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SUBJECT: **CALL FOR GENERAL PARTICIPATION IN THE UP
QUINCENTENNIAL CELEBRATION FROM MARCH-DECEMBER
2021**

The University of the Philippines joins the nation in commemorating the 500 years of the first circumnavigation of the world and the victory of Lapu-Lapu and his troops in the Battle of Mactan. UP is holding a year-long commemoration with the theme “*Gahum sa Buut: Tindig at Pamana ng Bayan*”. It seeks to highlight perspectives on the Conquista from the lens on how we, as a people, understand our shared past and advance a holistic and inclusive history of the nation.

The Committee on UP’s Celebration of the Quincentennial Commemoration has prepared a list of activities that will be our contribution to the nation’s celebration. UP’s commemoration is collaborative and interdisciplinary, taking into account the expertise of its constituent universities from UP Baguio to UP Mindanao. It aims to facilitate a series of activities designed to involve within and inter-constituent university (CU) collaboration, and engage multiple publics in and out of the University. These include academic conferences and trainings, cultural performances, art exhibits, and competitions utilizing online platforms in the light of the current public health crisis. The events will take place from March to December 2021.

I enjoin everyone to participate in the UP System’s main celebration as well as events and activities in UP campuses from Baguio to Mindanao, as part of a united, concerted effort to educate us about this important celebration. Please disseminate this invitation widely to your constituents.

Program and activities of the University are attached with this memorandum. Updates to the program and events are found in this [link](#).

Thank you very much.


DANILO L. CONCEPCION
President

Paggunita ng Pagtindig sa Conquista

University of the Philippines Celebration of the Quincentennial Commemoration

Tema ng Pagdiriwang

Gahum sa Buut: Tindig at Pamana ng Bayan

Samu't Saring Paraan ng Paggunita

Month	Date	Event	Organizer
March	Marso- Hunyo 2021	Sabat it Kautubo: Makabagong Sining sa Makasaysayang Kaganapan (Digital Poster Making)	Collaboration of History Student Organizations Across UP System
	Marso- Mayo 2021	45 th National Artist Jose T. Joya Art Awards and Exhibition	UP Cebu
	Marso- Oktubre 2021	Cosplaying Philippine History and Folklore	
	Paglulunsad ng buwanang usapan simula ngayong Marso.	Mga Usapang Quincentenario sa “BroadKas sa DZUP”	UP Diliman
	5 (Biyernes) Paglulunsad May gaganaping webinar mula Marso 5 hanggang Marso 26 (2:00 n.h. - 4:00 n.h. tuwing Biyernes)	Obras Arquitectonicas en el Ultramar: Arquitectura Mestiza and the Built Environment in the Philippines Online Exhibition	UP Diliman
	10 (Miyerkules) 8:30 n.u.- 4:30 n.h.	Of Crosses and Culture: An Anthropological Look at 500 Years of Christianity in the Philippines	UP Diliman
	16 (Martes), 4:00 n.h. – 6:00 n.g.	Talastasan sa Kasaysayan Webinar Series 500th Anniversary of the Mass at Limasawa: The Confusion and Contention Over Mazaua	UP Diliman

	17 at 18 (Miyerkues at Huwebes)	PAGDIRIWANG 2: Christianity and Popular Devotion: An Online International Conference on Folklore and Heritage	UP Diliman
	18-19 (Huwebes hanggang Sabado) 8:00 n.u.- 5:00 n.h.	Sabang: Early Southeast Asian- European Intercultural Encounters (An Online Conference)	UP Diliman
	19 (Biyernes) 2:00- 4:00 n.h.	The 2 ND Consuelo J. Paz Lecture: A thumbnail sketch of Philippine Linguistics during the Spanish Colonial Period by Dr. Arwin Vibar (An Online Lecture)	UP Diliman
	22 (Lunes) Paglulunsad	The Boxer Codex Reimagined: A Re- Viewing and Re-Creating of the Illustrations of Filipinos in the Codex through Digitally Generated Images	UP Diliman
	28 (Linggo ng Palaspas), 3:00 n.h	Saysay ng Salaysay: Paggunita sa Pagtatagpo ng Puwersa at Pamayanan Papet Pasyon: Ang Kauna- unahang Senakulong Pambata sa Pilipinas	UP Diliman
April	Abril 2021- Abril 2022	Treasured Objects of Devotion: A Joint Research and Curatorial Project for the 500 Years Celebration Bulalakaw 500: A Video Projection Mapping Project in Cebu's Historical Monuments and Sites	UP Cebu
	7 (Miyerkules), 2:30 – 4:30 n.h.	Talastasan sa Kasaysayan Webinar Series 500th Anniversary of the Cebu Part in the First Circumnavigation of the World Understanding 16th-Century Visayan Society	UP Diliman
	14 (Miyerkules), 3:00 n.h	Saysay ng Salaysay: Paggunita sa Pagtatagpo ng Puwersa at Pamayanan 500 años de encuentros textuales: Mga Hamon sa Pagsasalang Wika	UP Diliman
	23 (Biyernes), 2:30 – 4:30 n.h.	Talastasan sa Kasaysayan Webinar Series 500th Anniversary of the Victory at Mactan Mapping Perspectives on Indigenous Warfare	UP Diliman
	26 (Lunes) Paglulunsad	Tugon: Community Reflects on Historical Moments	UP Diliman

	26 at 27 (Lunes at Martes) 8:00 n.u.- 5:00 n.h.	Scripts in Asia: c. 1500-2000: A Virtual Conference	UP Diliman
	28 (Miyerkules) 3:00 n.h.	Layag sa Karagatan: Kultura, Agham, at Kasaysayan	UP Diliman
May	Kabuuan ng Mayo 2021	The Power of Four Colors (Poetry, Theater, Dance, Music)	UP Cebu
	Mayo- Oktubre	500 Years of Natural History in the Philippines: Online and Virtual Exhibits May- October 2021	UP Los Baños
	7 (Biyernes)	Quincentennial Commemorative Webinar Series The Filipino Concept of Health and Wellness	UP Manila
	14 (Biyernes)	Quincentennial Commemorative Webinar Series Institutions for Healing	UP Manila
	21 (Biyernes)	Quincentennial Commemorative Webinar Series Ermita: Arrabal (Suburb) of Manila	UP Manila
	28 (Biyernes)	Quincentennial Commemorative Webinar Series Weather Forecasting in the Philippines	UP Manila
June	Hunyo- Agosto 2021	Yutang Tabunon: Currents and Crossroads of Art and History: An Art Exhibition of Visual Artists and Designers in the Visayas	UP Cebu
July	Kabuuan ng Hulyo, 2021	Mga Salaysay, Guho, at Yaman: Ang Kamanahang Pangkalinangan ng Katagalugan sa Pagitan ng Dalawang Daigdig (Exhibit)	UP Los Baños
August	25-27 (Miyerkules- Biyernes)	Philippine Studies Association National Conference 500 Years of Christianity in the Philippines	UP Visayas
September	(TBA)	Northern Luzon Regional Conference Northern Luzon and the Cordillera in Regional Perspective: Identities, Interactions and Localizations (in collaboration with the National Historical Commission of the Philippines)	UP Baguio
	13 (Lunes)	Pakigdait ug Pakigbisog: Kristiyanismo sa Mindanaw Unang Talakayan	UP Mindanao

	20 (Lunes)	Pakigdait ug Pakigbisog: Kristiyanismo sa Mindanaw Pangalawang Talakayan	UP Mindanao
	27 (Lunes)	Pakigdait ug Pakigbisog: Kristiyanismo sa Mindanaw Lunsad ng “500 Years of Christianity: A Digital Photo Exhibit of Churches in Mindanao”	UP Mindanao
October	Oktubre 2021	Extramural on Reclaiming Our Rights as a People, as a Nation in the Global South	UP Cebu
	14 at 15 (Huwebes at Biyernes)	19 th Philippine-Spanish Friendship Day Digital Conference	UP Diliman
November	24-26 Nobyembre 2021 9:00 n.u.- 4:00 n.h. Gamit ang Zoom	University of the Philippines Quincentennial Commemorative Webinar for Teachers	UP System
December	(TBA)	The Cordillera in Philippine History: Enhancing the Teaching of Philippine History with the integration of Cordillera history	UP Baguio
	(TBA)	Launch of Massive Open Online Courses (MOOCs) on Topics and Themes of the UP Quincentennial Commemoration Seminar for Teachers	UP Open University