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The 4th cycle of the Department of European Languages (DEL) Extramural Classes will run from October to December 2015. Classes will be held on weekdays (2 hrs. / session) and Saturdays (3 hrs. / session).

Registration fee is P3,640 per course, inclusive of materials and certificate of completion.

For more information, please call 924-3431 or visit www.facebook.com/del.extramurals.

Oktubre 2

Sampling Design for Survey of Enterprises in the Philippines

School of Statistics Auditorium 4 p.m.

The colloquium presents the paper of Dr. Erniel Barrios on business surveys.

Business surveys, according to Barrios's study, are very challenging for two reasons: the organizational structures of businesses are too complicated, thus it is often difficult to locate where the data is; and the distribution of some target variables like revenue is not normal but rather severely skewed.

The problem of enumerating a firm with complicated organizational structure is addressed by considering an enterprise instead of establishments. Most firms adopt aggregated financial reporting system. Hence, by enumerating only the head office, all branches, subsidiaries and other firm affiliates can possibly be accounted properly. This will minimize the bias that could be easily accrued due to coverage problem of establishment-based surveys. This will also minimize the possible item response error for certain indicators that are not necessarily available at the establishment level but are compiled only at the head office.

For more information, please call 928-0881 or 981-8500 loc. 3503.



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Dr. Barrios is a professor and former dean of the School of Statistics, UP Diliman.







Pag-uugat at Pagsasanga: Antropolohiya Katambal ang Iba't ibang Larangang Akademiko

Pulungang Claro M. Recto Bulwagang Rizal (Faculty Center) 1-5 p.m.

Sa ikalawang handog na colloquium ng Departamento ng Antropolohiya, tampok ang mga piling gurong tagapagsalita, nilalayong baybayin ang ugnayan at kasaysayan ng disiplina ng Antropolohiya sa iba't ibang larangang akademiko at gawain, partikular sa Agham, Sosyolohiya at sa paglapat ng mga aplikasyon nito.

Ang mga piling gurong tagapasalita ay sina UPD Tsanselor Michael L. Tan; Prop. Mary H. Racelis, research scientist sa Institute of Philippine Culture sa Ateneo de Manila University; at si Dr. Maria F. Mangahas, Pangulo ng Ugnayang Pang Agham Tao, Inc.

Ang colloquium na ito ay pagpapatuloy ng serye ng pagbabalik-tanaw sa nakaraan at pagtataya sa kasalukuyan at hinaharap ng disiplina ng Antropolohiya.

Para sa karagdagang impormasyon, tumawag sa Departamento ng Antropolohiya sa 426-1454, 426-1455 at 981-8500 loc. 2114 o bisitahin ang website announcement: http://anthro.upd.edu.ph/ news-and-updates/announcements.







Inihahandog ng Departamento ng Antropolohiya, Kolehiyo ng Agham Panlipunan at Pilosopiya, Unibersidad ng Pilipinas, Diliman

Sentenaryong Serye

Pag-uugat at Pagsasanga: Antropolohiya katambal ang iba't ibang larangang akademiko

Bilang bahagi ng paghahanda sa Sentenaryo ng UP Departamento ng Antropolohiya 1914/1917-2014/2017

Oktubre 6

#chooseright: Empowering Voters for Elections 2016 A public forum on voters' education



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#chooseright: Empowering Voters for Elections 2016

> Oct. 06, 2015, 1:30- 4:00 pm UP NCPAG Assembly Hall

NCPAG Assembly Hall 1:30-4 p.m.

The forum is the first activity of the National College of Public Administration and Governance's (NCPAG) Center for Leadership, Citizenship and Democracy (NCPAG-CLCD) Election Series Project. NCPAG Dean Maria Fe Mendoza, Institute of Political and Electoral Reform Executive Director Ramon Casiple, and UP Political Science Prof. Grace Gorospe-Jamon of the UP Political Science Department will serve as resource persons.

The forum aims to contribute in facilitating discourse and analyses on national issues affecting the 2016 elections, provide a platform for discussion and dissemination of analyses to a wider audience, and help build awareness and capacity to make informed choices among the electorate especially the first time voters and the youth.

The event is free and open to the public on a first-come, first-served basis.

For inquiries and confirmation of attendance, please call Lori, Lydia or Don at 926-1429 or 294-1287.









Democratization Advocates in Vietnam, 1990s–2014 A public lecture by Dr. Benedict J. Tria Kerkvliet

Seminar Room, Hall of Wisdom, Asian Center 1:30-4 p.m.

Dr. Benedict J. Tria Kerkvliet will discuss how, "beginning in the mid-1990s, public criticism of the Communist Party government in Vietnam spread to the point that by 2014 it became a prominent feature of the country's political scene. He is Professor Emeritus at the Department of Political and Social Change, School of International, Political and Strategic Studies, Australian National University.

Sponsored by the UP Asian Center, UP Third World Studies Center and the UP Department of Political Science, the lecture is free and open to the public. Seating is available on a first-come, first-served basis, but the organizers would appreciate an email to asiancenter@up.edu.ph expressing intent to come.

For more information, please call Janus or Tricia at 981-8500 loc. 3586 or visit the Asian Center website at www.ac.upd.edu.ph.



Oktubre 7-25

King Lear / Haring Lear



Wilfrido Ma. Guerrero Theater 2/F Palma Hall Weekday shows at 7 p.m. Weekend shows at 10 a.m. and 3 p.m.

The play is set in the waning years of a Southeast Asian kingdom replete with appropriate music, movement, costumes, and properties of the region without losing the themes, images and poetry of the playwright's supreme achievement. King Lear / Haring Lear is the epitome of how deceit and the love for the superficial can tragically bring families to ruin and great kingdoms to ashes.

King Lear / Haring Lear is Dulaang UP's (DUP) second offering for its 40th Theatre Season. DUP Founding Artistic Director, Professor Emeritus Tony Mabesa directs the play.

For tickets, sponsorships and inquiries, please call Samanta Hannah Clarin or Camille Guevara at 926-1349, 433-7840, 981-8500 loc. 2449 or email dulaangupmarketing@gmail. com. Like the official Dulaang UP Facebook page www.facebook.com/DulaangUnibersidadNgPilipinas.









Indirect Fertility Estimation in light of International Labor Migration: Differentials across Selected Variables

School of Statistics Auditorium 4 p.m.

The colloquium presents the study of Michael Dominique del Mundo on the relationship of Migration and Fertility in the Philippines by focusing on the effect of spousal separation due to international labor migration on fertility.

The 2010 Census on Population and Housing data was used and the Brass P/F ratio method was utilized to estimate Total Fertility Rates (TFR) at the national and regional levels controlling for education and socio-economic status. Pooled Ordinary Least-Squares (OLS) regression was used to estimate the effect of spousal separation on fertility. Findings of the study reveal that Filipino women on the average give birth to approximately three children during their entire reproductive years. TFR estimates were low for women who have at least college education and who were classified in the higher wealth quintiles.

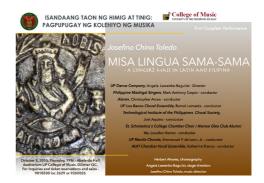
For more information, please call 928-0881 or 981-8500 loc. 3503.



Del Mundo is Instructor at the School of Statistics, UP Diliman. The paper is part of his thesis in the Master of Arts in Demography.

Oktubre 8

Josefino Chino Toledo's Misa Lingua Sama-Sama



Abelardo Hall Auditorium College of Music 7 p.m.

First complete performance of Toledo's Misa Lingua Sama-Sama, a concert mass in Latin and Filipino featuring the UP Dance Company, UP Madrigal Singers, Aleron, UP Los Baños Choral Ensemble, Technological Institute of the Philippines Choral Society, St. Scholastica's College Chamber Choir / Ateneo Glee Club Alumni, UP Manila Chorale, AUIT Chamber Vocal Ensemble

The concert mass is choreographed by Herbert Alvarez and stage direction by Angela Lawenko-Baquilat.

"Misa Lingua Sama-Sama" is a setting of Catholic mass for chorus with small percussion instruments. It uses a combination of Latin and Filipino texts similar to ancient prayer ritual practices and incantations in the Philippines. Traces of Philippine music material juxtaposed with familiar choral writing practices create a musical discourse in several musical layers.

For inquiries and ticket reservations, please call 926-0026 or 981-8500 loc. 2629.







Oktubre 8-9

Future Perfect: Cities at the Forefront of Change and Development

Eastwood Richmonde Hotel, Quezon City 8 a.m. – 6 p.m.

The international conference showcases innovative approaches and reforms to city administration. It is organized by the UP National College of Public Administration and Governance in partnership with the Quezon City Government.

The conference aims to: 1) share information, knowledge and practices on city governance and innovations in the Philippines and other countries; 2) discuss the current trends and emerging issues, changes, challenges and solutions in city administration and development; 3) showcase the experiences and lessons learned by cities in the Asia-Pacific and imagine their futures in the next decades; and 4) solicit insights and inputs from conference participants to improve the host city's future perfect strategies and approaches.

For more information, contact the Future Perfect Conference Secretariat (Prej or Becky) at 928-3914, 925-7422 or email futureperfect.QC@gmail.com.



Oktubre 16

The Link between Expenditure on Contraceptives and Number of Young Dependents in the Philippines



Lucagbo is Assistant Professor at the School of Statistics. UP Diliman.

School of Statistics Auditorium 4 p.m.

Prof. Michael Daniel Lucagbo used the Family Income and Expenditure Survey (FIES) 2009 data to examine the factors affecting the number of young dependents in a household, and focuses in particular on the household's level of contraceptive expenditure.

The negative binomial regression model is used to quantify the effect of the factors and predict the average number of young dependents in a household. This model allows for over-dispersion in the data. Results show that for every P10,000 increase in total expenditure on contraceptives for a period of six months, the mean number of young dependents decreases by 3.7 percent. Other demographic variables such as education of household head and income of the household are controlled for in the study.

For more information, please call 928-0881 or 981-8500 loc. 3503.









Music Culture Workshop with Dr. David Urrows

College of Music 3-5 p.m.

This event is part of the music colloquium series of the College of Music. The target audiences of this music culture workshop are doctoral students. Prior to the workshop, attendees will read two to three of the visiting scholar's most recently published research, and one or two discussants from the College may formally respond to them before the open forum.

The event is free and open to the public. To register and get the readings for the event, email Josie Baradas at josiebaradas@gmail.com.



David Francis Urrows is Associate Professor and Program Director of the MA in Music, Department of Music, Hong Kong Baptist University. He teaches music history, analysis and composition, and has directed The Pipe

Organ in China Project since he established it in 1989. He was a visiting researcher at the Ferdinand Verbiest Institute at the Catholic University of Leuven, Belgium, and also at The Beijing Center for Chinese Studies in 2013-2014. Author of the book-length history of the pipe organ in China, "Keys to the Kingdom," he is also an editor and has published articles in various leading journals. He is also a choral conductor and organist, and his compositions have been published by Boosey and Hawkes and Paraclete Press.

Oktubre 17-18, 24-25 at 27-29

UAAP Table Tennis Event Season 78



Ninoy Aquino Stadium, Rizal Memorial Sports Complex, Malate, Manila 8 a.m.-5 p.m.

The University Athletic Association of the Philippines (UAAP) Table Tennis Competition will be participated by the eight UAAP member universities. Both the UP men and women's team will try to regain the championships this season. The UP women's team was the UAAP Season 76 champions.

Tickets are available at the venue. For inquiries on the specific schedules, please contact Ms. Josie Querimit at 981-8500 loc. 4134.







Grants, Gigs and Gimmicks 2015

Aldaba Recital Hall University Theater Complex 2-4 p.m. and 4-6 p.m.

The UP Diliman Office for Initiatives in Culture and the Arts (UPD-OICA) invites registered UP Diliman student organizations (college-based or university-wide) to the third edition of the annual Grants, Gigs and Gimmicks 2015, a free orientation and workshop regarding the Financial Grants Program.

All qualified organizations are highly encouraged to participate in one of the two sessions. The first session (2-4 pm) is offered to new organizations and those who are not yet familiar with the grants program, while the second session (4-6 pm) is for regular grantees of UPD-OICA.

Interested organizations may pre-register two official representatives to the event starting Oct. 1, 2015.

For more information, please call 928-1928 or 981-8500 loc. 2659, email oica.grants@gmail. com, or visit the UPD-OICA office at 3/F University Theater, Osmeña Avenue, UPD.



Oktubre 19-23

The 36th Asian Conference on Remote Sensing (ACRS 2015)



Crowne Plaza Galleria, Quezon City

The Asian Conference on Remote Sensing (ACRS) is an annual international scientific conference in Asian cities with voluntary participation of the host country and researchers, educators, professionals and students from all over the world. This is the second time that the Philippines was chosen to host the ACRS, the first time was in 1988.

ACRS 2015, with the theme "Fostering Resilient Growth in Asia," will bring together students, researchers, scientists, policy makers, professionals and practitioners from developed and developing countries from and around Asia to share insights into challenges and opportunities of Remote Sensing and related geospatial technologies in building resiliency and encouraging economic growth and development in one, dynamic Asia.

For more information, please call Jane Castillo at 0917-957-5000 or email janecastillo13@gmail.com; Mae Hernandez at 0915-102-9851 or email mae.hernandez09@gmail.com. You may also call 981-8500 loc. 3054 or visit Room 316 National Engineering Center Bldg., UP Diliman.









Oktubre 20-23

Enhancing the Supervisor's Capability in Mentoring and Coaching

Seminar Room College of Social Work and Community Development (CSWCD) 8 a.m.-5 p.m.

The seminar-workshop is an introductory skill-building course designed for program/project managers, senior community development workers, social workers and other social development practitioners with supervisory responsibilities. The content focuses on the concepts, principles and processes of supervision with special focus on mentoring and coaching functions utilizing appropriate methods and tools.

Training fee is P10,000 inclusive of training kit, food (1 meal and 2 snacks per day), and a certificate.

For inquiries, please call Ms. Anne-Di Berdin or Valerainne Lopez at 924-214 and 981-8500 local 4107 or email redo_training@yahoo.com.

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Oktubre 22

UP SURP's 50th Anniversary Celebration and General Alumni Homecoming



Ang Bahay ng Alumni 5:30 p.m.

In celebration of the 50th year of the UP School of Urban and Regional Planning (UP SURP), a series of activities will be held such as parade around the campus and groundbreaking of the new SURP building. This will be capped by the 50th anniversary celebration and general alumni homecoming at the Ang Bahay ng Alumni.

The celebration recalls five decades of the school's history and accomplishments in providing planning education, conducting research and training programs, and maintaining local and international linkages.

The following UPAA-SURP Chapter Board members may be contacted:
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Cesar B. Umali Jr., Vice President, External Affairs (+639195543992) or at cumalijr@yahoo.com.









Oktubre 22-24

National Conference on Research in Teacher Education

Benitez Hall (College of Education) 8 a.m.-5 p.m.

The National Conference on Research in Teacher Education (NCRTE) is conducted biennially by the UP College of Education since 1997. It has served as a venue for discussions on educational issues based on research findings.

With the theme, "Internationalization of Teacher Education in the ASEAN 2015 Integration," the conference intends to provide perspectives on how teacher education in the Philippines can position itself in the ASEAN integration. It specifically aims to: (a) highlight the influence of ASEAN integration in teacher education, (b) showcase practices and innovations pertinent to possible influences of ASEAN integration, (c) harness partnership in the local and ASFAN communities of learners, (d) encourage best practices of teacher education in the ASEAN community, (e) enhance teacher education for the ASEAN community, and (f) understand the dynamics of ASEAN integration in Education.

For more information call Karen Bautista at 926-3996 or 0906-481-0401 or visit http://ncrtephilippines.org/.



Oktubre 23

Constructing Leading Economic Indicators for the Philippine Economy Using Dynamic Factor Models



Albis is Assistant Professor and the Director for Statistical Computing at the School of Statistics, UP Diliman.

School of Statistics Auditorium 4 p.m.

The study presents an alternative, and perhaps better, procedure to the Leading Economic Indicators System (LEIS) in nowcasting the movements of the Gross Domestic Product (GDP) using the Dynamic Factor Models (DFM). This paper used 30 monthly economic indicators in capturing a common factor to nowcast movements of GDP via the DFM.

The DFM is a commonly used data reduction procedure that assumes economic shocks driving economic activity arise from unobserved components or factors. The DFM aims to parsimoniously summarize information from a large number of economic series to a small number of unobserved factors. The DFM assumes that co-movements of economic series can be captured using these unobserved common factors.

In addition to the DFM, the paper also constructed a 2-stage dynamic factor models using Principal Components.

For more information, please call 928-0881 or 981-8500 loc. 3503.



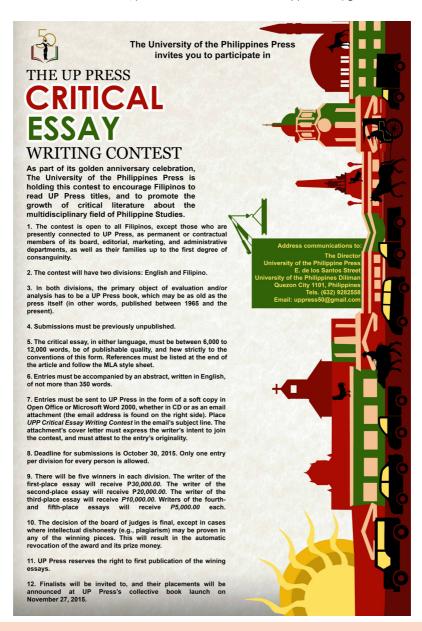






Call for submission for UP Press Critical Essay Writing Contest

For more information, please call 928-2558 or email uppress50@gmail.com









Demographic Sweet Spot and Dividend in the Philippines: The Window of Opportunity is Closing Fast

School of Statistics Auditorium 4 p.m.

Dr. Dennis S. Mapa's paper looks at the population structure of the country from 2010 to 2100, using actual census data from the Philippine Statistics Authority (PSA) and projections on future population from the United Nations (UN), to estimate the period when the country will experience the demographic window of opportunity.

The paper will show that at current conditions (baseline scenario), there is a high probability that the country will entirely miss this rare opportunity of additional economic growth, over a long period of time, due to the demographic dividend. This is primarily due to the challenges related to the relatively high fertility rates, particularly among the poorest households, and the relatively high unemployment rate, particularly among the youth population. The paper will then provide counterfactual conditions, from the results of the econometric models, and simulate alternative scenarios resulting from fine-tuning certain policy handles.

For more information, please call 928-0881 or 981-8500 loc. 3503.



Dr. Mapa is a professor and the current dean of the School of Statistics, UP Diliman.

Nobyembre 9

Likha-Likas: Reconfiguring Music, Nature and Myth: A Symphonic Band Concert



Abelardo Hall Auditorium College of Music 8 p.m.

This is the UP leg of the weeklong 33rd Asian Composers League (ACL) International Festival and Conference.

The concert features the UP Symphonic Band under the baton of Prof. Rodney Ambat. The UP Symphonic Band will play new compositions of ACL member countries.

The UP Symphonic Band is a laboratory class for the winds and percussion students of the College of Music. It also serves as the training ground for the band conducting majors as well as an extension service training to young instrumentalists within and outside the University.

For more information, please call 925-7139 or email asiancomposersleague.ph@gmail. com or visit their website URL: http://aclphil.com/





Nobyembre 10

(Re)Present! A Public Presentation of Communication Research Student Papers

College of Mass Communication 9 a.m.-5 p.m.

This whole-day event organized by the Department of Communication Research of the UPD College of Mass Communication showcases the research works of students and recent alumni of the Department. The morning session presents the research output of the Data Interpretation and Reporting class, while the afternoon session features student research papers that have been presented in international conferences. Topics covered by the student papers include health and wellness, leisure, film, politics, poverty, disaster, diaspora and the Filipino

This event is open to the general public. especially to students, teachers and scholars. Seats are limited and are available on a first-come, first-served basis.

For more information, please contact Virginia Rigo at 981-8500 loc. 2665 or e-mail virginia. rigo@yahoo.com.



Nobyembre 16-17

8th AUN/SEED-Net Regional Conference on Electrical and **Electronics Engineering**

Quezon City

The 8th Regional Conference (RC) on Electrical and Electronics Engineering (RCEEE) is hosted by the Electrical and Electronics Engineering Institute, College of Engineering, UP Diliman and will be held in conjunction with the 11th Engineering Research and Development for Technology (ERDT) Conference.

The Regional Conferences (RC) of the AUN/ SEED-Net Program is a regular and active platform for university researchers, professors and graduate students of different universities in the ASEAN Region and Japan to share their latest researches towards exploring collaboration and cooperation in addressing regional and global issues. This year's conference has the theme, "Envision, Enable and Empower Smarter and Resilient Societies." In line with enhancing the impact and maximizing the reach of the AUN/ SEED-Net Network, the RCs are expected to engage and foster interaction with external participants, including representatives from the government, industry, community, non-MIs, and other professional organizations.

For more information, visit http://rceee2015.eee. upd.edu.ph/ or http://erdt.coe.upd.edu.ph/.













th ERDT Conference On Semiconductor and Electronics, Information and Communications Technology and Energy Quezon City, Philippines





Nobyembre 23-27

SURP Batch 3



3/F Cariño Multi-Purpose Hall School of Urban and Regional Planning (SURP)

The UP School of Urban and Regional Planning Training and Extension Division will hold its third run of the training entitled "A Basic Course in Urban and Regional Planning (ABC in URP)" for 2015.

The training is an introductory course on the basic concepts, processes and methodologies of urban and regional planning, and provides updates on the latest planning approaches, tools and techniques. It is designed to enhance capabilities of the functionaries of national agencies, local government units and professionals who are involved in planning-related activities. Specialists are tapped to share their expertise and experiences on the planning profession.

For inquiries, please call 926-2120 or email surptraining@gmail.com.

Nobyembre 24-27

Community Organizing Amidst Evolving Concerns in Social Development

Seminar Room College of Social Work and Community Development (CSWCD) 8 a.m.-5 p.m.

The advance course in community organizing (CO) aims to provide the participants with an overview of the concepts, processes and approaches in organizing work in the context of current day realities. Presentation of good practices on the emerging trends in social development such as gender mainstreaming, community-based disaster risk reduction management and organizing for good governance will be presented. The course will enhance the participants' organizing skills in preparing a CO plan that they will implement in their respective organizations.

Training fee is P10,000 inclusive of training kit, food (1 meal and 2 snacks per day) and a certificate.

For inquiries, please call Celeste Vallejos or Valerainne Lopez at 924-2143 and/or 981-8500 loc. 4107 or email redo_training@yahoo.com.

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