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Visayas State University Pangasugan, Baybay City, 6521 June 22, 2024

MS. MARY ANN G. COBICO

Head, Department of Philosophy and Social Sciences VSU Main Campus

Dear Asst. Prof. Cobico,

I am ALAINA G. LARRAZABAL, a current instructor at your department handling social science courses. I have attained my bachelor's degree in Secondary Education Major in SOCIAL STUDIES at the Leyte Normal University and have recently graduated in my graduate program with a degree in Master of Science in Development Sociology. Throughout my undergraduate studies, I was a constant dean's lister and received the Practicum Competence and the Good Samaritan awards on my graduation. In my graduate studies at the Visayas State University, I have attended workshops and activities relevant to my field. I am also a licensed professional teacher. I am very much interested in re-applying for a teaching position in your department in the Social Science Section.

I have always been passionate about the importance of producing learners and professionals who aren't just skilled and competent but also possess the traits such as love for their country, respect to the values of the society, and compassion to their fellowmen. I am also very much passionate about the indigenous peoples in the Philippines, paving the way to my research interests. These are just part of the many things I continuously want to impart to my students as their Social Science instructor. In my four years of experience in the department, I have been well exposed to various disciplines as I have taught all the Social Science courses, including Ethics - which I believe has further honed my teaching abilities and thus helped me grow more as a teacher.

My key skills and experiences include:

- My proficiency in verbal and written communication both in the English, Filipino and Waray-waray languages
- Adept in engaging and improving learners' performance by providing engaging and creative learning activities
- Capable of tailoring my teaching style, pedagogies, and approaches depending on the needs of the learners
- Creativeness in choosing instructional materials for better learning experience of the learners
- My two-year experience teaching in VSU DLABS and two-year teaching experience in the now Department of Philosophy and Social Sciences, specifically in the Social Science group; handling all social science courses; and
- My passion and sincerity in teaching the students.

I am aware that your institution places significant value on integrity and excellence. As I promote and practice these values and dedicate a significant period of my time towards the development of intellectual growth in the learners, I feel well-matched with the values and culture of your institution, as I am a religiously practicing these values too.

I am optimistic and hopeful that all my qualifications as applicant for teaching would meet your standards for hiring.

For further information about my abilities, stated below are my character references.

- 1. Jett C. Quebec, Phd former Department head, currently the college administrator of Burauen Community College
- 2. Dr. Lilian B. Nunez director of the Institute for Strategic Research and Development Studies

Thank you for your time and consideration. I hope to hear from you soon for a demonstration teaching.

Very sincerely yours,

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