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*Member, Board of Directors, UPLB Community Chest, Inc.
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*Captain, 4^t RCDG, Philippine Army, ARESCOM
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*Member, Board of Trustees, National Defense College of the Philippines Alumni
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*Member, First Technical Working Committee on the National Service Training
Program (NSTP), Office of Student Services, Commission on Higher Education
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*Lt Col, Technical Services Group, Armed Forces of the Philippines, AFPRESCOM
2002 to present*

*Chair and Founder, Students' Transformation and Enrichment for Truth-
Values Integration and Promotion (STET-VIP)
1995 to present*

Professional Skills

Research, planning, teaching, and implementation of Development Management programs with a people-centered development focus for social institutions utilizing highly participatory Social Mobilization strategies for various groups—members of the academe, military, parishes, business sector, GOs, NGOs, and diverse communities nationwide to advance diverse advocacies: renewal of indigenous values in education, leadership, and governance for the common good; eco-friendly/sustainable development; poverty alleviation: nutrition; administrative capability building; and spiritual enrichment—especially of the youth as a key to national security and development.

Initiator of entrepreneurial concepts and paradigms with special skills to implement, monitor, and evaluate their impact to society. The various project activities under these paradigms are focused but not limited in advocating the need to harness the youth's leadership capabilities, mobilizing them for the country's spiritual, socio-cultural, political, and economic development within the STET-VIP framework for understanding human dignity in the context of social responsibility for the common good.

Mobilizer and facilitator of network of activities of various government, non-government, private institutions and individuals, bringing together both traditional and seemingly unlikely partners—government officials, academics, military personnel, youth groups, student leaders, and businessmen — in order to recognize their individual and collective social responsibilities in national security and development.

Professional expert in designing training modules and seminar-workshops for practitioners engaged in sustainable Development Management and National Security Administration.

Organizer and convenor of national conventions, and summit to address issues and concerns of general interest.

Dynamic leader in the practice of ***philanthropreneurship*** to sustain projects on national security and development.

Advocate of national transformation among key stakeholders and captains of industry such as educators, local and national government officials, leaders of societies, students, and members of communities.

Institutional capability builder on initiatives for youth empowerment such as the establishment of the STET-VIP Qualifying Course for Coordinators/ Instructor-Facilitators/Volunteers/Stakeholders of the NSTP; the Advanced Coordinators' Training for Sustainability (ACTS), the development and dissemination of the STET-VIP Program of Instruction, the authorship of its reference book, and popularization of its philosophy through the publication of the ***NSTP Handbook*** for educators.

Achievements

Promoted and integrated leadership and values education for national renewal and global solidarity through student development and community building at both tertiary and secondary levels, developed social entrepreneurs who carry out sustainable and creative community projects for the common good, particularly on: education and training, environmental awareness, livelihood opportunities, health and sports, and political participation through voters' education.

Despite the lack of budgetary allotment, personally trained 5119 SET-VIP CWS and CWTS students from 1996-2005 under the Expanded ROTC and National Service Training Program (NSTP) who have engaged in over 500 various community projects (i.e. environmental and natural resources management, health-related activities, socio-civic projects, the promotion of values through culture and the arts, and livelihood) benefiting 25 barangays in Laguna; STET-VIP alumni grace Dean's Lists, the roster of Ten Outstanding

Students of the Philippines, receive fellowships for further study and training here and abroad, and are respected professionals in their chosen disciplines.

The technology transfer and capacity building for STET-VIP as an area of learning under the National Service Training Program (NSTP) is made possible by the VIP-CWTS Qualifying Course for Coordinators/ Instructor-Facilitators/Volunteers/Stakeholders of the NSTP which began on May 1, 2002, and to date has trained over 2000 educators from more than 500 State Universities and Colleges, Private Higher Education Institutions (PHEIs) and Technical Education and Skills Development Agency (TESDA) Supervised Institutions in 17 regions nationwide. Has conducted 46 STET-VIP Qualifying Courses, 1 STET-VIP NSTP Advanced Coordinators' Training for Sustainability (ACTS), and has organized five STET-VIP NSTP Annual National Convention, **Kabalikat** Awards, and Alumni Homecoming, and 1 National Summit on the ROTC component of the NSTP.

Work Experience

Three decades of extensive administrative work in national programs as Program Officer of the Responsible Parenthood Council (1972-1973), as National Program Director of the Inter-Church Commission on Medical Care (1973-1974) and of the Asian Social Institute (1974-1976). Considerable experience with a profit-oriented institution as Assistant Manager of the Pacific Shores Capital Development Corporation in charge of evaluating feasibility studies for funding (1976-1979). Wide exposure in research as Research Associate of the Development Academy of the Philippines (1981-1983).

Twenty-three years (1984-present) with the University of the Philippines, beginning as Professorial Lecturer at the Department of Political Science, College of Social Science and Philosophy (UP Diliman 1984-1987 and 1992-1995) and at the Department of Social Sciences, College of Arts and Sciences (UP Los Baños 1987-1988 and 1997-1998); Faculty Member at the Institute of Development Management and Governance, College of Public Affairs (UP Los Baños 1987-present, serving as the Department Chairperson 1993-1995); Dean of Students UP Los Baños (1995-2000); Affiliate Lecturer at the Department of Military Science and Tactics, UP Los Baños (1996-2005). The primary responsibility as Professorial Lecturer, Faculty Member, and Affiliate Lecturer is the teaching and thesis guidance of UP students both at the undergraduate and graduate levels. As Dean of Students with administrative functions, she had a pivotal role in reaffirming the Office of Student Affairs' strong commitment to uphold the welfare of the UPLB studentry, recognizing and revitalizing the students' physical, spiritual, mental, and socio-emotional development as envisioned in the Students' Transformation and Enrichment for Truth (STET) paradigm.

Thirteen years (1994 to present) as a member of the Board of Trustees of STRIVE Foundation, a non-profit, non-stock NGO dedicated to policy researches on agriculture.

Seven years (2001 to present) as Chair/Member of the Advisory Council of the MNSA students of NDCP.

Six years (2002 to present) as proponent of the **Kabalikat** Awards, an Annual Search for Outstanding Community Projects of the STET-VIP NSTP and as Convenor of the Annual National NSTP Convention, **Kabalikat** Awards, and Alumni Homecoming.

Education

Graduate:

National Defense College of the Philippines

2000-2001 Master in National Security Administration
(Class Valedictorian, Best Thesis Awardee and Class
Mayor)

University of the Philippines Diliman

1986-1989 Ph.D. in Philippine Studies
(Majors: Anthropology, Sociology, Political Science)

1980-1984 Completed all Course Requirements for the degree of Doctor
of Public Administration

1976-1979 Master of Arts in Community Development

1973-1974 Certificate in Community Development

Undergraduate:

University of the Philippines Diliman

1967-1972 Bachelor of Arts in Psychology (Entrance Scholar)

Personal History

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