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**GOKONGWEI BROTHERS FOUNDATION'S YOUNG SCIENTIST AWARD 2020 VIRTUAL
CONFERMENT CEREMONY**

Attached is an emailed letter from the Gokongwei Brothers Foundation (GBF), dated November 18, 2020, announcing the conduct of the GBF Young Scientist Award 2020 Virtual Conferment Ceremony on November 27, 2020, 10:00 a.m. to 12:00 p.m. via Zoom.

The interested participants can refer to the attachment for more information.

Participation of both public and private schools shall be subject to the *no-disruption-of-classes policy* stipulated in DepEd Order No. 9, s. 2005 entitled *Instituting Measures to Increase Engaged Time-on-Task and Ensuring Compliance Therewith*.

Considering that this is an Advisory, Schools Division Superintendents are given the discretion to act on this matter.

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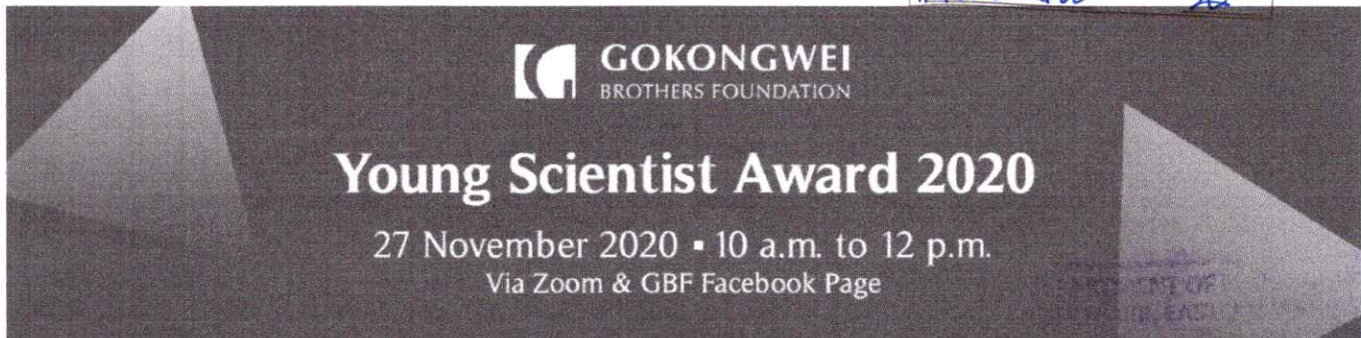


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[Invitation] GBF Young Scientist Award 2020 Virtual Conferment Ceremony for DepEd NSTF 2020 Winners and ISEF 2020 Delegates

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Dear Department of Education partners,

We are **Gokongwei Brothers Foundation**, a family foundation striving to make a lasting impact on education in the Philippines. Among our programs is the GBF Young Scientist Award (YSA), which recognizes Filipino students demonstrating excellence in STEM and research. By giving the award, we hope that more young people will appreciate STEM and aspire to be scientists and innovators themselves.

For the second straight year, GBF is honored to confer the GBF YSA upon the top 12 student-researchers who won the Department of Education's National Science and Technology Fair and eventual Philippine delegates to the International Science and Engineering Fair (ISEF). The recognition comes with a STEM college scholarship.

GBF YSA 2020 recipients are from **Juan R. Liwag Memorial High School (Gapan City), Bansud National High School (Oriental Mindoro), Iloilo National High School, Negros Occidental National Science High School, and Calocan National Science and Technology High School.**

Herewith, we would like to invite you to the **GBF Young Scientist Award 2020 Virtual Conferment Ceremony on November 27, 2020, Friday, 10:00 a.m. to 12:00 p.m.** The event coincides with the celebration of the National Science and Technology Week. We have prepared a simple program that celebrates STEM in K to 12 through sharing stories about our awardees' works and research journey, encouraging words from education leaders, and an inspiring message from renowned Filipino scientist and ISEF alumna, Dr. Reinabelle Reyes.

We hope you would save the date to join us then. Your presence will be highly appreciated. We hope you can confirm your attendance by replying to this email.

We would also be grateful if your office could please cascade this good news to your stakeholders, particularly your science supervisors, teachers, and junior and senior high school students, so they can join us during the ceremony. Interested attendees can join us via Zoom by registering through <http://bit.ly/gbfysa2020zoomregistration> or catch the live broadcast via GBF's Facebook Page at www.facebook.com/gokongweibrothersfoundation.

Should there be anything we can assist you with, please feel free to send a message to our special projects coordinator, Debbie Nieto, through email debbie.nieto.gbf@gmail.com or mobile number 0928-554-8337. Thank you very much and we hope to see you then!

DepEd Manila
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Sincerely,
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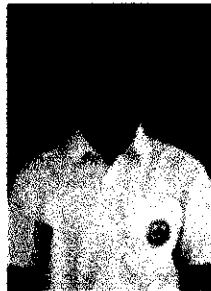
HONOREES

*Top twelve student-researchers in the Department of Education's
2020 National Science and Technology Fair and Philippine delegates to the
2020 International Science and Engineering Fair*



Chloe Heather V. Ellano, 18 • Adoniram D. Balagtas, 19
Thea Marie E. Lumabi, 18
Caloocan National Science and Technology High School
Senior High School, 2020

*Proponents, **ABANTE: Arduino-Based Anti-Theft Engine Control by Alcohol-Sensing
and Accident Preventive Helmet***



Franklin U. Razon, 18
Bansud National High School – Regional Science High School for Mimaropa
Junior High School, 2020

*Proponent, **Oil Retrieval System Using Selected Philippine Fibers
for Remote Sensing Surface Vehicle***

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Marvince P. Araneta, 18 • Lorraine Joy Z. Bales, 19
Iloilo National High School - Senior High School, 2020

*Proponents, **N-doped Carbon Quantum Dots-Based Selective and Sensitive
Fluorescent Probes: Portable in situ Water Monitoring Prototype Kit for Hg²⁺
and Pb²⁺**, a portable device that detects presence of heavy metals in water*



Marian M. Ledesma, 18
Negros Occidental National Science High School - Senior High School, 2020

*Proponent, **EDTA Modified Magnetic Graphene Oxide
Nanoadsorbents: Its Adsorption Behavior on Organic Pollutants and
Bacterial Pathogens in Aqueous Solutions**, a study on a nanoadsorbent
that has potential to remove organic pollutants in water more efficiently*

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Arabelle Santos, 16 • Guiliana Anupol, 17 • Jesscel Libiran, 16
Juan R. Liwag Memorial High School - Junior High School, 2020

*Proponents, **Hydrocotyle Verticillata (Takip Kuhol) Reduces Ethanol Tolerance
and Neurotoxic Effects on Cognitive and Motor Function of Drosophila
melanogaster**, a study on local plant extract that reduces dependency on alcohol and
mitigates its harmful effects*



Ray Vincent Pelayo, 19 • Gerardo Rafael Tallador, 18
Iloilo National High School - Senior High School, 2020

*Proponents, **Isolation and Characterization of Lactic Acid Bacteria
Isolated from Nypa fruticans Wurmb. Sap (Tuba): A Potential
Antimicrobial and Antioxidant**, a study on nipa palm as potential
source of cancer-preventing antioxidants*