

## TESDA Women's Center NEWSLETTER

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## 21 TWC GSMI Bartending NC II Graduates



21 trainees of Bartending NC II successful graduated in partnership with Ginebra San Miguel, Inc. Secretary Isidro S. Lapeña, Ph.D., CSEE, Director General and Mr. Allan P. Mercado, Vice President/Marketing & Sales Manager, Ginebra San Miguel, Inc.

On December 1, 2021 twenty one (21) trainees of Bartending NC II in partnership with Ginebra San Miguel, Inc. (GSMI) graduated from the TESDA Women's Center (TWC).

The ceremony took place at the Tandang Sora Hall of TWC where Ms. Angelica S. Gonzales, CPA, DBA, Chief of TWC gave the acknowledgment og Guests and Welcome Remarks, DDG Lina C. Sarmiento, Deputy Director General for TESD Operations led the Confirmation of the Graduates, Mr. Allan P. Mercado, Vice President/Maketing & Sales Manager delivered an ecouraging message to the graduates and Secretary Isidro S. Lapeña, PhD, CSEE as the Keynote Speaker and Guest of Honor.

Ms. Cherry S. Galit gave her testimony as a successful graduate of the TESDA-GSMI partnership. She took up Bartending NC II training and graduated at TWC on 2017.

The graduates received their certificates and tokens from GMSI.

After the closing ceremny, TESDA Secretary Isidro S. Lapena, together with Mr. Allan Mercado led the blessing



(L) Secretary Isidro S. Lapeña, Ph.D., CSEE, TESDA Director General delivering his keynote message to the graduates (R) Mr. Allan P. Mercado, Vice President/Marketing & Sales Manager, Ginebra San Miguel, Inc. dekivering his message of encouragement during the Closing Ceremony of Bartending NC II in partnership with GSMI.

## TWC Chief guest at the Bio-Flu Facebook Live Stream



On September 25, 2021 actor-host, and product endorser Luis Manzano interviewed Angelica S. Gonzales, CPA, DBA, Chief of TESDA Women's Center (TWC) for an episode of Bio Flu's Bangon Tips with Luis Manzano.

The Center Chief answered to the topic "Paano maging wais sa panahon ngayon". She provided the audience with important tips to be an employable person in the time of pandemic. She also answered live questions posted by the audience during the program. She also provided information on how to avail the programs by the government through TESDA.

She promoted the free training and assessment as services offered at the TWC and invited everyone to be TESDA certified to have better chances of landing a job.

Mr. Manzano also interviewed Ms. Michelle "Chie" D. Santos, a graduate of Bartending NC II at TWC. She shared her experiences in her training at TWC and working as a Bartender.

The program was broadcast live via Facebook at the Bio Flu Official Facebook Page. Bio Flu is a medicine produced and manufactured in the Philippines by Unilab Philippines, Inc.

Actor-Host Luis Manzano interviewed TWC's Center Chief Angelica S. Gonzales, CPA, DBA during the Bio Flu's live streaming at Facebook.



TWC Graduate Michelle D. Santos of Bartending NC II being interviewed by actor-host Luis Mansano.



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of the newly inaugurated Ginebra San Miguel Bar Academy at the TESDA Women's Center.

The Ginebra San Miguel (GSM) Bar Academy is a fully furnished Bartending Workshop sponsored by the GSMI, Its primary goals were to provide scholars an opportunity to change lives through education, to produce globally-competitive and jobready graduates, and to elevate the quality of the bartending profession in the Philippines.



Secretary Isidro S. Lapeña, Ph.D., CSEE, TESDA Director General & Mr. Allan P. Mercado, Vice President/Marketing & Sales Manager, GSMI led the inauguration of the Ginebra San Miguel, Inc. Bar Academy.

## 2021 Perception Study about the TESDA Women's Center as Perceived by the General Public: The Basis for Formulating the TWC's Communication and Marketing Plan

Reaearcher: Joenna T. Tattao

This study is an effort to find out and measure how the general public views and feels about the TESDA Women's Center in consideration of the twenty-three (23) years of public service, especially for women's empowerment and gender equality promotion in the technical vocational education and training (TVET) sector.

This quantitative study used an online perception survey tool in an attempt to determine the extent of a relationship between the respondent's demographics or profile and their subjective impressions, if any, about TWC.



Through this research, the Center will have a foundation of the public's opinions or even misperceptions about TWC aimed at bridging the right and effective communications to the public by means of a well-grounded communication and marketing plan and strategies.

## TWC Welcomes Technical Guidance and Site Inspection of DAP



DAP Trainer-Consultant Aileen Ricohermoso (5th from left) and Training Assiatant Rica Bustamante made an on-site visit to TWC and made a Technical Guidance for it's Operational Procedure in preparations for ISO 9001:2015.





A team from the Development Academy of the Philippines (DAP) provided technical guidance and conducted site inspection at the TESDA Women's Center (TWC) on November 25, 2021.

The team from DAP was composed of Ms. Aileen Ricohermoso, Trainer-Consultant and a Resource Person on ISO 9001:2015 and Ms. Rica Bustamante, Training Assistant.

The members of TWC managent and Unit Heads were headed by Angelica S. Gonzales, CPA, DBA, Chief of TWC welcomed the guests at the Tandang Sora Hall.

In a presentation, TWC showed and explained its operation processes and procedures in accepting applicants and enrollees of TWC's free training programs. Ms. Aileen took notes and shared her thoughts of their findings to TWC's operation processes. She gave tips and precious advice to TWC as it will be subjected to a mock audit and inspection in preparation for ISO 9001:2015.

Also present in the meeting were Vladimir John

P. Macapugay, TESD Specialist I from the Learning and Development Division, National Institute for Technical Education and Skills Development (LLD-NITESD), joined via Zoom were TESDA Regional Training Center - VIII (RTC - VIII) in Tacloban City and Davao Oriental Polytechnic Institute (DOPI) in Lupon, Davao Oriental.

The team inspected the operations of the Information and Referral Office (IRO), Registrar's Office, Assessment Focal Counter. Also visited were the Office of the Center Chief and selected workshops. They observed how TWC interacts with its clients, she looked on to the forms and asked few questions with the IRO Officer. After then, the team proceeded to the Registrar's Office and asked few questions to the registrar. They inspected the documents that were submitted to the registrar by the enrollees.

The team toured the TWC facilities and they were accompanied by Mylene H. Somera, Supervising TESD Specialist.

Overall, the team was impressed to the systematic process of TWC's enrollment process.

## **RAGADU Organizes Presentation of TWC Researches**

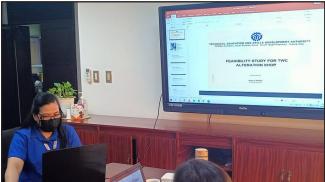


TESDA Women's Center Unit Heads, Researchers and members of the Research, Advocacy and GAD Unit (RAGADU) with lead panelist Angelica S. Gonzales, CPA, DBA, Chief of TWC during the presentation of research studies.









On November 24, 2021 the Research, Advocacy and GAD Unit (RAGADU) organized the presentation of ongoing and proposed reseach study for CY 2021 at the APACC Conference Room...

Present were members of the panel compsed of Angelica S. Gonzales, CPA, DBA, Chief of TESDA Women's Center, Mylene H. Somera, Supervising TESD Specialist/Head, RAGADU, Gerrelen D. Balbin, Senior TESD Specialist/Head, Training Management Unit (TMU), Aries Glenn L. Montesines, Senior TESD Specialist, Joenna T. Tattao, Senior TESD Specialist, Melina Faith E. Deinla, TESD Specialist II, Hannah Zitah Loisse D. Dela Cruz, TESD Specialist II.

The presented Research Studies are the following:

- An evaluation of existing guidance programs of TESDA Technology Institutions of the Philippines: A basis for standardaized guidance program framework for TVET Schools in collaboration with Puerto Prinsesa School of Arts and Trades (PPSAT) by Michael William H. Del Rosario, Supervising TESD Specialist;
- 2. Development of Signature Coffe for Café Juana by Kimberly G. Bautista, Senior TESD Specialist;
- Development of a Virtual Reality Simulator in Cocktail Mixing for Bartending NC II (The Mixologist-XYOLO) by Shella D. Bawar, Trainer, Bartending NC II;
- Pilot Production of Blue Pea Lemonade as a Ready-Drink Beverage by Shella D. Bawar, Trainer, Bartending NC II; and
- 5. Feasibility Study for TWC Alteration Shop by Irene B. Mortel, Senior TESD Specialist.

Each authors were given 20 minutes to present their research studies and 10 minutes the questions and answers the questions of the panel members.



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## TWC Opens Assessment Center for Domestic Worker NC II





Secretary Isidro S. Lapeña, PhD, CSEE inspected the newly blessed Assessment Center for Domestc Worker NC II at the TESDA Women's Center.

On June 9, 2021 TESDA Director General Secretary Isidro S. Lapeña, PhD, CSEE attended the blessing of the Domestc Worker NC II Assessment Center at the TESDA Women's Center.

The event was also attended by DDG Lina C. Sarmiento, Deputy Director for TESD Operations, RD Florencio F. Sunico, Jr., Regional Director, National Capital Region and Angelica S. Gonzales, CPA, DBA, Chief of TESDA Women's Center.

The Assessment Center will serve many Filipinos bound for abroad who needs assessment and certification services from TESDA which can help them secure better employment opportunities and earn higher wages.





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## Vision

"TESDA Women's Center is the lead TVET Institution of excellence in empowering Filipino women by 2022"

## Mission

"As the lead TVET specialized institution of excellence in women empowerment, TESDA Women's Center advocates and provides programs and services geared towards quality-assured, inclusive and gender-fair TVET."

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