



Republic of the Philippines  
Department of Education  
**DIVISION OF BOHOL**  
City of Tagbilaran



September 15, 2020

**DIVISION MEMORANDUM**

No. 422, s. 2020

**NATIONAL RESEARCH COUNCIL'S REGIONAL  
BASIC RESEARCH CARAVAN**

**To: ALL Teachers Under STEM Strand who are Conducting or Teaching Research**

1. National Research Council's Regional Basic Research Caravan for Central Visayas via Zoom on September 30, 2020, from 8:00 am to 12 noon with the theme "Nurturing Regional R&D Niches".
2. This is the best avenue for the new researchers and research institutions in the region to undertake basic research and facilitate the exchange of ideas. NRCP member's recent research outputs will also be presented during the caravan. This activity will serve as a guide for potential ideas for research for science mentors teaching research in Senior High School.
3. Pre-registration is required for this activity on or before September 23, 2020. Online NRCP Caravan Individual Registration can be done through <https://forms.gle/ZLEeQr5PLQN2XwRa7>.
4. Enclosed is the communication from DOST for your reference. For queries, please get in touch with Ms. Grace Regañon at mobile no. 09202501808 or at email: [dostbohol@gmail.com](mailto:dostbohol@gmail.com)
5. Immediate and wide dissemination of this Memorandum is desired.

  
**BIANITO A. DAGATAN Ed.D, CESO V**  
Schools Division Superintendent 



September 8, 2020

**BIANITO A. DAGATAN, EdD, CESO V**  
Schools Division Superintendent  
DepEd – Division of Bohol  
Tagbilaran City, Bohol

Dear **Dr. Dagatan:**

Good day!

In line with the National Research Council's 85th Founding Anniversary, together with DOST Central Visayas, we would like to invite you and the school teachers under STEM who are into research teaching to join us in the conduct of the virtual NRCP Regional Basic Research Caravan (RBRC) for Central Visayas via Zoom on September 30, 2020, from 8:00 am to 12 noon with the theme Nurturing Regional R&D Niches.

This event aims to create a dynamic environment for the new researchers and research institutions in the region to undertake basic research and to facilitate the exchange of ideas.

The Council is also expanding its pool of experts to strengthen its regional partnership for introductory research promotion and advancement that is aligned to local realities and priorities. Should there be any interested from your division to be a member of NRCP, a membership application is now online via this link – <https://skms.nrcp.dost.gov.ph> .

Attached herewith is the program. Pre-registration is required on or before September 18, 2020. Online NRCP Caravan Individual Registration can be done through <https://forms.gle/ZLEeQr5PLQN2XwRa7> .

We would like to request your assistance for the issuance of the memorandum should you allow them to participate in the said event.

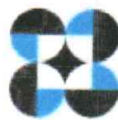
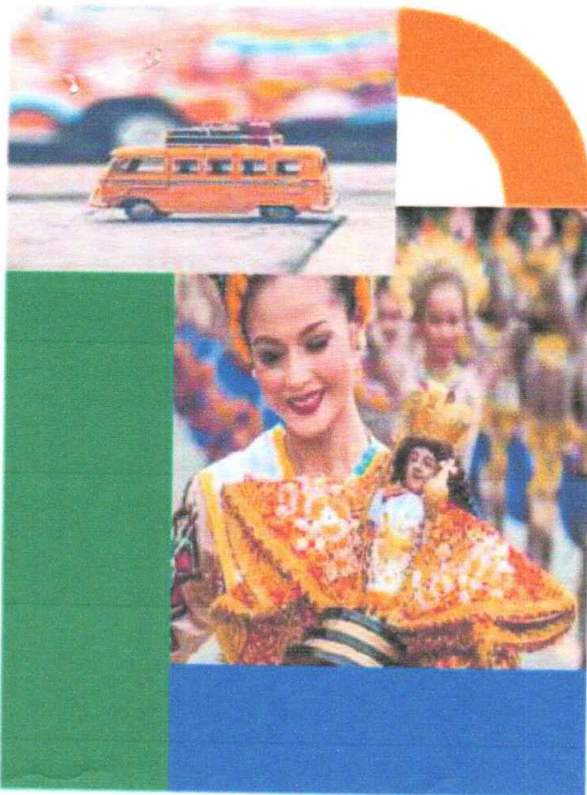
For queries, please get in touch with Ms. Grace Regañon at mobile no. 09202501808 or at email: [dostbohol@gmail.com](mailto:dostbohol@gmail.com) . We look forward to your timely and positive feedback. Thank you.

Yours sincerely,

**VINA R. ANTOPINA**  
Provincial S&T Director

*CD*  
*Attn: Engr. Garcia*  
*Let us engage our*  
*STEM Teachers to join*  
*this + to pre-register*  
*(not only STS, JHS + Elem*  
*as well)*  
*AS 9/16/20*





In celebration of the 85th NRCP Founding Anniversary

## Regional Basic Research Caravan (RBRC) in Central Visayas via Zoom

NURTURING REGIONAL R&D NICHES

September 30, 2020

- Create a dynamic environment for researchers in the region to undertake basic research
- Influence the R&D landscape of the region
- Promote and support basic research
- Facilitate exchange of ideas among new researchers and research institutions



In collaboration with DOST Central Visayas

September 30, 2020

NRCP Regional Basic Research Caravan (C. Visayas)  
Theme: *Nurturing Regional R & D Niches*

08:00	OPENING CEREMONIES
08:00- 08:15 AM	Invocation, National Anthem and NRCP Hymn
08:15- 08:30 AM	Welcome Message
08:30- 08:45 AM	Opening Remarks
08:45- 09:15 AM	Introduction to NRCP and NRCP National Integrated Basic Research Agenda (NIBRA)

**ENGR. SAMUEL A. PARCON**  
Officer-in-Charge, DOST Region 7  
**DR. GREGORIO E.H DEL PILAR**  
President, NRCP Governing Board  
**DR. MARIETA BAÑEZ SUMAGAYSAY**  
Executive Director, NRCP

### Part I: Sharing NRCP Research Findings and DOST Programs

09:15- 10:00 AM	Uses and Users of ICT: Impact on Education and Health
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**DR. IRENE VILLASEÑOR**  
NRCP Member

### Part II: Expanding Regional Experts

10:00- 10:15 AM	How to Become a Member of NRCP
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**MS. MELINDA L. PEREZ**  
Senior Science Research Specialist, NRCP

10:15- 10:30 AM	How to Become an RD Leader under DOST Science For Change Program
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**MR. MARFY LITA**  
Program Officer, RDLead Program, NRCP

10:30- 10:40 AM **BREAK**

### Part III: Enhancing Governance through Science and the Arts

10:40- 11:00 AM	Evidence-based Policymaking
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**Hon. ERICO ARISTOTLE C. AUMENTADO**  
Representative, 2<sup>nd</sup> District of Bohol  
Chairperson, Committee on Science and Technology

### Part IV: Alignment to the R&D Agenda of the Region

11:00 - 11:25 AM	R & D Agenda of Central Visayas
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**ENGR. SAMUEL A. PARCON**  
Officer-In-Charge, Office of the Regional Director  
DOST Region 7

11:25- 11:45 AM	Presentation on the results of the survey <i>*Regional issues to be addressed, and aligns R&amp;D proposal to the NIBRA</i>
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**ENGR. JESUS F. ZAMORA, JR.**  
Asst. Regional Director for Technical Operations  
DOST Region 7

11:45- 11: 55 AM	Synthesis and Closing Remarks
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**DR. RUBY RATERTA**  
Chief, NRCP- RDMD