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**NATIONAL CONFERENCE ON BUILDING AND SUSTAINING
A VIBRANT SCHOOL CULTURE**

(Principles, Issues and Challenges Related to School Improvement)

The School of Education and Human Development (SED) of the University of Asia and the Pacific (UA&P) will conduct a National Conference on Building and Sustaining a Vibrant School Culture (Principles, Issues and Challenges Related to School Improvement) on the following dates and venues:

Date	Venue	Date of Confirmation
October 26-29, 2010	Teachers Camp, Baguio City	September 30, 2010
May 17-20, 2011	Ecotech Center, Lahug, Cebu City	April 30, 2011

The conference aims to update participants on the trends in school culture that can help them contribute to their schools' well-being.

At the end of the conference, the participants are expected to be able to:

- a. self-audit and describe the culture of their respective schools;
- b. have a deeper understanding of school culture, its component; and the forces that shape it;
- c. assess the operational implications of their self-audit and force-field analysis of the culture of their respective schools; and
- d. draw up action measures (for improving the present culture of their respective schools) that focus on the key aspects or elements of school culture that are within their control.

This is open to educators and educational leaders from the public and private school system. The following in particular are encouraged to attend: (1) alumni and current students of the MA in Education Program (majors in Values Education, Educational Leadership, and Child Development and Education) of SED UA&P; (2) participants in previous National Culture of Excellence (NCE) seminars; and (3) principals.

A registration fee of Four Thousand Five Hundred Pesos (PhP4,500.00) shall be charged each participant to cover expenses for conference materials and accommodation.

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