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DepEd MEMORANDUM
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THE 2ND YOUNG WEB DESIGNERS AWARDS

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

1. The Department of Science and Technology (DOST), through the Science Education Institute (SEI), in coordination with the Department of Education, is conducting "The 2nd Young Web Designers Awards". Government agencies are enjoined to initiate and implement programs and activities to help generate awareness and public support relative to this activity.
2. The project is a hands-on web design competition aimed at enhancing the interests of the youth in Information and Communication Technology (ICT), thereby motivating them to pursue careers relevant to the demands of the future industries. Thus, it is deemed necessary to create awareness among the general public on the creative and productive uses of ICT.
3. The contest is open to Filipino students from both public and private secondary schools who can create their own web page (see Enclosure 1 for Contest Mechanics).
4. The contest will be conducted in two (2) phases: a) preliminary round, which requires all applicants to log on to www.sei.dost.gov.ph and submit their registration forms and web design entries through e-mail at hs@sei.dost.gov.ph on or before September 6, 2002; and b) the national finals, a hands-on competition among the ten (10) national finalists chosen in the preliminary round, which shall be conducted on September 24-25, 2002 in Cebu City.
5. The ten national finalists will be notified by e-mail, telephone or mail and will be asked to proceed to Cebu Midtown Hotel for the national finals. DOST-SEI will provide for the transportation and accommodation of the finalists. Accompanying adults, if any, should provide for their own transportation and accommodation while in Cebu City.
6. The national winners will be awarded with the following cash prizes: First prize - PhP100,000; Second prize - PhP50,000; and Third prize - PhP25,000. Each of the seven (7) remaining national finalists will be awarded PhP5,000 consolation prize. Additional prizes and tokens will be provided by the sponsors to the winners.

7. All high school institutions both public and private are invited to conduct similar activities in which students can experience the contests in the first few minutes of their classes. DepEd Order No. 20, s 2002 should be enforced in the planning and implementation of said activities.

8. Immediate dissemination of this Memorandum to all concerned is desired.


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RAUL S. ROCO
Secretary

Encl.:

As stated

Reference:

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The 2nd Young Web Designers Awards

1.0 General Project Description

A hands-on web design competition for the youth first conducted in 2000 as a component project of the National Science and Technology Week Celebration

2.0 Objectives

- 2.1 To enhance the interests of the youth in information and communications technology or ICT
- 2.2 To encourage the youth to undertake projects using ICT
- 2.3 To motivate the youth to pursue careers relevant to the demands of the future industries
- 2.4 To identify youth talents in web design and harness their skills in S&T undertakings
- 2.5 To create awareness among the general public on the productive uses of ICT

3.0 Project Mechanics

- 3.1 Categories: high school and college/post-secondary (2-3 year vocational course)
- 3.2 Qualification of Applicants
 - High School students not more than 18 years old at the time of the national competition
 - College/post-secondary students (of 2-3 year courses) not more than 21 years old at the time of the national competition

- Filipino citizens
- In good health
- Of good moral character

3.3 Application and Entry Submission

- Log on to www.sei.dost.gov.ph
- Accomplish the Registration Form and send together with web page entry by e-mail to :
hs@sei.dost.gov.ph (for high school category)
coll@sei.dost.gov.ph (for college/ post-secondary category)
- Web entry for both categories should revolve around the theme: **IT is in**
- Web entry should not be more than 5.MB and should be compressed using Winzip compression tool.
- Submit accomplished Certificate of Enrolment signed by school principal/registrár; and Certification Form for parents/guardian (allowing child to join the competition) through Fax No. (632) 839-0241 or mail to:
 The 2nd Young Web Designers Award Technical Working Group
 Science Education Institute
 PTRI Bldg., Bicutan, Taguig, Metro Manila
- Deadline for submission of entries: September 6, 2002

3.4 Preliminary Round

- Online judging by BOJ
- Criteria to include:
 - Content (25 points)
 - Design and layout (25 points)
 - Special Features & Functionality (25 points)
 - Organization (25 points)
- Selection of 10 national finalists for each category

3.5 Final Round

- On-the-spot/hands-on web design by the national finalists using program/web design tools of their choice
- Contest Proper : 24-25 September 2002
- Awarding of winners: 25 September 2002
- Venue: Cebu Midtown Hotel,
 Fuente Osmeña St., Cebu City

- BOJ to do an on-the-spot evaluation based on agreed criteria for final judging
- The decision of the Board of Judges is final and unappealable

3.6 Disqualification

Any contestant may be disqualified on the basis of the following:

- Cheating
- Violation of contest rules and existing laws in the country on IT and e-commerce
- Falsification, fraud and misrepresentation in the accomplishment of contest documents
- Misconduct during contest period

4.0 Prizes

For each Category

FIRST PRIZE	P 100,000
SECOND PRIZE	P 50,000
THIRD PRIZE	P 25,000
CONSOLATION PRIZES	P 5,000