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SECOND NATIONAL CLIMATE CHANGE CONFERENCE

To: Undersecretaries
Assistant Secretaries
Bureau and Service Directors
Regional Directors
Schools Division Superintendents
Public and Private Secondary School Heads
All Others Concerned

1. The Department of Education (DepEd) through the Disaster Risk Reduction and Management Service (DRRMS), will host the **Second National Climate Change Conference** with the theme Climate Action for Sustainable Development: Driving Change in Philippine Schools from November 19 to 20, 2018 in Pasay City.

2. The conference aims to:

- a. increase awareness of stakeholders on the impacts of climate change to children and the youth;
- b. provide a platform to share research activities on climate change adaptation, best practices, and innovations in schools; and
- c. encourage the engagement of students and teachers in climate change adaptation activities within schools for building climate change resiliency.

3. The conference will showcase researches and student projects related to climate change adaptation and mitigation through a research forum and a student exhibit.

4. The target participants for the research forum are teachers and researchers from public and private schools, as well as DepEd DRRM coordinators, DRRM practitioners, climate change advocates and senior high school students from public and private schools. Available slots are limited.

5. The following documents are enclosed for information and guidance of those who will participate in the research forum and student exhibit:

- Enclosure No. 1 - Call for Abstracts
- Enclosure No. 2 - Abstract Format
- Enclosure No. 3 - Call for Project Briefs
- Enclosure No. 4 - Project Brief Format

6. Participants from public schools, schools division offices, regional offices, and the central office shall attend the conference on official business. However, participants from private schools shall make arrangements with their school heads and/or supervising authorities.

7. There will be no registration fee. Travel expenses of shortlisted presenters for the research forum and student exhibit, and food and accommodation for all participants shall be charged to the DRRMS Fund, subject to the usual accounting and auditing rules and regulations.

8. The deadline for the submission of abstracts and project briefs is on **October 19, 2018**. The deadline for registration is on **November 7, 2018**.

9. For more information, contact **Mr. Kenny J. Bayudan**, Technical Assistant, **Disaster Risk Reduction Management Service**, 2nd Floor, Mabini Building, Department of Education Central Office, DepEd Complex, Meralco Avenue, Pasig City at telephone no. (02) 637-4933 or mobile phone no. 0977-843-8588 and depd.nccc2018@gmail.com.

10. Immediate dissemination of this Memorandum is desired.



LEONOR MAGTOLIS BRIONES
Secretary

Encls.:

As stated

Reference:

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

CONFERENCE
EXHIBIT
OFFICIALS
RESEARCH OR STUDIES
SCHOOLS
SENIOR HIGH SCHOOL

Enclosure No. 1 to DepEd Memorandum No. 160, s. 2018)

Call for Abstracts

2nd National Climate Change Conference

Conference Theme:

Climate Action for Sustainable Development: Driving Change in Philippine Schools

The Disaster Risk Reduction and Management Service (DRRMS) of the Department of Education (DepEd) is inviting teachers from public and private schools, DepEd DRRM Coordinators, practitioners, climate change advocates and academicians to share their research and submit their **abstracts** on climate change adaptation and mitigation in schools in the following themes:

Theme 1: Policy Development and Management in CCA

This is a broad theme covering issues, challenges, effective practices, status reports on the development, adaptation or localisation of climate change adaptation and mitigation policies in schools. It aims to showcase researches on how schools provide an avenue for national and international policies to be integrated in the school system. It also seeks to highlight the monitoring and assessment of the effectiveness of these policies in changing perspectives and views on climate change to the school's stakeholders.

Theme 2: Experiences and Innovations on Climate Change Adaptation in Schools

This theme covers product innovations, innovative practices, new methods and approaches that are utilised or introduced to raise awareness on climate change and to promote climate change adaptation in schools. This includes the use of technology in the classroom, bridging climate change issues and the curriculum, climate resilient school improvements on infrastructure, web technologies. It also highlights the integration and interplay of climate change adaptation with the various players, issues, concerns, and challenges in the education system with emphasis on resilience education, inclusive education, curriculum design and development, educational trends, barriers to teaching and learning, and student participation and engagement.

Theme 3: Community Linkages and Networking for CCA in Schools

This theme aims to present documented researches on the interactions and partnerships between schools, national government agencies, national and international non-government organisations, local government units, businesses, and other policy, practice, and research communities. It seeks to share and exchange knowledge and showcase projects that demonstrate how these groups collaborate to co-produce knowledge on around climate change adaptation.

Abstract submissions on other CCA or DRRM related topics are also highly encouraged.

Types of contributions:

You can present your projects in two modalities:

- **Oral presentation:** Each presentation will last 15 minutes and will be presented in parallel thematic sessions. The presenter delivers their research to their audience verbally, accompanied by a PowerPoint slideshow.
- **Poster presentation:** Your poster will be exhibited during the conference poster session. Poster sessions will provide an opportunity for authors to display the results and conclusions of their papers. Authors are invited to present their works

face to face with individuals and small groups. Posters are limited to a maximum size of 36" by 48" (vertical).

Submission Guidelines:

- All abstracts must be submitted in English.
- Submit a 250-word abstract containing the introduction, objectives of the study, methodology, results and findings, conclusion, and recommendations. It should end with three keywords on the topic investigated.
- The following should appear prior to the abstract part: research title, researcher/s name, position and affiliation, researcher/s email address/es. (See template)
- All text will be in Times New Roman 12, 1.5 line spacing, normal margin in an A4-sized paper.
- For the submission of abstracts, please send them to deped.nccc2018@gmail.com with the subject CFA-Type of Presentation-Name of Principal Author.

Important Dates:

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| October 19, 2018 | - | Deadline for submission of abstracts |
| October 26, 2018 | - | Release of invitation for accepted abstracts |
| November 2, 2018 | - | Deadline for submission of full papers |
| November 7, 2018 | - | Deadline for registration |
| November 19-20, 2018 | - | 2nd National Climate Change Conference |

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Enclosure No. 2 to DepEd Memorandum No. 160, s. 2018)

Abstract Format

The Title of Research Work Here

Author's Name
Rank/Position
School/Affiliation
Email address

Abstract:

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Keywords:

Keyword₁, Keyword₂, Keyword₃

Call for Project Briefs

2nd National Climate Change Conference

Conference Theme:

Climate Action for Sustainable Development: Driving Change in Philippine Schools

The Disaster Risk Reduction and Management Service (DRRMS) of the Department of Education (DepEd) invites JHS and SHS students from public and private schools to exhibit completed or ongoing projects on Climate Change Adaptation (CCA) in schools and communities at the 2nd National Climate Change Conference. This is an opportunity for high school students to showcase their initiatives in making schools resilient to climate change.

Type of Presentation: Science Fair - Poster and Prototype Presentation

Your poster will be exhibited during the conference poster session. Poster sessions will provide an opportunity for students to display the results and conclusions and demonstrate the models or prototypes of your projects. You are invited to personally present your work in front of individuals and small groups. Note, posters are limited to a maximum size of 48" by 36" (horizontal).

Submission Guidelines:

- Only two (2) students from the project team and one (1) supervising teacher will be invited to present their work at the Conference.
- Submit a **project brief of not more than 500 words** containing the following: introduction, problem statement, objectives, procedure, results, and conclusions, and three keywords that best describes the project. Attach photos of project models or prototype.
- All project briefs must be submitted in ENGLISH.
- The following details should appear prior to the project brief: Project title, student/s name/s, grade level and school, student/s email address/es, name/s of supervising teacher/s
- All text must be in Times New Roman 12, 1.5 line spacing, normal margined in an A4 sized paper.
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Enclosure No. 4 to DepEd Memorandum No. 160, s. 2018)

Project Brief Format

The Title of Project Here

Students' Names:

Supervising Teacher's Name:

School:

Email Addresses:

Abstract:

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