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Greetings!

The **University of Asia and the Pacific** is pleased to announce the resumption of the **23rd Civitas Asia National Student Conference** with the theme **SIBOL: A Quest in Promoting Ecological Urbanization in the New Normal** tentatively on **June 2 to 4, 2022** via virtual conference. This event will also be spearheaded by some of the Civic Student Interest Groups (SIGs) in the University, particularly **UA&P SABIO, UA&P LOKAL, UA&P CATALYST** and **UA&P ALON**.

Civitas Asia National Student Conference will continue to focus on five SDGs under the **PROSPERITY** category, namely **SDGs 7 (Affordable and Clean Energy), 8 (Decent Work and Economic Growth), 9 (Industry, Innovation, and Infrastructure), 10 (Reduced Inequalities), and 11 (Sustainable Cities and Communities)**.

For the **first day** of the conference, the delegates will equip themselves with a brief background of what the SDGs are, which will be followed by an in-depth discussion on **SDG 7 and 10**. The culmination will be a talk on the basics of policy proposal making. The **second day** will be dedicated to talks which will enlighten the youth about the economy's role in the preservation of our ecosystem, as well as the effects that our actions make, and our responsibility as explorers towards ecological urbanization. On the same day, talks on the **remaining SDGs, i.e. SDG 8, 9, and 10**, will also be discussed. As their output, the delegates may compete by crafting a policy brief related to the discussed SDGs, which they will submit to a panel of judges. The awarding of the winning policy proposal will be done through the official social media accounts of **civAsia**.

By the end of three-day conference, **civAsia** aims to impart among its participants (1) a deeper understanding of the problems that affect the Philippine economy; (2) the knowledge to help remedy these dilemmas; and (3) the realization of the urgency in solving these problems concerning economic growth, which leads to the development of a sustainable community.

Kindly note that all talks and workshops are open for both high school and college students. However, participation in the writing competition is limited to high school participants only.



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With all of this being said, civAsia and the Center for Student Affairs (CSA) identify a vast connection between the principles it stands for with the vision and mission of your institution. Because of this, the Civitas Asia National Student Conference would like to formally invite your school to participate in this year's events and learning activities as a way to further enrich ourselves.

Registration fee for **high school participants** is at **Php 150 per group** for public schools and **Php 300 per group** for private schools. Each group may have a **minimum of 2** and a **maximum of 4 participants**. Meanwhile, the registration fee for **college students** is at **Php 150 per head**.

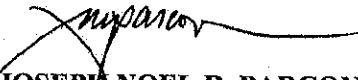
Any other updates on the commencement of the conference, apart from what is mentioned in the letter, will be sent upon notification and approval of the organizing team.

For further details, please email civasia@uap.asia or contact any of the following persons: Iñigo Gabriel J. Llamado (0905 501 90 86), Paula Nicole T. Hizon (0917 119 13 73), or Christian Dominic Angelo L. Sobremonte (0932 715 05 13).

We hope to see you in the 23rd civAsia!

Sincerely yours,


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TENTATIVE SCHEDULE FOR NATIONAL CONFERENCE

23rd CIVITAS ASIA NATIONAL CONFERENCE (civAsia)
SIBOL: A Quest in Promoting Ecological Urbanization in the New Normal
June 2 - 4, 2022

Day 1 (June 2/Thursday): Progressing Forward to an Innovative Metropolis

Opening of Virtual Meeting Room and Registration	8:45am - 9:00am
National Anthem and Invocation	9:00am - 9:05am
Opening Remarks	9:05am - 9:15am
Orientation on a Policython	9:15am - 10:00am
Introduction to SDGs (Prosperity Category)	10:00am - 10:45am
Break	10:45am - 10:55am
Youth Chat (What is the relevance of the SDGs to the Youth?) Open Forum and Awarding of Tokens to Speakers	10:55am - 12:00pm
Lunch	12:00pm - 1:00pm
SDG 8: Decent Work & Economic Growth	1:00pm - 1:45pm
SDG 9: Industries, Innovation & Infrastructure	1:45pm - 2:30pm
Open Forum and Awarding of Tokens to Speakers	2:30pm - 2:50pm
Evaluations & Photo Op Final Reminders for Delegates and Evaluation Forms	2:50pm - 3:00pm

Day 2 (June 3/Friday): Energizing the Youth for a Sustainable Community

Opening of Virtual Meeting Room and Registration	8:45am - 9:00am
Recap of Day 1	9:00am - 9:15am



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SDG 7: Clean and Affordable Energy	9:15am - 10:00am
SDG 10: Reduced Inequalities	10:00am - 10:45am
Open Forum and Awarding of Tokens to Speakers	10:45am - 11:05am
Lunch	11:05am - 12:30pm
SDG 11: Sustainable Cities and Communities	12:30pm - 1:15pm
Open Forum and Awarding of Tokens to Speakers	1:15pm - 1:35pm
Policy Brief	1:35pm - 2:10pm
Strengthening One's Policy Writing	2:10pm - 2:55pm
Introductory One-on-One Personal Consultations with Judges	2:55pm - 3:25pm
Evaluations & Photo Op Final Reminders for Delegates and Evaluation Forms	3:25pm - 3:35pm

Day 3 (June 4/Saturday): Having a Unified National View of Progress and Sustainable Development

Opening of Virtual Meeting Room Registration Reconvening of Participants	8:45am - 9:00am
Recap of Day 2 Talking about the agenda for the day	9:00am - 9:30am
Workshop	9:30am - 11:30am
Lunch	11:30am - 12:30pm
Final One-on-One Personal Consultations with Judges	12:30pm - 2:30pm
Closing Program With Performances from Arts SIGs Concluding Remarks Final Reminders, Evaluation Forms, Photo Op	2:30pm - 3:30pm



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UPDATED SCHEDULE
(as of May 4, 2022)

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Open Forum and Awarding of Tokens to Speakers	1:45pm - 2:05pm
Workshop Series: "Leadership in Action - Level 1"	2:05pm - 3:05pm
Introductory One-on-One Personal Consultations with Judges	3:05pm - 3:35pm
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SDG 10: Reduced Inequalities	9:30am - 10:15am
Open Forum and Awarding of Tokens to Speakers	10:15am - 10:35am
Workshop Series: "Leadership in Action - Level 2"	10:35am - 11:35am
Lunch	11:35am - 12:35pm



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