



# MIKAELA MENDOZA GONGORA

## DEVCOM PRACTITIONER

### PERSONAL PROFILE

I obtained my Bachelor and Master's Degree in Development Communication at Visayas State University which further honed my communication and research skills. Currently, I am pursuing Juris Doctor which I have also learned skills that are extremely important in higher-level positions such as the ability to deal with difficult situations and to view circumstances from different perspectives to take a neutral standpoint.

### WORK EXPERIENCE

#### Documenter

NARC | June 2018 - July 2018

- Documented the regional abaca summit spearheaded by the National Abaca Research Center (NARC) at VSU

#### Communication Officer

PENRO Leyte | August 2018 - June 2019

- Crafted the Forest Land Use Plan of the Municipality of Alang-alang and Sta. Fe, Leyte
- Prepared reports

#### Visiting Instructor

SLSU Hinunangan Campus | August 2019 - June 2020

#### Science Research Assistant

PhilRootcrops | June 2020 - present

- Prepared annual and quarterly reports
- Prepared proposals
- Developed IEC materials
- Managed digital platforms of PhilRootcrops
- Documented the extension services of PhilRootcrops

### RELEVANT SEMINARS AND WORKSHOPS ATTENDED

- National Extension Conference | 2023
- Training on Digital Storytelling for Young Agrinnovators | 2022
- Workshop on Proposal Writing | 2021
- Workshop Series on Packaging Development Information for the Broadcast Media | 2021
- Writeshop on Scientific Writing for Publication in Peer-Reviewed Journals | 2021
- Workshop on Writing Research Papers for Peer-Reviewed Publication | 2019
- Humanosphere Research and the Humanosphere Potentiality Index: Aiming towards Different Paradigms | 2019
- DevCom Praxis: Change through Development Communication | 2017
- Qualitative Research Approaches to Development Communication | 2017
- Video Production Workshop with Stanley Gajete of ABS-CBN | 2017

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### SKILLS SUMMARY

- Communication Research
- IEC Materials Development
- Report Writing
- Proposal Writing
- Extension Services Facilitation and Documentation

### AWARDS RECEIVED

- 🏆 Best RDE Paper (Group Award) | 2022
- 🏆 Outstanding RDE Paper (Group Award) | 2021
- 🏆 Magna Cum Laude | 2018
- 🏆 Consistent President's Honor | 2018
- 🏆 Young Farmers' Awardee in CAFS | 2018

### EDUCATIONAL HISTORY

Elementary  
Hinunangan West Central School | 200□-2010

Secondary  
Canipa National HS | 2010-201□

Tertiary (BS in Devt. Comm)  
Visayas State University | 201□-2018

Graduate Education (MS in Devt. Comm)  
Visayas State University | 2020-2022  
Dr. Vicente Orestes Romualdez | 2022-Present  
Educational Foundation

### CHARACTER REFERENCES

DR. CHRISTINA A. GABRILLO  
Professor, Dept. of Devt. Communication | VSU

DR. EDITHA G. CAGASAN  
Professor, Dept. of Devt. Communication | VSU

PROF. MARLON M. TAMBIS  
Head, Extension Division | PhilRootcrops