EXPRESSION OF INTEREST FOR FULL-TIME EMPLOYMENT

21 July 2021

DR. EDGARDO TULIN

University President Visayas State University

Dear Sir,

I wish to apply for the job posting advertised by the VSU-Main Campus (**Associate Professor III with Job Code: QDKJWB**).

It says that the minimum qualification is MS in Agricultural Education or related fields. I thought of applying for this post since I have units in MAgDev – Agronomy, plus my two master's degrees and 1 doctorate in related fields: education and communication. Since some of the programs in the Dept. of Agricultural Education & Extension are Agricultural Communication, Agricultural Education, and Language Teaching, I surmised that I can be part of the said department, albeit I can apply in other department such as the DLABS.

I am en route to the Philippines from Oman and I am thinking of not going back to the state university where I am currently teaching. I have been away from my family for almost 10 years, and I want to reintegrate in Eastern Visayas, plus the needed hands-on management of my farm and other businesses in Leyte. I thought of the VSU community and its fertile academic atmosphere where I can practice what I have learned internationally.

My postgraduate course in KU Leuven in Belgium and the Agronomy courses that I am currently taking in VSU are practical reasons for me to reintegrate. This hybridization of academic disciplines that I have explored would be a good thing to the department.

On another note, I also wish to know if there is a lateral entry for this post. When I left Philippine Science High School – Eastern Visayas Campus in 2012, my salary grade was around SG 16-18. Hence, I wish to apply for the Associate Professor III post advertised by VSU, along with my other publications and international experience.

Attached is my CV that summarizes my qualifications, experiences, etc.

Sincerely,

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