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Dear Dr. Yu,

In celebration of the ISRDS' 42nd anniversary, the Institute for Strategic Research and Development Studies (ISRDS), the Institute will be organizing a series of conversation sessions entitled Conversations on What is a Good University: Amplifying Stakeholder Voices on September 12, and 27, 2023 up to November 2023, until all the target sessions in the main and satellite campuses are completed.

The Visayas State University (VSU) will celebrate its centennial anniversary in April 2024. VSU has made a great stride in shaping its immediate, national, and international communities by providing quality tertiary education as well as innovative and responsive research and extension projects.

As the university embarks on these significant events, it is worthwhile to look back at what VSU has achieved by far, imagine where it should be heading in the next 10 years, and redefine its role in shaping society. More importantly, it is imperative to reflect on the future directions for development that the university should pursue.

The Institute for Strategic Research and Development Studies continues its legacy of collegial and critical conversations on VSU's future direction as well as its governance regime, which started in the year 2000 when the university had its first female President. This activity is a meaningful celebratory activity for the ISRDS' 42nd anniversary.

In this regard, we would kindly request your participation in the conversation on September 27, 2023 (Wednesday) from 9 AM to 11 AM. As the President of the AdPA, your insights are valuable to the activity.

Thank you very much, and looking forward to your favorable action on this request.

Very truly yours.

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