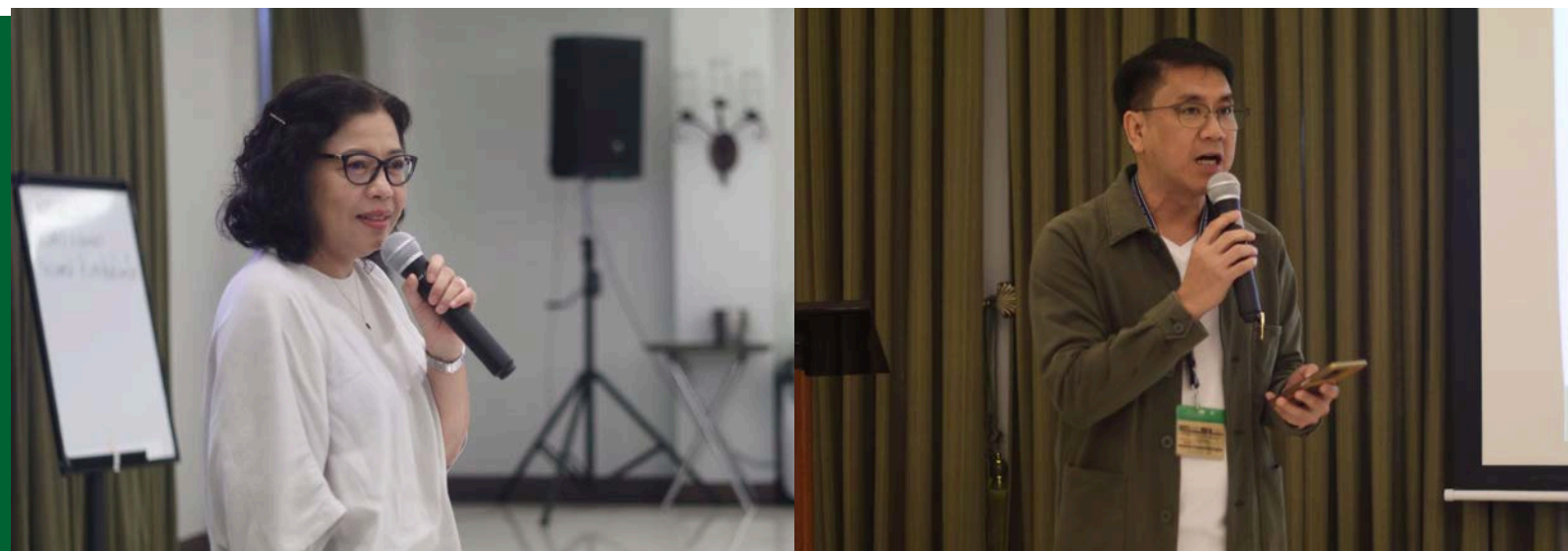


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DLSU-D JOINS K-POP NET FOR SCIENCE RESEARCH

De La Salle University Dasmariñas recently joined a different kind of K-POP Craze as it signed a Memorandum of Agreement to join the Korea-Philippine OMICs Partnership Network (K-POP Net), a network of Korean and Philippine-based educational institutions that seek to implement specific programs of academic, research, and extension cooperation, education exchange and research collaboration to promote OMICs in the country and the region.

The signing was held during the 3rd KOICA-UPLB IRRI International Conference held at the International Rice Research Institute (IRRI)

Academic institutions who pledged their collaboration with the network were led by Handong Global University, Seoul National University, and University of the Philippines Los Baños,



Representatives of Philippine universities sign the agreement.

Meanwhile, Bicol University, Central Luzon State University, Central Mindanao University, Mariano Marcos State University, Mindanao State University, Southern Luzon University, University of Southern Mindanao, Visayas State University, PhilRice, and IRRI also signed the pact along with DLSU-D.

Dr. Johnny Ching, Deputy Provost for Research said that the partnership would greatly benefit university researchers engaged in science and innovation.



DLSU DIPO/DITO THANKSGIVING AND RECOGNITION

DLSU-D's contribution to De La Salle Philippines's Intellectual Property Commission was recognized during the DLSU DIPO/DITO annual thanksgiving and recognition held at the Henry Sy Sr. Hall, Aug. 7, 9:30am - 12:30 pm. DLSU-D's Intellectual Property Officer, Jaime Zeus Agustin, received the award on behalf of the university.



DLSU-D IP Officer Jaime Zeus Agustin receives recognition from the Intellectual Property Commission of the Philippines.

TEAM URO FOR SY 2024-2025

The new school year saw the arrival of new faces to Team URO for SY 2024-2025. With the appointment of Dr. Jose Aims Rocina as Director, new members of the University Research Office were also welcomed.

Mr. Gideon Legaspi was appointed as the new Associate Director while Ms. Irish Bautista of the Lasallian Community Development Center (LCDC) and Angie Chui from the Information and Communications Technology Center (ICTC) were permanently transferred to URO as coordinators.

Ms. Carmela Z. Reyes from the Mathematics and Statistics Department took on the role of new Ethics Committee Review Chair and Mr. Jaime Zeus Agustin was appointed as Intellectual Property Officer this school year in addition to his role as URO coordinator.



Team URO, led by Deputy Provost for Research Dr. Johnny Ching

The URO team is completed by URO secretary Donna Maligaya and office staff Eric Molo. The office remains under the Office of the Deputy Provost for Research, Dr. Johnny Ching.

BRINGING RESEARCH OPPORTUNITIES CLOSER TO FACULTY MEMBERS

The University Research Office is doing the rounds among the university's departments and offices to announce exciting opportunities available to both faculty members and students.

Discussing the STARS thrust of the University's research plan as an evolution to the Cavite Research Development Plan (CDRP), The URO shared research topics that would benefit local government units in Cavite after consultation with their representatives.

Proposed increases in incentives for publications were also discussed by the URO team to further fuel the drive to conduct research and publish in legitimate journals.



URO Director Dr. Jose Aims Rocina discusses research challenges with the faculty.

The team also asked faculty members about challenges they encounter in doing research in order to address these concerns. After meeting with the SSD, ITD, CSD, and PFD, Team URO seeks to meet with other departments to discuss their specific research issues.

HRDCC ORIENTS PARTNERS ON USE OF HERDIN PLUS DATABASE

De La Salle University- Dasmariñas participated in the one-day Health Research and Development Information Network (HERDIN) Plus orientation.

The participants were taught to use of the HERDIN database, which serves as the repository for health research in the country with over 50,000 citations and bibliographic details from various sources, including published Philippine research journals, conference proceedings, as well as international databases such as PubMed and EMBASE.

HERDIN also includes unpublished research projects and reports from institutions, theses and dissertations which can be useful for researchers.

The HERDIN Plus orientation is part of the Health Research and Development Consortium –CALABARZON (HRDCC) resource-sharing initiative which seeks to establish a collaborative network among member institutions to promote the effective utilization of HRDC outputs.



12 POTENTIAL RESEARCH TOPICS FROM JOINT SUMMIT



Twelve potential research topics were developed during the DLSU-D and DLSMHSI Research Summit held at the Ayuntamiento de Gonzalez.

The event brought together researchers from the two institutions where topics were pitched by the participants. After a workshop session, experts from DLSMHSI and DLSU-D formed teams to improve the research ideas with practical applications in the medical field.

The DLSMHSI delegation was led by Dr. Susan A. Olavidez, RRT, EdD, Vice Chancellor for Research Services. A proposal writing workshop will be scheduled to develop the research topics further.

PROFESSORIAL CHAIR LECTURE ON EDUCATION



The University Research Office and the College of Education kicked off SY 2024-2025 with the first Professorial Chair Lecture for the Noemi Usis Professorial Chair in Education delivered by Dr. Olivia Legaspi.



The lecture was based on the study "Creating Possibilities: How De La Salle University-Dasmariñas Made Students' Success Possible Through Scholarship" which was co-authored with Dr. Alrien Dausan and Mrs. Cristina Padilla.

The study explored how the DLSU-D's scholarship program equipped graduates with the knowledge that they needed to excel in the workforce. It also revealed the intent of the alumni to give back to the university through their experience and expertise.

The research also provided recommendations on how the program could be improved and updated.



Dr. Legaspi is flanked by Provost Dr. Cristina Salibay, Deputy Provost for Research Dr. Johnny Ching, CoE Dean Dr. Arvin Gacelo, and URO Director Dr. Jose Aims Rocina.

