

Updates on **Extension Services**

BatStateU at TFSCALE 2019 in SG



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On September 2, BatStateU President Dr. Tirso A. Ronquillo and ESO Director Asst. Prof. Armando V. Mendoza Jr. attended the Temasek Foundation International Specialists' Community Action and Leadership Exchange (TFSCALE) 2019 in Singapore Polytechnic, Singapore.

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Dubbed as "Sustainable Food Consumption & Production," the event was also joined by 180 SUC students from different ASEAN host countries, from which 23 of them were from BatStateU.

Other participating students were from the National Management University (Cambodia), University of

Computer Studies Mandalay (Myanmar), Universitas Muhammadiyah Malang (Indonesia) & Singapore Polytechnic.

The program provided the participants with a unique opportunity to foster a deeper understanding and appreciation of the issues and challenges facing Asia.

Focusing on leadership, technology, and enterprise, the program aimed to inspire Technical and Vocational Education and Training (TVET) student-leaders to take definitive actions and contribute to their future and build leadership capabilities and develop friendship among youth leaders from TVET colleges.

ESO, CECS spearhead Training in Basics of QGIS and Preparation of Local Road Networks Shapefiles



The Extension Services together with the College of Engineering and Computing Sciences (CECS) collaborated with the Provincial Planning and Development Office (PPDO) and the Provincial Government of Batangas for the implementation of the Training on Basics of Quantum Geographic Information System (QGIS) for the PPDO personnel held on July 10-11 at the Provincial Planning and Development Office, Laurel Park Capitol Site, Batangas City.

PPDO Chief Benjamin I. Bausas gave the opening remarks followed by BatStateU VP for Research, Development, and Extension Services Engr. Albertson D. Amante who gave a brief overview of the training synopsis.

CECS professor Mr. Inocencio C. Mandriaga served as the resource speaker for the training. He tackled the overview of the Geographic Information System (GIS) and the introduction to Quantum Geographic Information System (QGIS) and its basic operations, interface navigations, functions, and icons.

Hands-on training in the application of GIS followed shortly after the discussion.

The following day, the workshop on the preparation of the Road Network Shapefiles was conducted wherein participants were given time for the presentation of the workshop outputs.

BatStateU, ATI IV-A conduct School on the Air (SOA) on Corn



BatStateU thru the College of Agriculture and Forestry in collaboration with the Agricultural Training Institute (ATI) IV-A implemented the School on the Air (SOA) on Corn program in Batangas. Themed as "Ala Eh! Maiskwelahan: Isang radio Eskwela sa Batangas," the 2-hour radio program was aired live at DWAL-FM 95.9 Radyo Totoo Lakas ng Katotohanan at St. Francis de Sales Broadcast Center, Batangas City on July 6.

ATI Information Officer II Ms. Janine L. Cailo served as the facilitator. Meanwhile, the resource speaker for the program was BatStateU College of Agriculture and Forestry Coordinator Asst. Prof. Mars G. Panganiban.

Mr. Panganiban tackled the topic of climate change and its effects on corn production.



He also talked about other related topics such as pests and diseases, soil erosion, production in farm animals, watershed, quality of water, hydropower, and some effects of climate change on human health.

Finally, a Q&A portion between Mr. Panganiban and the facilitator shortly followed.

Updates on Gender and Development

GAD conducts seminar on the Magna Carta of Women for College Freshmen



In commemoration of the 10th year since the passing of the Magna Carta of Women into law, BatStateU GAD conducted a seminar on the Republic Act No. 9710 or also known as the Magna Carta of Women Law during the orientation program for College Freshmen on August 16 at BatStateU ARASOF and on August 20 at BatstateU San Juan. The objective of the activity was to orient and raise the awareness of the academic community on the pertinent provisions of the law.

BatStateU GAD Focal Person as Learning Service Provider for Gender Mainstreaming Seminar-Workshop



GAD Asst. Director Maria Theresa A. Hernandez served as the learning service provider for the seminar-workshop on gender mainstreaming sponsored by the Provincial Government of Batangas thru the Provincial Human Resource Management Office (PHRMO) Training Division on September 12-13 at the PTCAO Batangas Provincial Capitol, Batangas City.



Asst. Director Hernandez discussed the Basic GAD Concepts and presented an overview of gender mainstreaming and gender analysis to the PHRMO employees. The training aimed to provide knowledge to the participants about gender mainstreaming and gender analysis.