



DepEd MEMORANDUM
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**INTERNATIONAL CONFERENCE ON MOTHER TONGUE-BASED
MULTILINGUAL EDUCATION (MT-MLE) ENDEAVOR**

To: Regional Directors
Schools Division/City Superintendents
Heads, Public Elementary Schools

1. The Institute of Education Development and Innovation for Community Mobilization (IEDICM) will conduct the **International Conference on Mother Tongue-Based Multilingual Education (MT-MLE) Endeavor** with the theme, *“Benchmarking: Mother Tongue-Based Multilingual Education: Development, Practices and Challenges in the 21st Century in Asia Pacific,”* on January 18-20, 2011 at the Urdaneta City University, Urdaneta City, Pangasinan.

2. The objectives of the conference are to:

- a. provide a comprehensive source of new data, which will increase knowledge and information on global process and perspective on MT-MLE;
- b. share teaching experiences and collective endeavors toward the development of strong MT-MLE program;
- c. formulate an international framework or model covering diverse experiences and culture relating to MT-MLE;
- d. identify MT-MLE stakeholders;
- e. create collaborative programs that promote institutional linkages for sustainable development; and
- f. develop an action plan for Asia Pacific educators to foster MT-MLE programs.

3. The participants to this conference are educators, practitioners, researchers, basic education teachers, graduate students, directors, superintendents and heads of schools and universities from Asia Pacific.

4. The registration fees are as follows:

Registrants	Foreign Rate	Foreign Student Rate	Local Student Rate
Early Bird registrants (until November 18, 2010)	\$200.00	\$ 180.00	PhP5,000.00
On-site registrants	\$225.00	\$180.00	PhP5,500.00



5. A discounted fee of Three Thousand Six Hundred Pesos (PhP3,600.00) shall be charged to each of the DepEd teachers to cover registration fee, conference materials, accommodation, three (3) lunches, six (6) snacks and certificate. The travel allowance and other incidental expenses incurred by DepEd participants shall be charged to the School Funds under Maintenance and Other Operating Expenses (MOOE).

6. For more information, please contact the following: Dr. Maricel D. Erama at cellphone no.: 0921-600-1400; Dr. May C. Mina at cellphone no.: 0906-369-0324; and Dr. Josephine S. Lambinico at cellphone no.: 0928-027-8485, or UCU-IEDICM Secretariat, M. San Vicente West, Urdaneta City, at telephone no.: (075) 568-5062; fax no.: (075) 568-7632; e-mail address: ucu_iedicm@yahoo.com; or visit website: www.ucu.edu.ph.



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