with community engagement, demonstrating the application of creative practices in addressing real-world concerns.

Through this initiative, the students fostered meaningful collaboration with partner communities while developing socially responsive and ethically grounded multimedia solutions. The activity underscored the role of creative disciplines in promoting inclusivity, amplifying marginalized narratives, and contributing to community development.

The conduct of this culminating activity highlights the department's commitment to experiential learning, civic responsibility, and the advancement of socially engaged artistic practices.

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On June 20, 2026, the Parents Organization of De La Sale University – Dasmarinas (POLCA) conducted a meaningful Community Outreach Activity in Barangay Tua, Magallanes, Cavite. POLCA turned over a water dispenser to support access to clean drinking water, planted thirty-five (35) calamansi seeds near Utod Falls to help green the community, and engaged in a clean-up drive to promote environmental nourishment and stewardship. The day wrapped up with a rewarding 30-minute trek to the stunning Utod Falls—a perfect reminder of why we protect our common home. This outreach reflected the shared spirit of compassion, service, and care for both people and the environment. The collaboration of the Lasallian Community Development Center (LCDC), POLCA, and Barangay Tua strengthened the commitment to a more caring, sustainable, and empowered community—deep-seated in service, growing for the community.



Grateful acknowledgments:

- To the DLSU-D POLCA BOT and LCDC for the collaboration, leadership, and support.
- To Barangay Tua officials and the community for the warm hospitality and the opportunity to live out the Lasallian mission as stewards of God's creation.
- To 33 POLCA parents from different colleges—whose presence made a difference.

DLSU-D LCDC Earns Hall of Fame Recognition at the DSWD IV-A Panata Ko sa Bayan Awards



The De La Salle University–Dasmariñas Lasallian Community Development Center (DLSU-D LCDC) proudly received the Panata Ko sa Bayan Award for Most Outstanding DSWD Centers and Residential Care Facilities Hall of Famer during the DSWD Field Office IV-A Panata Ko sa Bayan Awards held on June 30, 2026 in a hybrid ceremony.

The award was presented by DSWD IV-A Regional Director Barry Chua and Assistant Regional Director for Operations Mylah Gatchalian in recognition of DLSU-D LCDC's sustained excellence and meaningful contributions to community development and social engagement.

Receiving the award on behalf of the University were Dr. Maria Nornelyn Cachuela, Vice President for Global Engagement and External Relations; Dr. Maria Theresa Gochuico, Director of the Lasallian Community Development Center; Ms. Iris Diorella Andaya, Service-Learning Program Officer; and Ms. Melanie Malabanan, Social Engagement Project Officer.

This achievement reflects DLSU-D LCDC's steadfast commitment to the Lasallian mission of empowering communities, promoting social responsibility, and creating transformative partnerships for the common good.

IMPACT in Action



The Impact Career Fest 2026 at De La Salle University–Dasmariñas successfully brought together students, industry partners, and community collaborators for two days of career exploration and networking. Held on June 9–10, 2026 at Salrial Hall and PBH Courtyard, the event served as a gateway for students to connect with potential employers, discover career paths, and prepare for internships and employment opportunities.

Participants met with leading companies and organizations, explored diverse professional fields, and built meaningful connections that supported their career journeys. The festival emphasized preparation and focus, encouraging attendees to plan their routes, target companies, and show up ready to engage.

The event was co-presented by the DLSU-D College of Information and Computer Studies Student Government and the College of Engineering, Architecture, and Technology Student Government, with strong support from community partners and sponsors

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Inspiring Conversation with Alumni

RESILIENCE, FAITH, AND SERVICE IN THE LASALLIAN SPIRIT

THE JOURNEY OF **ATTY. MARIA AHREN VERGARA-GAYADOS**

**Bachelor of Arts in Psychology,
Class of 2010**

**Lawyer, Co-Founder of Gayados
Vergara Law Office**

Atty. Maria Ahren Vergara-Gayados' journey is a testament to resilience, faith, and service-values that reflect the heart of the Lasallian spirit of faith, zeal, and communion. These principles continue to influence how she lives, leads, and inspires others to walk with purpose, act with integrity, and serve with compassion.



Marketing Me Live 2026



The graphic is a promotional poster for 'Marketing Me Live 2026'. At the top left is the De La Salle University-Dasmariñas logo. To its right, the text 'DE LA SALLE UNIVERSITY-DASMARIÑAS' is written in green. Further right, it says 'Powered by: JOBS180.COM MORE THAN A JOB SITE'. The center features the title 'MARKETING ME LIVE 2026' in large, stylized letters. Below this, a calendar icon indicates '5TH, JUNE 2026 FRIDAY' and a clock icon shows the time '9:00 AM - 11:00 AM'. At the bottom left, it says 'LIVE VIA: Facebook.com/Jobs180 Youtube.com/Jobs180'. On the right side, there is a 'TOPICS' list with three items: 'Job Applications using ResumeLink', 'Dressing Up for Interview', and 'Interview Tips'. Below the topics is a 'SCAN ME' section with a QR code and a registration link: 'Registration: https://bit.ly/DLSUDasmaWebinar2026'.

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The Advancement and Alumni Relations Office (AARO) of De La Salle University-Dasmariñas, in partnership with Jobs180.com, successfully conducted Marketing Me Live 2026, a career-preparation webinar designed to equip graduating students and alumni with the essential skills and confidence to navigate today's highly competitive job market.

The initiative served as a strategic platform to strengthen the University's commitment to graduate employability and career readiness, providing participants with relevant insights on personal branding, resume optimization, and effective job-seeking strategies. Through engaging discussions and practical guidance, students were empowered to articulate their strengths more effectively, align their competencies with industry demands, and position themselves as competitive candidates in the workforce.

Overall, the successful implementation of Marketing Me Live 2026 highlights the University's continuing efforts to build meaningful industry partnerships, deliver relevant career programs, and support the holistic formation of Lasallian graduates who are ready to make a positive impact in their chosen field.

AARO Recognized in the 2025 Provincial Best PESO Search – Job Placement Office Category



De La Salle University – Dasmariñas' Advancement and Alumni Relations Office (AARO), was conferred recognition as an awardee in the 2025 Search for Provincial Best Public Employment Service Office (PESO) Placement – Office Category.

The award was formally presented on June 22, 2026, during the 3rd Cavite Provincial PESO Congress. This distinction highlights the University's unwavering support and exemplary performance in employment promotion, as well as its commitment to ensuring the welfare of workers at the grassroots level.

Representing the institution in receiving the award were Dr. Maria Nornelyn Cachuela, Vice President for Global Engagement and External Relations, and Ms. Mary Daffodil Cordero, Career Placement Officer.

This is the first award received by the University in this category, and it will serve as an inspiration for DLSU-D to continue its efforts in supporting provincial initiatives that advance employment promotion and community development.

FULL SCHOLARSHIP EQUIVALENT (FSE) REPORT

SENIOR HIGH SCHOOL

	FSE Mainstream - Academic	FSE Mainstream – Non-Academic	Externally Funded Scholarship	FSE Special Program	FSE Institutional
Student Population/FTE	80	76	0	1	157
FSE Count	29.07	22	0	0.26	51
FSE %	1.60%	1.21%	0%	0%	3%

Total Student Population for = 1,816

HEADCOUNT COMPUTATION

Internally Funded Scholarship	156
Externally Funded Scholarship	0
Special Program (Co-Funded Scholarship (LGU), DOLE, NIGHT Class)	1

Total Headcount : 157

COLLEGE

	FSE Mainstream - Academic	FSE Mainstream – Non-Academic	Externally Funded Scholarship	FSE Special Program	FSE Institutional
Student Population/FTE	361	346	134	314	1151
FSE Count	141	196.00	88	413.02	425
FSE %	1.65%	2.29%	1.14%	5%	10%

Total Student Population for = 8,541

HEADCOUNT COMPUTATION

Internally Funded Scholarship	864
Externally Funded Scholarship	134
Special Program (Co-Funded Scholarship (LGU), DOLE, NIGHT Class)	314

Total Headcount : 1,312

GRADUATE SCHOOL

	FSE Mainstream - Academic	FSE Mainstream – Non-Academic	Externally Funded Scholarship	FSE Special Program	FSE Institutional
Student Population/FTE	3	0	30	0	33
FSE Count	2.00	0.00	13	0.00	15
FSE %	0.34%	0.00%	1.46%	0%	2%

Total Student Population for = 891

HEADCOUNT COMPUTATION

Internally Funded Scholarship	3
Externally Funded Scholarship	30
Special Program (Co-Funded Scholarship (LGU), DOLE, NIGHT Class)	0

Total Headcount : 33

LINKAGES REPORT

SIGNED MOU/MOA

Local (10):

- 1.) MOA with Our Lady of Pilar Montessori Center (c/o BED)
- 2.) MOU with Air Link International Aviation College (c/o BED)
- 3.) MOA with The Knights of Rizal (c/o SGSPCL)
- 4.) MOA with First Aviation Academy Inc.
- 5.) MOA with Emmanuel Resurrection Congressional Integrated High School (c/o BED)
- 6.) MOA with Ramona S. Tirona Memorial School (c/o BED)
- 7.) MOA with Salitran Elementary School (c/o BED)
- 8.) MOA with Burol Elementary School (c/o BED)
- 9.) MOA with City of Imus (Scholarship)
- 10.) MOU with Darlynn's (SPOON)

MOBILITY REPORT

OUTBOUND FACULTY (1)

A.) Baise University, China (1)

- 1.) Dr. Leo Manansala

OUTBOUND STUDENTS (31)

A.) Multimedia University, Malaysia (31)

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| 1.) Aguilar, Lara Gem | 16.) Mendaros, Blessie |
| 2.) Aparicio, Rhanjid Kyan | 17.) Montecillo, Mikhayla Mae |
| 3.) Campuspos, Michael | 18.) Musni, Francesca |
| 4.) Catiltil, Bea Joana | 19.) Nomorosa, Rodjaym |
| 5.) Cervantes, Roy | 20.) Nuestro, Lance David |
| 6.) Dimasuay, Jasper Bryan | 21.) Oliverio, Liam |
| 7.) Domingo, Ralph Russel | 22.) Ortega, Lexer Ivan |
| 8.) Francia, Mark Leo | 23.) Redublo, Ryle |
| 9.) Gelacio, Janray | 24.) Ricablanca, Zander |
| 10.) Gulmatico, Gem Triño | 25.) Salazar, Jewelle |
| 11.) Ibañez, Stephen Matthew | 26.) Sumala, Jan Louis |
| 12.) Jose, Andrei Mickael | 27.) Uy, Marcus Jerrick Camiling |
| 13.) Lacdan, Kaizen Chloe | 28.) Vargas III, Delfin |
| 14.) Marasigan, Paul Khristian | 29.) Vasquez, Jean Gabrielle |
| 15.) Medina, Garrick Gabriel | 30.) Yambao, Reynaldo |
| | 31.) Yanong, Rikk Franzee Untalan |

LCDC REPORT

Program Reach

A.Community Development Program

Distribution	Number	Description
First Aid and Basic Life Support Training for Residents and Personnel of Bahay Tuluyan ng mga Bata	50	21 Bahay Tuluyan residents and 29 Bahay Tuluyan personnel
BFA and BLS Training for DLSMHSI Interns	36	DLSMHSI Interns
Total	86	

B. Quality Education through Service and Transformation (QUEST) Program

Distribution	Number	Description
Volleyball Training for GK Piela community conducted	11	Community leaders
Total	11	

RESOURCE GENERATION REPORT

June 2026	Cash	In-Kind	Total
Bahay Pag-Asa	P 2,000.00		P 2,000.00
Microchip Technology Inc.		P 202,836.50	P 202,836.50
Sunset Run Merch Income	P 18,600.00		P 18,600.00
Scholarship	P 975,292.15		P 975,292.15
Cavite Provincial Government (Scholarship)	P 350,000.00		P 350,000.00
Crowdfunding Activity	P 18,597.00		P 18,597.00
Others		P 5,899.00	P 5,899.00
Total	P 1,364,489.15	P 208,735.50	P 1,573,224.65



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