

Detailed Program of Activities

Day 1 September 13, 2017 (Wednesday)

7:00-9:00	Registration (SSU Grounds)	
9:01-12:00	Opening Program - M Grand Royale Resort, Catbalogan City	
	Prayer	SSU Chorale
	Philippine National Anthem	
	ASEAN Hymn	
	Welcome Address	Dr. Marilyn D. Cardoso University President Samar State University
		Stephany Uy-Tan City Mayor Catbalogan City
		Hon. Sharee Ann Tan-delos Santos Governor Province of Samar
	Special Number (Waray-waray Medley)	SSU Chorale
	Presentation of Participants	Dr. Ronald L. Orale Vice President Planning, Research & Extension Samar State University
	Presentation of Conference Rationale	Dr. Sherrie Ann Cananua-Labid Director, Research Center for Culture and Social Issues / 2017 POCAN Lead Convenor Samar State University
	Introduction of the Plenary Speaker 1	Dr. Felisa E. Gomba Vice-President, Academic Affairs Samar State University
	Plenary Talk 1	Dr. Marieta B. Sumagaysay Executive Director National Research Council of the Philippines
	Awarding of Plaque of Recognition	Dr. Marilyn D. Cardoso University President, Samar State University
		Hon. Sharee Ann Tan-delos Santos Governor, Province of Samar
		Stephany Uy-Tan City Mayor, City of Catbalogan
12:01-1:00	Lunch Break	

1:01-2:30 **PLENARY SESSION**

Introduction of Plenary Speaker 2

Mr. Dennis G. Cosmod
City Youth Development Officer
City of Catbalogan

Plenary Talk 2:
**Success Story: The Hinundayan,
Southern Leyte Case - Top 10
Awardee for Galing Pook 2015**

Dr. Alfred M. Lagumbay
Municipal Mayor
Hinundayan, Southern Leyte

Open Forum

Awarding of Plaque of Recognition

Hon. Sharee Ann Tan-delos Santos
Governor, Province of Samar

Assisted by:

Dr. Marilyn D. Cardoso
University President, Samar State University

2:31-6:00 **RESEARCH PRESENTATION OF COMPETING PAPERS (Day 1)**

Presentation of Mechanics for Paper
and Oral Competition

Engr. Mirador G. Labrador
Director, Center for Eng'g, Science and
Technology Innovation
Samar State University

Introduction of the Panel of Evaluators

ECONOMIC DEVELOPMENT

Pre-Retirement Activities Of Selected Local Government
Units In Palawan: Basis For A Proposed Pre-Retirement
Program

Edison C. Gabileo
Western Philippines University

The Proliferation Of Danish And Demersal Trawl Fishing
And The Full Enforcement Of R.A. 10654 Known As Fishery
Law Of The Phils. And Its Effect To The Small And Medium
Commercial Fishing Sector And The Downstream Fishing
Fishing Industry Of Samar Sea

Marcos N. Ubaña
Entrepreneur –Sariaya, Quezon

The Our Lady Of The Philippines (Olp) Trappist Abbey: Its
Contribution To Community Development

Julieta G. Infante
Guimaras State College

GEOGRAPHY

Measuring The Wealth Index Across Mindanao Provinces
Using Principal Components Analysis

Jamila Allana B. Valdez
University Of Southeastern
Philippines

Spatial Regional Poverty Index Of The Philippines:
A Chemometric Approach

Belinda Plaza Ato
Fr. Saturnino Urios University

CULTURE

Understanding Poverty Of Samar In The Perspective Of
Children, Adolescents And Elderly Folks

Elmer Irene
Samar State University

Destitution And Rural Farmland Drowning Among Children
In Dujali, Davao Del Norte

Mervin G. Gascon
University Of Southeastern
Philippines

“Sagol”: A Phenomenological Study On Perennial Survival
Strategy Of Poor Households Along Coastal Areas

Naomi Panganoron-Jabonete
Samar State University

Lived Experiences Of Families Earning Less Than A Dollar A
Day

**Maria Rubi M. Parrocho and
Ruby Grace B. Pacolor**
Samar State University

Masters of Ceremonies:
Ms. Elma C. Sultan
Mr. Jhonil C. Bajado
Samar State University

6:30-8:00 **Fellowship Night 1: Dinner with the City Mayor**

Prayer

In multi-media presentation

Message and Ceremonial Toast

Stephany Uy-Tan
City Mayor
City of Catbalogan

Cultural and Acoustic Performances

Master of Ceremonies:
Mr. Dennis G. Cosmod
City Youth Development Office
City of Catblogan

Day 2 September 14, 2017 (Thursday)

8:00-8:30 Preliminaries

Synthesis of Day 1

Dr. Redentor S. Palencia

Director, Publication

Samar State University

8:31-12:00 **Breakout Sessions**

8:31-12:00 **Venue 1: Grand Ballroom, M Grand Royale Resort Hotel
LGU and Academic Group**

RESEARCH PRESENTATION OF COMPETING PAPERS (Day 2)

POVERTY ERADICATION PROGRAMS

Poverty Alleviation Through Food Product Processes

Arthur G. Ibañez

Cagayan State University

Impact Of Microfinance On Agricultural Productivity Of
Agrarian Reform Beneficiaries (Arbs) In Davao Del Norte

Christine R. Varquez

University Of Southeastern
Philippines

Shortfalls In Poverty Eradication: A Literature Review

Jeremy D. Balondo

Naval State University

ECO-TOURISM

Pera Mula Sa Paruparo: The Pro-Poor And Pro-Environment
Butterfly Livelihood Of Marinduque, Philippines

Neil Cezar L. Sapungan

Marinduque State College

Market Potential Of Cut Flowers Produced In The Marginal
Upland Communities In Leyte

Elvira E. Ongy

Visayas State University

AGRI-FISHERY

Participatory Assessment Of Resources And Needs In A
Marginal Upland Community In Samar, Philippines

Editha G. Cagasan

Visayas State University

ENVIRONMENT AND NATURAL RESOURCES

Optimization Of Farm Income Of Communities Vulnerable To
Climate Change Conditions

Elvira E. Ongy

Visayas State University

ENVIRONMENT AND NATURAL RESOURCES

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| Integrating Rapid Care Analysis (Rca) In Building Resilient And Sustainable Women-Led Livelihoods In Eastern Samar | Milagros C. Bales, Elvira E. Ongy
Visayas State University |
| Establishment Of Solar-Powered Irrigation With Aquaculture System In Rainfed Rice Field: Key To Food Security And Poverty Alleviation | Fernando V. Magdato, Jr., Ryan M. Abenoja
University of Southeastern Philippines |
| Crabbing Into An Uncertain Future: The Blue Swimming Crab Fishers In Samar, Philippines | Pedro S. Cabrales
Samar State University |

GOVERNMENT

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| Determinants Of Maternal Health Care Utilization Of Pantawid Familyang Pilipino Program (4PS) Beneficiaries In Tacloban City | Jeric J. Carvajal
University Of The Philippines Visayas (Tacloban College) |
| Social Welfare Services : Citizen Satisfaction Index System (Csis) Of Buenavista, Guimaras, Philippines | Julieta G. Infante, D.R.D
Guimaras State College |

12:01-1:00 **Lunch Break**

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| 1:01-5:00 Introduction of Plenary Speaker 3 | Dr. Efren A. Galo
Vice President for Research & Extension,
University of Eastern Philippines, Catarman
Northern Samar |
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<i>Plenary talk 3:</i> The Environment and its Role in Sustainable Economic Development	Sec. Roy A. Cimat Secretary, Department of Environment and Natural Resources
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| Paper Presentation: Samar Island: Managing Our Natural Heritage | Ms. Charo Nabong-Cabardo
Samar Island Partnership for Peace and Development |
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Open Forum

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| Awarding of Plaque of Recognition | Hon. Sharee Ann Tan-delos Santos
Governor, Province of Samar
Assisted by: |
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Dr. Marilyn D. Cardoso
University President, Samar State University

Moderator:

Ms. Nelieta C. Baguna
Consultant, Sparks Samar
Development Agenda

Master of Ceremonies:

Ms. Nathalie C. Alaga
Mr. Darwin Macalalad
Samar State University

8:31-12:00 **Venue 2: Pool Side, M Grand Royale Resort Hotel**
Academic Group

RESEARCH PRESENTATION

Eco-Tourism

Unveiling Hidden Resources and
Treasures to the World: SSU's Potential
Strategy to Samar's Regeneration

Dr. Felisa E. Gomba
Samar State University
Catbalogan City

Agri-Fishery

Productivity and Environmental Impact
of Different Mussel Farming Methods in
Samar

Dr. Emilio H. Cebu
Office of the Provincial Agriculturist
Province of Samar

Participatory Design and Implementation
of Cutflower Livelihood in Barangay
Cabulisan, Inopacan, Leyte

Dr. Milagros C. Bales
Visayas State University
Baybay City

Devastation of Aquatic Living Resources
in Maqueda Bay and Samar Sea

Mr. Jesus T. Racuyal
Director, Center for Fisheries and
Aquatic Resources Research Center and
Development, Samar State University

Environment and Natural Resources

Insecticidal Properties of *Citrus maxima*

Binobo, A.P., Lainez, M.N.B., Violan, E.C.
Philippine Science High School
Southern Mindanao Campus

Economic Development

An Enterprise Level of Supply and Demand Analysis of Rock Oyster or "Sisi" Industry in Majaba Island, Catbalogan City: A Value Chain Analysis

Mr. Gerwyn P. Enerlan
University of the Philippines - Tacloban College
Tacloban City

Status and Challenges of the Deaf in Butuan City: Towards the Development of Support Systems and Socio-economic Opportunities

Ms. Freya Wyan Silva-Dela Cruz
Northern Negros State College of Science and Technology
Sagay City, Negros Occidental

Improving Competitiveness of Mandarin in Nueva Viscaya, Philippines, Linking Mandarin Farmers to Markets

Mr. Gayon P. Sarmiento
Nueva Viscaya State University
Nueva Viscaya

VERMINET: A social innovation project for the community – IGLO RAG Sewing and Weaving Livelihood Project: A Sustainable Approach to Women Empowerment

Ms. Conchita M. Palencia
Isabela Green Ladies Organization
Cauayan, Isabela

12:01-1:00 **Lunch Break**

1:01-5:00 **Government**

Drivers and Consequences of Population Growth in the Poorest Communities in Samar

Ms. Marife Mustacisa
Samar State University – Paranas Campus
Lipata, Paranas, Samar

Extent of Post-Haiyan Support to Agriculture Programs and Projects in Local Government Units of the First Units of the First District of Leyte

Dr. Gerald Jayson B. Balanga
Eastern Visayas State University
Tacloban City

Culture

Cultural Practices and Values of Samarnons: Understanding Poverty through Socio-Cultural Perspective

Ms. Mary Ann Abalos-Broderick
College of Industrial Technology, SSU
Catbalogan City

Construction of Poverty in Contemporary Waray Poetry

Mr. Phil Harold L. Mercurio
Visayas State University
Baybay City

Geography

Rebuilding Life and Livelihood after Typhoon Pablo in New Bataan, Compostela Valley

Dr. Cecirly G. Puig
University of Southeastern Philippines,
Mabini Campus, Compostela Valley

Poverty Eradication

Environmental Experiences and Poverty Alleviation: The Case of Small Islands Communities in Marinduque

Diosdado P. Zulueta, Ffp, Dpa
Marinduque State College
Marinduque

Addressing Former Drug Dependents' Issues of Poverty and Vulnerability through Participatory Action Research

Dr. Marvin G. Gascon
University of Southeastern Philippines
Obrero Campus, Davao City

Master of Ceremonies:

Ms. Joan J. Baclay

Mr. Joseph Jordan Villanueva
Samar State University

06:16-8:00 Dinner with the Samar Provincial Governor

Prayer

Words of Inspiration

Hon. Sharee Ann Tan-delos Santos
Governor, Province of Samar

Announcement of Winners

Dr. Vivian L. Moya
Director, Technology Licensing and Innovation
Support Office, SSU Catbalogan

1. Best Paper Award (1st, 2nd & 3rd)
2. Best Oral Presenter (1st, 2nd & 3rd)

Award to be given by:

Hon. Sharee Ann Tan-delos Santos
Governor, Province of Samar

Assisted by:

**Dr. Marilyn D. Cardoso,
Dr. Ronald L. Orale, and
Dr. Sherrie Ann C. Labid**

Dinner with the Acoustic Band

Master of Ceremonies:

Mr. Marvin Piczon

Provincial Tourism Officer, Province of Samar

Day 3 September 15, 2017 (Friday)

8:00-5:00 Experiential Tour by the academic group (Please arrange during the registration)

8:00-8:30 Preliminaries

Synthesis of Day 2

Dr. Marlyn G. Lanzarrote

Director, Gender and Development

Introduction of Plenary Speaker 4

Ms. Rosario Francisca Miel

Tourism Operation Officer, Province of Samar

Plenary talk 4:

USec. Alma Rita R. Jimenez

Undersecretary, Department of Tourism

The Spark Samar Story

Hon. Sharee Ann Tan-delos Santos

Governor, Province of Samar

Open Forum

Ms. Nelieta C. Baguna- Moderator

Consultant, Sparks Samar Dev't Agenda

Awarding of Plaque of Recognition

Dr. Marilyn D. Cardoso

Assisted by:

Dr. Ronald L. Orale

12:00-1:00 Lunch Break

1:01-4:00 Introduction of Plenary Speaker 5

Dr. Marieta Espiña

Vice President, Research and Extension
Northwest Samar State University
Calbayog City

Plenary talk 5:

ASec. Rolando B. Asuncion

Policy & Programs, Office of the Presidential
Adviser on Peace Process

Paper on: Conflict Analysis. Conflict
Profile, Challenges and Proposed
Interventions

Ms. Imelda C. Bonifacio

Program Manager, Area Management Team, EV
Office of the Presidential Adviser on Peace
Process

Open Forum

Ms. Nelieta C. Baguna

Consultant, Spark Samar Development Agenda

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Special Number	Selected Students Samar State University
4:00-5:00 Closing Program	
Awarding of Plaque of Recognition to Major Co-Sponsors	Dr. Mariyn D, Cardoso University President, Samar State University Assisted by: Dr. Ronald L. Orale Vice-President for Planning, Research and Extension Services, Samar State University
1. The Province of Samar 2. The City Government of Catbalogan	
Message and Ceremonial Toast	Hon. Stephany Uy-Tan City Mayor, Catbalogan City
Impressions	Representatives from LGUs, POs and Civic Organizations
Take Home Message	Dr. Marilyn D. Cardoso University President Samar State University
Words of Acknowledgment	Dr. Sherrie Ann Cananua-Labid Director, RCCSI POVCON 2017 Lead Convenor
Masters of Ceremonies: Ms. Nathalie C. Alaga Mr. Jhonil Bajado Samar State University	