BSU marks 107th Founding Anniversary





(Left) Retiring employees pose with BSU President Felipe Salaing Comila, VP for Research and Extension Johnny G. Dati, Sr., and VP for Academic Affairs Samuel S. Poliden during the PRAISE Everlasting Awards Ceremony held on September 27, 2023 at the BSU Gymnasium as part of the 107th Foundation Anniversary. (Right) BSU President Felipe Salaing Comila, COM Incoming Dean Dr. Ruel G. Revilla and BSU officials during the College of Medicine Medicine Complex on September 25, 2023, at BSU Compound, Cabanao, La Trinidad, Benquet.

Benguet State University celebrated its 107th Foundation Anniversary through a number of activities with the theme, "Beaming with pride, Surmounting engagements and excellence, Unfolding medical futures today and beyond."

The celebration was highlighted with the Groundbreaking Ceremony for the College of Medicine (COM) Complex on September 25, 2023 and the Foundation Anniversary Program held on September 28, 2023.

The COM Complex Groundbreaking Ceremony was attended by University officials led by President Felipe Salaing Comila and VP for Academic Affairs Dr. Samuel S. Poliden.

In his welcome message BSU President Comila looked forward to the day the BSU College of Medicine will be ready to accept students and expressed his wishes that the incoming students be successful.

Afterwards, Dr. Poliden shared that the BSU-COM is

the University's response to the need for physicians grounded in primary health care to serve at a community level. The program was proposed with the aim to provide quality education and produce graduates capable of serving as health officers, especially in geographically isolated and disadvantaged areas.

Several legislative initiatives have supported the establishment of the COM at BSU, including House Bill No. 6704 introduced by Honorable Eric Go Yap Go, co-authored by Baguio City Congressman Mark O. Go, Mikaela Suansing of Nueva Ecija 1st District, Antonieta Eudela of Zamboanga Sibugay 2nd District, and Rufus Rodriguez of Cagayan De Oro 2nd District, as well as

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BSU is 3rd Top Performing Schoolin LLE, CE produces 27 new Engineers

The University has maintained its record of ranking as a top performing school in the the Librarian Licensure Examination (LLE). This year it has again ranked as the 3rd top performing school during the LLE held on September 12-13, 2023.

The new batch of licensed librarians listed a a passing rate of 91.18%, significantly surpassing the national average of 62.64%. Out of the 31 successful examinees, the first-time takers had a 96.67% passing and the re-takers had a 50% passing rate.

Dr. Elizabeth A. Lascano, Chair of the Department of Library and Information Science, expressed confidence in the students' capabilities even before the examination.

"Knowing that the librarians' licensure examination is composed of two days, there was no pressure on our part because we have been doing this every year. We prepare needed activities for them before the exam. Inviting speakers for the enhancement seminar was not a problem because they were supportive and accommodating in accepting our request," she said.

For past years, the university was able to

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VISION

BSU as an International Smart University engendering graduates to walk the intergenerational highways.

MISSION

BSU CARES to: Challenge innovation, Advance technology and facility, Revitalize administration, Engender partnership, and Serve intergenerational role.

DEVELOPMENT GOALS

Goal I. Challenge Innovation in the four fold functions of the University Objectives:

- 1. (Instruction) To provide quality education responsive to the needs of time;
- 2. (Research) To enhance research productivity contributing to sustainable development;
- 3. (Extension) To disseminate relevant research outputs and other scholarly activities consistent with BSU's mandated programs;
- 4. (Production) To promote sustainable and appropriate resource generation strategies for the implementation of development plans; and
- 5. (Administration) To advocate for resource management and effective energy efficiency in addressing the demands of climate change.

Goal II. Advance Technology and Facility by shaping the University become responsive to modern needs.

Objectives:

- 1. (Instruction) To use information and communication technology learning resources to sustain and enhance quality of alternative teaching learning continuity endeavors;
- 2. (Research and Extension) To upgrade facilities and enable researchers/extensionists to conduct activities using specialized facilities;
- 3. (Production) To acquire and upgrade state-of-the-art facilities in the projects innovation; and
- 4. (Administration) To upgrade facilities and establish modern physical infrastructures.

Goal III. Revitalize Administration by harmonizing performance monitoring, information, and reporting systems.

Objectives:

- 1. To elevate the BSU PRIME-HRM to a level of excellence for good governance and efficient public service;
- 2. To reinforce transparency, integrity, and objectivity in the delivery of service;
- 3. To regenerate instruction, research, extension, production, linkages, governance, management, and policies; and
- 4, To streamline operations to be efficient, effective, and responsive to challenges and changes.

Goal IV. Engender Partnership by proactively strengthening linkages Objectives:

- 1. (Instruction) To establish academic partnerships with local, regional, national, and international institutions providing educational opportunities for faculty, staff, and students:
- 2. (Research) To increase and sustain university relations with academe, industries, GOs, NGOs, and LGUs for research funding;
- 3. (Extension) To increase and sustain partnership with academe, LGUs, NGOs, Industries, and others; and
- 4. (Production) To comply with existing laws, policies and other requirements.

Goal V. Serve Intergenerational Role by revitalizing the Spiritual, Physical, Economical, Cultural, Intellectual, Emotional, and Social (S.P.E.C.I.E.S.) state.

Objectives:

- 1. To offer programs that embody social, cultural, economic and developmental needs both for local and global markets;
- 2. To champion local culture and languages in the University context through research, extension, and academic programs;
- 3. To document best practices of the University.

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Quality Policy

Benguet State University is continuously committed to improve its Quality Management System, satisfy requirements of relevant interested parties and provide excellent service for quality education and innovative research aligned with sustainable development and client satisfaction.

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BSU Researchers encouraged to publish



Vice-President for Research and Extension Johnny Guzman Dati, Sr., Office of Research Services Director Gretchen Gaye C. Ablaza with the evaluators during the Benguet State University Agency In-house Review (BSU AIHR) held on September 20-22, 2023.

Evaluators of the Benguet State University Agency In-house Review (BSU AIHR) held on September 20-22, 2023 encouraged BSU researchers to publish their researches in Scientific Journals.

Non-publication of research output is considered unethical. This were the direct words from Dr. Erlinda Castro-Palaganas, one of the panel of evaluators for the Social Non-Agriculture, Aquatic, and Natural Resources (AANR) category. Palaganas shared that the Asia Pacific Association of Medical Journal Editors (APAME)

where she sits as Executive Vice-President has made a resolution during the 2017 APAME conference to include the non-publication of researches among the list of scientific misconducts in addition to plagiarism, falsification, and republication to name a few.

She stressed that it is also a moral obligation of researchers to give

back to the people who contributed to the completion of the research and one can be through publishing the results in reputable journals especially if the research was also supported by government funds.

She also said that the research papers presented, particularly in the Continued on page 7

AACCUP evaluates 4 Programs of BSU campuses

The Accrediting Agency of Chartered Colleges and Universities in the Philippines (AACCUP) conducted an online accreditation activity on September 18-22, 2023 for four programs offered by BSU campuses

The programs evaluated were the Master in Library and Information Science (MLIS) of the LaTrinidad Campus, Bachelor of Elementary Education (BEE) of the Bokod Campus, and the BEE and Bachelor of Secondary Education (BSE) of the Buguias Campus. These programs were evaluated under 10 areas including the Vision, Mission, Goals,

and Objectives; Faculty, Curriculum and Instruction; Support to Students; Research; Extension; Library; Physical Plant and Facilities; Laboratories; and Administration.

During the opening meeting on September 18,2023, BSU President Felipe Salaing Comila committed his support for the undertaking and encouraged the BSU team to cooperate and comply with the required documents as asked by the accreditors.

To determine its eligibility for Level II accreditation, the weeklong survey visit for the programs involved a review of documents, necessary materials and evidence; a virtual tour of facilities; and interviews.

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Vice-President for Academic Affairs Samuel Salay Poliden, La Trinidad Campus Executive Dean Eugene Sinadcop Lumasok, College of Information Sciences Dean Russel Battad Dolendo and BSU faculty during the Accrediting Agency of Chartered Colleges and Universities in the Philippines (AACCUP) online accreditation for the four majors offered by Benguet State University's various campuses on September 18–22, 2023.

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Senate Bill 1699 and Senate Bill No. 1788 proposed by Senators Raffy Tulfo and Imee Marcos. The Board of Regents approved the COM's establishment on July 27, 2023, along with its curriculum endorsed by the Commission on Higher Education.

Out of the initial Php 45M fund from the 2023 General Appropriations Act, Php 25M will be allocated for equipment, Php 10 M pesos for furniture, and another P10M pesos for personnel.

Construction the College of Medicine Complex is set to commence on 2024. This facility will boast cutting-edge lecture halls, laboratories, a library, research facilities, and all the essential infrastructure deliver required exceptional medical education. The soon-to-be COM Complex is located at the BSU Compound in Cabanao, Barangay Balili, La Trinidad.

Another main highlight of the Foundation Anniversary is the program held on September 28, 2023 at the University Gymnasium. President Felipe Salaing Comila stressed that the event is an opportunity to honor BSU's roots as it played a crucial role in establishing the foundation for the University to become what it is today and to achieve what it has reached so far.

Vice-President for Administration and Finance Atty. Allan Sacpa added that C. annual celebration serves as a platform for thanksgiving individual self-assessment among BSU employees on their contribution and role in the workplace, whether as an asset or a liability. "Commemoration is meaningless without thanksgiving reflection," he said.

Benguet Congressman Eric Go Yap likewise graced event where he expressed his desire for the University to remain a symbol of pride and hope, culturing future leaders of the nation. He then challenged the students of BSU to continue to strive, improve, and innovate for their future.

"There's no easy way in life... Don't ever lose hope because it's the last tool that we have. The hope to live, the hope to survive. If we have hope within, then we will never fall and the only direction we will go is up," he emphasized.

"It is our legacy that will matter. At the end of the day, all of us have to go. Presidents may be forgotten but great men and heroes will not. And to all the faculty members, I look at you all as the hero of our beloved state university, and therefore, I salute and congratulate you for the job well done although the job is not yet done," he added.

Benguet Governor Melchor D. Diclas and La Trinidad Vice Mayor Roderick Awingan also assured their unwavering support for the university in its undertaking to open a College of Medicine in the province to cater the economically to disadvantaged students who want to venture into this field.

Moreover, the

immediate past members of the BSU Board of Regents were also recognized during the program where they received plaques of appreciation handed by the University President and other officials.

In response, the Regional Executive Director of the Department of Agriculture Regional Field Office - Cordillera Administrative Region (DA RFO-CAR) Cameron P. Odsey thanked the university for its dedicated partnership with the DA for more than three decades now. Odsev further vowed to continuously honor the strong partnership that started between BSU and DA-CAR through its ongoing initiative to hire BSU graduates, among others.

On the other Outgoing **BSU** hand, Faculty Regent Harland Gary Pawid paid homage to his great grandfather, Clemente Laoyan, his contribution to the founding story of the university when he allowed the Americans to build a school in the valley of La Trinidad that became BSU.

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The AACCUP accrediting team was headed by Dr. Nestor C. Sedanza of Leyte Normal University as the overall coordinator.

On the final day, the accreditors, through Dr. Sedanza, gave their impressions and comments on the assessed degree courses. He enumerated strengths and best practices observed from each campus and gave valuable insights to enhance each degree course.

"All the programs under survey

are Maganda, Mahusay, at Malakas. But do not be satisfied with the present condition, there is always room for improvement... Pagandahin pa, pahusayin pa, palakasin pa ang lahat ng programs ("All the programs under survey are beautiful, great, and strong. But do not be satisfied with the present condition, there is always room for improvement...Make it more beautiful, greater, and stronger), Dr. Sedanza said.

He also acknowledged the

collective efforts of BSU campuses for their relentless journey towards quality education.

In response, Vice-President for Academic Affairs Dr. Samuel S. Poliden assured that all comments and recommendations given by the accreditors will be considered to further improve the evaluated programs. He added that the University is working hard to meet the demands and the needs of the three campuses.//EMBawayan

emerge in the top five performing schools the said licensure examination. According to College of Information Sciences Dean Russel B. Dolendo, the result is evidence of the faculty's dedication to achieving and sustaining excellence in various programs, including the Bachelor of Library and Information Science. This also affirms that the curriculum is at par with national, if not global, standards, in line with the university's mandates and plans.

Furthermore, this achievement highlights the pivotal role of BSU's exclusive offering of the BLIS program in shaping and advancing the field of librarianship in the Cordillera region.

"It's a wake-up call for administrators to propose policies for the support and development of the different endeavors aligned to all aspects of the profession to recognize the efforts and possible contribution of BSU in terms of knowledge management, records, and archives management, information organization among others," Dolendo added.

The College of Engineering (CE) also celebrated the success of 27 newly licensed Agricultural and Biosystems Engineers following the Agricultural and Biosystems Engineers Licensure Examination conducted on September 14-15, 2023.

CE Dean, Engr. Leonardo Dumalhin was ecstatic with the accomplishment of the passers. He acknowledged that the passing rate of 23.28% passing rate which is below the 33.01% national passing rate, is due to various challenges. He specified the challenge of posed by online classes and reviews, emphasizing the importance

of face-to-face reviews for engineering students.

"The problem before was that when the COVID-19 pandemic forced us to suspend face-to-face classes, the faculty members took time adjusting to online and modular modes of teaching. Students also took time to adapt with the new learning platforms. For us here in the college, there are many subjects where online and modular modes are not very effective compared to conventional modes. Perhaps it affected our board exam performance," he commented.

Dumalhin further emphasized the need to exert more effort to support the students such as strengthening the course audit, organizing dedicated inperson reviews within the college, and encouraging candidates to participate in review sessions, among other initiatives.//OGDacocotJr.

BSU Teachers recognized on Benguet Teachers' Day

BSU faculty members received various awards for their commitment, dedication, and outstanding performances in molding students during the Benguet Teachers' Day Culminating Activity on September 29, 2023 at the BSU Gymnasium with the theme "Together 4 Teachers." The event gathered teachers from different educational institutions in Benguet.

The teachers awarded are Atty. Julie B. Velasco, a faculty member at the College of Public Administration and Governance, as an Outstanding Teacher and John P. Botengan Jr., principal of the College of Teacher Education - Secondary Laboratory School, as the Best Chairman by the International Leaders Summit and Awards for his significant contributions to the field of education.

The College of Information Sciences also received a Certificate of Commendation for its outstanding performance during the September 2023 Librarian Licensure Examination.

Moreover, the University garnered first place in the



Congressman Eric Go Yap, Governor Melchor D. Diclas, Vice-Governor Ericson L. Felipe extend thier gratitude to teachers during the Benguet Teachers' Day Culminating Activity on September 29, 2023 at BSU Gymnasium.

Talentadong Guro competition. The winning group are Apler J. Bansiong, John P. Botengan Jr., Emelda E. Villa, Dona Claire Lapisac-Colinang, Johnry T. Sermin, Joshua G. Bastian, Betty M. Divindo, Roben S. Jaco, Sarah M. Palaw-ay, Yvonne B. Tabdi, Jericris R. Desumala, and Alexandra S. Sadang.

In their messages, Benguet Congressman Eric Go Yap, Governor Melchor Daguines Diclas, and Vice-Governor Ericson L. Felipe expressed their gratitude to both the teachers, for imparting knowledge to students and the Local Government Unit officials for their support to strengthen education in the province.

"You touch and change people's lives. You are a teacher, na maraming binago at inayos na buhay and because of you, there are successful businessmen, successful government officials," Congressman Yap remarked.

"We recognize this day as a day for our teachers. We thank you for your hard work (in) teaching our children," Governor Diclas added.

Vice-Governor Felipe shared that he came from a family of educators and acknowledged the efforts of the teachers in molding students into who they could be.

"I salute you and congratulate you for responding to God's calling. You have a big heart for teaching our children," he expressed.

Furthermore, Commission on Higher Education-CAR (CHED-CAR) Regional Director Demetrio P. Anduyan Jr.; Department of Education-CAR (DepED-CAR) Regional Director Estela Leon-Cariño; Technical Education and Skills Development Authority-Benguet (TESDA-Benguet) Acting Provincial Director Arlene L. Cadalig; DepED-Benguet

BSU Accounting System implementation garners three awards

The University through the Finance Division, bagged three awards during the Joint 14th Annual National Convention and 2023 Membership Conference featuring eNGAS/eBudget System Summit at the Summit Ridge Tagaytay, Tagaytay City, Cavite on August 22-25, 2023.

BSU received the eNGAS System Inclusiveness Award (formerly Gallantry Award), eNGAS Collaborator/Contributor Award, and the Outstanding eNGAS User Entity Award.

The eNGAS System Inclusiveness Award is for BSU's continuous implementation of the Electronic New Government Accounting System (ENGAS), an accounting software developed by the Commission on Audit (COA); the eNGAS Collaborator/Contributor Award is for BSU's contribution and active collaboration with the Accounting Systems Development and Other Services Office (ASDOSO) of the Government Accountancy Sector (GAS) and the Outstanding eNGAS User Entity Award is for its financial reports and statements free of material errors, as reflected by the latest 'Unmodified Audit Opinion' by COA.

The awards were received by Dr. Imelda B. Galinato of the Accounting

Office and Dr. Estrellita M. Daclan of the Budget Office.

The said summit with the theme, "Advocating Green and Sustainable Public Financial Management Reforms," was participated by representatives from various local and national government agencies.

When asked about the best practices behind the prestigious awards, Dr. Galinato listed several factors which includes timeliness, commitment, transparency, accountability, and reliability among others.

"So [the awards reflect that] we promoted good governance at BSU that contribute to better decision-making for the university," she briefed.

Dr. Galinato added that the passion to obtain such awards encourages her team to exert their best efforts in delivering service and operations.

In addition, Finance Division Chief, Atty. Andres Arnold W. Lampacan expressed that the awards serve as reassurance that the university is still on the right track from the perspective of COA

He further complimented the efforts of the University Finance Division staff for their active contribution and participation from the first implementation of the eNGAS until now while also challenging the next generation who will be handling and working under the Finance Division to maintain the excellent performance.

"Consider doing the same, engaging and constantly participating in these kinds of ventures by the government agencies because the objective of these is for the betterment of the government system as a whole," he said.//CANapiloy

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School Division Superintendent Sally L. Banaken-Ullalim and Committee on Education Chairman and Teachers Day Committee Co-Chairperson Fernando M. Balaodan Sr. voiced their support and appreciation for the teaching community.

The event aims to honor teachers and provide a venue for their active participation in the celebration of this year's National Teachers' Month. //OGDacocotJr.



BSU ATBI/IC produces 3rd batch of entrepreneurs

The Benguet State University Agri-based Technology Business Incubation/Innovation Center (ATBI/IC) produced another batch of farmer and food processor entrepreneurs after a series of skills and knowledge training on farming and food processing.



The 12 BSU ATBI Incubation Program completers with (left to right, 1st row) ATBI/IC Director Dr. Ruth Diego, La Trinidad Vice Mayor Roderick Awingan, BSU President Felipe Salaing Comila, and BSU ATBI Alumni Agricultural Cooperative (BSU ATBI-AAC) Board of Director Chair Baltazar Tudayan Jr.//(photo by Mike Garcia)

Twelve individuals completed the ATBI farming and food processing incubation program on September 2, 2023. They were recognized through a ceremony at the ATBI/IC training hall attended by BSU President Felipe Salaing Comila and La Trinidad Vice Mayor Roderick Awingan.

The completers who finished the farming incubation program are Jerry Puyao, Edgar Colestong, Joash Gayaso, Wilfredo Puyao Jr., Gina Botardo, Caycee Akiangan, Christian Santos, and Sunny Fangki. The completers of the food processing program are Ariel Jun Wallang, Maria Monica Samoranos, and

Zoraya Palsa-an while Janice Salipio is a completer of both programs.

Dr. Comila congratulated the completers and encouraged them to always arise in times of failure while Vice-Mayor Awingan reminded them to inspire others as well by striving to be excellent in their endeavors as farmers and food processor-entrepreneurs.

Salipio expressed her gratitude to the ATBI/IC for the opportunity to be included in their programs. She shared that the ATBI program provided sustainable income for her family and that she was able to support the primary

needs of her four children including their education.

During the ceremony, the 12 completers were also sworn as members of the BSU ATBI Alumni Agriculture Cooperative which was established by the BSU ATBI/IC together with the first completers of the ATBI program in 2020. At present, the Cooperative has 49 members who maintain a training market pavilion at the strawberry farm BSU parking area where they sell their different farm produce.//ASantiago

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category she evaluated, are publishable so she encouraged the publication of said researches. However, she emphasized that the researches should also undergo ethics review which is already a mandatory requirement of international scientific publications. In connection with this, she urged BSU to strengthen its ethics committee and address the evaluator's observation that most of the papers presented were not subjected to ethics review.

In addition, the evaluators suggested that researchers should also review some of the technicalities observed in writing research papers such as merging of overlapping studies, clear presentation of research data, conducting thorough review of related

literature, and presenting detailed methodology, among others.

Yet BSU researchers were also praised by the evaluators for their passion and genuine interest in conducting researches as they are hands-on in doing fieldwork activities.

President Felipe Salaing Comila accepted the comments and motivated the university researchers to heed the challenges and recommendations of the evaluators.

The 2023 BSU AIHR had 13 panels of evaluators where three evaluated under the S & T AANR, three evaluated Social Non-AANR, three evaluated Education and four evaluated in the Social AANR, S&T Food, Industry, Engineering, and Emerging

Technologies, and Development categories.//ASantiago



Climate Risk Vulnerability Assessment of Priority Crops in Ifugao Province by Quinerlyn A. Godio, Angelica B. Batingal, Lynn J. Talkasen, Roscinto Ian C. Lumbres, Myra Nieves T. Lingaling, Levi Ezekiel O. Daipan awarded as Best Paper in the Science and Technology Food, Industry, Engineering, and Emerging Technologies (FIEET) Category during the AIHR 2023.

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With this, he expressed his utmost gratitude and joy to be able to work at the University, promising to give his best to its development 'to give justice to my great-grandfather's legacy.'

Outgoing BSU BOR Secretary Dr. Grace T. Bengwayan also shared her heartfelt gratitude for all the learnings and experiences that contributed much to her growth as an employee and as a person.

Moreover, the University spearheaded various activities for the weeklong celebration of its Founding Anniversary attended by employees, students, and the public. Among the activities for the celebration were the BSU Exhibit, Fun Run, Fun Ride, Ground breaking and Unveiling of Billboard of the College of Medicine, Ecumenical Service,

Free Anti-Rabies vaccination, Multidisciplinary Discourse, Medical Services/Wellness Activities, Mass Blood Donation, Application for new and renewal Philippine Regulation Commission Professional IDs, Students Activities, Darts Tournament, Alumni Homecoming, PRAISE Everlasting Awards, and BSU Everlasting Festival.

Through the years since its establishment in 1916 as a farm school, BSU has been a home for students where they can experience, enjoy, evolve and eventually soar to greater heights. The University has also gained remarkable recognition as a testimony to its unwavering commitment and dedication to providing excellent and quality education to students.//CANapiloy & OGDacocotJr.

