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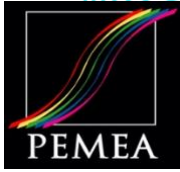
INTERNATIONAL CONFERENCE ON EDUCATIONAL  
MEASUREMENT AND EVALUATION  
(ICEME) 2023

# Learning Loss Assessment and Recovery: Relevance and Directions in Post-Pandemic

**August 24-26, 2023, 8-5PM**  
**Diamond Hotel, Roxas Blvd. Manila**  
**Online: MS Teams**

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**2023 International Conference on Educational Measurement and Evaluation (ICEME2023)**

**August 24-26, 2023**

**Mode: Hybrid (Manila Diamond Hotel and Microsoft Teams)**

## **THEME:**

**Learning Loss Assessment and Recovery: Relevance and Directions in Post-Pandemic**

## **SUB-THEMES:**

1. Impact of Pandemic Disruptions on Student Achievement and Growth (Situationer)
2. Role of Assessment in Monitoring Students' Learning Loss
3. Assessment Policies, Plans and Initiatives for Learning Recovery (Local and International Settings)
4. Effective Teaching and Assessment Strategies for Students' Learning Recovery

## **MAIN OBJECTIVE:**

The ICEME2023 aims to engage K to12 and higher education professional teachers, educational researchers, school administrators, curriculum developers, policy makers, assessment practitioners, and other education stakeholders across disciplines and levels in a high-level discussion, evaluation, and demonstration of advanced knowledge, understanding, skills, leadership, and initiatives to address current educational issues and concerns on students' learning and to support educational reforms.

## **SPECIFIC OBJECTIVES:**

At the end of the conference, the participants are expected to:

1. demonstrate individually or in teams advanced knowledge and understanding of teaching and assessment strategies, policies, plans, and initiatives in addressing learning loss and learning poverty and of accelerating learning gains and learning recovery;
2. demonstrate individually or in teams advanced knowledge and skills in the discussion, evaluation and application of research findings relevant to learning loss/gains/poverty/recovery during and after the pandemic;
3. show high substantial degree of independence in critically discussing, evaluating, and reflecting on evidence-based strategies and assessment in monitoring learning loss/gains/poverty and in supporting student learning recovery; and
4. show leadership and initiatives in discussing and evaluating policies, plans, or strategies to address learning loss/gains/poverty and to accelerate student learning recovery.

**DAY 1 : August 24, 2023, Diamond Hotel**  
*EMCEE: Dr. Marie Antonette J. Sunga-Vargas*  
*Officer of the Day: Dr. Roxanne B. Ibalobor*

7:30-9:00 AM	<b>REGISTRATION</b>	10:05-10:45	<b>KEYNOTE 1</b>
9:00-9:45AM	<b>OPENING CEREMONIES</b> Invocation National Anthem		<b><i>Learning Loss is Real: An Analysis of COVID-19 Student Learning Loss (INTERNATIONAL)</i></b> <b>Dr. Sungsup Ra</b> <i>Deputy Director General, Sectors Group Asian Development Bank</i>
	<b>WELCOME ADDRESS &amp; SETTING OF OBJECTIVES</b> <b>Dr. Violeta C. Valladolid</b> <i>Vice President &amp; ICEME2023 Program Chair</i>		<i>Moderated by Dr. Niclie L. Tiratira</i>
	<b>MESSAGE FROM PEMEA PARTNERS</b> <b>Mr. Don Timothy I. Buhain</b> <i>CEO, RISE (Rex Education)</i>	10:45-11:30AM	<b>KEYNOTE 2</b>
	<b>Dr. Bert J. Tuga</b> <i>President, Philippine Normal University</i>		<b><i>State and Directions of the Philippine Education in the Post-Pandemic Era</i></b> <b>Hon. Sherwin T. Gatchalian</b> <i>Senator, 19<sup>th</sup> Congress, Senate of the Philippines</i>
	<b>PRESIDENTIAL ADDRESS</b> <b>Dr. Marilyn U. Balagtas</b> <i>President, PEMEA</i>	11:30 – 12:00nn	<i>Moderated by Dr. Carlo P. Magno</i>
9:45:10:00AM	<b>HEALTH BREAK</b>		<b>PEMEA Business Meeting</b>
10:00-10:05	<b>INTRODUCTION OF THE KEYNOTE SPEAKERS</b> <b>Dr. Richard DLC Gonzales</b> <i>Founding President, PEMEA</i>		<b>Awarding of Honorary Members and Fellows</b> <b>Dr Richard DLC. Gonzales, Founding PEMEA President</b>
			<b>Recognition of Partners and Sponsors</b> <b>Mr. Neil Pariñas, PEMEA BOT</b>
			<b>President's Report</b> <b>Dr. Marilyn U. Balagtas, PEMEA President</b>
			<b>Treasurer's Report</b> <b>Ms. Marie Antoniette C. Aliño, PEMEA Treasurer</b>

1:00-1:45PM

**PLENARY 1**

**Admission to Higher Education: Considerations and Challenges in a Changing World**

**Dr. Anat Ben-Simon**

*Former President, International Association for Educational Assessment*

*Moderated by Dr. Niclie L. Tiratira*

3:15-3:30

**PRESENTATION OF BOT CANDIDATES**

**Dr. Marife M. Mamauag**

*Chair, PEMEA COMELEC*

3:30-4:45

**PANEL DISCUSSION 2**

**ROLE OF ASSESSMENT IN MONITORING LEARNING LOSS AND SUPPORTING LEARNING RECOVERY**

**Role of Assessment in Post Covid-Education**

**Atty. Nepomuceno A. Malaluan**

*Former Undersecretary, Department of Education*

**Corresponding Assessment Protocols for Learning Loss and Gaps: What is the Difference?**

**Dr. Carlo P. Magno**

*Founder, Center for Learning and Assessment Development*

**Role of Large-Scale Assessment in Learning Recovery**

**Mr. Alejandro S. Ibanez**

*SEA-PLM Project Manager and Policy and Program Specialist  
SEAMEO Secretariat, Bangkok*

**Reactor: Prof. Ma. Angeles G. Lapeña**

*Director and Chief Technical Adviser, GRACE*

*Moderated by Mr. Pedrito A. Aton*

1:45-3:00PM

**PANEL DISCUSSION 1**

**IMPACT OF PANDEMIC (LEARNING LOSS)**

**Impact of Pandemic on Filipino Students' Learning**

**Ms. Krupskaya (Kay) M. Añonuevo**

*Chief, Technical Specialist, EDCOM2*

**National Learning Loss Assessment Results: Philippine Assessment for Learning Loss Solution (PALLS)**

**Dr. Richard R. Jugar**

*Dean of Education, San Carlos University*

**Reactor: Dr. Grace H. Aguilin-Dalisay**

*President & CEO, CEM*

*Moderated by Mr. Neil O. Pariñas*

3:00-3:15PM

**HEALTH BREAK**

**DAY 2: August 25 2023, Manila Diamond Hotel**

*EMCEE: Dr. Roxanne B. Ibalobor*

*Officer of the Day: Mr. Pedrito A. Aton*

8:00-8:30	<b>OPENING/ SYNTHESIS OF YESTERDAY'S SESSIONS/ ANNOUNCEMENTS</b>	10:30-12:00	<b>PANEL DISCUSSION 3</b>
8:30-9:00	<b>ELECTION OF NEW BOTs</b>		<b>OVERVIEW OF LEARNING RECOVERY POST-COVID-19: REGIONAL AND INTERNATIONAL ROADMAPS FOR THE LEARNING RECOVERY</b>
9:00– 9:45	<b>KEYNOTE 3</b> <i>Leveraging Educational Assessment and Evaluation to Build Better Education Systems</i> <b>Dr. David M. Fetterman</b> <i>President and CEO, Fetterman &amp; Associates</i>  <i>Moderated by Mr. Neil O. Pariñas</i>		<i>Analysis of K-12 Assessment Policies and Their Responsiveness to SDGs</i> <b>Dr. Marilyn U. Balagtas</b> <i>Dean of Graduate Studies and Teacher Education Research Philippine Normal University</i>  <i>Reopen, Recover, and Resilience in Education: Guidelines for ASEAN Countries</i> <b>Dr. Roger Yap Chao Jr</b> <i>Asst Director/Head of Education, Youth and Sports The ASEAN Secretariat</i>  <i>UN Initiatives in Transforming Philippine Education</i> <b>Mr. Nicholas M. Tenazas</b> <i>Education Specialist, UNICEF-Philippines</i>  <i>Research Roadmap for Science and Technology Post Covid-19</i> <b>Dr. Bernardo N. Sepeda</b> <i>Executive Director, National Research Council of the Philippines</i>  <i>Moderated by Ms. Marie Antoniette C. Aliño</i>
9:45-10:00	<b>HEALTH BREAK</b>		
10:00-10:30	<b>PLENARY 2</b> <i>Overview Of Learning Recovery Post-COVID-19: Regional and International Roadmaps for Learning Recovery</i> <b>Dr. Margarete Sachs-Israel</b> <i>Chief of Section for Inclusive Quality Education UNESCO Bangkok, Asia and Pacific Regional Bureau for Education</i>  <i>Moderated by Mr. Neil O. Pariñas</i>		
		1:00-5:00pm	<b>PARALLEL PAPER PRESENTATION</b>

**DAY 3: August 26, 2023 FULL ONLINE (c/o MS TEAMS/LIVE)**

**EMCEE: Dr. Marife M. Mamauag**

**Officer of the Day: Mr. Pedrito A. Aton**

8:00 – 8:30

**OPENING/ SYNTHESIS/ANNOUNCEMENTS**

***How will TVET Curriculum and Implementation and Evaluation Transform, Advance, and Innovate in the Post-Pandemic Era?: Reflections for the Philippines***

**Dr. Richard DLC Gonzales**

*Chief Executive Advisor/Lead Education & Skills Development Specialist*

*Inno-Change International Consultants, Inc.*

8:30-9:15

**KEYNOTE 4**

***Effective Teaching Strategies for Student Learning Recovery Post-Covid***

**Dr. Ina V.S.Mullis**

*Executive Director, TIMSS & PIRLS International Study Center*

*Moderated by Dr. Niclie L. Tiratira*

***DepEd Region 5 Initiatives on the Implementation of the Learning Recovery Plan***

**Dr. Gilbert T. Sadsad**

*Regional Director, Department of Education Region V*

9:15-9:30

**ANNOUNCEMENT OF NEW BOTs**

*Moderated by Mr. Neil O. Pariñas*

9:30-9:45

**HEALTH BREAK**

9:45-11:30

**PANEL DISCUSSION 4**

11:30-12:00

**ASSESSMENT STRATEGIES FOR LEARNING RECOVERY**

***Learning Recovery Actions of Private Secondary Schools Participating in ESC Program***

**Dr. Miguel Q. Rapatan**

*De La Salle University*

**CLOSING CEREMONIES**

**Oath Taking of BOTs 2023-2025**

**Awarding of Certificates to Participants Evaluation**

**Oath Taking and Challenge to BOTs 2023-2025**

**Dr. Rose Marie S. Clemeña**

*Founding Adviser, PEMEA*

*President, Asian Psychological Services and Assessment*

**Closing Remarks**

**Sr. Ma. Nilda C. Masirag, SPC**

*President, St. Paul University, Quezon City*

**Ms. Ma. Rhodora M. Santos**

*President and CEO, Amicus Koi Solutions*



## STUDENT CONGRESS

DAY 3PM: August 26, 2023, 1:00-4:00pm, Full Online

Emcee: *Dr. Marife M. Mamauag*

### OPENING CEREMONIES

Invocation

National Anthem

Opening Remarks

**Dr. Marilyn U. Balagtas**

*President, PEMEA*

Introduction of Resource Speakers

**Dr. Teresita T. Rungduin**

*PEMEA Board Member and Chair, Student Congress*

### PLENARY

*The Ethics of Using AI for Academic Purposes*

**Dr. Krizna Rei M. Palces**

*Director, University Center for Gender and Development  
Philippine Normal University*

Moderated by **Dr. Marife M. Mamauag**

### PANEL DISCUSSION

*The Role of Teachers in Teaching About AI and Using it to Improve Learning Outcomes*

**Dr. Christopher F. Sasot**

*GS Quality Assurance Coordinator*

*Polytechnic University of the Philippines*

*Strategies to Overcome Learning Loss*

**Dr. Gem Juvi Gabison-Oca**

*Vice-President, UNIFFIED Inglewood Chapter*

*The Fairness, Validity, and Reliability of Online Exams*

**Ms. Ma. Rhodora M. Santos**

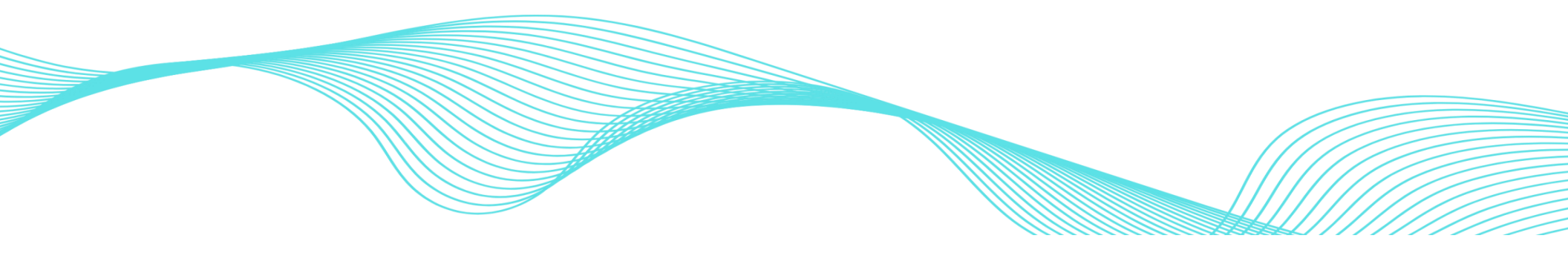
*President and CEO, Amicus Koi Solutions*

Moderated by **Mr. Alejandro Ibanez and Ms. Marie Antoniette C. Aliño**

Closing Remarks

**Dr. Violeta C. Valladolid**

*Vice-President, PEMEA*



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### VISION

An internationally-recognized professional organization pushing forward high-quality theory, research, and practice in educational measurement and evaluation in the Asia and Pacific Region.

### MISSION

To enhance individual and institutional effectiveness through innovative, collaborative, and responsive intervention programs in educational measurement and evaluation.

### GOALS

- To promote standards in various areas of education through appropriate and proper assessment.
- To provide technical assistance to educational institutions and industries in the area of instrumentation, assessment practice, benchmarking, and the process of attaining standards.
- To enhance and maintain the proper practice of testing, assessment, measurement, and evaluation in both local and international levels.
- To enrich the theory, practice and research on evaluation and measurement.

### VALUES

- Service
- Professionalism
- Inclusivity
- Collaboration
- Excellence

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