



Republic of the Philippines
OFFICE OF THE PRESIDENT
COMMISSION ON HIGHER EDUCATION

MEMORANDUM FROM THE CHAIRPERSON

**FOR : ALL CHED CENTRAL AND REGIONAL OFFICE DIRECTORS
ALL PRESIDENTS/ HEADS OF PUBLIC AND PRIVATE
HIGHER EDUCATION INSTITUTIONS (HEIs)**

**SUBJECT : PARTICIPATION AT THE CONFERENCE ON LANGUAGE
TEACHING: ISSUES AND CONCERNS TO BE HELD ON
SEPTEMBER 15-17, 2011 AT THE SMX CONVENTION
CENTER, MALL OF ASIA (MOA) COMPLEX, PASAY CITY**

DATE : August 8, 2011

In accordance with the pertinent provisions of Republic Act (R.A.) 7722, otherwise known as the "*Higher Education Act of 1994*", this Office hereby endorses the subject undertaking organized by the University of the Philippines-Department of English and Comparative Literature (UP DECL) for the support and participation of all concern.

This event will highlight current issues and concerns of language teachers, policy-makers, scholars, researchers and trainers on the topics: Mother Tongue-Based Multilingual Education (MTBMLE), Understanding by Design (UBD), EL Teaching Strategies, Varieties of English, Testing and Assessment, Literature in the Language Classroom, Computer-Assisted Language Learning, Instructional Materials Development, and Research Strategies.

A registration fee of Three Thousand Five Hundred Pesos (P3,500.00) shall be charged from each participant inclusive of conference kit, meals and certificate of participation.

Participation of officials, employees and students from private higher education institutions (HEIs) shall be VOLUNTARY. Officials and employees of State and Local Universities and Colleges (SUCs and LUCs) who will participate in this activity should have prior approval from the President/Head of the concerned institution and are hereby reminded to observe proper use of government funds provided under the Department of Budget and Management (DBM) National Budget Circular No. 486 and Administrative Order No. 103.

For registration, further information and/or inquiries you may coordinate with the secretariat at telephone numbers (02) 897-0139 and 895-2966.

Wide dissemination of this Memorandum is desired.

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