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For your appropriate
action, please.
Thank - God Bless!
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FROM: MARIO A. DERIQUITO
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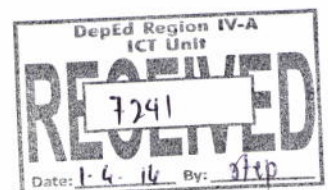
SUBJECT: UP Organization of Business Economics Majors' (UP OBEM) ECON-NO-MIX 2016

DATE: January 4, 2015

The University of the Philippines Organization of Business Economics Majors (UP OBEM), a socio-academic student organization based in the School of Economics, University of the Philippines - Diliman, will organize a convention for high school students on February 8, February 15, and February 22, 2016 at the UP School of Economics. Dubbed as the ECON-NO-MIX 2016 "Upsurge: Shaping Economics Through Heightened Tourism", the convention aims to highlight the role of tourism in shaping business establishments and to discuss how tourism served as an approach to the growth of the economy in the Philippine setting. Five hundred students from at least 50 private and public schools all over the National Capital Region, Region III and Region IV-A are expected to attend the convention.

In line with the said event, we would like to refer their request to you for consideration and appropriate action. Attached is the letter from UP OBEM for your reference. For further coordination, your office may directly get in touch with Mr. Allan Benedict Solacito, Marketing Officer of ECON-NO-MIX 2016, through his mobile numbers 0923-426-0274 or 0977-181-4887 or email economix.upobem@gmail.com.

Thank you very much.



ECON-NO-MIX 2016

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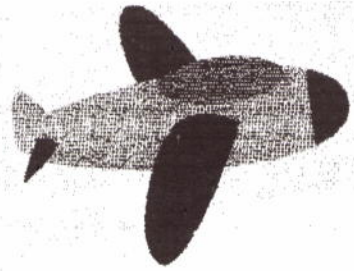
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Mr. Mario Deriquito
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Dear Sir/Ma'am:

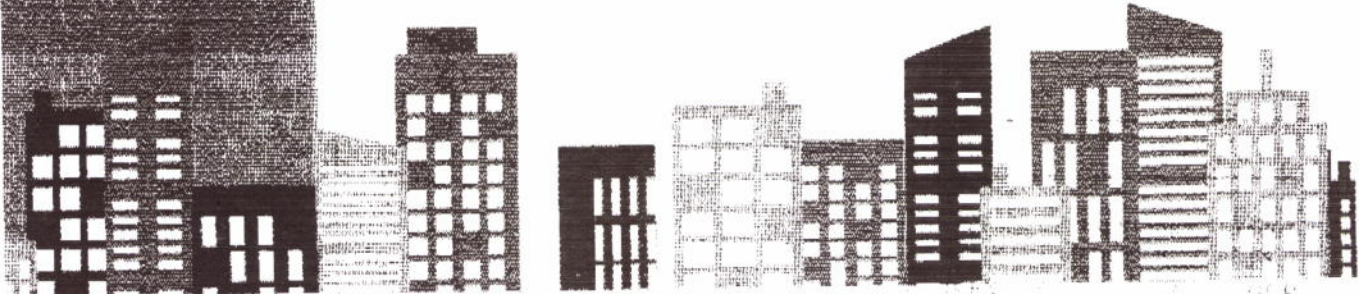
Greetings!

The **UP Organization of Business Economics Majors (UP OBEM)** is a duly recognized socio-academic student organization based in the School of Economics, University of the Philippines – Diliman and is an active member of the Junior Philippine Economics Society (JPES). This year, UP OBEM highlights its role as the sole business-oriented organization in the UP School of Economics, providing events helmed from both business and economics environments, enriching the need for events that can cater to both disciplines.

In achieving this, UP OBEM is once again holding the largest economics convention for high school students – the **Econ-No-Mix**. Thrice awarded by the JPES as the **Best Organizational Activity** nationwide. It aims to promote economics by introducing different economic concepts to various fields, and features different competitions starring young minds which will later shape the future of the country.

This year, Econ-no-mix 2016 is themed, **"Upsurge: Shaping Economics Through Heightened Tourism,"** to be held on **February 8, February 15, and February 22, 2016** at the **UP School of Economics, UP Diliman Quezon City**. The event aims not only to highlight the role of tourism in shaping the business establishments in the society but also to discuss how tourism served as an approach to the growth of the economy in the Philippine setting. 500 students from atleast **50 private and public schools** all over **Greater Manila, Region 3 and Region 4-A** will hear from distinguished personalities from the academe and tourism sector.

Having said this, we would like to ask your good office to support this significant event as you have done for the past years. We wish for your **endorsement for this activity**, and help in the **dissemination of a memorandum** inviting private and public secondary schools in your divisions.





Attached here are the general guidelines for the competition. If possible, may we please ask for a copy of the **memorandum** you will be sending out so that we could personally invite other schools as well.

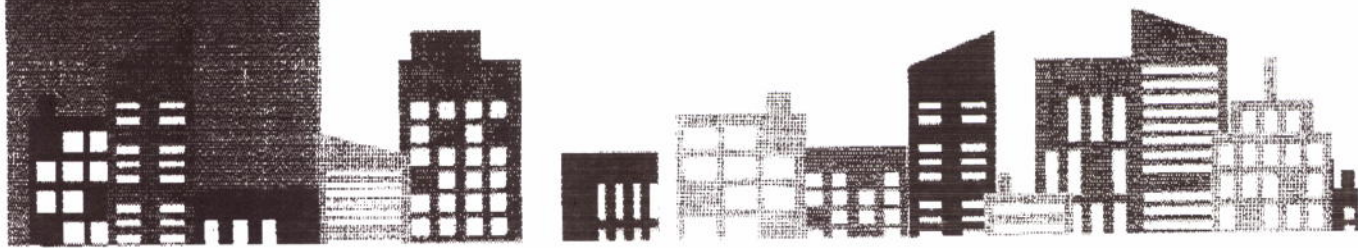
Should you have any questions regarding our event or any other concerns, you may contact us through

AJ Almonte (0917 887 9314)
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We hope to be able to work with you once again in successfully organizing this endeavour. Thank you very much!

Sincerely,

Patricia Arianne Andres
Vice-President for
Academic Affairs
Econ-No-Mix 2015



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BUSINESS ECONOMICS MAJORS

WHAT IS ECON-NO-MIX?

Econ-No-Mix is an annual event organized by the UP Organization of Business Economics Majors (UP OBEM) to benefit high school students and bring them to a much deeper understanding and appreciation of Economics. Through the students' convention, students get the exclusive privilege of learning firsthand from some of the country's top-notch economists and practitioners of the field. Econ-No-Mix also includes contests such as **quiz bee, idea generation, essay writing, poster making** and **debate competitions**, through which students will be able to showcase and highlight their knowledge of Economics and its application in the real world.

Thrice awarded by the Junior Philippine Economic Society as the **Best Organizational Activity** for an academic year, Econ-No-Mix continues to be one of the biggest Economics feats for high school students in Mega Manila.

ECON-NO-MIX 2016

This year, the theme of Econ-No-Mix is "**Upsurge: Shaping Economics Through Heightened Tourism**" to be held on **February 8, February 15, and February 22, 2016** at the **UP School of Economics, UP Diliman, Quezon City**.

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STUDENTS' CONVENTION

The **Students' Convention** shall be held on the morning of **February 8, 2016** at the **UP School of Economics**. Notable speakers specializing in **Tourism and Economics** will be invited to talk about the current position of tourism in the Philippines and its influence on both local businesses and the economy as a whole. The convention serves as an avenue for students to be able to understand and instill insights on the mechanism of tourism and its impact on the development of the country.

