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TO: **SCHOOLS DIVISION SUPERINTENDENTS**

FROM: **THE REGIONAL DIRECTOR**

SUBJECT: **ECON NO-MIX 2019**

This Office received a letter from Convener Reevien Castillo, School of Economics, University of the Philippines, F.M. Guerrero Street, Diliman, Quezon City dated January 16, 2019, for information.

Attached is the said letter for more details.

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Dear Ma'am/Sir:

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The UP Organization of Business Economics Majors (UP OBEM) is a duly recognized socio-academic organization based in the UP School of Economics, University of the Philippines Diliman. As an active member of Junior Philippine Economics Society (JPES), it has been triumphant in furthering its core thrusts of unity, service, and excellence. Now on its 31st year, UP OBEM continues to strengthen its presence as the sole business organization in the UP School of Economics, and stands by its commitment to promote academic excellence and provide exposure to both the business and Economics environment among its members and the student community.

This academic year, UP OBEM will once again hold Econ No-Mix, an annual economics convention that aims to bring together 300 high school students across the country in order to promote Economics by introducing different economic concepts in various fields through talks and competitions. It will be held on February 2-3, 2019, at the UP School of Economics, University of the Philippines Diliman, Quezon City.

Econ No-Mix 2019, entitled "CLICK: Reinventing the Business Landscape through E-Commerce", will focus on e-commerce and its current implications on Philippine society. The talks and competitions will serve as an avenue for the participants to learn about the role of e-commerce in emerging market economies such as the Philippines, and how it benefits the different sectors of society, all while being linked to basic economic concepts and applications that are evident in everyday lives.

In this regard, we would like to ask your good office to support this significant event as we wish for your endorsement for this activity.

Attached in this invitation are the line-up of events for Econ No-Mix 2019. Should you have any concern or inquiries, please do not hesitate to contact us.

We look forward to a great and lasting partnership with you. Thank you very much!

Sincerely,

[Signature]

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COMPETITIONS

DEBATE

The Asian Parliamentary Debate Competition tests the critical thinking and communication skills of participating students. Lasting for one and a half days, it aims to help in developing the aforementioned skill sets through debate topics relevant to both the overall theme of Econ No-Mix and to pressing issues in our society today.

ESSAY WRITING

The Essay Writing Competition showcases the writing prowess of its participants and tests their critical thinking skills along with their knowledge of economics. By challenging students to create connections between economic concepts and the competition theme, the event hopes to instill a deeper understanding of economics and its applications to real-life situations.

IDEA GENERATION

The Idea Generation Competition provides participating students with real world problems and asks them to come up with concrete, feasible solutions in response to these dilemmas. It serves as an avenue for participants to showcase their creativity, innovativeness, and critical thinking.

COMPETITIONS

PHOTO JOURNALISM

The Photojournalism Competition tests students' creative and critical thinking skills by challenging them to capture images that depict the importance and application of economics in ordinary life. In accordance with photojournalism standards, the event requires participating students to capture economics in reality, all while adhering to the set competition theme.

QUIZ BEE

The Quiz Bee Competition tests its participants' knowledge on a variety of economic fields: macroeconomics, microeconomics, history of economics, and current economic events, to name a few. Lasting one and a half days, it is one of the most competitive events in Econ No-Mix, as teams from over 30 schools vie for the top spot in the competition.

PUBLIC SPEAKING

The Public Speaking Competition is the newest addition to the Econ No-Mix Program. It challenges the participants to communicate a particular theme on economics through the aid of knowledge, rhetoric, and extemporaneous speech. This will test their ability to convey economic thoughts in a manner that will be comprehended by their audience.



WHAT IS ECON NO-MIX?

Econ No-mix is an annual Economics convention for high school students that aims to provide a much deeper understanding and appreciation of Economics. Through the Students' Convention, the student delegates get the exclusive privilege of learning firsthand from some of the country's top-notch economists and practitioners in the field. Followed by these talks are competitions such as Debate, Quiz Bee, Public Speaking, Photojournalism, Essay Writing, and Idea Generation, through which students are given the chance to showcase their knowledge in Economics and its application in the real world.

Awarded four times by the Junior Philippine Economics Society as the Best Organizational Activity for an academic year, Econ No-Mix continues to expand and serve as one of the biggest economic feats for high school students in the country.

ECON NO-MIX 2019

Econ No-Mix 2019, entitled "CLICK: Reinventing the Business Landscape through E-Commerce," focuses on e-commerce and its current implications on Philippine society. Its goal is to educate the student delegates on the role of e-commerce in emerging market economies such as the Philippines, and examine how its continuous rise in the country benefits the different sectors of society. Through this, the students shall be encouraged to take part in pushing e-commerce forward so as to foster a lasting economic impact for generations to come.



STUDENTS' CONVENTION

The Students' Convention is an annual, half-day engagement of Econ No-Mix to its stakeholders, the high school students. Here, they are exposed to industry leaders and movers of society and show how exactly Economics provides a solution to the challenges of our modern-day society. Speakers from various disciplines and profession in the field of E-Commerce and Economics will provide practical insights to the students which they can use in analyzing the effects of e-commerce in our country.

TEACHERS' CONVENTION

Acknowledging the challenge of teaching a very abstract and theoretical discipline such as economics, ENM provides a half-day Teachers' Workshop for all participating teachers and coaches. Led by a resource speaker, they are given tips and tricks on how to master the art of teaching not only economics but also social science in general to high school students. This year's Teachers' Convention will revolve around creating teaching materials and various activities that utilize technology to effectively teach high school students.