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DECS MEMORANDUM
No. 123, s. 1987

8TH NATIONAL CONFERENCE OF THE ASSOCIATION OF PHILIPPINE
COLLEGES OF ARTS AND SCIENCES

To: Bureau Directors
Regional Directors
Presidents, State Colleges and Universities
Heads of Private Schools, Colleges and Universities
Deans, Colleges of Arts and Sciences

1. The Association of Philippine Colleges of Arts and Sciences (APCAS) will hold its Eighth National Conference on July 24-25, 1987 at the Audio Visual Room of the Philippine Normal College Library, Taft Avenue, Manila.

2. The conference theme, "General Education for the Filipino Today," is relevant in view of the current social changes and needs which have a bearing on the general education of our youth. A copy of the tentative program is hereto attached for your information.

3. The objectives of the conference are: a) to assess the General Education Program in response to current social changes and needs of the Filipino today; b) to place the General Education Program within the context of commissioned studies on EDCs and bilingualism and the overall planning process of DECS and the national government; c) to initiate dialogues with those responsible for the professional courses with a view to the integration of General Education and Professional Education; d) to study the integration of new DECS thrusts (the New Constitution, Human Rights, and Values Formation) into Arts and Sciences education.

4. In support of this national conference, this Office encourages school heads of both private and public colleges and universities to send their deans and/or assistant deans of the College of Arts and Sciences as participants. Likewise, regional directors are requested to send representatives preferably the chief and assistant chief of the Higher Education Division. The Bureau of Higher Education shall be entitled to five (5) delegates.

5. Institutional fee per school is P200.00 and the registration fee per participant is P450.00 to cover lunch and snacks. Participants from private schools shall make their own financial arrangements with their respective institutions. Travel expenses, per diem, and other incidental expenses of those coming from the public sector shall be charged against local funds, subject to the usual accounting and auditing rules and regulations.

6. It is desired that this Memorandum be immediately disseminated to all concerned.

(SGD.) LOURDES R. QUINSUBAN
Secretary

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Incl.:

As stated

Reference:

MECS Memorandum No. 109, d. 1936

Attachments: 1-3-4-- (M.C. 1-27)

To be indicated in the Perpetual Index

under the following subjects:

\ COMMUNICATION ARTS

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/ Course of Study, COLLEGE

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Friday, 24 July 1987

- 8:00 Registration
- 8:45 Welcome Address - Dr. Edilberto P. Dagot
TWC President
- Opening Remarks - Fr. Regal J. Jousan, S.J.
AFQAS President
- 9:00 Keynote Address - The Honorable Lourdes R. G. Guiling
DECS Secretary
- 10:00 Break
- 10:30 Introduction of Delegates
- Ady. Nick Agudo
AFQAS Executive Vice President
- 11:00 The Bureau of Higher Education and Its Role in
Arts and Sciences Education
- Dr. Nilo L. Rosas
BHE Director
- 12:00 Luncheon
- 1:00 Report of the Task Force to Study State Colleges
and Universities
- Dr. Regal P. de Guzman
UPIL Chancellor
- 3:00 Korrida
- 3:30 Discussion: General Education and Professional Courses I
Panelists: - Dr. Alicia J. Tan
BHE Assistant Director, Chairperson
Representatives from:
- Engineering Education
- Business Education
- Accounting Education
- The Business Sector

Saturday, 25 July 1987

- 8:00 Report on the Study on Bilingualism
- Dr. Benigno P. Sibayan
Professor Emeritus
Philippine Normal College
- 9:30 Korrida
- 10:00 Discussion: General Education and Professional Courses II
Panelists: - Dr. Voltaire A. Reyes
AFQAS Board Member, Chairperson
Representatives from:
- Health Services
- Nursing Education
- Vocational/Technical Education
- Teacher Education
- 12:00 Luncheon
- 1:00 Business Sessions
- Report of the President
- Report of the Regional Chapters

