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METEOROLOGY FOR YOUNG SCIENTISTS

With reference to the invitation for participation to the activity of the
Philippine Meteorological Society Inc. titled "METeorology for YOUNg Scientists
(MET4YOU): Science, Technology, and Innovations" attached is a copy of the letter
from the President, Joseph Q. Basconillo and other details of the event.

For the information and guidance of all concerned.

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17 January 2025

ATTY. ALBERTO T. ESCOBARTE, CESO II

Regional Director
 Department of Education Region IV-A (CALABARZON)
 Gate 2, Karangalan Village,
 Cainta, Rizal, Philippines

Dear RD Escobarte,

The Philippine Meteorological Society Inc. (PMS) is a non-stock, non-profit, and non-governmental organization dedicated to the advancement of meteorology, atmospheric sciences, and related disciplines in the Philippines. One of the advocacies of PMS is the promotion of the science of meteorology in our country.

This year, the PMS together with the University of the Philippines Los Baños (UPLB), will conduct a project entitled **"METeorology for YOUNg Scientists (MET4YOU): Science, Technology, and Innovations"**. It is a competition of research and innovation with tangible solutions and prototypes for high school students in Region IV-A (CALABARZON) which will cover the theme: **Climate Risk and Resilience of Agroecosystems**. This competition is also in partnership with the Department of Science and Technology – Philippine Atmospheric Geophysical and Astronomical Administration (DOST - PAGASA), DOST – Science Education Institute (SEI) T.

In connection with this, we would like to request assistance in disseminating information among your constituents in CALABARZON and in providing official support to teachers and students who will qualify in the finals.

Attached in this letter is the concept note and guidelines for the program. Also, we would be honored to have you or your representative to serve as one of our judges in the finals of **MET4YOU**. The competition will be held at the University of the Philippines Los Baños on February 24, 2025.

For any further inquiries and concerns you may contact **Dr. Rafaela Jane Delfino**, our Outreach Committee Head at rdelfino@up.edu.ph or at 09178942486. You may also send an email to the University of the Philippines Los Baños Coordinator for this activity, **Maria Cristina Dimaano** at mdcristina4@up.edu.ph or at 09168405996.

Thank you and we hope for your favorable response on this matter.

Very truly yours,

JOSEPH Q. BASCONCILLO, Ph.D.
 President, PMS

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*"...promoting the science of meteorology towards
 a weather-informed, safe, and progressive country"*



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MET-Innovation Competition

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CLIMATE RISK AND RESILIENCE OF AGROECOSYSTEMS

HOW
TO
JOIN?

- An online forum will be held on **31 January** to present the issues / challenges surrounding the theme along with the mechanics of the MET4YOU Competition.
- Teams must **submit their intent to participate** with a **short summary / abstract of their proposed solution** relevant to the theme (via GForm) on or before **7 February** - https://bit.ly/METInnovation_CALABARZON.
- A preliminary selection committee will review all submissions and will select **Top Ten Entries** based on the criteria. Top Ten will be announced on **10 February**.
- **Top Ten Teams** will be invited for **mentoring sessions** with experts from PMS and UPLB to help them package their proposals better.
- After the mentoring sessions, teams will be given time to **revise and finalize their proposals** and must submit a final version via GForms.
- Top Ten teams will be **invited to present their final pitches** in a **public face-to-face forum** at UPLB on **24 February 2025**. Winners will be selected and announced on the same day.



Competition Mechanics

Dates to Remember



Register via the QR Code or through
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Who Can Join?

- Must be composed of **three to five enrolled High School Students** from CALABARZON
- **One or two coach/es** on active duty on the same school
- A **maximum of two teams** from each school

Criteria for Judging



Quality



Innovativeness



Operational Value

Awards & Prizes



P 20,000.00



P 15,000.00



P 10,000.00



P 5,000.00

7 Consolation Prizes



Competition Objectives

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The competition aims to:

- Boost the research and development capabilities of young science students;
- Encourage students to conduct studies and/or innovate ideas related to the theme;
- Allow them to pursue their passion in science, technology, and innovations particularly in the areas of atmospheric science, meteorology, climatology, hydrology, and other related fields.

← Open Forum and Launch Competition Mechanics →



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20 Jan	Online Announcement	10 Feb	Announcement and Invitation of Top Ten
31 Jan	Online Forum and Launch	11-14 Feb	Online Mentoring Sessions
7 Feb	Deadline for Submission of Intent to Participate	15-20 Feb	Submission of Final Pitch Presentation
8-9 Feb	Selection Committee Meeting to Identify Top Ten	20 Feb	Submission of Final Proposals
		24 Feb	Forum & Competition and MOA Signing

← How to Join



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ONLINE FORUM AND LAUNCH



31 January 2025, Friday



09:00 - 11:00 AM



Zoom



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