

**Resumé (As of 31 December 2013)**

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### **UNIVERSITY EDUCATION**

PhD Anthropology, 1996, Medical Anthropology Unit, Faculty of Social and Political Sciences, University of Amsterdam, The Netherlands.

MA Anthropology, 1982, Texas A&M University, College Station, TX, USA.

Doctor of Veterinary Medicine (DVM), 1977, University of the Philippines, Diliman, Quezon City.

### **CURRENT APPOINTMENTS IN THE UNIVERSITY OF THE PHILIPPINES (excluding university committees):**

Professor VI I and Dean, College of Social Sciences and Philosophy University of the Philippines, Diliman, Quezon City.

Clinical Professor (2011 – present), College of Medicine, University of the Philippines, Manila.

Affiliate Faculty (2007-present), College of Science, University of the Philippines, Diliman, Quezon City.

Affiliate Faculty (2006-present), Philippine Studies Tri-College Program. University of the Philippines, Diliman, Quezon City.

Affiliate Faculty (2005-present), Bioethics Program. Joint Program of the UP College of Social Sciences and UP College of Medicine.

### **PREVIOUS APPOINTMENTS IN THE UNIVERSITY OF THE PHILIPPINES:**

2001 – 2010: Chairperson, Department of Anthropology, College of Social Sciences and Philosophy, University of the Philippines, Diliman, Quezon City.

1998 – 2001: Director, Anthropology Field School, University of the Philippines, Diliman, Quezon City.

### **Other Current Appointments**

Since 2011: Member, Gender and Rights Advisory Panel, World Health Organization.

Since 2012: Reviewer, International Classification of Diseases – 11 (ICD-11) section on the Classification of Sexual Disorders and Sexual Health, World Health Organization.

Since 2005: Member, International Working Group on Sexuality and Social Policy, Columbia University, New York

Since 1997: Opinion-editorial (op-ed) columnist with emphasis on culture and politics, Philippine Daily Inquirer (two columns per week)

Since 1993: Member, World Health Organization's Expert Advisory Panel on Drug Policies and Management

Member of the editorial advisory boards of the following academic journals:

- Global Public Health (Routledge)
- Sex Education (Routledge)
- Culture, Health and Sexuality (Routledge and the International Association for the Study of Sexuality, Culture and Society)
- Asian Anthropology (Chinese University of Hongkong)

### **PREVIOUS APPOINTMENTS (from 1990 onwards only):**

2001 to 2010: Senior Consultant, David and Lucille Packard Foundation

1993 – 2000: Member, National Drug Committee under the Department of Health. The NDC was responsible for overseeing the implementation of a National Drug Policy, including compilation of an annual National Drug Formulary.

1993 – 1998: Member, Philippine National AIDS Council, a multisectoral government body that formulated policies on HIV/AIDS.

### **Awards:**

2013: University of the Philippines Centennial Faculty Grant

2009, 2012: University of the Philippines Centennial Professor Award

2007, 2009: Catholic Mass Media Award, Best Opinion Column

2006: Gawad Pambansang Alagad ni Balagtas (Award for Best Writing in English from the Unyon ng mga Manunulat sa Pilipinas or Union of Writers in the Philippines)

2005: Rizal Outstanding Chinese-Filipinos Award for Literature and Journalism. (Manila Times and Kaisa)

2005, 2006: Best Column on Children, UNICEF and the Philippine Press Institute.

2004: Special citation for the most child-friendly broadsheet newspaper column from UNICEF and the Philippine Press Institute.

1999, 2000, 2001, 2003: International Publication Awards from the University of the Philippines

1997: Takashi Fujii Award for Originality in Social Science Research, presented by the International Federation of Social Science Organizations.

### **RESEARCH PROJECTS (1990 to present)**

From July 2013: Principal Investigator, Health Seeking Behavior and Physician Culture in Central Luzon. Supported by The Medical City.

From June 2013: Principal Investigator for the Philippines. Chemical Youth: Use of Pharmaceuticals, Cosmetics by Young People in the Philippines, Indonesia, France and the Netherlands". Joint project of the University of Amsterdam and the University of the Philippines in the Philippines.

From January 2010: Co-coordinator for the Philippines social science component, "Escaping the Middle Income Trap". Joint project of Erasmus University and the University of the Philippines' School of Economics and College of Social Sciences and Philosophy.

November 2011 to June 2012: Designated Expert, "Multidisciplinary Inquiry into the Culture of Impunity in the Killings of Journalists in the Philippines", Sponsored by UNESCO and the Asian Institute of Journalism and Communication"

January 2010 – December 2011: Principal investigator for a project funded by the Ford Foundation and the University of Amsterdam to look at the impact of digital information technologies on gender and sexuality in the Philippines, Thailand, Vietnam, Laos and Indonesia

2010-2011. Research and writing fellowship from the University of Amsterdam on sexual behavior and reproductive health in the Philippines. Focus on the construction of masculinities.

2009-2011: Consultant for a UNDP-supported project to evaluate interventions for groups at risk for HIV/AIDS in the Philippines.

October to December 2008: Coordinated "China as an Emerging Global Power, UP Center for Integrative Development Studies, through a grant from Senator Edgardo Angara, to look at China as

an emerging global power. Contributed a paper "From Sangley to Tsinoy" focusing on the ethnic Chinese in the Philippines.

September 2006 to December 2008: Principal Investigator, Benchmarks of Fairness Project of the Social Science and Philosophy Research Foundation (SSPRF), funded by the World Health Organization, examining how fairness might be evaluated in health projects in the Philippines. This is based on the work of Harvard University's Dr. Norman Daniels.

2005 to 2008: Coordinated two projects coursed through the Social Science and Philosophy Research Foundation, sub-contracted to the anthropology department, UP Diliman. One project, supported by The Ford Foundation, includes a review of sexuality research in southeast Asia and China. This included a compilation of keywords related to gender and sexuality, conducted by scholars in their respective countries, in Filipino, Thai, Chinese and Burmese.

The other project, supported by the Rockefeller Foundation and co-hosted with Mahidol University, was oriented toward enhancing research capabilities in sexual health in the region through a grants awards program combined with mentoring support for junior researchers.

2004-2005: Coordinated research at the medical anthropology project supported by the Social Medicine Unit, including the production of a Filipino glossary of anatomical and physiological terms, the creation of a database on medical anthropology, and a nutritional anthropology study.

2001 to 2005: Coordinated qualitative research with the Demographic Research Development Foundation, UP Diliman, for the 3<sup>rd</sup> Young Adult Fertility and Sexuality study.

2001 – Philippine Coordinator, Gender and the Use of Pharmaceuticals. Three-country study. Supported by the World Health Organization and the University of Amsterdam.

1999 - 2000 – Principal Investigator, Policy Environment for Natural Family Planning in the Philippines. Commissioned by Georgetown University's Institute for Reproductive Health.

1999 - 2000 – Principal Investigator, Social and Economic Implications of HIV/AIDS in the Philippines. Commissioned by UNAIDS and the National Economic Development Authority (Philippines).

1999 – 2000 – Project Director, Country Profile on AIDS in the Philippines. Commissioned by UNAIDS.

1995-1998 – Principal Investigator, Social and Cultural Aspects of Family Planning in the Philippines. Supported by the Australian Agency for International Development (AusAID).

1994-1995 – Principal Investigator, Contextual Factors Affecting Sexual Risk for Young Adults in the Philippines. Supported by the World Health Organization.

1994-1996 – Project Director, Social and Cultural Aspects of Reproductive Tract Infections. Supported by The Ford Foundation.

1994 – Project Director, Review of Social and Behavioral Studies Related to HIV/AIDS in the Philippines. Supported by PATH and the US Agency for International Development (USAID).

1992-1996 – The Use of Pharmaceuticals in the Philippines. (Dissertation research, supported by WOTRO, the Netherlands)

1990 – 1992 – Project Director, Training on HIV/AIDS for Medical, Nursing and Midwifery Faculty and Students. (Operations research evaluating impact of training.) Supported by AIDAB (now AusAID, Australian Agency for International Development).

**PUBLICATIONS (Partial listing, excluding publications in the popular media and literary pieces, including more than 1000 articles in the column “Pinoy Kasi”, Philippine Daily Inquirer, running from 1997 to the present.)**

**Books, Sole Authorship**

Thinking and Doing Culture. Manila: University of Santo Tomas Press. (2011)

Revisiting Usog, Pasma, Kulam: Traditional Theories of Health and Illness in the Philippines. Diliman, Quezon City: University of the Philippines Press. (2008, Ebook version, 2011)

Good Medicine: Pharmaceuticals and the Construction of Power and Knowledge in the Philippines. Amsterdam: Het Spinhuis, University of Amsterdam Press. (1999)

Shattering the Myths: HIV, AIDS and the Filipino. Pasig: Anvil Publishing. (1997)

Dying for Drugs: Pill Power and Politics in the Philippines. Quezon City: HAIN, 1988.

Banned, Withdrawn and Restricted Drugs in the Philippines. (three editions. Quezon City: Health Action Information Network: 1986, 1987, 1988. Last edition supported by UNICEF).

Usug, Kulam, Pasma: Traditional Concepts of Health and Illness in the Philippines (Quezon City: AKAP, 1987)

Lampuyan: A Community Primer on Medicinal Plants (Quezon City: AKAP, 1981). Tagalog translations by AKAP, 1982; Cebuano translation by RTC, Cagayan de Oro City, 1982. Translated into Portuguese by the Associacao Brasileira de Tecnologia Alternativa na Promocao de Saude, Sao Paulo, Brazil, 1985 as Garrafadas, translation by Ana Godward.)

Philippine Medicinal Plants in Common Use: Their Phytochemistry and Pharmacology (1st edition: Quezon City, LUSSA, 1978; 2nd edition: Quezon City, AKAP, 1980. Microfiche edition: Volunteers in Asia Appropriate Technology Project, Stanford, California, 1983)

### **Books, Joint Authorship**

(With Bernard Tomas). Understanding HIV and AIDS. Quezon City: Health Action Information Network. (1997)

(With Ma. Theresa Ujano Batangan and Henrietta Espanola) Love and Desire: Sexual Risks Among Young Adults in the Philippines. Diliman, Quezon City: University of the Philippines Center for Women's Studies. (2001)

(With Grace Aguilung Dalisay) Operations Research for Family Planning: A Simplified Guide. Quezon City: HAIN. (2000)

(With Bernard Tomas). Country Profile: HIV/AIDS in the Philippines. Manila: Philippine National AIDS Council. (2000)

(With Bernard Tomas). Understanding HIV and AIDS. Quezon City: Health Action Information Network. (1997)

### **Publications in Journals, Anthologies, Sole Authorship**

“Medecine et croyances populaires” (Medicine and popular beliefs). In: William Gueraiche (ed), Philippines Contemporaines, pp. 497-510. Bangkok: IRASEC (Institut de Recherche Sur l'Asie du Sud-Est Contemporaine) and Paris: Les Indes Savantes. (2013)

“Making and Unmaking a Culture of Impunity: Anthropological Perspectives.” 2012. In: Florangel Rosario-Braid, Crispin C. Maslog and Ramon R. Tuazon, eds. Crime and Unpunishment, pp. 20-43. Manila: Asian Institute of Journalism and Communication and UNESCO-National Commission on the Philippines. (2012)

“Rizal and Science: A Struggle for Faith, Religion and Knowledge”. Budhi (Ateneo de Manila University), 16(2):1-29. (2012)

“Philippine Anthropology in a Post-Anthropology Age.” 2010. In: Jorge Tigno, ed. Philippine Social Science Discourses, pp. 7-24. Quezon City: UP College of Social Sciences and Philosophy.

“*Two Sides to Home: Cross-Border Sexualities*” In: Kickbusch, I., Hartwig, K.A., and List, J.M. editors. Globalization, Women and Health in the 21st Century. New York: Palgrave Macmillan, 2005.

“Fetal Discourses and the Politics of the Womb” In: Abortion Law, Policy and Practice in Transition. London: Elsevier Press. 2004.

“Talking Sex: Anthropological Narratives in Sexuality Research”. In: Researching Sexuality and Sexual Health in Southeast Asia and China.” Kunming: IHDS and Bangkok: The Rockefeller Foundation. 2004.

Research Perspectives. In: Cross Border Sexuality in the Mekong Region. Kunming, China: Kunming Medical College and the Rockefeller Foundation. (2002).

Sex, sensationalism and health risks. In: Media and Sexuality: Between Sensationalism and Censorship. Manila: AIDS Society of the Philippines and the Rockefeller Foundation. (2002)

AIDS, Medicine and Moral Panic in the Philippines. In: Regina Maria Barbosa, Peter Aggleton and Richard Parker (editors), Framing the Sexual Subject: The Politics of Gender, Sexuality and Power, pp. 143-164. San Francisco and Los Angeles: University of California Press. (2000)

Naturalism and Sexuality Research. In: Sylvia Guerrero, ed. Gender-Sensitive and Feminist Methodologies, pp. 59-66. Quezon City: University Center for Women's Studies. (1999)

HIV/AIDS and STD Research. In: Sylvia Guerrero, ed. Gender-Sensitive and Feminist Methodologies, pp. 281-290. Quezon City: University Center for Women's Studies. (1999)

HIV/AIDS and Transnational Migration: The Philippines. In: Report. Second Technical Consultation on Transnational Population Movements and HIV/AIDS in Southeast Asian Countries, pp. 319-326. Bangkok: Asian Research Center for Migration, Institute of Asian Studies, Chulalongkorn University. (1998)

Walking the Tightrope: Sexual Risk and Male Sex Work in the Philippines. In: Peter Aggleton, ed. Men Who Sell Sex, pp. 241-262. London: University College London Press. (1999)

Sex and Sexuality. Women's Health Concerns: Policy Research Briefs, Series 1998-2. University Center for Women's Studies (University of the Philippines); United Nations Population Fund and Women's Health Research Consortium Project. (1998)

Clinton in Barong: Culture, Nationalism and Globalization. Public Policy 1(2). (1998)

HIV/AIDS and Transnational Migration: The Philippines. In: Report. Second Technical Consultation on Transnational Population Movements and HIV/AIDS in Southeast Asian Countries, pp. 319-326. Bangkok: Asian Research Center for Migration, Institute of Asian Studies, Chulalongkorn University. (1998)

An Overview of Reproductive Tract Infections in the Philippines. In: Michael L. Tan (editor), The Social and Cultural Context of Reproductive Tract Infections in the Philippines, pp. 1-15. Quezon City: Health Action Information Network. (1997)

Reproductive Health Problems in the Philippines: Synthesis and Recommendations. In: Michael L. Tan (editor), The Social and Cultural Context of Reproductive Tract Infections in the Philippines, pp. 121-134. Quezon City: Health Action Information Network. (1997)

Rhino Horns and Antibiotics: Society, Culture and the Use of Medicines in Asia. *Australian Prescriber* 20 (Supplement 1): 76-78. (1997)

Silahis: The Case of the Missing Filipino Bisexual. In: Peter Aggleton (ed.), *Bisexualities and AIDS: International Perspectives*. London: Taylor and Francis. (1996)

The Construction of "Drug Abuse" in the Philippines: The Case of Cough Preparations. *Philippine Sociological Review* 43(1-4): 17-43. (1995)

Review of Theoretical and Methodological Issues in Relation to HIV Prevention Projects: The Philippine Experience. In: Han ten Brummelhuis and Gilbert Herdt, eds. *Culture and Sexual Risk: Anthropological Perspectives on AIDS*, pp. 271-284. New York: Gordon and Breach Publishers. (1995)

Recent HIV/AIDS Trends among Men Who Have Sex with Men. In: Yuichi Shiokawa and Takashi Kitamura (editors), *Global Challenge of AIDS -- Ten Years of HIV/AIDS Research. Proceedings of the Tenth International Conference on AIDS/International Conference on STD*, pp. 27-33. Tokyo: Kodansha. (1995)

"From Bakla to Gay: Shifting Gender Identities and Sexual Behaviors in the Philippines" In Richard Parker and John Gagnon, eds. *Conceiving Sexuality: Approaches to Sex Research in a Postmodern World*, pp. 85-96. New York and London: Routledge. (1995)

Tita Aida and Emerging Communities of Gay Men: Two Case Studies from Metro Manila, Philippines. In: Gerard Sullivan and Laurence Wai-Teng Leong (eds.), *Gays and Lesbians in Asia and the Pacific: Social and Human Services*, pp. 31-48. New York and London: The Haworth Press. (1995)

A Review of Social and Behavioral Studies Related to HIV/AIDS in the Philippines. *Health Action Information Network and Program for Appropriate Technology in Health*. (1994).

Sickness and Sin: Medical and Religious Stigmatization of Homosexuality in the Philippines. In: J. Neil C. Garcia and Danton Remoto, eds. *Ladlad*, pp. 202-222. Pasig: Anvil Publishing. (1994).

The Meanings of Medicines: Examples from the Philippines. In: Nina Etkins and M. L. Tan (Eds.) *Medicines: Meanings and Contexts*. Quezon City: Health Action Information Network and Amsterdam: Medical Anthropology Unit, University of Amsterdam. (1994)

The Development of Health NGOs in the Philippines: A Sociohistorical Review. *Philippine Journal of Sociology*. 41: 110-122. (1993)

Socio-economic Impact of HIV/AIDS in The Philippines. *AIDS Care* 5(3):285-290. (1993)

Sustaining Health and Development: Retrospect and Prospects. *Papers on Countryside Development (Development Academy of the Philippines)* 1(2):45-64. (1991)



The Issue of Essential Drugs and Community Based Health Programmes in the Philippines. In: Anthony Arundel, Jorg Schaaber and Barbara Mintzes, editors. Primary Health Care and Drugs: Global Action Towards Rational Use. Proceedings of a Conference Held in Bielefeld, Germany, September 21 - 23, 1990, pp. 63-78. Bielefeld: BUKO Pharma-Kampagne and Amsterdam: Health Action International. (1991)

Traditional or Transitional Medical Systems: Pharmacotherapy as a Case for Analysis. *Social Science and Medicine* 29(3):301-308. (1989)

The Veterinary Student and Community Work. *Community Development Journal* (Oxford), 22(1):189-196. (1987)

### **Publications in Journals and Anthologies, Joint Authorship**

With Boyce, P., Lee, M. Huang Soo, Jenkins, C. Mohamed, S., Overs, C., Paiva, V., Reid, E., "Putting sexuality (back) into HIV/AIDS: Issues, theory and practice". *Global Public Health* 2:1:1-34. (2007)

(With Roy Chan and others). HIV and Men Who Have Sex with Men: Perspectives from Selected Asian Countries. *AIDS* 12 (suppl B): S59-S68. (1998)

(With M. Dayrit), HIV/AIDS in the Philippines. *AIDS* 8 (suppl2): S125-130. (1994)

(with T Brown) Social Policy, Human Rights, and HIV/AIDS in Asia and the Pacific. *AIDS* 8(suppl 2): S207-S213. (1994)

(With A de Leon, C O'Donnell and B Stoltzfus), Philippines: Focusing on the Hospitality Women. In: *The Third Epidemic: Repercussions of the Fear of AIDS*, pp. 200-204. London: Panos Institute. (1990)

(With Querubin, Mila and Rillorta, Tita), "The Integration of Traditional Medicine among Community Based Health Programs in the Philippines". *J. Trop. Pediatrics*. 34:71-74. (1988)

### **ACADEMIC TEACHING EXPERIENCE:**

Lectured at all CSSP Extramural workshops (summer and semestral break) mainly for social science teachers. In 2012 and 2013, lectured on Public Health Security at the National Defense College of the Philippines and conducted training workshops on social science research methods for the National Institute of Health and the National Nursing Research Council.

Handled a wide range of subjects at the University of the Philippines, but with emphasis on courses in medical anthropology, gender and sexuality, anthropological theory and anthropological methods.

Together with the University of the Philippines' College of Medicine, formulated a dual-track Master's degree program in Medical Anthropology, which was approved by the Board of Regents in June 2011.

Assisted the Institute for Human Genetics (National Institute of Health) to formulate and teach a module on socio-cultural aspects of genetics, as part of Medical Genetics 202: Public Health Genetics.

Formulated and helped to establish two general education courses at UP Diliman: Anthro 10 or Bodies, Senses and Humanity (an introductory course to anthropology using the body as a starting point) and Soc Sci 3: Exploring Gender and Sexuality.

Formulated and taught a course, "Culture and Ethics" for the graduate course on bioethics (University of the Philippines Manila College of Medicine and University of the Philippines Diliman College of Social Sciences and Philosophy)

### **VISITING LECTURES (Partial)**

January 2003 – TARSHI Sexual Rights Institute, Pune, India. Supported by the Ford Foundation.

May 2001 –University of Indonesia, Faculty of Political and Social Sciences. Taught a 4-day course on Sex, Sexuality and Gender as part of a course on the Ethnography of Southeast Asia. Sponsored by the Toyota Foundation.

May 2000 – Lectured for two weeks at the University of Amsterdam's Medical Anthropology course (Masteral level) on research methodologies.

July 1999, July 2000, July 2001 – Handled one-week lectures at the Summer Institute on Sexuality, University of Amsterdam, tackling cross-cultural surveys of gender and sexuality.

September 1992 (Bangkok, Thailand) February 1995 (Manila, the Philippines), October 1997 (Dhaka, Bangladesh) – Handled one-week lectures on research methodologies in an International Course on Anthropology and Health Care. Organized by the University of Amsterdam, Royal Tropical Institute of Tropical Medicine, Mahidol University and De La Salle University.

### **TRAINING ACTIVITIES:**

In May 2011 coordinated a training workshop for UNDP to train HIV/AIDS program managers and NGOs in qualitative research methods. Participants came from Indonesia, Malaysia, Thailand and the Philippines.

Lectured annually in the Leadership Course of the Southeast Asian Consortium on Gender, Sexuality and Health, conducted in Bangkok (2004, 2009), Manila (2005), Yogyakarta (2006), Hanoi (2007), Vientiane (2008) and Bangkok (2009), initially handling modules on gender and sexuality and its

Southeast Asian context (2004 to 2007) and eventually the political economy and rights context of gender and sexuality (2008, 2009).

From 2006 to 2008, organized several training workshops in Vietnam, through grants from the Ford Foundation and the Rockefeller Foundation to train non-government organization staff on social science research methods. In 2007, also under the Ford Foundation, conducted two workshops on gender and sexuality for personnel from the Vietnamese Ministry of Health's reproductive health section.

From 1997 to 2001, lectured annually at the Summer Institute on Sexuality organized by the University of Amsterdam.

In the Philippines, lecture in various training workshops on gender and sexuality, and in the last six years, with a focus on Catholicism and sexuality issues. In the last 15 years, involvement in training for rational drug use, tackling both biomedical and sociocultural issues. (This included participation in international training courses sponsored by the World Health Organization with various country hosts, including Mahidol University).

In the early years after college graduation, from 1977 to 1985, worked with primary health care programs training community health workers and other frontline workers, through the Roman Catholic church's Mindanao-Sulu Secretariat for Social Action and the Luzon Secretariat for Social Action.

### **PROGRAM EVALUATION:**

As Senior Adviser to the David and Lucile Packard Foundation (2001 to 2010), evaluated and monitored Philippine health programs particularly around family planning.

From 1990 to 2001, Worked with UNICEF, the Danish International Development Agency, World Health Organization and European Union on various consultancies in the region to assess programs in HIV/AIDS, child health, pharmaceuticals. Programs evaluated were in Indonesia, Malaysia, China, Vietnam, Thailand and the Philippines.

### **LECTURES AND CONFERENCE PAPERS (Selected):**

April 2013: The Filipino Family in the 21<sup>st</sup> Century. Plenary Speech, Philippine Pediatric Society Annual Convention.

May 2013: Rizal, Anthropology and Medicine. 49<sup>th</sup> Jose P. Rizal Memorial Lecture, Philippine Medical Association 10<sup>th</sup> Annual Convention, Manila Hotel.

November 2011: "Rizal's Struggle for Science: Faith, Reason and Knowledge", 4<sup>th</sup> Rizal Sesquicentennial Lecture Series, Ateneo de Manila University, Loyola Heights.

November 2011: "Orthography, Reading and Rizal", Plenary Lecture, Reading Association of the Philippines Mid-Year Convention, Dipolog City

October 2011: "Health for UP, Health for All Filipinos", 3<sup>rd</sup> Dr. Florentino Herrera Memorial Lecture, University of the Philippines Manila.

October 2011: "Sexual Rights, Sexual Citizenship, Sexual Nationalism". Plenary Paper. 6<sup>th</sup> Asia Pacific Conference on Reproductive and Sexual Health and Rights. Gadjadara University, Yogyakarta, Indonesia.

September 2011: "Health Statistics and Public Opinion Surveys: Bridging the Divide", Social Weather Stations Research Forum. SWS, Quezon City.

August 2011: "To Speak in Tongues: Lessons from the Chinese Community Schools in the Philippines", Plenary Paper, Linguistics Society of the Philippines annual convention. Quezon City: Ateneo de Manila University.

August 2011: "Gender in International Health", 8<sup>th</sup> Finnish-Philippine UP Global Health Course, Sponsored by the University of the Philippines and the University of Tampere. Held at the UP College of Medicine, Manila.

May 2011: "Challenges of Social Media for Educators", Smart Conference on Social Media. Marco Polo Hotel Cebu City.

May 2011: "Theory and Method in 21<sup>st</sup> Century Anthropology". Extramural Training for Social Science Teachers. UP Cebu.

April 2011: "Myth-Making and Myth-Breaking in the Social Sciences", Opening Paper, CSSP Extramural Training for Social Science Teachers. CSSP.

October 2010: "Dementia's Sociocultural Dimensions", Plenary Presentation, Annual Convention of the Dementia Society of the Philippines. Marco Polo Hotel, Davao City.

September 2010: "From M.U. to FuBu: Changing Adolescent Sexualities", Plenary Lecture, 6<sup>th</sup> Biennial Convention of the Society of Adolescent Medicine of the Philippines. Grand Convention Center, Cebu City.

August 2010: "Toward Cultural Competence in the Care of Older Persons", Keynote Speech. 2<sup>nd</sup> Annual Convention, Gerontological Nurses' Association of the Philippines. Manila Pavilion, Manila.

June 2010: "Cultural Competence and Global Health: Looking at Sudden Unexplained Nocturnal Deaths", Plenary lecture, 10<sup>th</sup> Science Council of Asia Conference. Sofitel, Manila.

January 2010: "Mastering Analgesia", Keynote Paper, 17<sup>th</sup> Grand Scientific Symposium, Organized by the University of the Philippines College of Medicine. Century Park, Manila.

December 2009: "Evolving Minds, Evolving Nature, Evolving Society", Symposium on Darwin. Organized by the UP College of Science and College of Economics. College of Science, UP Diliman, Quezon City.

August 2009, Symposium Paper Presenter, "Viagra vs Condoms", International Conference on AIDS in Asia and the Pacific, Bali, Indonesia.

August 2009: Plenary Speaker, "'Underlying Factors': Inequity in the Impact of HIV/AIDS Infections". International Conference on AIDS in Asia and the Pacific. Bali, Indonesia.

April 2009, Paper Presenter, "The Impact of Digital Information Technologies on Gender and Sexuality in Asia", Asia Regional Dialogue on Sexuality and Geopolitics. Organized by Sexuality Policy Watch and Institute for Social Development Studies, Hanoi, Vietnam.

March 2009: Keynote Speaker, "Integrative Medicine in the Philippines: Its Roots, Its Future". Conference on Integrative Medicine in the Philippines. University of the Philippines College of Medicine.

March 2009: Plenary Speaker, "The Ghosts of Baguio", Baguio Centennial Conference, UP Baguio.

October 2008: "Transcultural Teaching" (Invited Paper), 1<sup>st</sup> International Conference on Education in the Health Sciences. UP College of Medicine.

July 2008: "Anthropology, Medicine and the Filipino Racial Imagination". Conference on Public Health and Medicine in 20<sup>th</sup> Century Philippines. Ateneo de Manila University.

February 2007: "Drug Safety: Socio-cultural Issues". Plenary Lecture, Annual Convention of the Philippine Society of Hospital Pharmacists. Manila, the Philippines.

September 2006: "Adolescent Services: Time to Deliver". Plenary Lecture, Annual Convention of the Society for Adolescent Medicine of the Philippines (SAMPI). Manila, the Philippines.

April 2006: "Cross-border Sexualities: Beyond Stereotypes". Paper presented at a conference on migrant sexualities. National University of Singapore,

March 2006: "Tabi-tabi Po: An Ethic for Population, Health and Environment". Plenary Lecture, 2<sup>nd</sup> National Conference on Population, Health and Environment. Manila, Philippines.

November 2005: "Men as Partners?" Plenary Lecture, 3<sup>rd</sup> Asia Pacific Conference on Reproductive Health. Kuala Lumpur, Malaysia.

May 2005: "Cultural Context of Alternative Medicine", Plenary Lecture, Annual Conference of the Philippine Society of Oncologists, Tagaytay, Taal Vista Lodge.

April 2005: "Buhay, Buhay: A Case Study around Culture and Ethics", Regional Training on Bioethics. (Organized by the Department of Philosophy, CSSP, UP)

April 2005: "Tuberculosis in the Philippines", Honor Lecture, Citizens' Coalition Against Tuberculosis (Iloilo), April 1, 2005, Iloilo City.

February 2005: "Population Advocacy: An Environmental Scan", Training on Strategic Communications, Spitfire (Washington, DC), Philippine Workshop, Manila.

November 2004: "Filipino Perceptions about HIV/AIDS and STIs", Plenary presentation, Annual Conference of the Philippine Society for Infectious Medicine. Makati.

July 2004: "Low and Slow?", Satellite Workshop Paper presented at the 6<sup>th</sup> International Conference on HIV/AIDS, Bangkok, Thailand.

July 2004: "Culture and nation-building in the Philippines", Ateneo Graduate School of Business Faculty Development Workshop, Lipa, Batangas.

May 2004: "Trust, Healing and Democracy". A. G. Sison Memorial Lecture, Annual Convention of the Philippine College of Physicians, EDSA Shangri-la Hotel.

April 2004: "Verstehen and Pakapakapa", Regional Training on Bioethics. (Organized by the Department of Philosophy, CSSP, UP).

April 2004: "Cults, Celebrities, Politicians". UP CSSP Extramural Training for Social Science Teachers.

December 2003: "America on our Minds, Hearts, Tongues: Boon or Bane?", Annual Assembly of the American Studies Association of the Philippines, UP Diliman, Quezon City.

October 2003: "In the Name of Love: Sexual Meanings, Values and Behavior", Plenary presentation, 2<sup>nd</sup> Asia Pacific Conference on Reproductive and Sexual Health, Bangkok, Thailand.

June 2003: Population: Perceptions and Reality. Lecture, annual meeting of the UP Alumni Association, UP Diliman, Quezon City.

March 2003: Animal Welfare Issues: Culture and Public Health. Lecture presented at the a meeting organized by the Philippine Society for Animal Welfare for the World Society for Animal Welfare, Manila.

January 2003: Voices & visions: issues in transcultural psychiatry. Plenary Lecture presented at the 29<sup>th</sup> Annual Convention of the Philippine Psychiatric Association, 30 January 2003, Baguio City.

December 2002: Premarital sex and moral panic. Lecture delivered at the Gates Institute for Sexual Health, Johns Hopkins University, Baltimore, Washington.

November 2002: Mystery Cities and Contested Terrains of Knowledge. Plenary lecture, International Conference on Issues of Culture, Context and Choice in Development. 29 November 2002, Bangkok, Thailand. Organized by UNESCO SPAFA.

October 2002: "The Importance of Narratives in Sexuality Research", Plenary Paper, 6<sup>th</sup> Asia Pacific Social Science and Medicine Conference, Kunming, China.

February 2001: "Pleasure and Desire: Bringing Sexuality Back to Sex", Plenary Paper, Asia Pacific Regional Conference on Reproductive Health, Manila.

February 2001: "Humanism and Science in the Philippines," Keynote Speech, 68<sup>th</sup> Annual Convention of the National Research Council of the Philippines.

January 2001: Reproductive and Sexual Health: Linking Research to Public Policy and Practice. Regional Meeting on HIV/AIDS organized by The Ford Foundation, Ho Chi Minh City, Vietnam.

October 2000: "AIDS – Are We Just Lucky or Are We Doing Something Right?", Plenary Lecture, National AIDS Convention, Manila.

October 2000: "Church, State and Population", Plenary Lecture, Philippine Health Social Science Convention, Manila.

April 2000: "Unraveling the Filipino Adolescent," Plenary Lecture, Philippine Pediatric Society, 37<sup>th</sup> Annual Convention, Manila.

January 2000: "Integrating the Social Sciences and Humanities into Health Science Education", First National Conference on Health Professions Education. January 25, 2000. Sponsored by the National Teacher Training Center for the Health Professions (UP Manila).

July 1999: "The Perils of Political Correctness." Conference on Sexual Diversity and Human Rights. International Association for the Study of Sexuality. Manchester, United Kingdom.

August 1998: Learning and the Philippine Psyche. Foundation for the Upgrading of Standards in Education (FUSE), Manila.

April 1998: Migration Issues and HIV, SEAMEO Workshop, Kunming China.

March 1998: Dissonance in HIV Policy and Practice. Association of Asian Studies Annual Conference, Washington, D. C. (Special roundtable organized by The Ford Foundation.)

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