

Proposed Plans and Programs of the Nominee

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The Dean is the operational head of the college. He or she needs to fulfill a very responsible job and there are a wide range of duties and responsibilities such as engaging in teaching activities, lead in the development or improvement of the curriculum in line with or above standards in order to distinguish the college above others who offer the same program and overseeing the day to day operations in the college. It will be also necessary to maintain the coordination with the faculty and staff as well as student if necessary, to arrive at decisions. We will strike a healthy balance among administrators, faculty, staff and student welfare. The nominee believes that he has the competency and experience to perform these duties and responsibilities.

Recognized as the leading higher education institution in Public Administration and Policy Analysis, we will sustain and raise this leadership with the continuous creation of fundamental and practical knowledge and by preparing professionals ready to sustain and advance our society. We will continue to create, transfer and preserve knowledge in the fields of public administration for the purpose of enhancing our role as an academic institution and a resource, nationally and internationally. We will advance networking and strengthen our relationship with national and international organizations in various activities.

We shall create a transformative, integrated, and student-centric learning experiences, propelling our students to make immediate and sustained impact on the bureaucracy and society. We will nurture our students' innate work ethic to develop confident problem solvers and ethical decision makers. We will pursue thought leadership and collectively create opportunities for a better life for our students, faculty, and staff. We shall open the way of opportunities that encourage faculty, staff, and student career development and advancement. We will do these with collaborative research, innovation and scholarships. We will explore both local and foreign faculty, staff and student exchanges to enrich the programs of the college. We will prepare our products for the local and global environment.

It is also a duty of a Dean to propose and help generate operating and capital budgets for approval by higher authorities. We will tap alumni and agency partners, aside from the usual internal budget of the University, in generating resources for faculty, staff, and student development, and in infrastructure and equipment modernization.

We will sustain the publication of the Philippine Journal of Public Administration, our main vehicle in sharing knowledge and practice in the field of Public Administration. The library shall not be a repository of knowledge but shall be a beacon of knowledge.

For faculty retirees and those about to retire, we will implement a textbook writing project to record for posterity and for teaching purposes the knowledge developed and learned through the years.

These proposed plans and program and those that will be recommended in the future shall all be done in consultation with various stakeholders.