

## **UPHSL BIÑAN PUNCTUATES AY 2020-2021 WITH MAJOR WINS AT 14<sup>TH</sup> NOCEI RESEARCH FORUM**

Closing the calendar of the academic year 2020-2021 with a major research feat, Perpetualite researchers bagged three best speaker and three best paper awards at the recently concluded 14th NOCEI (Network of CALABARZON Educational Institutions, Inc.) Research Forum in its first ever virtual research presentations and competition organized by the Lyceum of the Philippines University-Batangas via Zoom last May 21.

Raymond Cabrera of the College of Engineering, Aviation and Architecture dominated participating student researchers from the region as he bagged both the speaker and best paper award for a group quantitative paper entitled "Mental Workload Impact from Online Learning of Engineering Students in a Philippine Private University." His classmate John Carel P. Bunyi, from the same college, placed 2<sup>nd</sup> in the best speaker category for Track 7C together with Cabrera. He presented his group for the study entitled "Musculoskeletal Disorders Acquired During Online Distance Learning and its Effects to the Academic Performance of Industrial Engineering Students"

Competing for Track 7B of student researchers, Jezelle Anne C. Quintana from the College of Education landed as 3<sup>rd</sup> best speaker for their study entitled "Confidence in Oral Communication, Motivation in Language Learning and Academic Performance in Purposive Communication among Students of Teacher Education." Representing the same college, Karen A. Protusada won the 3<sup>rd</sup> best paper award for the student research (quantitative category) entitled "Knowledge and Readiness of Teachers in Providing Appropriate Accommodations for Children with Special Needs in Inclusive Education Setting."

For faculty quantitative research category, Engr. Araceli C. Corpuz from the College of Arts and Sciences took home the 3<sup>rd</sup> best paper award for her study "Level of Implementation of Safety Practices and Level of Safety in the Workplace."



Forum poster showing the details of the virtual affair as well as the member schools of NOCEI.

## University of Perpetual Help System Laguna Research and Development Center

Other student researchers who participated in the forum included Kimberly C. Tapangco and Celine Grace B. Santos both from the College of Education while other faculty presenters were composed of Dr. Ma. Eliza D. Mapanoo (College of Computer Studies), Jocelyn T. Mendoza (College of Business and Accountancy), Susan L. Palaroan (College of International Hospitality Management) and Melissa P. Cabria (College of Maritime Education).

Dr. Leomar S. Galicia, the research director of the campus and a member of the NOCEI Research Committee also served as moderator for Track 7B (Humanities and Social Sciences) and judged in selecting the top three video presenters apiece for Track 7A, 7B and 7C.

Themed “NOCEI Amidst Adversities and Opportunities in the Fourth Industrial Revolution (FIRE): Transcending Global Crisis Towards a Redefined and Recovering Society”, the virtual affair aimed at providing a platform for the intellectual discourse related to research initiatives, outputs and best practices as well as sharing valuable research insights on adversities and opportunities faced by HEIs in Region IV-A during the Fourth Industrial Revolution towards transcending the emerging global crisis.

NOCEI is a non-stock, non-profit corporation, which aims to promote cooperation and collaboration among private and public educational institutions in the Philippine provinces of Cavite, Laguna, Batangas, Rizal, and Quezon.

**TRACK NO. 7C  
UNDERGRADUATE STUDENT PAPER**

	Name	AFFILIATION
Best Presenter	RAYMOND CABRERA	UPHSL-Biñan Campus
2nd Best Presenter	JON CAREL P. BUNYI	UPHSL-Biñan Campus
3rd Best Presenter	JOHN KENNETH M. RAFOLS	FAITH Colleges

**Best Paper for Faculty Quantitative Researches**

	Name	AFFILIATION
Best Paper	Mark John A. Ayuso	Sacred Heart College
2nd Best Paper	ANNIE F. ABONITA, Cheriz Jazmin A. Andron, Juan Miguel G. Casabella, Angelica, Shane M. Collat, Coleen L. Sison, Angelica M. Villas	Lycium of the Philippines University- Cavite
3rd Best Paper	Araceli C. Corpuz	UPHSL-Biñan Campus

**TRACK NO. 7B  
UNDERGRADUATE STUDENT PAPER**

	Name	AFFILIATION
Best Presenter	CYRIL FRANE	Lycium of the Philippines University- Batangas
2nd Best Presenter	BIEN ELLINE SHAYNE I. LAGRAZON	Lycium of the Philippines University- Batangas
3rd Best Presenter	JEZELLE ANNE C. QUINTANA	UPHSL-Biñan Campus

**Best Paper for Student Quantitative Researches**

	Name	AFFILIATION
Best Paper	RAYMOND CABRERA, Joanne Grace Arayo, Daniel Jesse Gonzales, Dale Jude Montefez and Emily Passaron	UPHSL-Biñan Campus
2nd Best Paper	BRENT ROH N. GUTIERREZ, Von Jerico G. Actan, Wynzel M. Malvarang, Michelle E. Tolbon, Ailyn Joy B. Tafala, Ahsahil Miaa Borbon	Lycium of the Philippines University- Batangas
3rd Best Paper	KAREN A. PROTUSADA, Kyla Joyce Mikaela S. Catnig, and Alton A. Bumlale	UPHSL-Biñan Campus

**WINNING BIG VIRTUALLY.** Screenshots of recognitions received by UPHSL researchers during the closing ceremonies. Awards were clustered for student and faculty researchers both for quantitative and qualitative categories.