

Request for Press Release

Summer Workshop for
Junior Museum Guides

17 – 21, 24 – 27 May 2016 (Tuesday to Saturday)
1-5pm
Vargas Museum

Graduation and exhibit opening on 28 May, 3:00PM

The UP Vargas Museum will hold its annual summer workshop for Junior Museum Guides (JMG) on May 17 to 21, 24 to 27, 2016 from 1pm to 5pm. The two-week program accepts children ages 8 to 12 years old. The JMG workshop will culminate with a graduation and launch of their exhibition in the afternoon of May 28.

Junior Museum Guides is the museum's educational program in line with ICOM's celebration of the International Museum Day. The theme for this year is "Museums and Cultural Landscapes". JMG this year explores the role of the museum in creating an awareness of art, history and heritage. It highlights the museum as a place for the interaction among many kinds of cultures and peoples.

Students will be acquainted with various museum works like guiding museum visitors, documenting and handling museum objects, and planning and putting up an exhibit. They will also engage in creative activities like drawing comics, printmaking, and creating artworks with paper-cutting and layering techniques.

Registration fee is PhP 4,500 inclusive of workshop kits, art materials and snacks for the duration of the workshop. An early bird rate of Php 4,000.00 applies for early registration. The last day of registration is on May 14, 2016.

For inquiries and registration, please call the Vargas Museum at 928-19-27; 981-85-00 loc. 4024, or e-mail vargasmuseum@gmail.com.

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