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Department of Education
REGION IV-A CALABARZON
SCHOOLS DIVISION OF BATANGAS

Advisory No. 104, s. 2025

August 13, 2025

In compliance with DepEd Order (DO) No. 8, s. 2013
this advisory is issued not for endorsement per DO 28, s. 2001,
but only for the information of DepEd officials,
personnel/staff, as well as the concerned public.
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SHORT ONLINE COURSES FOR SENIOR HIGH TEACHERS

Attached herewith the invitation letter from Instabright International Guild of Researchers and Educators, Inc.

Participation of public and private schools shall be subject to the no-disruption-of-classes policy stipulated in DepEd Order No. 9, s. 2005 entitled "Instituting Measures to Increase Engaged Time-on-Task and Ensuring Compliance Therewith" and the no-collection policy as stated in Section 3 of Republic Act No. 5546, An Act Prohibiting the Sale of Tickets and/or the Collection of Contributions for Whatever Project or Purpose from Students and Teachers of Public and Private Schools, Colleges and Universities (Ganzon Law).

For complete details, please refer to the attached documents.

For information and widest dissemination.

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Request for Advisory/Partnership on Short Online Courses for Senior High School Teachers

From INSTABRIGHT INTERNATIONAL GUILD OF RESEARCHERS AND EDUCATORS <info@instabright.online>

Date Fri 08/08/2025 11:44 AM

To DEPED BATANGAS <deped.batangas@deped.gov.ph>

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August 8, 2025

MARITES A. IBANEZ

Schools Division Superintendent

Department of Education

Division of Batangas

Dear Dr./Mr./Ms. IBANEZ:

Subject: Request for Advisory/Partnership on Short Online Courses for Senior High School Teachers

Warm greetings from *Instabright International Guild of Researchers and Educators, Inc.* in collaboration with *Asia's Educators and Professionals!*

We respectfully write to seek your kind endorsement or partnership, or at the very least, issuance of a division advisory to inform public and private Senior High School teachers within your jurisdiction regarding our newly launched **Short Online Courses (80-hour Training Equivalent)** specifically designed for Senior High School educators.

The initial offerings include:

1. **Short Course on Teaching STEM Subjects in Senior High School**
2. **Short Course on Teaching HUMSS Subjects in Senior High School**
3. **Short Course on Teaching ABM Subjects in Senior High School**

These online courses aim to support:

- **Newly hired teachers** who wish to strengthen their content knowledge and teaching strategies;
- **Current teachers** who are handling subjects **outside of their major or specialization**;
- **Educators** seeking to refresh and update their instructional skills in line with SHS curriculum demands.

Each course is **self-paced**, allowing enrollees to complete it during their vacant hours or free time. There will be an **e-Certificate of Completion** upon submission of all course requirements.

In light of these, we are respectfully requesting your esteemed office to:

- Allow us to be considered for a **partnership**, or
- Kindly issue an **advisory** to all Senior High Schools within your Division, informing them of these course offerings.

We believe this initiative is aligned with the Department's continuous effort to **enhance teacher quality** and professional growth, especially in the Senior High School program.

To enroll in the course, simply visit www.aepawards.com and click on the **"ONLINE COURSES"** tab. From there, select the course you wish to enroll in. Participants may conveniently pay the registration fee directly through **PayPal**, or by using any **credit card or ATM debit card** during the checkout process.

Attached herewith is the letter from the Office of the Undersecretary for Learning Systems indicating the teachers may join the Short Courses **voluntarily** subject to your internal guidelines.

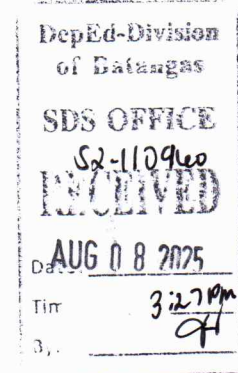
Thank you very much for your continued support to teacher development. We look forward to working hand-in-hand with your Division for the benefit of our Filipino educators and learners.

Very sincerely yours,

ALVIN B. PUNONGBAYAN, PhD

Program Director / Council President, *Asia's Educators and Professionals*

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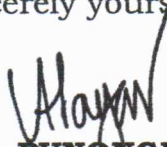
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Dear **Dr. Punongbayan**,

Greetings!

This is in reference to the communication received by this Office regarding your request for endorsement, partnership, or issuance of a DepEd advisory to support the promotion of your Short Online Courses for Senior High School (SHS) teachers.

The National Educators Academy of the Philippines (NEAP) appreciates your organization's initiative in providing professional development opportunities tailored for SHS educators. Your efforts to support newly hired teachers, those teaching outside their areas of specialization, and educators seeking to enhance their pedagogical skills contribute significantly to the continuous development of teacher quality in the country.

In relation to your request, please be informed that pursuant to DepEd Memorandum No. 12, s. 2023 (*attached herewith*), NEAP is currently observing a moratorium on the implementation of DepEd Order No. 001, s. 2020 (Guidelines for NEAP Recognition of Professional Development Programs and Courses for Teachers and School Leaders). **As such, NEAP is not currently accepting or processing applications for recognition or endorsement of professional development programs or related requests, including memoranda and advisories.**

Nevertheless, we encourage you to proceed with your planned activity. Please note, however, that participation of DepEd personnel in such initiatives shall be voluntary and subject to applicable internal guidelines set by their respective schools or divisions.

We thank you once again for your initiative and look forward to future opportunities to work together in supporting the continuous growth of our educators.

Should you need further assistance, please feel free to contact us at neap.od@deped.gov.ph, cc neap.qad@deped.gov.ph. Thank you.

Very truly yours,

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