



Republic of the Philippines
Department of Education
REGION X – NORTHERN MINDANAO
SCHOOLS DIVISION OF EL SALVADOR CITY

Office of the Schools
Division Superintendent

14 July 2021

DIVISION MEMORANDUM
No. 265, s. 2021

**PARTICIPATION TO THE CAPACITY BUILDING LECTURE SERIES FOR
CONFLICT RESOLUTION, PEACE EDUCATION, AND PEACEBUILDING**

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1. Relative to QUA MEMO 00-0621-0203 on Participation to the Capacity Building Lecture Series for Conflict Resolution, Peace Education, and Peacebuilding signed by Usec. Alain Del B. Pascua, this Office directs the participant to attend the said activity on July 16, 2021, Friday at 9:00 a.m. to 12:00 noon
2. The lectures aim to provide the participants with a deeper understanding on human rights laws; economic, political, and social world views; conflict management and peacebuilding. The series will also tackle the DepEd's overall contribution to an inclusive and sustainable peace.
3. For more information, questions or concerns on the above subject, please contact the Alternative Lead Representative DTF-ELCAC, Dr. Rolly B. Labis. Kindly confirm attendance thru <https://forms.gle/PF9epQJCDvd1VGYo9>.
4. Further, this Office shall adhere to Equal Opportunity Principle (EOP). Hence, all actions shall be based solely on guidelines set with no discrimination on the account of age, gender, identity, sexual orientation, civil status, disability, religion, ethnicity, or political affiliation.





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5. Immediate and wide dissemination of this memorandum is desired.

DR. OLGA C. ALONSABE, CESE
Assistant Schools Division Superintendent
OIC, Office of the Schools Division Superintendent

Encl:

As stated

Reference:

QUA MEMO 00-0621-0203

To be indicated in the Perpetual Index
under the following subjects:

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OUA MEMO 00-0721-0061
MEMORANDUM
09 July 2021

For: **Undersecretaries**
Assistant Secretaries
Bureau and Service Directors
Regional Directors and BARMM Education Minister
Schools Division Superintendents
All Others Concerned

Subject: **ADVISORY ON OUA MEMO 00-0621-0203**
CHANGE IN SCHEDULE RE: PARTICIPATION TO THE
CAPACITY BUILDING LECTURE SERIES FOR CONFLICT
RESOLUTION, PEACE EDUCATION, AND PEACEBUILDING

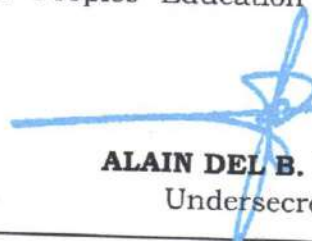
This refers to **OUA Memo 00-0621-0203** dated 24 June 2021 titled *Participation to the Capacity-Building Lecture Series for Conflict Resolution, Peace Education, and Peacebuilding*. Kindly note the change in schedule for Session 2, due to a meeting called for the Sectoral Unification, Capacity Building, Empowerment and Mobilization (SUCBEM) Cluster of the NTF-ELCAC on the previously set date. Please refer to the new schedule:

Session Title	Original Schedule	New Schedule
DepEd BANSA Peace Framework	12 July 2021, Monday 9:00 a.m. to 12:00 noon	16 July 2021, Friday 9:00 a.m. to 12:00 noon

National, Regional, and Local Focal ELCAC Representatives are invited to participate. Kindly confirm attendance thru <https://forms.gle/PF9epQJCDvd1VGYo9>.

For more information, questions or concerns on the above subject, please contact the Disaster Risk Reduction and Management Service (DRRMS) through email at drmo@deped.gov.ph or the Indigenous Peoples Education Office (IPsEO) at ipseo@deped.gov.ph.

For guidance and appropriate action.


ALAIN DEL B. PASCUA
Undersecretary



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OUA MEMO 00-0621-0203

MEMORANDUM

24 June 2021

**For: Undersecretaries
Assistant Secretaries
Bureau and Service Directors
Regional Directors and BARMM Education Minister
Schools Division Superintendents
All Others Concerned**

**Subject: Participation to the Capacity-Building Lecture Series for
Conflict Resolution, Peace Education and Peace Building**

The role of education in peace-building has become increasingly more relevant in the 21st century. Learners are confronted with complex issues and challenges, including those of armed conflicts and related forms of violence. Radicalization, terrorism, and violent extremism bring grave danger to children and the youth.

Through the years, the number of reported attacks staged by armed extremist groups has risen. These incidents have put the children and the youth in great peril.

The young ones are also the main targets of recruitment and, thus, they end up as victims of injustice and cruelty.

With the growing internal and external volatilities that threaten the safety and well-being of learners, it is important to protect them from experiencing horror, despair and disengagement.

At the DepEd, the promotion of a culture of peace in schools and communities have long been institutionalized through a number of policies and programs. Since 2008, the Department has implemented peace education in formal and non-formal education curriculum. In 2019, to further substantiate previous policies, it issued DepEd Order No. 32, s. 2019 or the 'National Policy Framework on Learners and Schools as Zones of Peace.'



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With its commitment to foster peace-building through education, DepEd plays an active role in government-led and multi-stakeholder campaigns that are meant to reject apathy, torture and violence in all forms.

To strengthen the capability of offices and personnel in upholding the welfare of children in situations of armed clashes, and in molding learners to grow up as peace-loving citizens, the Office of the Undersecretary for Administration (OUA) is sending out invitations for a series of training sessions on Conflict Resolution, Peace Education and Peace Building.

The invitations are being given to all Central Office 'Balangkas ng Nagkakaisang Sambayanan' (BANSAN) Peace Core Team, the representatives of the DepEd National Task Force to End Local Communist Armed Conflict (NTF-ELCAC) and the Regional Task Force to End Local Communist Armed Conflict (RTF-ELCAC), DepEd Regional Office and Schools Division Office.


The activities are in coordination with the Office of the Undersecretary for Field Operations, Palarong Pambansa Secretariat and the DepEd Employees' Associations Coordinating Office (DEACO).

The lectures aim to provide the participants with a deeper understanding on human rights laws; economic, political and social world views; conflict management and peace-building. The series will also tackle the DepEd's overall contribution to an inclusive and sustainable peace.

Enclosed are the details on the Capacity-Building Lecture Series for Conflict Resolution, Peace Education and Peace Building, with a list of identified participants and schedule for training. Participants may register at <http://bit.ly/PeaceEdLecReg>.

For more information, questions or concerns on the above-mentioned subject, kindly contact the Disaster Risk Reduction and Management Service (DRRMS) through (02) 8637-4933 or email at drmmo@deped.gov.ph.

For immediate dissemination and compliance.


ATTY. REVSEE ESCOBEDO
Undersecretary for Field Operations,
Palarong Pambansa Secretariat
and DEACO


ALAIN DEL B. PASCUA
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RTF and Local ELCAC Representatives – Regions and Divisions

DepEd Regional Office

Every Region is invited to send the following persons to attend the training:

- Regional Director as focal person of DepEd to the RTF-ELCAC or alternate focal person
- Regional focal persons for ELCAC clusters

DepEd Schools Division Office

Every Division is invited to send the following persons to attend the training:

- Schools Division Superintendent as focal person of DepEd to the Provincial/City/Municipal Task Force (P/C/MTF) to End Local Communist Armed Conflict or alternate focal person
- Schools Division focal persons for ELCAC clusters

ACTIVITIES

The lecture series will cover 12 topics which will be conducted from June to August 2021.

Each lecture will cover a discussion from an expert speaker and an open forum for the participants.

Following are the topics:

1. DepEd 'Balangkas ng Nagkakaisang Sambayan' (BANSA) Peace Framework
2. Economic, Social and Political World Views: Comparative and Historical Perspectives
3. Economic, Social and Political Movements in the Philippines
4. Anti-Terrorism Act of 2020
5. Human Rights
6. Convention on the Rights of the Child (CRC)
7. International Humanitarian Law (IHL)
8. Special Protection of Children in Situations of Armed Conflict or RA 11188 and National Policy Framework on Learners and Schools as Zones of Peace or DO 32 s., 2019
9. Indigenous Peoples Rights Act (IPRA) and Indigenous Peoples National Situationer
10. Conflicts, Conflict Management and Resolution
11. Peace and Peace Building

Date and Time	Topic
June 30, 2021 – Wednesday 9:00 am – 12:00 nn	1. Kumustahan: Sharing, understanding the situation of field offices (See Annex 1)
July 5, 2021 – Monday 9:00 am – 12:00 nn	2. DepEd Balangkas ng Nagkakaisang Sambayan (BANSA) Peace Framework
To be determined*	3. Economic, Social and Political World Views: Comparative and Historical Perspectives
To be determined*	4. Economic, Social and Political Movements in the Philippines
To be determined*	5. Anti-Terrorism Law of 2020
To be determined*	6. Human Rights 7. Convention on the Rights of the Child (CRC)
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To be determined*	9. Special Protection of Children in Situations of Armed Conflict or RA 11188 and National Policy Framework on Learners and Schools as Zones of Peace or DO 32 s., 2019

What issues and concerns related to DepEd were raised during meetings with the RTF/PTF-ELCAC?

**What initiatives has DepEd undertaken internally to respond to the issues and concerns raised (e.g. mechanisms, protocols and budget allocation for ELCAC-related initiatives)?

***What initiatives has DepEd undertaken with other agencies/groups/organizations to respond to the issues and concerns raised? Please specify agencies/groups/organizations and the initiatives.

Additional questions:

Are there particular ELCAC-related initiatives where DepEd is the lead agency?

Have ELCAC-related concerns that are directly linked with DepEd been discussed in the Regional Development Council (RDC) or in the Sangguniang Panlalawigan (SP)? What have been the agreements and/or actions taken as a result of the discussion/s with the RDC or SP?

What questions/topics about ELCAC would you want to discuss?