

August 20, 2018

Dear _____:

Greetings!

Now on its sixth year, Global Youth Summit (GYS) is a 1-day celebration of youth leadership that aims to engage and inspire the world's future experts. GYS is a space for young people to share their ideas and utilize their diverse skill-sets, knowledge, and networks to effectively address persistent problems of today. It is co-organized by Global Peace Foundation and SM Cares, and endorsed by the Commission on Higher Education. **Participation to this international event is FREE.**

The 2018 topics are selected from the top 5 Global Goals, themes and issues that impact the world and the youth, that young people this year chose to be relevant (based on a youth poll conducted by GPF with 1670 respondents):

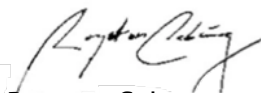
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| 1. Peace, Justice, and Strong Institutions (88.4%) | 4. Affordable and Clean Energy (60.2%) |
| 2. Partnership for the Goals (74%) | 5. Gender Equality (59.1%) |
| 3. Good Health and Well Being (65.3%) | |

In 2018, GYS is also convening selected youth leaders who will create policy recommendations that will address these five issues. Through the policy recommendations, Global Youth Summit 2018 aims to promote youth's engagement to contribute to the 2030 Agenda through innovative ideas that can shape policies in providing long-term solutions to real-life problems and challenges in the 21st Century.

In line with this, we kindly request your office to excuse the following ACCEPTED DELEGATE/s in their classes or responsibilities on August 25, 2018:

Attached are the event guidelines, program and CHED Memorandum. For inquiries and other information kindly contact Ms. Fahly Poblete at (02) 738 1465; 0917 599 0577 or email gpyp@globalpeace.org.

Sincerely yours,

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read "Royston Cabunag".

Royston Cabunag
Program Director, Youth & Children Committee
SM Cares

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read "Leonard Faustino".

Leonard Faustino
Program Director, Youth Development
Global Peace Foundation Philippines

GLOBAL YOUTH SUMMIT



Global Peace
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6th Global Youth Summit

25 August • Mall of Asia Arena

2018

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Date: August 25, 2018 (Saturday)
Time: 1:00 PM to 7:00 PM
Venue: Mall of Asia Arena
Participants: 15,000 student leaders (high school and college)
and young professionals



PROGRAM

12:00 PM	Gates open
1:00 PM	Opening Program Opening Remarks
2:00 PM	Talk 1: Partnership for the Goals <i>A successful sustainable development agenda requires partnerships between governments, the private sector and civil society</i>
	Talk 2: Good Health and Well Being <i>Ensuring healthy lives and promoting the well-being for all at all age</i>
	GYS 2017 Winners Panel – Project Reports
	Talk 3: Peace, Justice, and Strong Institutions <i>Promotion of peaceful and inclusive societies for sustainable development, provision of access to justice for all, and building effective, accountable institutions at all levels.</i>
	Talk 4: Affordable and Clean Energy <i>Ensure universal access to modern energy services, improve efficiency and increase use of renewable sources.</i>
	GYS 2018 Youth Policy Recommendations Presentation and Handover
	Talk 5: Gender Equality <i>Providing women and girls with equal access to education, health care, decent work, and representation in political and economic decision-making processes</i>
5:45 PM	Closing Message
6:00 PM	Global Youth Fest



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



MEMORANDUM FROM THE OFFICE OF THE CHAIRPERSON

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

SUBJECT : PARTICIPATION IN THE GLOBAL YOUTH SUMMIT ORGANIZED BY
THE GLOBAL PEACE FOUNDATION AND SM CARES AND
SUPPORTED BY NATIONAL YOUTH COMMISSION TO BE HELD ON
AUGUST 25, 2018 AT SM MALL OF ASIA ARENA

DATE : May 29, 2018

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 above undertaking organized by the Global Peace Foundation, SM Cares, and supported by National Youth Commission for the support and participation of all concerned.

This activity is open to all interested participants from Higher Education Institutions (HEIs).

Participation of officials, employees and students from private higher education institutions shall be VOLUNTARY. Officials and employees of State and Local Universities and Colleges (SUCs and LUCs) who will participate in this activity should obtain prior approval from the President/Head of their respective institutions and are hereby reminded to observe proper use of government funds in accordance with the Department of Budget and Management (DBM) National Budget Circular (NBC) No. 563 of 2016.

For registration and further information, you may coordinate with the organizers at 02-738-1465 or gpyph@globalpeace.org.

Wide dissemination of this Memorandum is desired.

J. PROSPERO E. DE VERA III, DPA
Officer-in-Charge
Commission on Higher Education

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