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DEPARTMENT MEMORANDUM

No. 217. S. 1975

NATIONAL SEMINAR ON EDUCATIONAL INNOVATIONS  
FOR DEVELOPMENT

To the:

Regional Directors  
Regional Directors  
Chiefs of Services  
Coordinator, State Colleges and Universities

1. The Department of Education and Culture, in cooperation with UNESCO and with the assistance of Unesco National Commission of the Philippines, Philippines American Educational Foundation and Foundation for Assistance to Private Education, will conduct a National Seminar on Educational Innovations for Development on January 5-6, 1976, at the ~~Regal~~ Hotel, Manila. The National Research and Development Centre for Teacher Education, a special unit of the DEC, shall coordinate this Seminar.

2. The objectives of this Seminar are:

- a. To bring together innovators in education, as well as in other fields, and provide them a forum for exchanging their experience and knowledge, and
- b. To examine the planning, management, and implementation of innovative projects in order to synthesize insights and understandings and crystallize therefrom functional concepts of social change in the educational context.

3. Utilizing selected innovative projects submitted by the field in response to the DEC UNESCO Projects for a National Inventory on Educational Innovations, the Seminar intends to disseminate knowledge and understanding of concepts, processes, structures, problems and needs involved in educational innovations, and prepare the ground for planning strategies and action programs to improve the quality and relevance of Philippine education to contemporary Philippine society.

4. Assistant Secretaries, Bureau Directors, Regional Directors, Chiefs of Staff Services, and members of the National Development Council for Educational Innovations are authorized to attend this Seminar. Expenses incurred for this Seminar, including transportation and per diems, will be charged against the local funds of respective offices subject to the usual accounting and auditing procedures. Constraints in funds and of arrangements made it necessary to limit participation on this occasion but follow-up regional seminars are contemplated.

5. Inclosed herewith is a tentative program of the Seminar. All inquiries therewith shall be addressed to Dr. Alfredo M. Morales, Director, National Research and Development Centre for Teacher Education, Department of Education and Culture.

6. It is desired that this Memorandum be disseminated for the information and guidance of all concerned.

(SCC.) JESUS J. KAMAL  
Secretary of Education and Culture

Enclosure:

As stated

INITIATIVE PROGRAM

NATIONAL SEMINAR ON EDUCATIONAL INNOVATIONS  
FOR DEVELOPMENT

Date: January 5-6, 1976

Place: <sup>Parcview</sup> ~~Maginhawa~~ Hotel, Manila

Monday, January 5

6:30 - 9:00 REGISTRATION

9:00 - 10:00 OPENING CEREMONIES

Presiding Officers:

- Dr. Ulpacia Brillantes Soriano  
Director, Bureau of Elementary Education (BEE) and  
Chairman of the National Development Group for  
Educational Innovations (NDEI)

Speakers:

1. Hon. Juan L. Manuel  
Secretary, Department of Education and Culture (DEC)
2. Dr. Abdul Latif  
Chief, Asian Center of Educational Innovations for  
Development (ACEID), Unesco Regional Office,  
Davao City
3. Dr. Jaime Laya  
Deputy Director-General of the National Economic  
Development Authority (NEDA) and Budget Commissioner

Introduction of the Participants

10:00 - 10:15 Coffee Break

10:15 - 11:15 WARM SESSION I: PLENARY GIVES

Chairman:

- Dr. Bonifacio P. Sibayan  
President, Philippine Normal College and  
Member, NDEI

Speakers:

1. Dr. Alfredo U. Morales  
Director, National Research and Development Centre  
for Teacher Education (NRCDE) DLSU, Quezon City,  
Philippines

Topic: "Perspective on Educational Innovations  
in the Philippines"

2. Dr. Lilia B. Brillantes Soriano

Topic: "Micro-Educational Innovations"

3. Dr. Arnelito P. Iloco

President, Fund for Assistance to Private Education  
(FAP), Makati City

Topic: "Challenges and Opportunities for Innovations  
in Private Education"

4. Dr. Peter Jackoff

Associate Professor of Comparative Education  
University of Virginia, USA, and

Professor-Visiting, Phil-Amer-Asian Educational  
Foundation (PAEF)

Topic: "Innovation in Eastern Countries:  
Comparative Approach"

11:15 - 12:15 OPEN FORUM

12:15 - 13:30 LUNCH & R

13:30 - 17:30 PLENARY SESSION: COMMUNITY APPROACH  
TO DEVELOPMENT

Chairman:

Dr. Angelo Romay  
Project Educator, Educational Development Project,  
Implementing Task Force (PTFI) DLSU

Speakers:

1. Rev. Efdeco P. Macanay  
President, Southern Christian College,  
Midsayap, North Cotabato  
  
Topic: "Cotabato Rural uplift Movement" (CORUM)
2. Dr. Aquilino S. Imperial  
President, Mi Lumen University,  
Tumague City  
  
Topic: "University-Aide Extension Programs"
3. Dr. Sergio B. Casmen  
Director, Comprehensive Community Health Program  
U.P., Baguio, Leyte  
  
Topic: "Comprehensive Community Health Program"
4. Mr. Miguel P. Palao  
President, Palauan National Agricultural College  
/Dorlan, Palawan  
  
Topic: "Teacher-chen School Program"
5. Dean Janet Verina-Soler  
College of Education, University of Nueva Caceres  
Naga City  
  
Topic: "Sixty-Sixth Service Program"
6. Dr. Gerardo P. Recalde  
Executive Trustee, Foundation for Youth Development  
in the Philippines, Inc. (FYDI)  
  
Topic: "The Role of FYDI in Non-Formal Education  
for Community Development"

15:30 ~ 15:45 Coffed Break

15:45 ~ 17:00 QFDN FORUM

19:00 ~ 21:00 Dinner, hosted by Secretary and Mrs.  
Juan J. Merviel

Tuesday, January 6

9:00 - 9:45 TYPE SECTION III : CURRICULUM DEVELOPMENT

Chairman:

Dr. Lourelle S. Minares  
Assistant Director, NDCFI, INC and Member, NICEI

Speaker(s):

1. Dr. Dolores S. Montañez  
Director, A.P. Science Education Center,  
14 Regional Centers and Member, NDCFI

Topic: "Science Education in the Philippines"

2. Socorro Nebada, D.C.L.  
Social, Department of Social Work, Concordia College  
Davao, Mindanao

Topic: "Model Couple Advisor Research Project"

3. Dr. Rizel Valdez  
Lecturer, Central Luzon Teachers College  
Bayombong, Panaybanan

Topic: "Workshop-Based Teacher Education Curriculum"

9:45 - 10:00 Office Break

10:00 - 10:45 Continuation of Panel Session III

Speaker(s):

4. Prof. Crisanto Verano, D.C.L.  
Ateneo College of Industrial Technology, De La  
Salle University, Taft Avenue, Manila

Topic: "People Study Program"

5. Mrs. Jocelyne H. Go  
Principal, Novier School, Guadalupe, Davao

Topic: "Individualized Instruction"✓

6. Dr. Ricardo R. Wagon  
Superintendent, Iloilo National College of  
Agriculture, Lauban, Iloilo

Topic: "Master of Arts in Teaching Elementary  
Agriculture" (MATEA)

10:45 ~ 12:15 OPEN FORUM

12:15 ~ 13:30 LUNCH

13:00 ~ 14:45 PARALLEL SESSION IV : REGIONAL PLACEMENT  
AND DEVELOPMENT

Chairman:

Mr. Pedro Sanvicente  
Regional Director, PEC Region XI and  
President, Philippine Association of School  
Superintendents (PSS)

Speakers:

1. Mrs. Rosalyn Cayon  
(Associate Dean of Graduate School),  
University of Mindanao, Davao City

Topic: "University at the Bar"

2. Mrs. Felicite C. Bernardino  
Regional Director, PEC Region III

Topic: "Field Management"

3. Mr. Telesforo X. Baculisan  
Regional Director, PEC Region I

Topic: "Year-Round School Program"

14:45 ~ 15:00 Coffee Break

15:00 ~ 15:45 Continuation of Panel Session IV

Speakers:

1. Rev. Benedicto O. Javier, S.J.  
Director, Graduate School, Xavier University  
Cagayan de Oro City  
  
Topic: "Institute for the Development of  
Educational Administrators" (IDEA)
2. Dr. Esteban G. Sanchez, Jr.  
Executive Vice President, Manila Central University  
Sta. Mesa, Manila  
  
Topic: "Innovative Management" (IM)
3. Dr. Felix R. Santos  
Chief, Office of Planning Services, DPC and  
Project Director, PEC-PAB  
  
Topic: "Project SAIFI"

14:45 - 17:00 OPEN FORUM

19:00 - 21:00 Reception and Dinner Meeting, hosted by  
United Nations Commission on the Philippines  
(UNCO) and National Development Group for  
Educational Innovations (NDEI)

Speakers:

1. Dr. Ralph S. Perfecto  
Executive Director, PEC-PAB  
Guest Speaker
2. Dr. Marcialo M. Marañon  
Undersecretary of Education and Culture  
(Closing Remarks)