Global Peace Festival Campus Tour 2010 - Student Leadership Conference

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Over 300 students from the different student organizations attended the Student Leadership Conference and Essay Writing Contest. The conference is organized by the Supreme Student Government – College of Computer Science Council in conjunction with the launching of the Global Peace Festival Campus Tour 2010 held at the University of Makati, with the theme "Raising Young Leaders through the Education of Heart". The conference was held last February 19th at the University Mini Theatre from 1pm to 5pm.



The program was formally opened with the singing of the National Anthem and Invocation by the University Chorale, The Singing Ambassadors. Prof. Remedios B. Placer, an ambassador for peace awardee, and Committee Head of GPF Campus Tour for University of Makati, gave her welcome remarks. She was then followed by Ms. Ariza Arcan, Chairman, Supreme Student Government — College of Computer Science Council, who delivered a remarkable speech, she warmly greeted the participants and stated the purpose of the conference. She emphasized that "nothing is more important than the education of heart."



The guest speaker is Dr. Edmon E. Pacson, Vice President, Global Peace Youth Corps. He truly drives the young people to take the lead and be the change. Through a well prepared slideshow, he started with images of how evil humanity has turned out to be. It was a mind-opener for the students to realize the present state of humanity leaning towards the verge of destruction. The participants felt the challenge and urgency to reverse the current world trend.

On the other hand, members of the fraternity and sorority of the university joined hands together to support the staffs in the preparation and during the conference proper. The knowledge and the experience they have acquired definitely compensated their concerted effort.



The activity ended with high hopes among the participants with renewed commitment to make the world a better place in their time and in the generations to come.