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Thomasians seek Global Employability at JOBS 2015

Around 2,000 students and alumni from different colleges and faculties gathered at the UST Practice Gym last March 18-20, 2015 for the annual UST JOBS.

About 140 companies were invited in the job expo. Students had the chance to inquire on the opportunities that await them after graduation. They were introduced to a variety of fields, from I.T. to healthcare and business to broadcasting.

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Educators Shake It Off For A Cause

*Ms. Cherry Buendia
College of Education Alumni Association*

The UST College of Education Alumni Foundation Inc., in cooperation with the UST College of Education Alumni Association and the UST College of Education, held its fund raising dinner dance dubbed as “Shake it Off” last Saturday, April 11, 2015 at the Quezon City Sports Club.

Alumni and guests grooved to the music

as *Behind Closed Doors* played backtracks of songs that will definitely relive one’s college heydays.

The activity did not only aim at gathering alumni but it also encouraged them to support competent and deserving students. Proceeds of the dinner dance party will benefit the future Thomasian educators through the UST College of Education Alumni Foundation Inc.’s scholarship program.

Attendees also got the chance to take home prizes from the event’s raffle draw.

‘Shake It Off’ was an effort of the UST College of Education Alumni Foundation Inc., in cooperation with the UST College of Education Alumni Association and the UST College of Education. This event was supported by the UST Office of Alumni Relations.

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Medicine Class of 1962 : Exemplars of Loyalty

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We were fortunate to hold our reunion on January 24, 2015, following Pope Francis’ spectacular religious service in which some of us were fortunate to attend.

Ten class members, who came with their spouses from the U.S., hosted a reunion for Philippine-based classmates in return for their efforts in organizing activities for us every year.

It was indeed a most joyous occasion for us to be with longtime friends again even as we hold reunions and tours twice a year and join medical/surgical missions once a year. It was also our special privilege to be the first class to hold a reunion at the truly elegant Thomasian Alumni Center.

We had the usual picture-taking sessions, a tour of the Alumni Center, an informal meeting at the beautiful ballroom and a Lauriat luncheon by the Wanchai restaurant.


Our distinguished guests were Rev. Fr. Rolando Dela Rosa, O.P., our principal speaker; Rev. Fr. Angel Aparicio, Regent of the Faculty of Medicine and Surgery; Dr. Jesus Valencia, current Dean of the College of Medicine and Dr. Marcel Banzon, UST Medicine Alumni Association president. All three welcomed us and gave brief update of recent important events of the Faculty and of the Alumni. In response, the president of

the Philippine Chapter, Ludy Torres, and I also gave updates from our class. Unfortunately, Rev. Fr. Rector Herminio V. Dagohoy, O.P. could not join us in the event.

Fr. Dela Rosa gave an inspirational speech about the joys and privileges of growing older spiced with his trademark humor that inspired this “Forever Young” Class to finally agree to grow older. It was Fr. Dela Rosa, during his term as a Rector, who challenged us to reach a seemingly impossible goal of raising \$200,000 for the Thomasian Alumni Center. When we reached \$247,000, he bestowed on us the official titles of “The Distinguished Medicine Class of 1962” and “Exemplars of Loyalty” for donating the highest amount. Hopefully, other classes in any college will be inspired or challenged to give more.

During our Golden Jubilee celebrations in UST in January of 2012, Fr. Dela Rosa honored us with a “special luncheon reception” at the Seminary Gym and awarded every member in attendance a gold medal. In addition, our golden jubilee wonderfully coincided with the stupendous culminating celebrations of the Quadricentennial year of UST.

We have retired many years ago, but we are just very loyal and proud Thomasians. We have deep love and gratitude to UST for our outstanding education that prepared us for our professional careers. We eagerly look forward to our 55th anniversary in January 2017 with a major reunion in UST to almost equal the over 200-member attendance last 2012.



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Alumni on Point: Alice Villadolid

Alice Colet Villadolid graduated summa cum laude with a degree in AB Journalism. She also obtained her post-graduate degrees in social science and journalism in from the UST Graduate School, Press Foundation of Asia, and the International Institute of Journalism in Berlin. She is a recipient of The Outstanding Thomasian Alumni award in 2005.

Her road to prominence in the world of Journalism started way back 1952 where she served as a reporter and copy editor for the Manila Chronicles. She also wrote for UNICEF News, Weekly Nation, Mr. And Ms. Woman and Home, and Oil Progress. In 1971, she became the Philippine correspondent for international news outlets, New York Times and Newsweek.

She was awarded with a Human Rights Award by the Concerned Women of the Philippines as recognition for her achievements in responsible journalism. She was also a recipient of Roster of EDSA Heroes Award. She also held positions in various Journalism organizations like the Philippine Press Institute where she acted as Executive Director and as a Board Trustee. She was the Vice-President of the Asian Institute of Journalism and Communication, Ombudsman for the Philippine Daily Inquirer, and Commissioner for Cultural Dissemination of the National Commissioner for Culture and Arts.

In 2000, Villadolid received the Outstanding Catholic Author Award from the Asian Catholic Publishers Inc. for her service as the Consort of the Philippine Ambassador to the Holy See from 1991-1995.


At present, Villadolid teaches at the Graduate School of the University.




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“Natulungan ako sa paghanap ng company in a sense na di ko na kailangan isa-isang mag-email or walk-in sa offices nila to submit my resume,” said HR student, Michelle Uy. “We also got a chance to talk to the HRs of the company. May mga nasubmitan ako na resumés na di ko naisipan na pwede pala yun applyan.”

While some employers look at the credentials of the applicants, some choose to see the potential even if the applicant did not graduate in the field they were applying to.

“Minsan kasi wala naman talaga yan sa tinapos mo eh,” a representative from one of the company exhibitors said. “Nasa dedication mo yan sa work.”

The job fair was visited not only by the graduating students and alumni, but also the juniors who are seeking internship or On-the-Job Training programs offered by the companies.

Francis Tiro, an incoming fourth year Communication Arts major, took the advantage of showing interest of having his internship in one of the media companies invited by UST.

“Okay naman, maayos at maraming pwedeng pag-pilian,” Francis said. “Merong ABS(CBN),


Manila Bulletin, and many other advertising and media companies.”

Incoming 4th year Human Resource Development Management student, Joanne Claire Tan sees the job fair as a sneak peek of what she will be doing in the future.

“As a student, this was an essential experience for my continuous learning as I will have my internship soon,” Joanne said. “And it also made me realize that in the future, if I continue to pursue and work in this field, I will be the one accepting resumés from others.”

Apart from the job opportunities, gifts from company exhibitors like Robinson’s Bank, Eastwest Bank, Inspira, British United, Automobile Inc., Factset, Walker, and Sunwalk Inc. were given away to the participants of the job fair through a raffle draw. Students who visited booths like Del Monte and San Miguel Brewery also took home some of their products.

This year’s job fair was organized by the Office of Alumni Relations in partnership with the UST Behavioral Science Society and the Thomasian Junior Association for People Management. UST JOBS 2015 is sponsored by Security Bank and its official media partner, Manila Bulletin.



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UST JOBS 2015: The Annual University Job Fair
March 18-20, 2015 at the UST Practice Gym



‘Exemplars of Loyalty’.

(Left) UST Med Class ‘62 held their reunion at the UST Alumni Center. They are the first to hold a reunion last January at the newly-opened building for the Thomasian alumni community.

Photo submitted by Dr. Norma Martin

GALLERY

From Left-Right:
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UST Education Alumni Association Inc.'s Vice President, Assoc. Prof. Camille Vizconde, UST Office of Alumni Relations Asst. Prof. Fides Ma. Lourdes F. Carlos, (Seated) UST Education Alumni Foundation's Assistant Secretary, Ces San Juan and UST Education AAI's P.R.O., George Cuevas



UST College of Education Alumni Foundation Inc. 's Shake It Off

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