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## **ANNOUNCEMENT**

FOR: HEADS OF CONSTITUTIONAL BODIES, DEPARTMENTS,

NATIONAL GOVERNMENT AGENCIES (NGAs), LOCAL GOVERNMENT UNITS (LGUs), GOVERNMENT-OWNED OR CONTROLLED CORPORATIONS (GOCCs) WITH ORIGINAL CHARTERS. AND STATE UNIVERSITIES AND COLLEGES

(SUCs)

**SUBJECT**: <u>UP-NCPAG International Conference</u>

The University of the Philippines (UP) National College of Public Administration and Governance (NCPAG), as part of its 65<sup>th</sup> Anniversary, will hold an international conference with the theme "*Public Administration in Changing Times: New Norms and Sustainable Reforms*", on August 22-25, 2017 at the Marco Polo, Ortigas, Meralco Avenue, Pasig City.

The Conference aims to bring together scholars, researchers and practitioners of Public Administration (PA) and other related fields in a collective analysis of new norms and sustainable reforms that challenge the performance of governments, public institutions and their governing partners all over the world, and exchange ideas about the future of public administration in changing times.

Specifically, the conference has the following objectives:

- 1. Document the wealth of knowledge, experiences and practices related to new norms and sustainable reforms in PA;
- 2. Generate research on theories and practices of PA and governance from new normal perspectives;
- Engender a more inclusive design and implementation of policies, programs and other initiatives that will address the long overdue societal problems of poverty, corruption, climate change, and underdevelopment; and
- **4.** Strengthen partnerships among PA scholars and practitioners to create a stronger voice in the pursuit of a more responsive and accountable PA.

All concerned government personnel, particularly those in State Colleges and Universities, are encouraged to participate in this event. It is discretionary on the part of the agency heads to allow their employees to attend on official/business time, as provided for under CSC Memorandum Circular No. 43, s. 1993.

## Participant fees are as follows:

| Php 8,000.00 | The fee covers costs of conference materials and meals (two coffee breaks and one lunch) |
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Note: a 10% discount will be given for those who will register early.

For more information, you may coordinate with **UP-NCPAG** through email at ncpag65conprog@gmail.com and dean\_up\_ncpag@yahoo.com

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