Ensuring Growth that Matters:
ASEAN Integration and Inclusive Growth

DATE
November 12, 2014
Wednesday
9:00 am - 5:00 pm

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Php 500.00

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The fast-approaching milestone date of 2015 to realize the ASEAN Economic Community (AEC) has raised many questions with no clear-cut answers. On one end of the spectrum are questions that relate to the Philippines’ preparedness to compete with ASEAN neighbors in supplying goods and services to a burgeoning single market of around 600 million people. On the other end are questions more profound and compelling: how can ASEAN economic integration benefit the poor? Can the AEC’s promise of economic growth also bring about inclusive growth, which is the centerpiece of our development agenda?

This year, the Ateneo de Manila University’s Professional Schools (APS): Graduate School of Business, School of Government, School of Medicine and Public Health, and School of Law, celebrates its 40th anniversary. As part of its yearlong anniversary celebration, the APS is organizing the Lecture Forum Ensuring Growth that Matters: ASEAN Integration and Inclusive Growth.

The Lecture Forum will focus on the opportunities and challenges presented by the 2015 ASEAN economic integration, with a special emphasis on measures we need to take to ensure that the anticipated economic growth will benefit the least privileged among us. Apart from providing a general overview of ASEAN integration, the programme will feature special sessions on regional production networks, human capital development, and social development policies and programs in Southeast Asia.

PARALLEL SESSIONS
(1:30 - 5:00 pm)
Track 1: The Philippine Manufacturing Sector and Regional Production Networks

Main Presenter:
Ms. Rafaelita M. Aldaba
Assistant Secretary
Department of Trade and Industry (DTI)

Panel Discussion:
Sen. Paolo Benigno A. Aquino, IV
Chairman
Senate Committee on Trade, Commerce, and Entrepreneurship
Senate Committee on Youth

Mr. Tennyson G. Chen
President
Bounty Fresh Food, Inc.

Dr. Carolina S. Guina
Faculty
Ateneo Graduate School of Business

Mr. Guillermo M. Luz
Private Sector Co-Chairman
National Competitiveness Council

Chair and Moderator:
Atty. Anthony A. Abad
Lecturer on International Economic Law
Ateneo School of Law

Rapporteur:
Mr. Rodolfo P. Ang
Dean, Ateneo Graduate School of Business

Track 2: Education and Human Capital Development in the Philippines: Bridging the Developmental Divide

Main Presenter:
Atty. Hans Leo J. Cacdac
Administrator
Philippine Overseas and Employment Administration (POEA)

Panel Discussion:
Ms. Rosalinda Dimapilis-Baldoz
Secretary
Department of Labor and Employment (DOLE)

Dr. Jose Y. Cueto, Jr.
Member, Professional Regulatory Board of Medicine
Professional Regulation Commission (PRC)

Mr. Lawrence Jeff Johnson
Country Director
International Labor Organization (ILO)

Dr. Patricia B. Licuanan
Chairman
Commission on Higher Education (CHED)

Chair and Moderator:
Dr. Manuel M. Dayrit
Dean
Ateneo School of Medicine and Public Health

Rapporteur:
Atty. Sedfrey M. Candelaria
Dean, Ateneo Law School

Track 3: Social Development Policies and Programs in Southeast Asia: Towards a Truly Participative and Inclusive Development in the ASEAN

Main Presenter:
Dr. Eleazar E. Rizote
Head Researcher
Association of Schools of Public Administration in the Philippines (ASPPAP)

Chair and Moderator:
Dr. Antonio GM La Vinha
Dean
Ateneo School of Government

Rapporteur:
Dr. Mario C. Villaverde
Associate Dean for Academics
Ateneo School of Government

Panel Discussion:
Dr. Bala Raju Nikku
School of Social Sciences
University Sains Malaysia (Malaysia)

Dr. Purwo Santoso
Department of Politics and Government
Gadjah Mada University (Indonesia)

Dr. Nipawan Thirawat
Master of Business Administration Division
Mahidol University International College (Thailand)

Dr. Dao Thanh Truong
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Vietnam National University (Vietnam)