

BatStateU hosts Balik Scientist from NASA

Balik Scientist PROGRAM

Featuring

Josefino C. Comiso, PhD
Senior Scientist Emeritus
Earth Sciences Directorate
National Aeronautics and Space Administration (NASA)

*"Climate and Environmental Changes"
"Satellite Remote Sensing
and Applications"*

NASA Senior Scientist Emeritus and Earth Sciences Directorate, Dr. Josefino C. Comiso, visited BatStateU to lecture on Climate and Environmental Changes and Satellite Remote Sensing and Applications



climate and environmental changes from space through knowledge in algorithms for satellite sensors and polar parameters.

As part of the university's vision to become a globally recognized institution, the Research Office hosted a Senior Scientist Emeritus and Earth Sciences Directorate of the National Aeronautics Space Administration (NASA), Dr. Josefino C. Comiso on February 1-2. His research interests include (1) the detection of climate signals from historical satellite data; (2) the role of Odden and polynyas in ocean convection and bottom water formation; and (3) air-sea-ice interactions and biological processes in the Polar Regions, among others.

The NASA scientist shared his knowledge through a two-day lecture on Climate and Environmental Changes and Satellite Remote Sensing and Applications, demonstrating how he observes the

Dr. Comiso is the fifth Balik-Scientist engaged by the university since the inception of the program. The Balik-Scientist program was established by the University, and aims to form partnerships with foreign-based Filipinos in applying their field of expertise to revolutionize technology and research outputs.



Dr. Josefino Comiso with his wife, Diana Comiso (center) together with BatStateU officials