

## UPF and PWPA Philippines host a Professors World Peace Academy Gathering

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On June 4, 2020, Universal Peace Federation-Philippines co-hosted by PWPA held a follow-up CVEA Forum Webinar to the May 16, 2020 event which had the theme, "A Vision for World of Peace: The Need for Universal Values".

Academies and religious leaders representing Luzon, Visayas and Mindanao were invited as resource speakers. During the open forum discussion, they shared their expertise and insights in drafting the UPF and PWPA response to "Comprehensive Values Education Act"(CVEA) or Senate Bill No. 1224.

Moderator: Dr. Venus G. Agustin, President, Professors World Peace Academy

Opening Prayer: Abp. Elias T. Soria, President, Interreligious Association for Peace and Development – Philippines

Opening Remarks: Dr. Julius B. Malicdem, Regional Chairman, UPF Southeast Asia

Backgrounder: Dr. Robert S. Kittel, Director for Education, UPF Asia- Pacific, International Chairman, International Association of Youth and Students for Peace

Overview: Mrs. Merly Barlaan, President, Women Federation for World Peace – Philippines

Panelists:

Fr. Eliseo R. Mercado Jr. OMI, PhD, Director, Institute for Autonomy and Governance,

President, Notre Dame University (1992-2002) Cotabato City, Philippines

Dr. Arceli Hernando, Director, Office of Student Affairs, Bohol Island State University, Tagbilaran, Bohol

Dr. Rebecca Andrade, PWPA Marikina Chapter President, Secretary-General, Professors World Peace Academy, Marikina, Philippines

Dr. Raymund P. Arcega, President, Association of Local Colleges and Universities Commission on Accreditation (ALCUCOA), Makati, Philippines

Dr. Ramon E. Woo Jr., Professor, Council of Deans and Educators of Business (CODEB) Region IV-A

Dr. Hermogenes B. Panganiban, Professor, Public Administration, Batangas State University-Main

Lipa, Batangas

Dr. Alicia G. Eleazar, Public Schools District Supervisor – Quezon, Department of Education-Quezon, Palawan, Quezon, Palawan,

Dr. Elisar Gapol, Public Schools District Supervisor, Department of Education-Zamboanga Del Norte, Zamboanga Del Norte, Philippines

Dr. Jay Chy, Chief Admin Officer, Isabela State University, Isabela, Philippines

Dr. Myrna Ligas, Principal, Don Eulogio De Guzman Memorial National High School, La Union, Philippines

Dr. Amado L. Magsino, President, Philippine Association of Collegiate Schools of Business (PACSB), Vice-President for International Relations and Linkages, International Peace Leadership College, Batangas City, Batangas

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