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**2nd PHILIPPINE CONFERENCE-WORKSHOP ON MOTHER TONGUE-BASED
MULTILINGUAL EDUCATION**

The 170+ Talaytayan MLE, Inc. will conduct the **2nd Philippine Conference-Workshop on Mother Tongue-Based Multilingual Education** with the theme “*EFA and MTB-MLE, 2015 and Beyond*” on February 16-18, 2012 at the Punta Villa Resort, Iloilo City. This is co-sponsored by the West Visayas State University (WVSU), SIL International; Save the Children, Translators Association of the Philippines, Philippine Normal University (PNU), NAKEM Philippines and NAKEM International, Linguistic Society of the Philippines (LSP), Philippine Deaf Resource Center (PDRC), DILA Philippines, and University of the Philippines (UP)-Layap.

The conference-workshop aims to share to the participants the original research, best teaching practices, prototype lesson plans, learning materials and model curricula used by existing MTB-MLE schools.

Teachers, students, researchers, local school board members, development facilitators and other education stakeholders are invited to present papers related to the theme. The deadline for submission of abstracts is on **December 15, 2011**.

The expected participants to this activity are school and university administrators, reading program coordinators, classroom teachers in all levels, alternative education practitioners, sign language educators, local government units (LGUs), education committee members, linguists, language researchers, translators, book publishers, parents and education reform advocates.

The registration fee which will be charged to each participant, is as follows:

Participant	Registration Fee
Early Bird/Registrant (who will pay on or before December 16, 2011)	PhP4,200.00
Early Bird/Registrant	PhP3,200.00
Regular Registrant (Iloilo residents and those who will find their own lodging)	PhP3,500.00
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Undergraduate Students	PhP3,000.00

Payments may be deposited to Banco de Oro (BDO) SM Manila Branch under the Account Name of 170+ Talaytayan MLE Inc. with Current Account No.: 0470506288. The deposit slip will be scanned and sent through e-mail address: mlephilippines@gmail.com or send through fax no.: (02) 926-9887.

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