



Republic of the Philippines
VISAYAS STATE UNIVERSITY
Visca, Baybay, Leyte

BOR RESOLUTION NO. 67, s. 2022

A RESOLUTION COURSED THROUGH REFERENDUM APPROVING THE REQUEST OF FOUR (4) VSU FACULTY MEMBERS FOR AUTHORITY TO TRAVEL ABROAD TO PURSUE MASTER'S AND DOCTORATE STUDIES IN UNIVERSITIES OUTSIDE OF THE PHILIPPINES *PROVIDED* THAT ALL EXISTING CHED AND VSU GUIDELINES ON FOREIGN TRAVEL WILL BE STRICTLY FOLLOWED

WHEREAS, the Leyte State University was created by virtue of Republic Act 9158 which converted the then Visayas State College of Agriculture (ViSCA) into a state university last 11 August 2001 which was later renamed Visayas State University (VSU) by virtue of R.A. 9437;

WHEREAS, Section 7 of R.A. 9158 specifically empowers the Board of Regents of the University to "*exercise all the powers granted to the Directors of a corporation under Section 36 of Batas Pambansa Blg. 68 otherwise known as the Corporate Code of the Philippines*";

WHEREAS, the Office of the CHED Chairperson issued an Unnumbered CHED Memorandum dated 24 July 2018, on the subject: Guidelines in Securing Authority to Travel Abroad for State Universities and Colleges;

WHEREAS, four Visayas State University (VSU) faculty members are requesting for authority to travel abroad to pursue Master of Science and Doctorate degrees in universities outside of the Philippines;

WHEREAS, Ms. Jo Jane D. Atok will go on study leave with pay to pursue MSc in Medical Biochemistry and Molecular Biology at Maridol University, Thailand effective August 2022;

WHEREAS, Mr. Rommel Garrido, Jr. will go on study leave with pay to pursue PhD in Applied Plant Sciences with specialization in Plant Breeding and Genetics at the University of Minnesota, Twin Cities, USA;

WHEREAS, Ms. Chinelo M. Cardaño will go on study leave with pay to pursue MSc Natural Products Discovery at Liverpool John Moores University, Liverpool, England;

WHEREAS, Engr. Christian L. Gaviola will go on study leave with pay to pursue MSc in Geotechnical and Earth Resources Engineering at the Asian Institute of Technology effective September 2022;

WHEREAS, the four faculty members have been endorsed by the University Scholarship and Fellowship Committee to pursue further studies abroad in line with the scholarship policies of Visayas State University;

WHEREAS, the CHED-IAS has positively assessed the foreign universities that the four VSU faculty members have intended to study as bona fide;

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED AS IT IS HEREBY RESOLVED to Approve the request of four (4) VSU faculty members for authority to travel abroad to pursue Master’s and Doctorate studies in universities outside of the Philippines.

IN WITNESS of our approval thereof, we hereby affix our signatures this 25th day of July 2022.

VSU BOARD OF REGENTS

*(This Resolution has been approved through Referendum
but the OUS is still awaiting approval to affix the
e-signature of Chair De Vera in this document)*

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VSU-Board of Regents*



HON. EDGARDO E. TULIN
Vice Chairperson and President, VSU

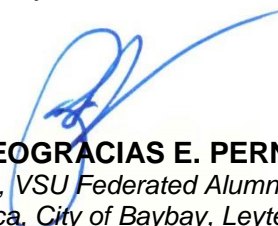
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