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Thru: **DR. BEATRIZ S. BELONIAS**
Chairperson, Academic Personnel Board
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Dear Dr. Tulin:

Greetings!

I would like to recommend the following NARC Faculty for Vacation and Sick Leave Status for the School Year 2021-2022. Attached here are their supporting appointments as Project/Study Leaders in different Research Projects of the Center/University.

No.	Family Name	First Name	Project/Study Title	Duration	Involvement
1	Duatin	Flora Mia Y.	• Mass propagation of abaca tissue-cultured planting materials • Low Cost Options for the Mass Propagation of Disease-free Abaca Planting Materials	Jan. 1-Dec. 2022	Project Leader
2	Moreno	Luz O.	• Increasing Abaca Plant Variability Through Conventional Breeding Method and Evaluation of Promising Abaca Varieties, Hybrids & Accessions (2 studies) • National Abaca Germplasm Collection, Maintenance, and Utilization (Phase VII) (3 studies)	Jan. 1 – Dec. 2022	Project Leader Study Leader Dept. Head, DPBG
3.	Piamonte	Robelyn T.	• Characterization & Quality Assessment of Locally made Biofertilizers* • Screening of Abaca Cultivars/Lines/Hybrids for Resistance to Bunchy Top Disease • Biological Control of the Corn Weevil with Entomopathogenic Nematodes (EPN) (Phase III) • Biohardening with Plant Growth MO as Biofertilizer of Abaca	Jan. 1-Dec. 2022 Jan. 1 – July 31, 2022	Project Leader Study Leader Project Leader
4	Pleños	Mary Cris F.	Enhancing capacity in Socio-Economic Research Establishing a Analytical Center in the Visayas	Jan. 1-Dec. 2022	Study Leader
5	Salomon	Jedess Mladel N.	Integrated Abaca Extension Program	Jan. 1-Dec. 2022	Project Leader Extension Coordinator



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A globally competitive university for science, technology, and environmental conservation. Development of a highly competitive human resource, cutting-edge scientific knowledge and innovative technologies for sustainable communities and environment.