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T O: All Chancellors, College Deans, Center Directors, and Department Heads

R E: Call for Participants to the Back-to-Back Training Workshop on Research Proposal Writing and Scientific Writing

At Visayas State University, we believe in the central role of research and development in our search for truth. To be a truly globally competitive university, VSU has to maintain a strong research culture that is evident in productivity in research outputs.

For many years, we have organized training workshops on writing scientific articles as well as research proposals to help our faculty members and researchers hone their skills in research. We have re-designed this into an all-new training program suited for a more fulfilling remote learning experience for interested participants.

The Back-To-Back Training on Research Proposal Writing and Scientific Writing will be held from November 22 to December 6, 2021, in a mix of synchronous and asynchronous sessions on Zoom, Workplace, and the VSU E-Learning Environment. This is open to interested faculty members and researchers from all VSU campuses who would like to improve their competencies in writing scientific articles and research proposals. Our top professors and researchers will be our resource persons for this training, doing multi-platform mentoring for training participants. In collaboration with the VSU Research Office KM unit, the training is also enriched with knowledge sharing activities to extract more value with the help of research experts on Workplace.

Interested participants must pre-register at https://bit.ly/vsu-b2b-researchworkshop-2021 on or before November 15, 2021, Monday. We will only accept a limited number of participants so that the resource persons can monitor and mentor everyone closely. Registration is free, on a first come, first served basis.

Participants are required to have access to:

- His/her own VSU Google account (@vsu.edu.ph)
- Workplace
- VSU E-Learning Portal
- Zoom

We will provide a certificate of completion to participants who complete the requirements of the workshop.

We thank the VSU Department of Development Communication thru the Strengthening RDE Project, in partnership with the Annals of Tropical Research and the VSU Research KM Unit for organizing this training workshop.

I look forward to a fruitful learning experience for everyone involved.

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