

# **CvSU-generated technologies featured in DOST's StARRT**

Two technologies from Cavite State University were featured in the technologies pitched in during the virtual culminating activity for DOST'S Strategy to Accelerate and Revitalize Technology Transfer (StARTT) in CALABARZON region, also known as the Technology Transfer Day held on 7 May 2021.

From the 25 initially evaluated technologies, two from CvSU made it to the final 12 technologies, namely, "ASMA Low-Cost Smoking Technology" by Engr. Venus Florence Vicedo and Engr. Gee Jay C. Bartolome (CvSU-Rosario Campus) and "Specialty Coffee Blends" by Dr. Ruel M. Mojica, Engr. Rosalie A. Pelle and Engr. Aeron R. Mojica (CvSU-Main Campus).

According to DOST CALABARZON, the culminating activity aims to assist the technology generators, researchers, and innovators of Research and Development Institutes (RDIs) and academe in the region to showcase and commercialize their homegrown technologies for the benefit of the society and local industries.

The event also recognized six technologies from two RDIs and two State Universities and Colleges in CALABARZON with commercialized technologies that passed thru the evaluation of the Fairness Opinion Board. Cavite State University was acknowledged for having been

### PADYAK: CvSU All the Way Through

In celebration of the 1st National Higher Education Day and the 27th CHED Founding Anniversary, Cavite State University organized an online webinar entitled "PADYAK! CvSU All the Way Through Pamantasan: Pandayan Tungo sa Kaunlaran" on 19 May 2021.

Resource speakers for the well-attended webinar include UPLB Chancellor Dr. Jose V. Camacho Jr. who discussed higher education in the normal, CHED OIC Executive Director Atty. Lily Freida Macabangun-Milla who talked about gender and leadership in higher education, and CvSU's very own faculty members from the College of Engineering and Information Technology Mr. Mark Philip M. Sy and Mr. Russel L. Villacarlos who shared about higher education in digital transformation. (Cont'd on p.2)

### CvSU Vision

The premier university in historic Cavite recognized for excellence in the development of globally competitive and morally upright individuals



issued a Certificate of Fairness Opinion on the proposed transaction to license the technology "Production of Kaong Brown Sugar" of CvSU as Licensor to Magallanes Women's Club Multi-purpose Cooperative (MAWCO) as Producer and Distributor/Licensee. The other recognized institutions were University of the Philippines Los Baños, DOST -Forest Products Research and Development Institute, and DOST - Industrial Technology Development Institute.

### **CvSU participates in Quincentennial Commemorations in the Philippines**

The University joins the nation in the celebration of the Quincentennial Commemorations in the Philippines.

With Dr. Ma. Agnes P. Nuestro and Dr. Bettina



Joyce P. Ilagan as Chair and Co-Chair, respectively, and Prof. Gil D. Ramos as Team Leader, various activities will be conducted that would retell heroism, gallantry, and nobleness of various historical figures in history, especially the local heroes and eminent people the Cavite has produced; honor the modern-day great examples of greatness and compassion; celebrate overseas Filipino workers; and highlight the achievement as a people in science, arts, culture, and various fields.

#### **CvSU** Mission

Cavite State University shall provide excellent, equitable, and relevant educational opportunities in the arts, sciences and technology through quality instruction and responsive research and development activities.

It shall produce professional skilled and morally upright individuals for global competitiveness.

### **CAS operationalizes approved Arts Division restructuring**

Upon the approval of the University President Dr. Hernando D. Robles, the College of Arts and Sciences (CAS) now operationalizes its proposal to restructure its Liberal Arts Division. CAS Dean Dr. Bettina Joyce P. Ilagan confirmed the approval thru her Office Memorandum No. 07, S. 2021 dated 29 April 2021, "Restructuring of the Arts Division of CAS." With this new set-up, the College is now composed of five departments, namely: Department of Biological Sciences, Department of Communication, Department of Humanities, Department of Physical Sciences, and Department of Social Sciences.

A three-fold proposal to restructure the Liberal Arts Division, to revise its College Goals and Department Objectives, and to include the Sentro ng Pasalita at Pampook na Kasaysayan or the Oral and Local History Center in the College's Organizational Structure was submitted and approved by the CAS Academic Council, Council of Academic Affairs Heads, University Administrative Council

# Faculty research papers published in Scopus indexed journal

The research papers of Dr. Jake Raymund F. Fabregar and Dr. Jovan B. Alitagtag, faculty members of Teacher Education in the College of Education as well as the paper of Dr. Alfe M. Solina and Dr. Liane Vina G. Ocampo of Imus Campus, had been published in the journal Psychology and Education, one of the Scopus indexed journal affiliates of Asia-Pacific Consortium of Researchers and Educators. The articles were released on May 05, 2021 under Vol. 58 No. 5 (2021) with ISSN 1552 – 6939 at the psychology and Education.

Prior to the publication in the Psychology and Education Journal, the papers entitled "Organizational Climate in Public High Schools in the Province of Laguna and Lifelong Service of Junior High School Teachers", "Emotional Intelligence and Leadership Effectiveness of Public Junior High School Heads in the Province of Laguna", and "Exploring Teachers' Readiness in Coping with the Challenges of Covid-19 Pandemic: Basis for Academic Transision Program", of Drs. Fabregar, Alitagtag, and Solina and Ocampo, respectively, had been presented in the APCoRE 2020 International Virtual Conference held on 2-4 December 2020 with the theme "Embracing Change, Forging Ahead". The said papers passed the evaluation of the reviewers/referees in terms of scope and relevance. (JBAlitagtag/AMSolina/LVOcampo)

### PADYAK!: CvSU...

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In relation to the said celebration, a day before the webinar. CvSU's video entry was adjudged place in second the Region IV Competition on Best Higher Education Institution Activity anchored on the same PADYAK theme. The said video highlighted CvSU's strong and steady stance providing quality in instruction, research and activities extension despite the challenges.

consecutively. The establishment of the *Sentro ng Pasalita at Pampook na Kasaysayan* was approved earlier by the Office of the University President.

Among the legal bases and references for this restructuring are the Commission on Higher Education (CHED) CMO No. 44, S1997: Policies and Standards for Humanities, Social Sciences, and Communication Education, Article 2, Section 2, which states that courses in the Liberal Arts are generally classified into three areas, namely: Humanities (Languages, Literature, Philosophy, Arts and Music); Social Sciences (History, Political Science, Psychology, Anthropology, Economics); Sociology, and and Communication (Broadcasting, Journalism, and Communication Arts); CHED Memorandum Order No. 20, Series of 2013: General Education Curriculum: Holistic Understandings, Individual and Civic Competencies; and .I Kagan's 2009 article The three cultures: Natural sciences, social sciences, and the humanities in the 21st century.

Alongside restructuring the arts division, the existing college goals were also revised with the inclusion of the primary function of the College of offering general education courses and reflecting the instruction, research, extension, and resource generation functions, as well as the revision of department objectives. Truly, CAS, being the Carriers of Truth, Advocates of Excellence, and Stewards of Service continuously commits to the vision and mission of the University. (*ARCSolis*)

### **CEd-TED conducts virtual student annual GA**

Connections and relationships been have challenging quite to maintain in this pandemic, more especially to educational institutions that highlights the importance of teacher-student interaction to optimize the best potential of learning.



The idea of connecting and opening networks to encourage growth, development, understanding, and success towards their goals was the main focus of this year's Education Circle general assembly, with the theme "OPENCAM: Opening Educational Networks and Connections Amidst PandeMic".

Education Circle held their annual General Assembly for all Teacher Education students or KapaTEDs, virtually, last May. Activities for the much-awaited event included TikTok Dress Up Challenge, Slogan and Poster Making Contest, and the TED Quiz Bee. TED students showcased their best skills in art, video visualization, professional education courses, and such, which was the main goal of the activities.

Also, through these events, the students were able to reconnect and witness the talents of their KapaTEDs.

To wrap up the three-week-long series of events, the Education Circle held a webinar for all TED students with the same theme on 09 May 2021, via exclusive Facebook Group Live. The talk was put into great light with the expertise of the invited resource speaker, Dr. Loredel Gecalao, Principal II of San Antonio Elementary School, DepEd Schools Division of Laguna.

Students gained a lot of important information on how teachers and students can maximize the connection they have to materialize the plans in this new normal learning set up. The program ended by awarding certificates to all winners of the events. (*VPdelaRea & JRFFabregar*)

### **CvSU-Imus conducts PREP** career talk

Aimed at eliminating barriers in employment and digital divide amidst pandemic, the Department CAREER of Entrepreneurship CvSU – Imus Campus successfully spearheaded the "PREP (Preparation for Relevant Employment *Prospecting*) Career Talk," together with the Cavite Young Leader for Entrepreneurship (CYLE), online skills an enhancement training for Entrepreneurship BS students held on 28 May 2021 via Zoom.



Topics discussed during the webinar include writing an effective cover letter, refining a resume, navigating job search, and preparing for virtual job interviews.

Key takeaways from the event provided graduating students the necessary information and skills to facilitate possible internship and employment opportunities.

The event was in partnership with the Asia Foundation's Go Digital ASEAN, which advocates digital skills training initiative, implemented across all ten ASEAN member states, including the Philippines. The program equips jobseekers, and micro, small, and medium enterprises (MSMEs) with the tools and proficiencies necessary to access and participate in the digital arena to expand economic opportunity across the ASEAN Member States and minimize the negative impact of the Covid-19 crisis.

The Go Digital ASEAN-Philippines training team was headed by Consultant Mr. Jowil Plecerda and Program Lead Mr. Patrick Bolaños, with the best line-up of prominent HR practitioners from the industry. The senior trainers, namely Ms. Joy Penecilla, Ms. Reanne Gamboa, and Ms. Lorna Bondoc, graciously shared their expertise and handled the most interactive open forum with the most suitable answers to the frequently asked questions. Further exchange of corporate experiences among the resource speakers highlighted best practices in hiring the perfect match for the job while accentuating employable skills.(LAMarzan/RIGarcia/LVGOcampo)

## **NCRDEC** launches information system

To address the goal of providing an intensified level of stakeholders' accommodation by streamlining its traditional paperbased monitoring and coffee-related information provision processes, the National Coffee Research, Development and Extension Center (NCRDEC) recently launched the newlydeveloped 4-in-1 ergonomically-designed NCRDEC Information System.

The system offers four main features integrated into one information kiosk:

- 1. Visitor Information System that eliminates the use of a logbook and instead offers visitors and employees a safe and streamlined digital registration process;
- 2. Geographic Information System (GIS) Mapping that allows users to easily view and locate the coffee trees at NCRDEC Coffee Demonstration and Experimental Areas through the provided digital maps and satellite images:
- 3. Coffee Morphological Catalogue that lets coffee enthusiasts to digitally access the available coffee-related information; and
- NCRDEC Web-based Training and Seminar Evaluation System that addresses the Center's increasing need for a more advanced and efficient program assessment.

The said system is an output of the project funded by the CvSU Research Grant.

### **GAD REPORTS**

### GADRC conducts ToT on communitybased orientation on anti-trafficking

To capacitate the GAD coordinators, extension coordinators, and other faculty members of the different colleges/campuses/ units of the University, a three-day training of trainers (ToT) in conducting awareness campaign against human trafficking in their respective communities is being held, from 24-26 May, via Zoom.

The ToT covers the following topics:

- 1. Domestic and International Situationer on Human Trafficking
- Salient Features of Republic Act 9208 as amended by Republic Act 10364, or the Anti-Trafficking in Persons 2 Act, and other laws against illegal recruitment, mail-order spouse scheme, and online sexual exploitation of children (OSEC)
- Forms of Trafficking: Labor and Sex Trafficking 3.
- Gender Sensitive and Victim-Friendly Handling of Human 4. **Trafficking Cases**
- Ways to Help in Fighting Human Trafficking 5.
- 6. Community-Based Anti-Trafficking Advocacy Campaign

Twenty-five faculty members from the different colleges/ campuses/units are expected to benefit from the training and are expected to prepare a module design on community-based orientation on anti-trafficking and an action plan to ensure the implementation of the community-based anti-trafficking campaign.

The said activity is part of the Memorandum of Agreement signed by CvSU and the Commission on Filipinos Overseas (CFO) wherein the latter shall support CvSU's GAD Resource Center Extension Program by implementing activities that will promote the campaign against gender-based violence such as human trafficking in the province of Cavite and within the region. (SGTan)

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