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**NATIONAL TRAINING ON THE SCIENCE OF LEARNING FOR INSTRUCTIONAL
LEADERS: EVIDENCE-INFORMED SUPERVISION FOR BETTER LEARNING**

The CPAE Center for the Professional Advancement of Educators, in cooperation with the SiMERR National Research Centre–Australia, will conduct the National Training on the Science of Learning for Instructional Leaders: Evidence-Informed Supervision for Better Learning on October 16–18, 2026, at Queen Margarette Hotel–Main, Lucena City, Quezon Province.

The training program aims to strengthen instructional leaders' understanding of the science of learning and its application to classroom practices; bridge the gap between educational research and actual teaching and learning experiences; promote evidence-informed instructional supervision; and enhance the capacity of school heads, supervisors, and other educational personnel to provide effective professional support to teachers and improve learning outcomes.

The training is open to interested educational personnel, particularly school heads and principals, Public Schools District Supervisors (PSDs), Education Program Supervisors (EPSs), master teachers, instructional leaders, teachers, and other education practitioners.

Participation in this activity shall be purely voluntary and subject to the no-disruption-of-classes policy provided under DepEd Order No. 9, s. 2005 (*Instituting Measures to Increase Engaged Time-on-Task and Ensuring Compliance Therewith*), the policy on off-campus activities stated in DepEd Order No. 66, s. 2017, and the provisions of DepEd Order No. 9, s. 2026 on the Three-Term School Calendar, particularly the observance of the instructional block, as well as strict compliance with Republic Act No. 5546, which prohibits the sale of tickets and the collection of unauthorized contributions or fees from learners and school personnel.

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Dear Supt. Ibañez:

The CPAE Center for the Professional Advancement of Educators in cooperation with the SiMERR National Research Centre-Australia will conduct **National Training on the Science of Learning for Instructional Leaders: Evidence-informed Supervision for Better Learning** on October 16 to 18, 2026 at the Queen Margarette Hotel-Main, Lucena City, Quezon Province.

This three-day training program is designed to strengthen instructional leaders' capacity to lead teaching and learning using evidence on how students learn. The program primarily aims to develop instructional leaders who can connect what research tells us about learning with what teachers do in classrooms, making supervision a powerful lever for better teaching and better learning. The program responds to the imperative to move instructional supervision beyond compliance and routine monitoring toward evidence-informed professional support that improves the quality of teaching and learning.

International scholar and expert in education, research and pedagogy, Professor John Pegg, will facilitate the sessions together with distinguished educators, Dr/Professor Gina Gonong, Dr Jennifer Lopez and Associate Professor Marla Papango.

In this regard, we kindly ask your office to issue an advisory that will assist us in sharing this information and inviting your teachers, supervisors, school heads, and other educators to join the upcoming training-workshops.

Attached are the programs of activities and registration details for your reference. You may contact us at cpaeph@rocketmail.com or at (02) 8352-7880 or 0977-850-1914 for more information.

We look forward to your positive response. Thank you very much and more power to you.

Very truly yours,



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**National Training on the Science of Learning for Instructional Leaders:
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INDICATIVE PROGRAM OF ACTIVITIES

Schedule	Time	Topics/Activities	Resource Persons
Day 1. October 16 Friday	8:00-12:00	Arrival of Participants Registration/ Socialization Pretest	DR. CELEDONIO B. BALDERAS, JR. Schools Division Superintendent Division of Tayabas City GINA O. GONONG, PhD Professor, Philippine Normal University; Former Undersecretary, DepEd
	1:00-1:20	Opening Program National Anthem/ Doxology Warm-up; Seminar-Workshop Overview	
	1:20-2:00	1. Instructional Supervision in the Philippines 1.1 Roles and responsibilities of instructional leaders 1.2 Instructional supervisors as learning leaders: what to look for and what to do with what is observed	
	2:00-3:00	2. The PISA Results: What they say about learning in the Philippines 2.1 The learning gap as a teaching and instructional supervision challenge 2.2 Instructional priorities: what needs to change	
	3:00-3:15	<i>Brain Break</i>	
	3:15-5:30	3. Why understanding learning matters 3.1 The challenge of learning in modern classrooms 3.2 The Science of Learning (SoL) 3.3 Foundational ideas about learning 3.4 Neuromyths	
	5:30-6:00	4. Synthesis and Question and Answer 4.1 Reflections 4.2 Next Steps	
Day 2. October 17 Saturday	8:00-10:00	Preliminaries; Topic recall/retrievals	JOHN PEGG, PhD Professor, University of New England- Australia; Director, SiMERR National Research Centre, Australia GINA O. GONONG, PhD Professor, Philippine Normal University; Former Undersecretary, DepEd MARLA PAPANGO Associate Professor, Philippine Normal University
		5. The learning brain 5.1 How the brain learns: why teachers should care about it 5.2 Neural networks and learning 5.3 Why practice matters 5.4 Forgetting and memory access	
	10:00-10:15	<i>Brain Break</i>	
	10:15-11:00	5.5 Working memory: the bottleneck of learning 5.6 Chunking and expertise 5.7 Automaticity and foundational knowledge	
	11:00-12:00	6. Principles of effective learning 6.1 Retrieval and practice 6.2 Spacing and revisiting ideas	
	12:00-1:00	<i>Lunch Break</i>	
	1:00-3:00	6.3 Deliberate practice 6.4 The role of errors in learning 6.5 Attention and cognitive load	
	3:00-3:15	<i>Brain Break</i>	
	3:15-4:00	7. Applying the Science of Learning in the classroom 7.1 Designing lessons with the brain in mind 7.2 Routine and Non-routine learning challenges	
	4:00-4:45	8. Applying the Science of Learning in instructional supervision 8.1 Issues and challenges 8.2 Principles	
	4:45-5:00	Question and Answer Session; Synthesis	
Day 3. October 18 Sunday	8:00-10:00	Preliminaries; Topic recall/retrievals	JOHN PEGG, PhD Professor, University
		9. Applying the Science of Learning in reviewing lesson plans 9.1 Providing feedback to teachers' lesson plans	

		9.2 Improving teachers' lessons 9.3 Peer feedback, reflections	of New England- Australia; Director, SiMERR National Research Centre, Australia JENNIFER E. LOPEZ, PhD Director IV Department of Education
	10:00-11:00	10. Applying the Science of Learning in classroom observations 10.1 Providing feedback to teachers 10.2 Improving teaching 10.3 Peer feedback, reflections	
	11:00-12:30	11. Building learning communities 11.1 Teachers as a community of practice 11.2 Aligning instruction across school 11.3 Supporting all learners 11.4 Looking forward	
	12:30-1:30	<i>Lunch Break</i>	
	1:30-4:00	Posttest Training Evaluation Distribution of Certificates	

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REGISTRATION DETAILS

DISCOUNTED RATE (September 10 to 30, 2026)

- Group of 5 or more 3,200 per participant
- Individual 3,500

REGULAR RATE (October 1 to 16, 2026) 3,900

Registration fees inclusive of seminar materials,
lunch (2), snacks (3) and certificates.

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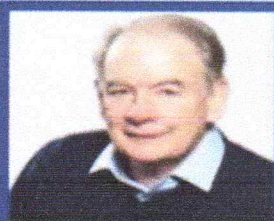
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