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#### 1st ASEAN REGIONAL CONFERENCE OF PUBLIC LIBRARIANS

The National Library of the Philippines (NLP) will conduct its 1st ASEAN Regional Conference of Public Librarians (RCPL) with the theme, ASEAN Libraries, Arts, and Culture: Inspire, Innovate, and Collaborate, from March 10 to 13, 2020 at the Philippine International Convention Center, PICC Complex, Pasay City.

The conference aims to

1. provide a venue for learning and appreciation of the ASEAN libraries, arts, and culture as well as their inspiring stories, initiatives, innovations towards global integration;
2. nurture deeper understanding among ASEAN librarians to fit in the mission and vision along with the library objectives, programs and activities;
3. develop partnerships and collaborations with the leading international library organizations to become updated of their advocacies, the librarianship trends including the available library opportunities worldwide;
4. showcase libraries in ASEAN for deeper appreciation of work; and
5. foster a sense of community among the public librarians in the ASEAN region.

The target participants are library-in-charge, librarians and information professionals, local government officials, *sanggunian* secretaries, teachers, archivists, library and information science students, reading centers staff, among other librarians.

Participation of public and private schools shall be subject to the no-disruption-of-classes policy stipulated in DepEd Order No. 9, s. 2005 titled Instituting Measures to Increase Engaged Time-on-Task and Ensuring Compliance Therewith.

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