



Updates on

# BatStateU Research Centers





The **Social Information Research Center (SIRC)** is one of the new thriving research centers of the university.

SIRC aims to undertake studies that will respond to the critical and growing need for planning and policymaking. The research is envisioned to turn knowledge into social innovations to improve human lives and environmental conditions.

The center also seeks to promote academic community and civil societies/ government agencies partnership that will address challenges on key social and environmental issues.

SIRC serves as a database for relevant information on the business, education, health, environment, industry, emerging technologies, and others, that will serve as information for an intermediary between the university and its stakeholders.

### Ready, Participate, and Innovate: Popularizing Social Innovation drill



One of the teams which was composed of students from the Integrated School present to the audience their innovative ideas that can help address community issues.

The Social Innovation Research Center spearheaded the seminar-workshop dubbed "Ready, Participate, and Innovate: Popularizing Social Innovation" on November 14-15 in BatStateU PB Main I.

Participants of the event were selected students and faculty members of the university. During the event, they were grouped into 15 teams. Each was tasked to develop innovative solutions for community problems.

The main objective of the seminar-workshop is to broaden the knowledge and experience of the participants on social innovation.