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TO : Regional Directors
     School Division Superintendents
     All Others Concerned

FROM : GLORIA JUMAHA-MERCADO
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SUBJECT : INVITATION TO THE 14TH BIENNIAL INTERNATIONAL CONFERENCE

DATE : 06 September 2023

The Philippine Council of Mathematics Teacher Educators (MATHTED), Inc. will hold the 14th Biennial International Conference with the theme “Future-Proofing Mathematics Education: Meeting Challenges and Optimizing Opportunities.” The event will be held on October 19-21, 2023, at Iloilo City. This conference marks the first time in four years that MATHTED has held a face-to-face conference.

Mathematics Educators affiliated with the Department of Education may opt to attend the said activity provided that their participation will not hamper the conduct of classes in schools. The use of DepEd funds shall be subject to the approval of their respective approving authorities. The same is also contingent upon its availability, and adherence to the usual accounting and auditing rules and regulations.

Should you have further inquiries, please email the Secretariat at mathtedconferences@gmail.com.
Philippine Council of Mathematics Teacher Educators (MATHTED), Inc.
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Dear Ms. Cabasal,

Warm greetings!

The Philippine Council of Mathematics Teacher Educators (MATHTED), Inc., together with West Visayas State University and Philippine Science High School Western Visayas Campus are organizing the 14th Biennial International Conference with the theme “Future-Proofing Mathematics Education: Meeting Challenges and Optimizing Opportunities,” which will be held on October 19-21, 2023 at Iloilo City. The conference marks the first time in four years that MATHTED has held a face-to-face conference.

The objective of the conference is to provide a forum for mathematics educators from all over the country and beyond to come together and discuss their research, exchange ideas and build networks for professional growth and development. Specifically, this year’s gathering will focus discussions on addressing challenges in mathematics education (e.g. learning loss, poor performance in international large scale assessment, in keeping up the pace with the advent of technology, globalization) and maximizing the opportunities these bring. Thus, the need to prepare our teachers in the contemporary classrooms that are characterized as volatile, uncertain, complex and possibly ambiguous.

The conference will feature four renowned experts on the topic as guest speakers: Frederick K.S. Leung, Ph.D., Po-Shen Lo, Ph.D., Carlene P. Pilat-Arceo, Ph.D., and Tin Lam Toh, Ph.D.

We would appreciate your benevolent support for our conference, which will undoubtedly take it to greater heights and strengthen both our agencies’ linkages and collaboration. The organizers hope that this knowledge-sharing platform will contribute to all participants' professional growth as they engage in intellectual exchange.

In line with this, we are applying for DepEd Advisory for participation in this important undertaking. We would appreciate your benevolent support for our conference, which will undoubtedly take mathematics education to greater heights and strengthen both our agencies’ linkages and collaboration. The organizers hope that this knowledge-sharing platform will contribute to all participants' professional growth as they engage in intellectual exchange.

Should you have any concern or for more details of this program, please message us using our contact details below.

Thank you and more power!

Sincerely,

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Chair, 14th Biennial International Conference

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