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DIVISION MEMORANDUM

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**2013 MATHEMATICAL SOCIETY OF THE PHILIPPINES CEBU CHAPTER
RESEARCH CONGRESS AND CONVENTION**

To: OIC, Assistant Superintendents
Education Supervisors/ Coordinators
District Supervisors/OICs
Elementary and Secondary School Heads
Heads, Private Elementary and Secondary School Heads

1. Per Regional Memorandum No. 599, series of 2013, the **Mathematical Society of the Philippines Cebu Chapter Research Congress and Convention** shall be on December 6-7, 2013 at Cebu Normal University, Cebu City.
2. Registration, travelling expenses and other incidental expenses of participants shall be chargeable against Local School/SEF/PTA funds, subject to the usual accounting and auditing rules and regulations.
3. This Memorandum serves as Authority to Travel.
4. Immediate and wide dissemination of this Memorandum is desired.

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REGIONAL MEMORANDUM

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To : Schools Division Superintendents
Officers-in-Charge of Regular and Interim Divisions

1. Enclosed is a letter from Dr. Lorna S. Almocera, President of the Mathematical Society of the Philippines, Cebu Chapter inviting math teachers and supervisors to attend the "2013 MSP Cebu Chapter Research Congress and Convention" on December 6-7, 2013 at the Cebu Normal University, Cebu City.
2. For more details, please refer to the attached communication.
3. Attendance of teachers and supervisors to this activity is subject to your discretion based on existing DepED policies.
3. For your proper guidance and wide dissemination.


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Director III
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Dr. Carmelita T. Dulangon
Director III
DepEd Region 7
Sudlon, Lahug, Cebu City

Dear Director Dulangon:

The Mathematical Society of the Philippines, Cebu Chapter (MSP Cebu) was organized on February 2009 and has been very active in conducting lectures, seminars and workshops on math content and pedagogy aimed at improving the teaching competencies of the mathematics faculty. As of February 2013, the chapter boasts of around 300 members from different schools, colleges and universities of Region 7 who, for the past three years, have been recipients of the chapter's different activities.

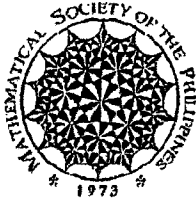
As part of its continuing pursuit to promote and enhance the level of mathematics research and teaching in the region, MSP Cebu will hold its 2013 MSP Cebu Chapter Research Congress and Convention on 6-7 December 2013 at the Cebu Normal University, Cebu City. The theme of the convention is "*Making Mathematics Count: Communicating the Role of Mathematics in the World through Research*". We have invited experts in the different fields of mathematics to be our plenary speakers, namely, Dr. Jose Ernie Lope (Professor, UP Diliman), Dr. Roberto Corcino (Professor, MSU-Marawi), Dr. Polly W. Sy (Professor, UP Diliman), and Dr. Dante Silva (Professor, Mapua Institute of Technology). There will also be parallel sessions which will enable researchers in pure math, applied math, and math education to present their works.

We have been very fortunate to have DepEd Region 7 endorse all our seminars, workshops, and conferences in the past. In this regard, may we once again request for endorsement of the said activity? Attached herewith is a copy of the official announcement and call for papers.

We hope for a favorable response to this request. Thank you very much for your kind attention.

Very respectfully yours,

Lorna S. Almocera, Ph.D.
President
MSP Cebu



2013 MSP CEBU RESEARCH CONGRESS AND CONVENTION
6-7 December 2013, Cebu Normal University, Cebu City

ANNOUNCEMENT and CALL for PAPERS

The Mathematical Society of the Philippines Cebu (MSP Cebu) Chapter invites all mathematicians and educators to participate in its 2013 MSP Cebu Research Congress and Convention to be held on 6-7 December 2013, at the Cebu Normal University, Cebu City, with the theme

"Making Mathematics Count: Communicating the Role of Mathematics in the World through Research".

The 2013 MSP Cebu Research Congress and Convention will feature plenary talks on mathematics and mathematics education, a set of invited talks on pure and applied mathematics, teaching strategies and mathematics education research, numerous short paper presentations in all areas of mathematics, computing and statistics and poster presentations.

Researches and educators in all areas of mathematics, mathematics education, computing and statistics are invited to contribute short papers for oral and poster presentation during the convention. This convention is fully endorsed by the Commission on Higher Education (CHED).

Plenary Talks:

The following have been invited to give 45-minute plenary talks – Dr. Jose Ernie Lope (University of the Philippines Diliman), Dr. Polly W. Sy (University of the Philippines Diliman), Dr. Dante Silva (Mapua Institute of Technology), Dr. Roberto Corcino (Mindanao State University – Marawi Campus).

Contributed Talks and Poster Presentations:

Short paper presentations (10-15 minutes) will take place in at least three parallel sessions: (1) algebra, graph theory and combinatorics, (2) analysis and computing, (3) math education, statistics and applied mathematics. There will likewise be poster presentations on mathematics education and any of the topics given above. Details regarding submission of abstracts for the short paper and poster presentations may be found below.

Registration:

All participants are requested to register for the convention on or before 18 November 2013. Accomplished registration forms should be sent to MSP Cebu together with proof of payment of the registration fee (i.e. photocopy or scanned image of bank deposit slip, postal money order slip, etc.). Participants may register by mail/fax or e-mail.

1) Registration by mail or fax:

Fill up the enclosed registration form and mail (along with proof of payment) to Dr. Lorna S. Almocera, Mathematics Program, Sciences Cluster, University of the Philippines Cebu, Lahug, Cebu City 6300 (Fax No. 032-233-8203)

2) Registration by Email: Send the required registration information (along with proof of payment) to Dr. Lorna S. Almocera, lsalmocera@yahoo.com (Convention Co-Chair) or Prof. Lawlita N. Cabahug, litacabahug@gmail.com (Convention Chair).

You will be considered registered only upon confirmation of payment of your conference fee.

Registration Fee:

On or before 18 November 2013

P2500 (MSP members who have paid 2013 membership dues)

P2800 (Non-MSP members)

After 18 November 2013

P2700 (MSP members who have paid 2013 membership dues)

P3000 (Non-MSP members)

Everyone is encouraged to register by November 18 since reservations for food and printing of the convention materials have to be done in advance. There is no assurance that those who register after this date will enjoy all the privileges of the participants who register early.

Payment: Payment may be made by bank deposit to the following account:

Account Name: Mathematical Society of the Philippines-Cebu Chapter

Account Number: 003613 – 0921 – 52

Bank: BPI Cebu - Labug Branch

Do not forget to submit a photocopy of proof of payment along with your registration form.

Submission of Abstracts:

Those who wish to contribute papers or poster presentations are requested to send the title and abstracts to Dr. Elvira V. Chua at the email address mspcebu2013@gmail.com. Abstracts (100-200 words) should be informative for proper evaluation by the program committee. Indicate if you are submitting for paper or poster presentation. Electronic submission either in LaTeX or pdf file is preferred. The deadline for submission of abstracts is on **31 October 2013**. Participants will be notified of possible acceptance as soon as possible.

Deadlines: Regular Registration: 18 November 2013

Submission of Abstracts: 31 October 2013

For additional information, email Dr. Lorna S. Almocera, lsalmocera@yahoo.com (Convention Co-Chair) or Prof. Lawlita N. Cabahug, litacabahug@gmail.com (Convention Chair).

REGISTRATION FORM for the 2013 MSP Cebu Research Congress and Convention

Name _____ Member (2013) _____ Non-member _____

Affiliation (School/Institution/Company) _____

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(Please supply title and abstract (*due on 31 October 2013*.)