



CORE VALUES

Relevance, Integrity, Truth, Excellence

GOALS AND OBJECTIVES

WORLD-CLASS EDUCATION. Visayas State University (VSU) will be recognized as one of the premier universities in Asia, offering affordable world-class education to produce highly competent manpower in science and technology (S&T), especially for agriculture, environmental management and industries.

GLOBALLY COMPETITIVE S&T. Research is the engine of innovation. Technologies and information generated by research improve the socio-economic status and build the resilience of vulnerable groups.

EMPOWERED COMMUNITIES. The instruction and research programs of VSU contribute to social progress, but it is through its extension programs that the university brings about direct and immediate effect on society. In the next 10 years, VSU will strengthen its community engagement for community empowerment.

SUSTAINABLE RESOURCE GENERATION. The university is endowed with vast natural resources and pool of experts vital for creating income generating projects that will help augment the resources provided by government. The challenge is to strike a balance between continuing the pursuit of excellence while maintaining environmental conditions that will support present and future generations.

CLIENT-CENTERED GOVERNANCE. More exciting oppurtunities in exchange of information in science and technology come in positioning VSU in the arena of ASEAN integration. We embrace the responsibility as a research university to build up experts engaged in effectively serving our clients – parents, students, farmers, entrepreneurs, policy makers and technologists by making our science and technological products more accessible.

VERSATILE SPACES FOR INNOVATION. Spaces are important for innovation. We would like to build upon the lessons of VSU's visionary leaders: versatile spaces are conducive for deliberate and serendipitous encounters where great ideas brew and flow.

STRONG ALUMNI ENGAGEMENT. VSU alumni are college graduates of BNAS, VAC, ViSCA, and VSU as well as secondary school graduates of ERHS, VLHS, and VSULHS, all organized into the VSU Alumni Association. Students who did not finish their college education at VSU will be considered associate members if they desire to apply as such.

VISAYAS STATE UNIVERSITY

QUALITY POLICY STATEMENT

The Visayas State University (VSU), a globally competitive university for science, technology, and environmental conservation, is created by law to develop highly competitive human resource, cutting- edge scientific knowledge and innovative technologies for sustainable communities and environment.

Towards this end, we, at the Visayas State University, commit to:

- Produce highly competent, quality and world-class manpower in science and technology, especially for agriculture, environmental management and industry who are proficient in communication skills, critical thinking and analytical abilities;
- Generate and disseminate relevant knowledge and technologies that lead to improved productivity, profitability and sustainability in agriculture, environment and industry; and
- Satisfy the needs and applicable requirements of the industry, the community and government sectors who are in need of quality graduates and technology ready for commercialization through the establishment, operation, maintenance and continual improvement of a Quality Management System (QMS) which is aligned with the requirements of ISO 9001:2015.

It shall be the policy of the university that the quality policies and procedures are communicated to and understood by all faculty, staff, students and other stakeholders and that the system be continually improved for its relevance and stakeholders.



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HIS EXCELLENCY RODRIGO ROA DUTERTE

President of the Republic of the Philippines Macañang Palace, Manila

THROUGH: J. PROSPERO E. DE VERA III, DPA

Chairperson, Commission on Higher Education Chairperson, VSU Board of Regents

Dear President Duterte:

Greetings from the VSU community

I hereby submit to your good office the 2022 Annual Report of the Visayas State University which encapsulates all our humble accomplsihments for the past year. This report is anchored on our three majour thrusts of Instruction, Research and Extension. We've also included special sections on general administration, events colloboration and publications, and most importantly our COVID-19 initiatives to highlight some other equally relevant accomplishments of the university during the said year.

We at VSU are very much thankful to the wholehearted support of your administration has extended to our dear university. We will aspire to work better in the years to come to be the true to our mandate and push forward the national development goals and objectives of the Philippine Government

Mabuhay at maraming salamat po!

Very truly yours,

EDGARDO E. TULIN. *Ph. D*.



FORFWORD

The year 2021 will always be remembered in our history as a tumultuous year that saw the onset of a deadly pandemic that locked us up inside our own homes to keep everyone safe. This is also the same year that we sent our dear students to their respective homes and closed down our five campuses from face-to-face classes and other physical transactions.

Many feel that we have never seen a tragedy as big and as prolonged as the COVID-19 pandemic in our lifetime. But, cliche as this may sound, together our university was still able to achieve amazing things in this time of great despair and uncertainty.

Our 2020 VSU Annual Report highlights the successes that we've accomplished despite the ongoing threat of a global pandemic. We're equally proud and humbled that despite the challenges brought by COVID-19, we've victoriously adjusted our usual academic operations including our long-held policies and guidelines to align it with the many tests of the times.

We followed a very compassionate grading system that allowed us to complete the second semester of Academic Year (AY) 2020 to 2021 with a battlecry that 'No Viscan Shall Be Left Behind'. We produced 1,713 graduates for last school year despite the challenges in conducting and writing thesis/dissertation from home and organized our first Systemwide Virtual Commencement Exercises.

We launched our first fully online enrollment system for our Baybay and Tolosa campuses while we have implemented a remote enrollment system for Alangalang, Isabel, and Villaba campuses. We've produced and distributed a record number of printed learning guides for our offline learners and delivered these to their respective towns, all for free. We also launched our very own e-learning portal of the university as a one-stop shop for our online learners to continue with our mandate in the time of new normal education.

On top of that, we've managed to solidify our international reputation as a world class institution of higher learning by getting our first ever

3-star rating from Quacquarelli Symonds (QS). We've also retained our ISO 9001:2015 full certification from TÜV Rheinland Philippines and completed an experimental virtual audit system to ensure that our current operational practices are compliant with internationally-accepted standards.

Lastly, we did all means to be of service to our immediate community by extending help to many people including other government agencies that has been affected by the COVID-19 pandemic. We did a local donation drive to support more than 500 stranded students to provide them with weekly food packs that ran from March until September this year. We also took care of the needs of our community people, faculty members, staff including our local frontliners by providing them with free weekly vegetable produce harvested from our demonstration farms that from April to December 2020.

All these and many others are compiled in this document as a humble testament to VSU's commitment to continue "Educating and nurturing our community during a pandemic", which we believe is a fitting theme for this annual report.

May we all be inspired by these small victories as we reset and recover our country from the challenges brought by COVID-19.

God bless and keep safe everyone.

DR. EDGARDO E. TULIN
President, Visayas State University

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HIGHLIGHTS OF THE YEAR





VSU completes first ISO 9001:2015 remote audit with zero non-conformity

As months of extensive document preparation culminated with a two-day marathon audit, the Visayas State University successfully maintained full certification of its Quality Management System (QMS)—as prescribed by the ISO 9001:2015 standard—with TÜV Rheinland Philippines.

VSU's ISO 9001 certification covers the university's "provision of higher and advanced educational services, including research and extension services".

the audit team from TÜV Rheinland Philippines highlighted 9 positive feedbacks in the areas of top management, general services, facilities management, internal audit, human resource management, and overall institutional accomplishments in 2020.

The lead auditor emphasized the implementation of the VSU Human Resource Information Management System (HRIS), which he considers as a groundbreaking mechanism to ensure efficiency in the overall work systems of VSU.

A dedicated QMS portal, jointly developed by ODQA and the Information and Communication Technologies Management Center (ICTMC), served as a repository of VSU's documentation and showcase for the auditors. The successful run of the first surveillance audit will set

The successful run of the first surveillance audit will set as a model framework for future accreditation and evaluation activities within the VSU system.



The Institutes for Research, Innovation and Scholarship (IRIS), an emerging research and innovation think-tank in the Philippines, places VSU within the top 20 best universities in the country in terms of research productivity.

VSU was named top 12 in both science and engineering, and top 15 in health. It is the only university in Eastern Visayas to make it to the top 50 list.

This beta version of the university research rankings were based on the cumulative publications and citations from both Elsevier's Scopus and Thomson Reuter's Web of Science, and the H-index.

HIGHLIGHTS



Visayas State University secures the 32nd spot in uniRank's 2021 Top Public Universities in the Philippines.

There were 232 Philippine higher education institutions (HEIs) that met their selection criteria and were ranked

The results provide an approximate global ranking of universities and colleges based on their web presence and popularity in terms of estimated traffic, trust, authority, and quality link popularity.



After two assessments that saw a decline in VSU's Webometrics performance, the university has climbed up again and returned to the Top 20 web ranking of Philippine universities.

VSU was up by eight notches in the July

2021 assessment rom 27th to 19th spot—just one step close to its highest Webometrics ranking in January 2020.

This makes VSU the only university in Eastern Visayas to have reached the top 20 spot since Webometrics started releasing their independent ranking assessment in 2004.



In the many university rankings that floated recently, VSU is the only university in Region 8 that makes it to the top 30 spot in the Philippines.

EduRank, an emerging university ranking system that mainly uses accumulated social media scores, placed VSU in the 25th spot in the country rankings, and the undisputed leader in the regional rankings in Eastern Visayas.

Gil is 2020 most outstanding agri-engineering student in the Philippines

Mr. Gil was recently awarded as the Most Outstanding Agricultural and Biosystems Engineering Student for 2020 dubbed as the Young Maramba Award.

This recognition is the highest national award for agricultural and biosystems engineering students given by the Philippine Society of Agricultural and Biosystems Engineers (PSABE).

> Mr. Gil applied last year and received the award during this year's virtual 70th PSABE National Convention held on April 28, 2021.





VSU engineering grad starts consultancy firm on hydrology

Engr. Omar P. Jayag, an alumnus of Visayas State University (VSU), joins the booming Cebu City business industry as he leads their company specializing in holistic water management solutions, the Terra-Hydrology Corporation.

As President and Chief Operating Officer (COO) of the company, Engr. Jayag heads a consultancy firm that aims to help its clients make informed and sustainable business decisions through hydrologic analysis.

VSU AnSci Head elected as PSAS nat'l council member, bags best presenter award in nutrition

No less than the Head of the Department of Animal Science (DAS), Dr. Manuel D. Gacutan, Jr., has been granted a seat in the national governing council of the Philippine Society of Animal Science (PSAS).

PSAS is the premier and the lone national organization of animal science professionals in the country with its members composed of educators, researchers, practitioners and other enthusiasts.

On top of that, he also took home the Best Presenter Award in the annual scientific convention of the said organization.



2 education students join European online summer school program on democracy



Two Viscans from the College of Education (CE) namely Ms. Francheska Terese C. Matiga and Mr. Paul Vincent L. Fornis represented VSU in this extensive online learning program on democracy.

The three-week online program offered by the Masaryk University mainly covered topics about the political transition of Europe.

Masaryk University has been partnering with VSU for several years since the inclusion of the university in the EXPERTS ASIA program, a European Union (EU) funded project that aims to enhance the capacity for international cooperation among its participating countries in South and Southeast Asia.

#ProudViscan is pioneering chief of the first Crop Biotechnology Center in Southeast Asia

Dr. Roel R. Suralta, a graduate of Bachelor of Science in Agriculture major in Agricultural Botany in the then Visayas State College of Agriculture (now VSU) in 1994, is the first center chief of the newly inaugurated Department of Agriculture - Crop Biotechnology Center (DA-CBC).

Headquartered within the compound of the Philippine Rice Research Institute (PhilRice) located in the Science City of Muñoz in Nueva Ecija, DA-CBC is the first dedicated biotechnology research facility for crops here in Southeast Asia.



NOVEMBER 2021 LICENSURE EXAMINATION FOR AGRICULTURISTS

BOARD TOPNOTCHERS







John Carlos D. Boyles
Bachelor of Science in Animal Science

TOP 2



Ella Hazel B. Estrada
Bachelor of Science in Agriculture

TOP 1



Kathleen Mae A. Auxtero
Bachelor of Science in Agribusiness

TOP 7

On the evening of November 18, news broke out like wildfire that 3 #ProudViscans dominated the November 2021 Licensure Examination for Agriculturists (LEA).

They were **Ella Hazel B. Estrada** from the Department of Soil Science (DSS) who topped the 3,927 takers of this year's agriculture board followed by **John Carlos D. Boyles** from the Department of Animal Science (DAS) who clinched the second spot, and **Kathleen Mae A. Auxtero** from the Department of Business and Management (DBM) who ranked 7th place.

HIGHLIGHTS

New Agricultural and Biosystems **ENGINEERS**

VISAYAS STATE UNIVERSITY



ENGR. RUEL C. LAMBERTE 6TH PLACER









ENGR. JOEY NIEL D. CASTIL



ENGR. VICTORINO H. RUALES JR.



ENGR. RAMEL R. COLETANA





ENGR. MYRLA MAE B. SINTOS ENGR. JOVAN MATTHEW T. COSTILLAS ENGR. VIRGIL MAE P. TAGHAP







ENGR. ADA MIANIE C. PASANA ENGR. KRYSTEL DENICE L. LABRADOR



ENGR. HAZEL MAE C. GELAY

Engr. Ruel C. Lamberte, currently a part time instructor of the Department of Agricultural and Biosystems Engineering (DABE), grabs the 6th place in the September 2021 licensure examination for agricultural and biosystems engineers.

The lone topnotcher from VSU graduated in 2020 and has been affiliated to VSU-DABE since February 2021.

In this same board exam, there were 9 other new #ProudViscan agricultural engineers who were added in the roster of successful examinees from VSU-DABE with the university obtaining an institutional passing percentage of 41.67%.

Aside from Engr. Lamberte, here is the complete list of passers coming from VSU-DABE:

Engr. Joey Niel D. Castil

Engr. Ramel R. Coletana

Engr. Jovan Matthew T. Costillas

Engr. Hazel Mae C. Gelay

Engr. Krystel Denice L. Labrador

Engr. Ada Mianie C. Pasana

Engr. Victorino H. Ruales Jr.

Engr. Myrla Mae B. Sintos

Engr. Virgil Mae P. Taghap



Viscan Christian Jacob C. Espejo turned out to be one of the topnotchers of the February 2021 Veterinarian Board Exam, taking 4th place among 696 passers across the country. Joining Dr. Espejo are nine other newly licensed veterinarians from the Visayas State University:

Dr. Shiela Mae G. Bolambot

Dr. Kirk Michael C. Caniga

Dr. Marie Irene D. Casas

Dr. Ellen Joy Cuyacot

Dr. Maria Fe Teresa Fores

Dr. Mari Denise Amphy A. Layola

Dr. Inna Mari F. Mago

Dr. Antonette Sia

Dr. Kyle D. Tubigan











Mr. Jed Asaph D. Cortes Prof. Manolo B. Loreto



Dr. Santiago T. Peña



Dr. Elwin Jay V. Yu

For the fifth consecutive time since 2016, the team from Visayas State University brings home the Regional Pag-asa Award (Group Category), this time because of the specific response done by the university in fighting COVID-19.

They call themselves the VSU Pandemic Movers who were operating under the command of the Office of the VSU President. The group is composed of VSU key officials who worked on key areas and special projects to keep the university safe and responsive to the needs of VSU constituents including its neighboring communities.



VSU researchers sweep all awards in regional RDF confab

Visayas State University researchers bag all the awards during the 32nd Regional Research, Development, and Extension (RDE) Symposium held on March 23 and 24, 2021 via Zoom.

This annual research competition was jointly presented by the Visayas Consortium for Agriculture, Aquatic, and Natural Resources Program (ViCARP) and the Regional Research, Development, and Extension Network (RRDEN).



VSU Tolosa faculty win Best Research Pitch contest of the Philippine Genome Center

Mr. Brandon Briggs Silvano, Ms. Mary Ann B. Madeja and Mr. Jet Lee Olimberio composed the winning team who delivered their research paper on 'VisChitosan', which is a word they coined to describe their team of #ProudViscans who are exploring the many potentials of a sugar substance called chitosan.

In this winning research pitch, the VSU Tolosa faculty researchers extracted chitosan from locally sourced shells of green mussels, with scientific name Perna viridis and a local name 'Tahong'.

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Dr. Janet Alexis A. De los Santos, an Associate Professor of VSU College of Nursing (CON) was recognized as 2nd placer in the regional search for Distinguished Health Researchers in Region 8.

This award was accorded by the Eastern Visayas Health Research and Development Consortium (EVHRDC), Department of Science and Technology (DOST) and Eastern Visayas Center of Health Development (EV-CHD) during the 2021 Eastern Visayas Regional Science and Technology Week celebration held from November 24-26, 2021.



Ms. Sofia Beatriz L. Punzalan, a Grade 12-STEM student from the VSU Integrated High School (VSUIHS), landed the 3rd spot for the Outstanding Student Creative Research category in the recently concluded Regional Invention Contest and Exhibits (RICE).

Meanwhile, Mr. Nelson H. Tejara, a resident data analyst and instructor of VSUIHS, was named as one of the top performing scholars of an extensive training program on data science called the Smart Philippines through Data Analytics Research and Development Training and Adoption (SPARTA).



Mr. Ismael V. Demakaling and Mr. Melvin T. Narra, both from the VSU Department of Business Management (DBM), were declared as provincial winners of the Young Farmer Challenge: Kabataang Agribiz here in Eastern Visayas.

Because of this, they will now be part of the 60 young agri-entrepreneurs who will be granted a competitive financial grant from the Department of Agriculture (DA).

Mr. Demakaling is an alumnus of the Bachelor of Science in Agribusiness (BSAB) who recently graduated in September this year while Mr. Narra is also taking the same undergraduate program and is now in his senior year.



Mr. Jestoni P. Singson,

a Bachelor of Science in Agribusiness (BSAB) student, will lead the 30 strong graduating students with honors across the 5 campuses of the VSU system.

He will graduate as Magna Cum Laude with a grade point average (GPA) of 1.407, the highest grade among the 1,191 college graduates of VSU Class 2021.

VSU's UGMAD Awards 2021: Honoring the heroes of agriculture in Eastern Visayas



The Ugmad Awards was established for this reason, an awarding ceremony that's part of the annual Farmers and Fisherfolks' Day in celebration of the 97th VSU Founding Anniversary.

The program was held on April 28, 2021, where farmers and fisherfolks' associations from across Leyte were invited to a video conference for the awarding of the most outstanding farmers and fisherfolk.

There were a total of six categories for the farmers, fisherfolks, and farmers' and fisherfolks' associations to enter. These categories highlighted their contributions to agriculture and fishery.

The categories were as follows: Outstanding Vegetable Farmer, Outstanding Fisherfolk or Aquaculturist, Best Agri-Tourism Farm, Outstanding Fisherfolks Association, Outstanding Farmers' Association, and Outstanding Farmer Entrepreneur.

The winners are as follows:

Rosalina Bucal

Outstanding Vegetable Farmer

Mateo Villanueva

Outstanding Fisherfolk

Reynaldo Aniban

Outstanding Farmer Entrepreneur

Juanito Eco-Farm **School for Practical Agriculture**

Best Agri-Tourism Farm

Ormoc City Fishpond Operators Association

Outstanding Fisherfolks Association

Mat-E Farmers' Association

Outstanding Farmers Association

HIGHLIGHTS

CongratulationsDR. ALELI A. VILLOCINO

Vice President for Student Affairs and Services





DepEd Baybay awards VSU VP Villocino for her SPED initiatives

The Department of Education (DepEd) Baybay City Division recognized Dr. Aleli A. Villocino, VSU Vice President for Student Affairs and Services, with the Good Samaritan Award for her initiatives on Special Education (SPED).

Dr. Villocino is an advocate for inclusive education by means of providing opportunities for children with special needs, which is why she started SPED Day Camp at VSU.



Juliet Ceniza, NCRC-V Director, is VSU's new VP for research, extension and innovation

Dr. Maria Juliet Ceniza, VSU Professor and Director of the National Coconut Research Center in the Visayas (NCRC-V) has been appointed as the new Vice President for Research, Extension and Innovation of Visayas State University effective January 5, 2021.

She succeeds Dr. Othello Capuno, who served as vice president for 12 years.



Chemistry prof delivers SEARCA professorial chair lecture; promotes hydroponics farming in EV

As part of his inaugural lecture being a distinguished grantee of a professorial chair award from the Southeast Asian Regional Center for Graduate Study and Research in Agriculture (SEARCA), Dr. Felix M. Salas promoted the hydroponics system as the future direction of agricultural practice in Region VIII.

In particular, Dr. Salas presented the important insights that he learned in combining liquid nutrient formulation (LNF) and the aggregate hydroponic system as a practical solution in addressing the growing food security concerns in the country.



President Tulin succeeds EVSU's Aguirre as PASUC-8 prime mover

In a virtual election held in the afternoon of February 5, Visayas State University President Edgardo E. Tulin was unanimously elected as President of the regional chapter of Philippine Association of State Universities and Colleges (PASUC-8).

PASUC-8 is a strong regional block composed of 10 of state universities and colleges (SUCs) that are based in Eastern Visayas.

VSU President Tulin expressed his commitment to continue the strong collaborations nurtured by PASUC-8.

Dr. Tulin will serve as PASUC-8 prime mover along with other key leadership positions that were bestowed upon him while serving as VSU President.



Visayas State University PHILIPPINES



2021 RESEARCH ORIENTED UNIVERSITY

VSU gets 4 stars in regional ratings for ASEAN universities

Visayas State University is humbled to obtain another international recognition with the official release of the University Performance Metrics (UPM) for 2021 results.

UPM, which is a new regional rating system endorsed by the ASEAN University Network (AUN), accredits VSU as a 4-star university under the research-oriented category after securing an accumulated institutional score of 605.5 points.



UniRank puts
VSU as 14th top
university in the
Philippines

The Visayas State University is up by 18 notches climbing from 32nd place now to 14th spot in the October 2021 edition of the Philippine University Rankings conducted by UniRank.

UniRank is a leading international higher education directory and search engine that features the reviews and rankings of over 13,800 officially recognized universities and colleges across 200 countries.

In this edition, 232 higher education institutions in the Philippines were rated based on five web metrics extracted from four different web intelligence sources. These include Moz Domain Authority, Alexa Global Rank, SimilarWeb Global Rank, Majestic Referring Domains, and Majestic Trust Flow.

INSTRUCTION



FLEXIBLE LEARNING

COLLEGE OF EDUCATION

Department of Teacher Education

Number of Instructional materials developed		Number of Virtual classrooms created and operationalized	
Instructional Materials Developed	Number of IMs	•	
Graduate Student		and operationalized	No. of Virtual Classrooms
 On-line ready courseware 	4	·	
 Flexible Instructional materials 	4	Graduate Student	
 Assessment tools 	20	 Virtual classrooms created and operationalized 	4
Undergraduate Student		Undergraduate Student	
 On-line ready courseware 	65	•	0.5
Electric to standard and a second at	00	 Virtual classrooms created 	25

and operationalized

29

488

Institute of Human Kinetics

Flexible Instructional materials

Assessment tools





Licensure Examination for Agriculturists



TOP 2

John Carlos D. Boyles

Bachelor of Science in Animal Science



TOP 1
Ella Hazel B. Estrada
Bachelor of Science in Agriculture



TOP 6
Kathleen Mae A. Auxtero
Bachelor of Science in Agribusiness



TOP 4

Jeith Pons S. Tutor

Geodetic Engineering Licensure Examination



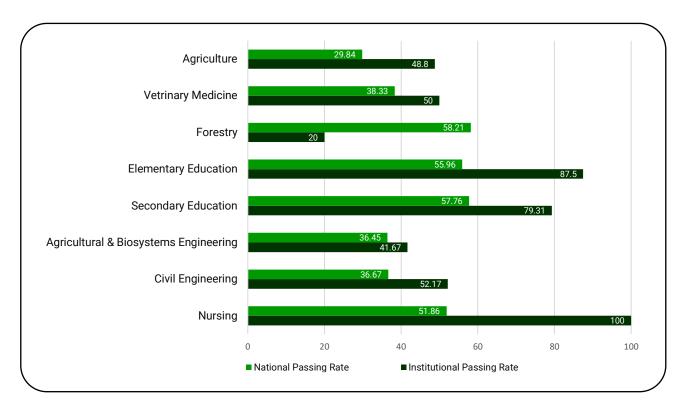
TOP 6
Ruel C. Lamberte
Licensure Examination for
Agricultural and Biosystems Engineers



TOP 4
Christian Jacob C. Espejo
Veterinary Medicine Licensure Examination,

Licensure Examinations PERFORMANCE

(Figures presented are in percentage)



FACULTY **DEVELOPMENT**

SCHOLARSHIP | Faculty on study leave with scholarship

CHED K-12 GRANT

Come, Warren D. UPLB, PhD in Animal Science

Unajan, Magdalene C.Technological Institute of the Philippines, PhD in Information Technology

Rola, Jude B.University of Liverpool
TAPHEP Postgraduate

DOST-ASTHRDP-NSC

UPLB, PhD in Animal Science Gacutan, Manuel D. Jr. Beato, Ma. Rose de Lima G.

Balala, Lotis M.UPLB, PhD Microbiology

Gubalane, Kareen T. MSU-IIT, Ph.D. in Education

SCHOLARSHIP | Faculty on study leave with scholarship

VSU SCHOLARSHIP

Villagonzalo, Ginas Aurea A.

UPLB, PhD in Animal Science

Lesidan, Mencius B.

VSU, MS Agricultural Engineering

Viscara, Maria Farah

VSU, MS Food Science and Technology

Labod, Jake

VSU, MS in Plant Breeding and Genetics

Sorono, Triana F.

UPLB, MS in Agricultural Engineering

Bantay, Ayrton John V.

CIT-U, ME Mechanical Engineering Thermal and Fluid Systems

Parami, Joji R.

VSU, MS in Education Major in English

Abordo, Jessielyn M.

De la Salle University PhD in Criminology

Acampado, Arian G.

USC, PhD in Philosophy

Alibangbang, Maria Dulce L.

UP Visayas Miag-ao, Iloilo PhD in Fisheries

Almanzor, Ilonah Jean

Western Visayas State University PhD in Science Education

Noble, Angelyn L.

University of Baguio PhD in Criminology

DOST-ERDT

Cortes, Andy Phil D. — ERDT

UP Diliman, Masters in Civil Engineering

Mejia, Hanzel N. - AIT & ERDT

AIT, PhD in Civil Engineering

UPLB, MS in Agricultural Engineering

Layan, Jessie James D Sinon, Feliciano L. Jr.

Parami, Shemer D.

CLSU, MS in Agricultural Engineering

CHED SCHOLARSHIP

Alviola, Ulderico B.

UPLB, Straight PhD in Development Communication

UP Diliman, Masters in Civil Engineering

Corrales, Jessie B. Ando. Lindy Jane

USC, MS Mechanical Engineering Design

and Manufacturing

Binueza, Jake Ernest P.

Impas, Vic Angelo L.

Rabe, Shiela R.

UPLB, MS in Veterinary Physiology

Cabalhin, Grace Angel P.

Silliman University, Ph.D. Literature Studies

Costillas, Bon Anthony F.

USC, MS in Chemistry

Genson, Fermina C.

USC, PhD in Biology

MONBUKA-GAKUSHO SCHOLARSHIP PROGRAM

University of Hiro-shima,

PhD in Animal Science

Compendio, Jade Dhapnee Z. Godinez, Cyrill John P.

SCHOLARSHIP | Faculty on study leave with scholarship

SEARCA

Sales, Jude Nonie A.

UPLB, PhD in Development Communication

Centino, Zyra May H.

UPLB, PhD in Agricultural Economics

Anire, Jovannemar P.

Wageningen University, Netherlands MS in Plant Science

Ongy, Elvira E.

De La Salle University Master in Industrial Engineering

Ratilla, Mark C.

Tomas Bata University
PhD in Economics and Management

Teves, Joviel R.

De La Salle University
PhD in Business Administration

Preciados, Lemuel S. — ACIAR

UQ Brisbane, PhD in Economics

Estillore, Chelyn

USC, MM Hospitality Management

Bajas, Nikki Corales

USC, MM Tourism Management

Lao, Magnolia

Lyceum of the Philippines PhD in International Hospitality

Nayre, Syrene

Dela Salle College of Saint Benilde MM Business Management

Cabral, Alexander

VSU, MM Business Management

Sumabat. Daniel

UP Tacloban

VSU, MM Business Management

Dag-uman, Michael

VSU, MM Business Management

Tabada, Maria Aurora Teresita W.

Ateneo de Manila University PhD Sociology

CHED-SIKAP SCHOLARSHIP

Cavite, France Allan

PhD in Nursing

Cipres, Marieli Cherry C.

University of Cordilleras PhD in Criminology

Amoto, Marjorie G. -VLIR-UOS

Universiteit Ghent, Belgium, MS in Agro-and Environmental Nematology

Pradera, Carl Leonard M.

Institute of Tropical Medicine, Antwerp, Belgium and University of Pretoria, South Africa MS in Tropical Animal Health (Pathology)

Dautil, Jane P.

Institute of Tropical Medicine, Antwerp, Belgium and University of Pretoria, South Africa MS in Tropical Animal Health (Pathology)

Bello, Nick Freddy R.

UP Visayas Tacloban College

DOST

Gonzales, Rizalyn P.

UP Visayas, Iloilo PhD in Fisheries

Salas, Remmer A.

UP Diliman

PhD in Chemistry

Vivo, Jordan D.

UP Diliman

PhD in Biology

RESEARCH & EXTENSION



EXTENSION SERVICES

NATIONAL COCONUT RESEARCH CENTER

persons trained in different coconut technologies

91

trainings conducted food processing technologies, GAP and Baybay Tall identification

4

episodes of Lub-Dabi

27

seedlings distributed/sold

1,760

seednuts distributed/sold

2,205

Makapuno meat sold

1,726 kg

Coconut shell sold

8,500 kg

Copra sold

50,964.80 kg

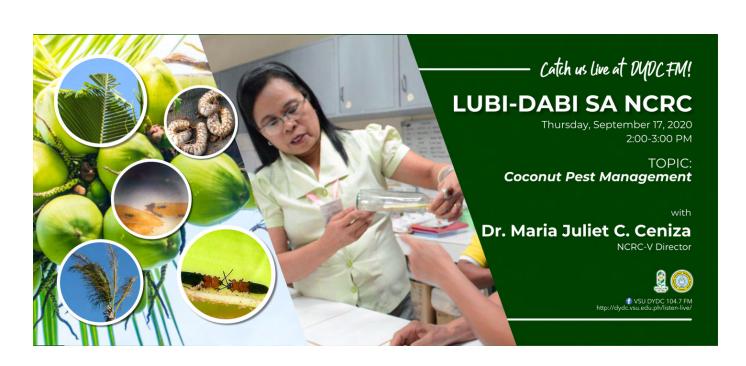
V. Visayas

Intercrop planting materials distributed/sold

2,548

newly conducted and developed coconut-based food products

5



GENERAL ADMINISTRATION



BUDGET UTILIZATION

TARGETS

ACCOMPLISHMENT

a. Regular Agency Fund

(GAA 2021 and 2020)

100% Budget Utilization Rate - OBLIGATION

OBLIGATION ALLOTMENT

940,101,473.47 993,833,336.70

100% Budget Utilization Rate- Disbursement

DISBURSEMENT ALLOTMENT

828,505,679.05 940,101,473.47

b. Internally Generated Income (STF)

100% Budget Utilization Rate - OBLIGATION

OBLIGATION ALLOTMENT

41%

140,120,031.55 345,211,407.67

77%

108,291,520.29 140,120,031.55

100% Budget Utilization Rate- Disbursement

DISBURSEMENT ALLOTMENT

c. Revolving Fund (IGP)

80% Budget Utilization Rate - OBLIGATION

OBLIGATION ALLOTMENT

85%

8,199,270.62 9,595,508.90

PROCUREMENT

1,003	PPMPs received, evaluated and consolidated		
2,143	PRs received, numbered, evaluated and monitored		
5	(1 APP, 3 Supplemental APPs		
53.43%	of NEP		
2	PMRs (2 nd Sem of 2020 &1st Sem of 2021 submitted to GPPB within the deadline)		
2,143	PRs segregated, consolidated by nature of items and procured thru Public Bidding/Alternative Method of Procurement		
2,143	PRs		
641	RFQs (305 system generated, 32 manual)		
451	Abstract of Bids		
1,053	POs/Contracts (446 AMP, 202 Bidding)		
170	meetings		
1	APCPI for 2020 submitted to GPPB within the deadline		
1,182	POs/Contracts monitored for deliveries		
1,159	vouchers prepared		
1,249	POs/ Contracts with supporting documents		
1,249	POs/Contracts forwarded to COA for acknowledgement		



INFRASTRUCTURE

COMPLETION OF GROUND FLOOR.

New Library Building



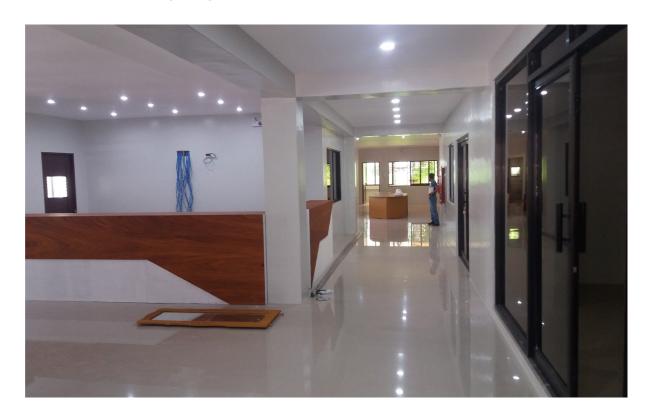
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CONSTRUCTION OF 7 UNITS ELECTRICAL TRANSFORMER ELEVATED FLATFORMS



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INSTALLATION OF ELEVATORS New Library and Innovation Buildings





EXPANSION OF UNIVERSITY GYM







COMPLETION OF COVERED COURT VSU - Villaba Campus





COMPLETION OF COVERED COURT VSU - Isabel Campus



REPAIR OF FACULTY AND STAFF OFFICE College of Nursing





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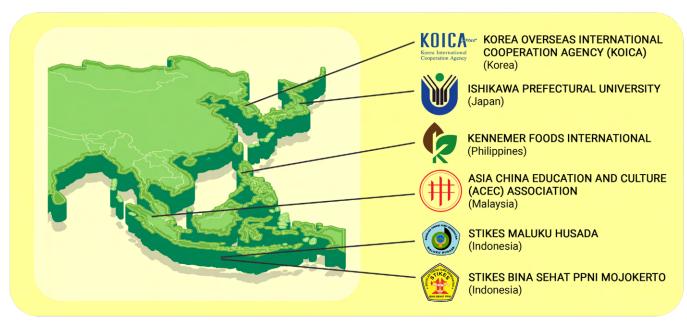




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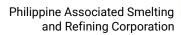
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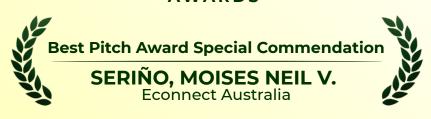
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- EVRMC
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- Daja Daku Integrated Farmers Association
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- Baybay City Micro Small and Medium Enterprise Development Council
- Baybay Chamber of Commerce and Industry
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- University of the Philippines Visayas
- Fatima Multi-Purpose cooperative
- PASAR Foundation, Inc.
- Knights of Columbus, Tolosa, Leyte

AWARDS





INTERNATIONAL AWARDS



NATIONAL AWARDS

GACUTAN, MANUEL D. JR.

Best Presenter of Scientific Paper Philippine Society of Animal Science (PSAS)

TEJARA, NELSON H.

Top 10 learners in the Smart Philippines through Data Analytics and R&D, Training and Adoption (SPARTA)

MABALHIN, JOEL Q.

Luminary Excellence in Education & Research Awards 2021

BRIONES, IVY JINKY C. ALIBANGBANG, MARIA DULCE C.

Spotlight Presentation Contest Winner

LOCAL AWARDS

CASTIL, JUNDY R.

Best Paper- 3rd Placer 1st Asian Conference on Resource Management and Governance

SERIÑO, MOISES NEIL V.

Best Paper – 2nd Place Northwest Samar State University

DE LOS SANTOS, JANET ALEXIS A

Distinguished Health Researcher Awardee EVHRDC, Tacloban City

PUNZALAN, SOFIA BEATRIZ L.

3rd Place and Best Presentation Award DOST-8 Regional Office

Regional Winner-CSC PAGASA (Group Category) Award - CSC Region-8

JR. PEÑA, SANTIAGO T.

2021 Search for Outstanding Government Workers

ARPOCEPLE, DAHLIA R.

Best Clerk of the Year

BALOTOL, RUBEN O. CANONOY, RENE E.

Best Paper Award

Societas Ethica Philosophica Inc. and Cebu Normal University

YU, ELWIN JAY V. AND USHER STAFF

VSU COVID Response Team and Certificate of Recognition to USHER

LIBRE, MARIA JEHAN P.

2021 Achiever Of Alangalang, Leyte Award

MADEJA, MARY ANN SILVANO, BRANDON BRIGGS C. OLIMBERIO. JET LEE S.

Best Research Plan Pitch Philippine Genomic Center



VSU Main Campus

Loyalty Award

Ranchez, Carlito V.
Gumba, Policarpo C. Jr.
Banzon, Joan Rosemarie A.
Bartolini, Manuel C.
Posas. Edgar P.
Pasilaban, Noe A.
Caintic, Jeremy S.
Gilos, Vicente A.
Mabuan, Jovelyn H.
Camacho, Sheira May T.

Health and Wellness, Grand Prize Winner Garrido, Michael Dominic M.

Model Utility Worker and Messenger Award

Morales, Romulo

Poster Entry Award (ViCARP)

MBLesidan Marisel Leorna

Best On-going Extension Paper (ViCARP)

CBCruz
Marisel Leorna
Maria Juliet Ceniza
Eutiquio Sudaria
Edralin Malasaga
Jeremias Vestra
Jerrel Ann Lagitao
Maria Farah Viscara
MBLesidan

Best on Going Paper – 1st Place (ViCARP)

Seriño, Moises Neil V., Gabunada, Fe M., Recto, Ana Liza

VSU Isabel Campus

Meritorious Award

Chan, Catherine L. Monserate, Nolan Federico T. Galler, Emely A.

Loyalty Award

Ablen, Editha J.
Aquiles, Susanie B.
Daffon, Catherine C.
Gontiñas, Climaco S.
Ramos, Fe Daphney C.
Sumaling, Gerry G.

Outstanding Performance Award

Ablen, Editha J.
Abrahan, Florabel V.
Bregildo, Gilberto S.
Eli, Danilita C.
Galler, Emely A.
Gonzaga, Sharymae R.
Hermoso, Angelyn F.
Mabini, Divinagracia M.
Morales, Gary T.
Pales, Joy B.

Ramos, Fe Daphney C.

VSU Villaba Campus

Service Award Romero, Gavino E.

Loyalty Award Libre, Maria Jehan P

VSU Tolosa Campus

Best Administrative Support Staff (Collecting Officer) of the Year Dalino, Melona E.

Best Administrative Support (Supply Officer) of the Year Delos Santos, Gaylieza F.

Model Budget Aide Ladrera, Analisa

Model Clerk of the Year Ocaña, Freddie Luz P.

Model Utility Worker of the Year

Bacoto, Ian Ray Raagas, Jonathan Dave E.

Service Award

De la Cruz, Luzviminda A.

Outstanding Teacher and Loyalty Award Jocson, Teresita C.

Best Academic Non-teaching Staff Redubla, Crystal Loren G.

Exemplary Unit Head of the Year Peneda, Marilou B.

AWARDS



INTERNATIONAL

LIAO, KATE ASHLEY

Online Solo Ukulele Competition 2021 (4th Malaysia Ukulele Festival)

FRANCHESKA TERESE C. MATIGA PAUL VINCENT L. FORNIS

Delegates Online Summer School Program Masaryk University - June 2021

Asian Institute of Technology, Thailand

Lague, Ma. Nelia — Best Research Presentation

Cabagnot, Piolo Julius — Winner in Mini Project Presentation Competition

Yap, Meagan Kaye — Champion Mini Project Presentation

Plimaco, Patrick Ian Taganas — 3rd placer in GIS Map Making and 3rd placer in Epicollect GeoApp Map

Dalagan, Arnie Marisse — 2nd placer in GIS Map Making

Dalagan, Arnie Marisse — 1st placer in Epicollect GeoApp Map

NATIONAL

ESTRADA, HAZEL B.

1st Placer, Licensure Examination for Agriculture - November 2021

BOYLES, JOHN CARLOS D.

2nd Placer, Licensure Examination for Agriculture - November 2021

AUXTERO, KATHLEEN MAE E.

7th Placer, Licensure Examination for Agriculture - November 2021

ALLEN GLEN C. GIL

Most Outstanding
Agricultural and Biosystems
Engineering Student for 2020 Young Maramba Award
70th PSABE National Convention
April 2021

TUTOR, JEITH PONS S.

Top 4 PRC Distinction Award 4th Placer, Geodetic Engineering Board, December 2021

ESPEJO, JACOB CHRISTIAN CALAMBA

4th Placer, Veterinary Medicine Licensure Examination, February 2021

LAMBERTE, RUEL C.

6th Placer, Licensure Examination for Agricultural and Biosystems Engineering September 2021

PUNZALAN, SOFIA BEATRIZ L.

3rd Place and Best Presentation Award Outstanding Student Creative Research Regional Invention Contest and Exhibits DOST - TAPI

IVY JINKY C. BRIONES

Spotlight Presentation Contest - Best Paper 9th Fisheries Scientific Conference (FishSciCon) -September 2021

LOCAL

NOYA, NATHANIEL C. VITOR, NINO JOHN C.

Winners of the Essay Writing Contest Visayas Economic Conference by the Philippine Economics Society (PES), August 2021

DEMAKALING, ISMAEL V. NARRA, MELVIN T.

Winners of the Young Farmer Challenge: Kabataang Agribiz

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