



Republic of the Philippines
Department of Education
REGION VIII - EASTERN VISAYAS

September 27, 2022

REGIONAL MEMORANDUM

No. **1095**, s. 2022

**INTEGRATED BAR OF THE PHILIPPINES (IBP) JOINT REGIONAL CONVENTION
EASTERN AND WESTERN VISAYAS REGIONS**

To: Schools Division Superintendents
Division Legal Officers

- Attached is the schedule for the IBP Joint Regional Convention for Eastern and Western Visayas Regions with the theme, "Lawyers Bridging Relevance and Resilience in a Changing World," which will be held on **October 11-16, 2022** in **Cebu City**.
- The aforesaid activity shall credit attendance to the lectures as Mandatory Continuing Legal Education (MCLE) compliance pursuant to Supreme Court BAR Matter No. 850 dated October 2, 2001 which mandates all lawyers, whether engaged in the private or public practice of law, to attend MCLE to ensure that throughout their career, they keep abreast with law and jurisprudence, maintain the ethics of the profession and enhance the standards of the practice of law.
- As a mandatory undertaking for lawyers, attendance thereto shall be on official business. Registration and travel expenses shall be charged against the Division's local fund subject to the usual accounting and auditing rules and regulations.
- Immediate dissemination of and compliance with this memorandum are desired.


EVELYN R. FETALVERO, CESO IV
Regional Director

Enclosure: As Stated

References: None

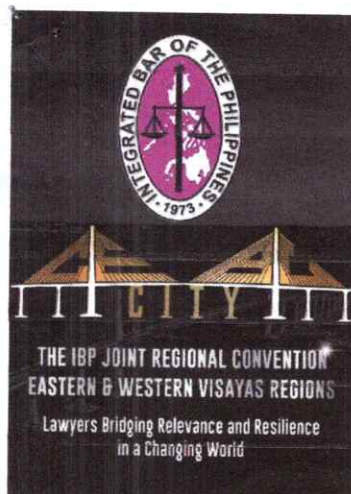
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INTEGRATED BAR OF THE PHILIPPINES EASTERN AND WESTERN VISAYAS REGION 11 to 16 October 2022, Cebu City		
Theme: "Lawyers Bridging Relevance and Resilience in a Changing World."		
REGISTRATION FEES		
FULL MCLE COURSE 36th UNITS: PhP10,500.00		
CONVENTION ONLY PhP 6,500.00	PER DAY PhP 3,000.00	For Lifetime Members PhP 10,000.00
For IBP Cebu City Chapter Members PhP 10,000.00	For Early Bird Registrants PhP 9,500.00	FOR ONLINE Participants 4 days: PhP 7,500.00 Convention only: PhP4,000
SCHEDULE OF ACTIVITIES		
11 OCTOBER 2022		
TUESDAY – REGIONAL CONVENTION SPORTSFEST		
10:00 AM	Opening of the Regional Convention Basketball Cup	Capitol Parish Basketball Court
12 OCTOBER 2022		
WEDNESDAY – REGIONAL CONVENTION SPORTSFEST		
7:00 AM	Regional Convention Golf Cup	Alta Vista
8:00 AM – 4:00 PM	Regional Convention Tennis Cup	Casino Español, Cebu City
8:00 AM - 3:00 PM	Regional Convention Badminton Cup	
10:00 AM onwards	Regional Convention Billiards Cup	
To be announced	Regional Convention Bowling Cup	Casino Español or SM City Cebu, North Reclamation Area, Cebu City
13 OCTOBER 2022		
THURSDAY – REGIONAL CONVENTION PROPER (MCLE DAY 1)		
Venue: Pacific Ballroom, Waterfront Hotel Cebu Attire: Filipiniana/Barong		
TIME	TOPIC	SPEAKER
8:00 AM – 10:00 AM	Access to Justice through Rule 138-A: The Law Student Practice Rule <i>(Updates in Substantive & Procedural Laws & Jurisprudence – 2 units)</i>	ATTY. JOSE GLENN C. CAPANAS Dean, School of Law & Governance, University of San Carlos
10:00 AM – 11:00 AM	REGIONAL CONVENTION OPENING CEREMONIES	
11:00 AM – 10:00 AM	The Supreme Court and the IBP: Refocusing its Advocacy and Restoring Faith in the Justice System <i>Updates in Substantive & Procedural Laws & Jurisprudence – 1 unit</i>	Hon. ALEXANDER G. GESMUNDO Chief Justice, Supreme Court of the Philippines
12:00 PM – 1:00 PM	LUNCH BREAK	
1:00 PM – 2:00 PM	Strengthening Governance and Environmental Protection with LGUs and Stakeholders <i>MCLE Prescribed – Law and the Environment – 1 unit</i>	HON. CHRISTINA GARCIA-FRASCO Secretary of the Department of Tourism
2:00 PM – 3:00 PM	Traditional and Social Media and the Law: Freedom of Speech and the Value of Information and Fact Checking <i>MCLE Prescribed – Law reforms in the specific area of law – 1 unit</i>	ATTY. EDWARD CHICO
3:00 PM – 4:00 PM	Mandatory ROTC and its Implication on the Current Educational System <i>MCLE Prescribed – Law as a Means of Social Control – 1 unit</i>	ATTY. REYNOLD MUNSAYAC Spokesperson, Office of the Vice President of the Philippines
4:00 PM – 6:00 PM	Challenges in the Political Landscape: Reforms in the Electoral Process (Round Table Discussion) <i>Updates in Substantial and Procedural Laws – 2 units</i>	ASP RYAN REY QUILALA Reactors: ATTY. EDWARD CHICO ATTY. FERDINAND GUIJILDE ATTY. ANTONIO PIDO
6:30 PM – 9:00 PM	WELCOME DINNER TO THE REGIONAL CONVENTION PARTICIPANTS	

Guest Speaker: Vice President Sara Z. Duterte-Carpio
Arctic Hall, Waterfront Hotel Cebu
Attire: Smart Casual

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FRIDAY – REGIONAL CONVENTION PROPER (MCLE DAY 2)

Pacific Ballroom, Waterfront Hotel Cebu Attire: Business

TIME	TOPIC	SPEAKER
8:00 AM – 9:00 AM	Inclusive Growth through Inclusive Business: The Sustainable Way Forward for the IP Communities <i>Updates in Substantive & Procedural Laws and Jurisprudence – 1 unit</i>	ATTY. BURT M. ESTRADA National President, Integrated Bar of the Philippines
9:00 AM – 10:00 AM	Data Privacy and Protection of Personal and Financial Data from Cyberthreats <i>MCLE Prescribed – Technology & the Law – 1 unit</i>	ATTY. ETHELBERT OUANO
10:00 AM – 12:00 PM	Anti Money Laundering and Anti-Terrorism Cases in Commercial Courts <i>MCLE Prescribed – Transnational Business Transactions – 2 units</i>	ATTY. MEL GEORGIE RACELA Executive Director, Anti-Money Laundering Council
12:00 PM – 1:00 PM	LUNCH BREAK	
1:00 PM – 3:00 PM	Oral Lex: How to Win Arguments in the Court of Last Resort <i>Legal Writing and Oral Advocacy – 2 units</i>	DEAN CECILIO D. DUKA College of Education University of Makati
3:00 PM – 4:00 PM	No to Legalese: Legal Writing Made Plain <i>Legal Writing and Oral Advocacy – 1 unit</i>	
4:00 PM – 5:00 PM	Preparing for the Practice of Law in a World Without Borders <i>Legal Ethics – 1 unit</i>	ATTY. LOUIE JOHN LOOD
5:00 PM – 6:00 PM	The Philippines in the International Law Stage <i>Public International Law – 2 units</i>	DEAN RODEL A. TATON Dean, Graduate School of Law, San Sebastian College - Recoletos, Manila
6:30 PM	FESTIVAL OF FESTIVALS – Search for the Festival Queen, Awarding of SportsFest Winners Jimei Hall, 5 th Floor, Waterfront Hotel Cebu Attire: Relaxed-Casual	

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SATURDAY – MCLE DAY 3

Arctic Hall, 2nd Floor, Waterfront Hotel Cebu Attire: Business

8:00 AM – 11:00 AM	In But Out of Court: The Why's and How's of Alternative Dispute Resolution <i>Alternative Dispute Resolution – 3 units</i>	ATTY. JAY PATRICK SANTIAGO Counsel Hong Kong International Arbitration Center
11:00 AM – 12:00 PM	Expedite and Simplify with Good Judicial Affidavits <i>Legal Writing and Oral Advocacy – 1 unit</i>	ATTY. MAE S. AGUILAR
12:00 PM – 1:00 PM	LUNCH BREAK	
1:00 PM – 3:00 PM	Labor of Love: Productivity and Profit with Justice and Equity <i>Updates in Substantive and Procedural Laws and Jurisprudence – 2 units</i>	ATTY. JOSEPHUS B. JIMENEZ
3:00 PM – 5:00 PM	Commercial Arbitration and the Courts <i>Alternative Dispute Resolution – 2 units</i>	DEAN RODEL A. TATON
5:00 PM – 6:00 PM	IBP Hour Legal Ethics – 1 unit	ATTY. BURT M ESTRADA President, IBP National

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SUNDAY – MCLE DAY 4Arctic Hall, 2nd Floor, Waterfront Hotel Cebu Attire: Smart Casual

8:00 PM – 12:00 PM	The Good Lawyer in a Changing and Challenging World <i>Legal Ethics – 4 units</i>	ATTY. ROBERTY JAY 'BOBBY' A. QUITAIN
12:00 PM – 1:00 PM	LUNCH BREAK	
1:00 PM – 5:00 PM	The Tactics and Techniques of Direct and Cross <i>Pre-Trial Skills – 4 units</i>	JUSTICE ELEUTERIO L. BATHAN Court of Appeals
5:00 PM – 6:00 PM	For Better or Worse: The Changes and Process Development of Psychological Incapacity Updates in Substantive & Procedural Laws and Jurisprudence – 1 unit	ATTY. MAE S. AGUILAR