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Through: Dr. Elwin Jay V. Yu
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Dear **President Yepes**,

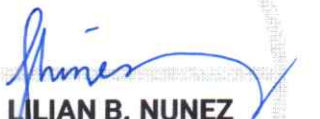
Good day.

I would like to formally recommend the virtual attendance of Ms. Melodina P. Edullantes, at the upcoming 4th Southeast Asian Conference on Ecnutrition. The conference, themed "Charting Ecnutrition in a Brittle, Anxious, Nonlinear, and Incomprehensible (BANI) World," will take place on October 28–29, 2024, at the Umali Auditorium, SEARCA, UPLB, College, Laguna, and will also be accessible via a virtual platform with a registration fee of One Thousand Pesos only, to be charged to BIDANI extension project fund. Ms. Edullantes is the Science Research Specialist responsible for the Participative Nutrition Enhancement Approach (PNEA), a key nutrition component of BIDANI.

Given the BIDANI Project's current budget constraints, we regret that we are unable to cover Ms. Edullantes' travel expenses. However, we believe her virtual participation would still allow her to gain valuable insights and contribute meaningfully to the discussions surrounding econutrition, which aligns closely with her work on PNEA.

Thank you for considering this recommendation. I look forward to your positive response to this request.

Very truly yours,


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