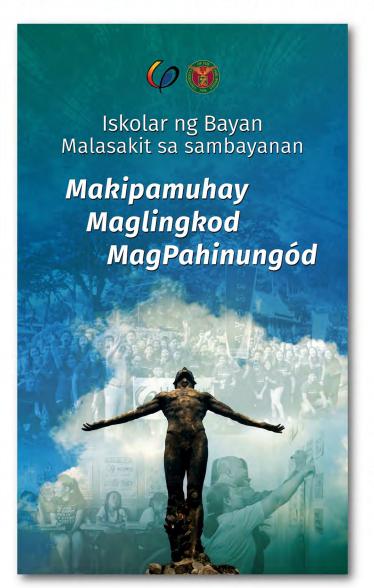
Why Support U.P.?

BECAUSE U.P. SERVES HUMANITY

The University of the Philippines (UP) is cited as the best research university in the Philippines and ranks among prestigious universities in Asia and the world. With academic freedom and excellence, the UP System continues to "shape the minds that shape the nation." It gives the opportunity for excellent education for poor but talented Filipinos who will in turn help improve their communities. It has been producing professionals whose excellent work has touched lives all over the world, Including Chicagoland.

UPAAGC supports the various programs of the UP System, including scholarships, and research, as well as programs that benefit our local community. Its fundraising events have supported numerous initiatives of UP both here in the US and back home in the Philippines. This year, most of the funds raised will be used to help fund a joint flagship program by the Philippine Department of Education and UP to mobilize a select group of UP graduates to teach for one year in public schools in underserved areas in the country.





2019 Beneficiary

Gurong Pahinungod Program

VOLUNTEER TEACHER PROGRAM

Guro = Teacher | Pahinungod = Offering, Oblation

Volunteer UP Graduates will be deployed to Balangkayan National High School (Eastern Samar) and Apu Palamguwan Cultural Education Center (Bukidnon) to teach Science, Math, Social Studies, Music, Arts, PE and Health.

The program will also assist the Department of Education in developing and implementing improvement projects such as teacher training, localization and contextualization of instructional materials, and other initiatives.

Started by then UP President Emil Q. Javier, UP established the country's first university-based formal volunteer service program - the Ugnayan ng Pahinungod/Oblation Corps in 1994. The College of Education had its version with the Gurong Pahinungod Program. This year, the program was revived in partnership with the Philippine Department of Education. In May 2019, UP President Danilo L. Concepcion has mandated its reactivation among all UP units becoming a systemwide project under the Office of the President.

Funds raised will go toward plane fair and living expenses of volunteers.

To learn more, go to www.upaagc.com

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U.P. PRE-MEDICAL SOCIETY



Medical Mission

In collaboration with the local government unit and volunteer doctors, the Medical Mission is an annual event held for a specific community with the hopes of providing health service that the community needs. In line with the vision and mission of the Society, we plan to hold the free clinic in Angat, Bulacan this semester.



Elders Project

A special day for the lolas and lolos of the GRACES Home for the Elderly wherein the members spend quality time and share love to the elders. Song numbers and a couple of performances are prepared to entertain the elderly.



Free Sports Clinic

A free sports clinic for the children of Krus Na Ligas where the members of the Society collaborate with UP Varsity athletes in coaching sports (Futsal, Basketball, and Volleyball) aiming to inspire the youth about the beauty and discipline of playing sports. Basic techniques and drills will be taught followed by. The ultimate goal is to help children learn lessons that will instill confidence, discipline, teamwork, camaraderie, grit, and dedication.



Tree Planting

An environmental drive in which the members pitch in their efforts in spreading awareness about saving and keeping the environment clean by planting more trees. This will be done in collaboration with the local government of Rizal and a partnership with the UP Circle of Landscape Architecture Students.





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