

Conference Design

of the
20th AACCUP Annual National Conference
Manila Hotel – February 26-27, 2007

- Activity : 20th AACCUP Annual National Conference
- Theme : 20 Years of Accreditation: Trials, Tribulations and Triumphs
- Objectives : To review, reward and re-invigorate the pursuit of quality in education.

Specifically, at the end of the Conference, the participants shall have:

1. gained an appreciation of the trials, tribulations and triumphs of accreditation in the last 20 years;
2. consolidated the “good practices” that contributed to the development of the accreditation program;
3. celebrated the landmark triumph of accreditation, and recognized the key personalities responsible for it; and
4. defined the major direction of accreditation in the next five years, and secured the participants’ commitment to it.

Venue : *Manila Hotel*
One Rizal Park 1099
Manila

Date : February 26-27, 2007

Participants : A limited total of 500 participants composed of the following:

1. SUCs, a maximum of nine (9) participants, preferably:
 - a. President (1)
 - b. Vice-President (1)
 - c. Deans/Directors(2)
 - d. Head of Internal Assessment Body (1)
 - e. Senior Faculty (1)
 - f. Accreditors (3)

Those desiring to send more than nine (9) participants may be accommodated for justifiable reasons, like the size of the SUC, the number of the SUC’s programs which have gained accreditation status and the number of the SUC’s Accreditors, subject to AACCUP confirmation of acceptance

2. The National Network of Quality Assurance Agencies (NNQAA)
3. Members of the Association of Local Colleges and Universities Commission on Accreditation (ALCU-COA), and other Local Government Colleges and Universities

4. CHED Central and Regional Offices and their Staff
5. CHED TWG on Accreditation
6. House of Representatives Committee on Higher and Technical Education
7. Senate Committee on Education
8. Professional Regulation Commission (PRC)
9. Teacher Education Council (TEC), DepEd
10. Private Higher Education Institutions (PHEIs)
11. Foreign Participants from APQN and INQAAHE member countries
12. Accrediting Agencies for PHEIs.

General Program of Activities

Day 1, February 26, 2007 (Monday)

A.M.

6:00 - 9:45 - **Registration and Reception**

9:00 - 9:45 - **Coffee Break**

10:00 - 12:00 - **Opening Session**

- Invocation
- National Anthem
- Opening Statement and Welcome
AACCUP President Rosario P. Pimentel
- Keynote Speech
CHED Chairman Carlito S. Puno
- Speech by Keynote Speakers
 - *Hon. Juan M. Flavier*
Chairman, Senate Committee on Education, Arts and Culture
 - *Hon. Cynthia A. Villar*
Chair, House Committee on Higher and Technical Education
- Pictorial Presentation
- Entertainment Number

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12:00 - 1:00 - **Lunch Break**

- 1:00 - 1:30 - **Participants and Guests Assemble**
Pictorial Presentation
- 1:30 - 3:00 - **AACCUP Revisited : Accreditation Circa 1987**
 ▪ *Dr. Manuel T. Corpus*
 Executive Director and Founding President of AACCUP
- 3:00 - 3:30 - **Coffee Break**
- 3:30 - 5:00 - **Accreditation Under AACCUP Assessed**
 ▪ *Dr. Catalino P. Rivera*
 President, University of Pangasinan, and
 Director, NNQAA
- Looking Forward: Institutional Accreditation**
 ▪ *British Council Consultant*
- Dialogue with the Hon. Nenalyn P. Defensor On Quality Assurance**

Day 2, February 27 (Thursday)

AM

- 8:00 - 10:00 - **Business Meeting**
 ▪ *Dr. Rosario P. Pimentel, Presiding*
- Election of Members of the Board of Trustees**
 ▪ *Dr. Pablo T. Mateo, Presiding*
 Director, NNQAA
- 10:00 - 10:30 - **Coffee Break**
- 10:30 - 12:00 - **Plenary Session**
 Speakers
- **Quality Assurance In the Next Five Years**
- *Dr. Heracleo D. Lagrada*
 Director III, Office of Programs and Standards, CHED
 - *Director Peter T. Cheung*
 President, Asia Pacific Quality Network (APQN)

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- 12:00 - 1:00 **Lunch Break**
- 1:00 - 3:00 **Closing Session**
 Guest Speakers
- *Hon. Nona S. Ricafort*
 Commissioner, CHED
 - *Hon. Hadja Luningning Misuarez-Umar*
 Commissioner, CHED

Awards