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PROSE IVY G. YEPES

University President
Visayas State University
Visca, Baybay City, Leyte

Dear **Dr. Yepes**,

Greetings in Christ's Most Precious Name!

I am writing to express my interest in the position of **ASSISTANT PROFESSOR 4**. I am Mr. Joseph E. Padilla, residing in Brgy. Pangasugan, Baybay City and am currently an **Instructor** in the Department of Arts, Languages, and Literature. Moreover, I am designated as the **University Admissions Officer** of the entire VSU system.

I have completed my Doctor of Philosophy in English, with a concentration in Teaching English to Speakers of Other Languages (TESOL), at Silliman University last July 2024. Prior to my present employment, I accumulated seven years of experience in Basic Education across both private and public institutions.

I have published four research papers in international and reputable journals, including the Silliman Journal, which is indexed in the Web of Science (WoS) by Clarivate. In addition, I have served as an organizer, resource speaker, and panelist/judge at various research-related workshops. Notably, I organized a seminar-workshop on writing and conducting educational research for Master Teachers in the Division of Negros Occidental. I was also a member of the Technical Working Group (TWG) for research in the same division and served as a panelist at two international research conferences organized by the International Association of Scholarly Publishers, Editors and Reviewers Inc. (IASPER) and the Association of Institutions for Research, Inc. (PAIR). Furthermore, I have acted as a journal reviewer for VSU's Graduate School journal, the Science and Humanities Journal (SHJ), and the Silliman Journal.

I am confident that my extensive experience and expertise will significantly contribute more to achieving the educational goals of the institution.

I have attached my resume and curriculum vitae for your perusal.

Thank you and more power!

In Service of VSU,



JOSEPH E. PADILLA
Applicant