



Republic of the Philippines  
OFFICE OF THE PRESIDENT  
**COMMISSION ON HIGHER EDUCATION**

**MEMORANDUM FROM THE CHAIRPERSON**

**FOR :** ALL CHED CENTRAL AND REGIONAL DIRECTORS  
ALL PRESIDENTS/HEADS OF PUBLIC AND PRIVATE HIGHER  
EDUCATION INSTITUTIONS (HEIs)

**SUBJECT :** PARTICIPATION AT THE INTERNATIONAL CONFERENCE ON  
MOTHER TONGUE-BASED MULTILINGUAL EDUCATION  
ENDEAVOR TO BE HELD ON JANUARY 18-20, 2011 AT THE  
URDANETA CITY UNIVERSITY, URDANETA, PANGASINAN

**DATE :** October 20, 2010

In accordance with the pertinent provisions of Republic Act (R.A.) 7722, otherwise known as the "Higher Education Act of 1994" and in recognition of the importance of professional development and continuing technical education in attaining global competitiveness, this Office hereby endorses the subject undertaking for the support and participation of all concerned.

With the theme, "*Benchmarking Mother Tongue-based Multilingual Education: Development, Practices and Challenges in the 21<sup>st</sup> Century in Asia Pacific*," this conference aims to provide a comprehensive source of new data which will increase knowledge and information on global practices and perspectives on MTMLE.

Registration fees are as follows:

Participant Category	Registration Fee
<i>Early bird registrants (on or before November 15)</i>	
Foreign participants	USD 200.00
Foreign students	USD 180.00
Local participants	Php 5,000.00
<i>Regular rate</i>	
Foreign participants	USD 225.00
Foreign students	USD 180.00
Local participants	Php 5,500.00

Participation of officials, employees and students from private higher education institutions (HEIs) shall be VOLUNTARY. Officials and employees of State and Local Universities and Colleges (SUCs and LUCs) who will participate in this activity should have prior approval from the President/ Head of the concerned institution and are hereby reminded to observe proper use of government funds provided under the Department of Budget and Management (DBM) National Budget Circular No. 486 and Administrative Order No. 103.

For registration, further information and/or inquiries you may coordinate with the conference secretariat at telephone numbers (075) 568-7612 and 568-5062.

Wide dissemination of this Memorandum is desired.

  
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