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Office of the Secretary*

September 26, 2000

DECS MEMORANDUM
No. 426, s. 2000

**ASSOCIATION OF SOCIAL SCIENCE EDUCATORS, RESEARCHERS
AND TRAINORS NATIONAL CONFERENCE**

To: Regional Directors
Schools Division/City Superintendents
Private Elementary and Secondary Schools Principals

1. The Association of Social Science Educators, Researchers and Trainors, (ASSERT, Inc.) will conduct its national conference on the theme "Enhancing Social Studies Curriculum and Teaching Strategies Through Research and Module Preparation", on October 18-20, 2000 at the Punta Villa Training Center, Arevalo, Iloilo city.
2. The objectives of the conference are to:
 - a. update the teachers on current and relevant social studies information; and
 - b. help them generate local social studies information and historical literatures through research.
3. The research techniques and workshop can also help the teachers develop modules and syllabi which can improve their social studies curriculum. Enclosed is the Program of Activities.
4. Participants to this conference are secondary and elementary schools teachers who are involved with the teaching and research of social studies courses. Public school participants are allowed to attend on official time only. Those coming from the private schools shall make financial arrangements with their respective institutions. Teachers who will attend should make arrangements for substitutes for their classes.
5. A registration fee of One Thousand Two Hundred Pesos (P1,200.00) will be charged each participant to cover the costs of conference kits, lunch and snacks. The participants will be housed at the Punta Villa Training Center at very minimum cost per head. The cost of an optional educational tour is not included in the registration.
4. Immediate dissemination of this Memorandum to all concerned is desired.

Andrew Gonzalez
ANDREW GONZALEZ, FSC
Secretary

Encl.: As stated

Ref erence:
None

Allotment: 1—(D.O. 50-97)

To be indicated in the Perpetual Index
under the following subjects:

~~CONFERENCE~~
~~SOCIETY or ASSOCIATIONS~~



**ASSOCIATION OF SOCIAL SCIENCE EDUCATORS, RESEARCHERS
AND TRAINORS, INC.**
5th NATIONAL SOCIAL SCIENCE/SOCIAL STUDIES CONFERENCE
October 18-20, 2000
Punta Villa Training Center
Arevalo, Iloilo City

Theme: "Enhancing Social Science/Social Studies Curriculum and Teaching Strategies Through Research and Module Preparation"

Objectives:

1. To generate local historical literatures through research.
2. To learn how to develop modules that would guide educators to integrate social issues into the curriculum.
3. To learn and apply social research methodology to document and preserve certain social and cultural heritage of the region.

PROGRAMME

7:00 - 9:00
9:00 - 11:00

Registration
Programme Proper

Opening Prayer

Aida Ricarze, Ph.D.
Director of Research
St. Anthony's College

Pambansang Awit

Welcome Address

Prof. Carmencita T. Aguilar
President, ASSERT

Introduction of Keynote Speaker

Keynote Address

Prof. Enrique Grecia
Chief
Project Education Program Specialist
CHED, Region VI

Cultural Number

Inspirational Message

Atty. Victoriano Tirol, Ph.D., Ed.D.
DECS, Region VI

Acknowledgement of Participants/
Presentation of Conference -
Workshop objectives

Prof. Edwin C. Samis
Chairperson, ASSERT
Western Visayas Chapter

SNACKS

11:00 - 11:40

CHED National and Regional
Research Agenda

c/o CHED

OPEN FORUM

LUNCH

1:00 - 2:00	Basic Research Techniques for Social Science/Social Studies Educators	Dr. Fely David Director Social Science Research Institute Central Philippines University
2:00 - 3:00	Ethnographic Research Techniques in Documentation of Cultural Heritage	Dr. Elnora Loriga Director, Student Services West Visayas State University

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3:30 - 4:30	Developing Local Historical Data Through Oral History	Prof. Henry Funtecha Chairperson Division of Social Sciences University of the Philippines
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8:00 - 9:00	Some Tips In Syllaby/Module Preparation	Prof. Carmencita T. Aguilar President, ASSERT
9:00 - 10:00	Case Study Writing	Dr. Ida Siason Chancellor UP in the Visayas

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10:30 - 11:30	Population Education	Prof. Nora Legaspi Chairperson Social Science Department University of San Agustin
11:30 - 12:30	Gender Related Issues	Prof. DZ Lariza Faculty, Western Visayas College of Science and Technology

LUNCH

1:00 - 3:00	Understanding Our Constitution Today	Atty. Camelo Sabio President, Philippine Constitution Association
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3:30 - 4:30	Industrialization and Change: Its Impact to Environment	Engr. Ruben Calvo DENR, Region VI
4:30 - 6:00	WORKSHOP	

8:00 - 12:00

Tour of Historical Sites

Prof. Henry Funtecha
Resource Person

LUNCH

1:00 - 3:00

Presentation of Output (by group)

SNACKS

3:00 - 4:00

Closing Program

Distribution of Certificates

Home Sweet Home

The Conference is under the auspices of the ASSERT, Inc. Western Visayas Chapter in cooperation with the National Organization.