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ANNOUNCEMENT FOR FILIPINOS IN INDIA AND NEPAL

The Philippine Embassy in New Delhi informs Filipino community in India and Nepal that the Commission on Filipinos Overseas (CFO) has officially opened the nominations to the **2016 Presidential Awards** for Filipino Individual and Organizations Overseas.

The awards are conferred by the President of the Philippines every two (2) years on meritorious individuals and organizations overseas to give the highest recognition to their work in the service of the Filipino community or nation, and for exceptional achievements or excellence in the pursuit of their endeavors.

The Philippine Embassy in New Delhi requests the Filipino community in India and Nepal to seek out those who deserve to be considered for the said award and to submit their nominations to the Embassy for evaluation and proper endorsement to the CFO.

Attached is the copy of the nomination forms (for individuals and for organizations) and the Presidential Awards Primer for additional information.

27 January 2016

MA. TERESITA C. DAZA
Ambassador



January 12, 2016

AMBASSADOR MA. TERESITA C. DAZA

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Dear Ambassador Daza:

Greetings from the Commission on Filipinos Overseas (CFO)!

We are pleased to inform you that we are now formally opening the nomination to the 2016 Presidential Awards for Filipino Individuals and Organizations Overseas.

As you are aware, the awards are conferred by the President of the Philippines every two years on meritorious individuals and organizations overseas to give the highest recognition to their work in the service of the Filipino community or nation, and for exceptional achievements or excellence in the pursuit of their endeavors. Please be advised that starting January 15, 2016, the CFO will be accepting endorsements from Philippine Embassies and Consulates for nominations to the Awards. For this purpose, the Post is respectfully requested to:

- Disseminate the information on the Presidential Awards among Filipino communities within its jurisdiction; and
- Establish an Awards Committee to evaluate and endorse nominations.

In this connection, we are seeking your kind assistance to help ensure that deserving individuals and organizations are given a chance to receive the award. Some potential awardees may not have had the benefit of being considered only because they have worked quietly without fanfare, or because little was done to know more about them. In view of this, we would like to suggest that the broad spectrum of community leaders in your jurisdiction be encouraged to seek out those who deserve to be considered for the award.

Based on the experience of the CFO in managing the Presidential Awards through the years since 1991, and from knowledge gained in our programs, we are aware that there is no lack of talented and worthy individuals and organizations among the growing overseas Filipino community.

We deeply appreciate your support of the Presidential Awards program, which also serves to reassure Filipinos in the diaspora that the Philippines continues to welcome and encourage their further participation in the country's development as well as engage them in cultivating a strong and vibrant overseas Filipino community.

Please find attached for your reference and for dissemination to the Filipino communities under your jurisdiction, a copy of the Presidential Awards Primer.

For more information regarding the Presidential Awards, you may reach the Awards Secretariat at tel. nos.: (632) 552-4700 locals 761-767; fax no.: (632) 561-8160 or email address at presidentialawards@cfo.gov.ph.

Thank you and best regards.

Very truly yours,



SECRETARY IMELDA M. NICOLAS
Chairperson



2016
*Presidential Awards
for Filipino Individuals and
Organizations Overseas*



The Presidential Awards for Filipino Individuals and Organizations Overseas

More than 20 years ago, former President Corazon C. Aquino issued Proclamation No. 276 declaring December of every year as “Month of Overseas Filipinos” as a tribute for overseas Filipinos to encourage their participation in the development activities in the country. Recognizing the significant role of overseas Filipinos in national development, the Philippine government, through the Commission on Filipinos Overseas (CFO) conducted various activities to honor overseas Filipinos for their exemplary achievements and contributions. One of these activities is the CFO Awards which were conferred by President Aquino to 36 overseas Filipino individuals and organizations in 1991.

In the same year, President Aquino issued Executive Order No. 498 institutionalizing the awards, naming it the Presidential Awards for Filipino Individuals and Organizations Overseas. The Executive Order specifically designated the CFO and the Department of Foreign Affairs to develop an awards system for Filipino individuals and organizations overseas who have contributed significantly in promoting the well-being of our people, and supporting the country’s development efforts.

The Presidential Awards for Filipino Individuals and Organizations Overseas is a biennial awards system that give recognition to Filipinos and other individuals or organizations which contribute to Philippine development initiatives, or promote the interests of overseas Filipino communities. The awards are also given to

overseas Filipinos who have exceptionally distinguished themselves in their work or profession, and have thereby brought honor to the Filipino nation. A distinct category in the awards is also reserved for foreign individuals or organizations for their exceptional contribution to the Philippines and for advancing the cause of overseas Filipino communities.

Since inception, the awards have already been bestowed upon 437 Filipino individuals and organization overseas from 49 countries and territories. President Fidel V. Ramos conferred the first and second clusters of Presidential Awards on 22 and 45 awardees in 1993 and 1996, respectively. President Joseph E. Estrada conferred the third and fourth clusters of Presidential Awards on 30 and 59 awardees in 1998 and 2000, respectively. President Gloria Macapagal-Arroyo conferred the fifth, sixth, seventh and eighth clusters of Presidential Awards on 34 (with one special citation), 45, 48, and 31 awardees, in 2002, 2004, 2006, and 2008, respectively. President Benigno S. Aquino III conferred the ninth, tenth and eleventh clusters of Presidential Awards on 24, 29, and 33 awardees, in 2010, 2012, and 2014, respectively.

Beyond their recognizable contribution to humanity, the awardees also reinforce faith and confidence in the Filipino nation. They have given meaning to Filipino excellence and the time-honored values of *pakikipag-kapwa*, *pagtutulungan*, and *pagkakaisa*.

AWARDS CATEGORIES

There are four categories of awards to be conferred on Filipino individuals and organizations overseas.



LINGKOD SA KAPWA PILIPINO (LINKAPIL) AWARD

This award is conferred on Filipino individuals or organizations for their exceptional or significant contribution to reconstruction, progress and development in the Philippines.



KAANIB NG BAYAN AWARD

This award is conferred on foreign individuals or organizations for their exceptional or significant contribution to Philippine reconstruction, progress and development, or to advance the cause or promote the interests of overseas Filipino communities.



BANAAG AWARD

This award is conferred on Filipino individuals or organizations for their significant contribution to advance the cause or promote the interests of overseas Filipino communities.



PAMANA NG PILIPINO AWARD

This award is conferred on Filipinos overseas, who, in exemplifying the talent and industry of the Filipino, have brought the country honor and recognition through excellence and distinction in the pursuit of their work or profession.



EVALUATION CRITERIA

The awards shall be open to Filipino and foreign individuals and organizations overseas. Nominees should have accomplished at least five years work or contribution in the field to which they are nominated. The awards shall be given to nominees whose past and current achievements, possess the following attributes:

For nominees to the Lingkod sa Kapwa Pilipino Award (LINKAPIL)

- Outstanding or significant service or contribution to benefit the Filipino people or nation as a whole, or to a particular sector/region in the Philippines.
- The success or impact or effectiveness of the contribution, which could be in the form of personal/professional service, financial or material contribution, or technology that has proven to be beneficial;
- Resourcefulness and initiative in tapping various sources to support development undertakings in the Philippines;
- Social consciousness in terms of manifesting strong community spirit, or leading or actively participating in projects or other activities for the common good; and
- Dedication and commitment to pursuing activities to contribute to progress and development in the Philippines.

For nominees to the Banaag Award

- Outstanding or significant service or contribution resulting in benefits to a particular sector of Filipino community overseas;
- The success or impact or effectiveness of the contribution, which could be in the form of any or a combination of personal/professional service, financial or material contribution, or technology that has proven to be beneficial;
- Dedication and commitment to pursuing activities to contribute to progress and development of a particular sector of Filipino community overseas;
- Resourcefulness and initiative in tapping various sources to support development undertakings in the interests of a particular sector of Filipino community overseas;
- Social consciousness in terms of manifesting strong community spirit, or leading or actively participating in projects or other activities for the common good; and
- Dedication and commitment to pursuing activities to contribute to the betterment of Filipino communities overseas.

For nominees to the Kaanib ng Bayan Award

- Outstanding or significant service or contribution to benefit the Filipino people or nation as a whole, to a particular sector/region in the Philippines or Filipino community overseas;
- The success or impact or effectiveness of the contribution, which could be in the form of personal/professional service, financial or material contribution, or technology that has proven to be useful;
- Resourcefulness and initiative in tapping various sources to support development undertakings in the Philippines or Filipino community overseas;
- Social consciousness in terms of manifesting strong community spirit, or leading or actively participating in projects or other activities for the common good; and
- Dedication and commitment to pursuing activities to contribute to progress and development in the Philippines, or to the betterment of the sector/region in the Philippines or Filipino community overseas.

For nominees to the Pamana ng Pilipino Award

- Consistent exceptional or outstanding performance in a particular profession or field of work recognized in the Philippines or overseas;
- Research, new technology, field of work, invention, innovation, or pioneering activity in a particular profession or field of work, and its impact on the advancement of scientific knowledge or literary/artistic expression in their field of work or profession;
- Resourcefulness and initiative in the pursuit of pioneering activities in a particular profession or field of work;
- Dedication and commitment to their calling, or to the advancement of scientific knowledge or contribution to literary/artistic expression in their work or profession; and
- Social consciousness in terms of manifesting strong community spirit, or leading or actively participating in projects or other activities for the common good.

Rules on the Filing of Nominations

1. Any individual or organization, whether Filipino or foreign, based in the Philippines or overseas, may submit nominations for the awards.
2. Nominations may be submitted through the Philippine Embassy or Consulate with jurisdiction in the country/ area. Nominations submitted through the Philippine Embassy or Consulate should be addressed to the attention of the Awards Committee (to be established in each Post).
3. All nomination forms and additional sheets should be submitted in soft/hard copy. It is suggested that lengthy supporting documents such as books and reports be also submitted in USB flash drive.
4. Previous nominees who are not recipients of the award may be re-nominated under the same or another category.
5. An individual or organization may not be nominated in more than one category at any one time. The Secretariat reserves the right to change the category in which the individual or organization was initially nominated, as appropriate.
6. In cases where an individual and the organization where he/she belongs are both nominated to the same award category, primacy of the organization will be upheld.
7. Only one award can be given to any person for the same deeds or set of activities.
8. The following are disqualified from nomination: Individuals overseas who are employed by the host government or the Philippine government, if the contributions cited as basis for their nominations are specifically required to be among their official functions and duties; and former awardees, either in the same or other categories; and
9. The awards may be given posthumously.

Requirements

1. Nominations must be made on the prescribed form (see detachable copy) and submitted together with supporting documents. All submissions must be written in, or translated into English or Filipino.
2. The Nomination Form must be completed and should accordingly include all required information, particularly a summary of the work or relevant contribution of the individual or organization being nominated.
3. The contribution of the nominee should be specifically described, whether personal or professional service, material or financial contribution, or technology, skill or know-how that has proven to be recognized or beneficial (Please indicate estimated value, if the contribution is monetary or material).
4. The submission should include qualitative and/or quantitative information to describe the outcome or impact of the nominee's contribution to the beneficiaries, community, or the nominee's own profession, or the country.
5. The duly completed Endorsement Form completed by the Post's Awards Committee. (see detachable copy)

Deadline for Submission

All nominations submitted through mail or online must be received by the CFO on or before 31 May 2016. Non-submission of required documents may be a cause for disqualification of the nominee.

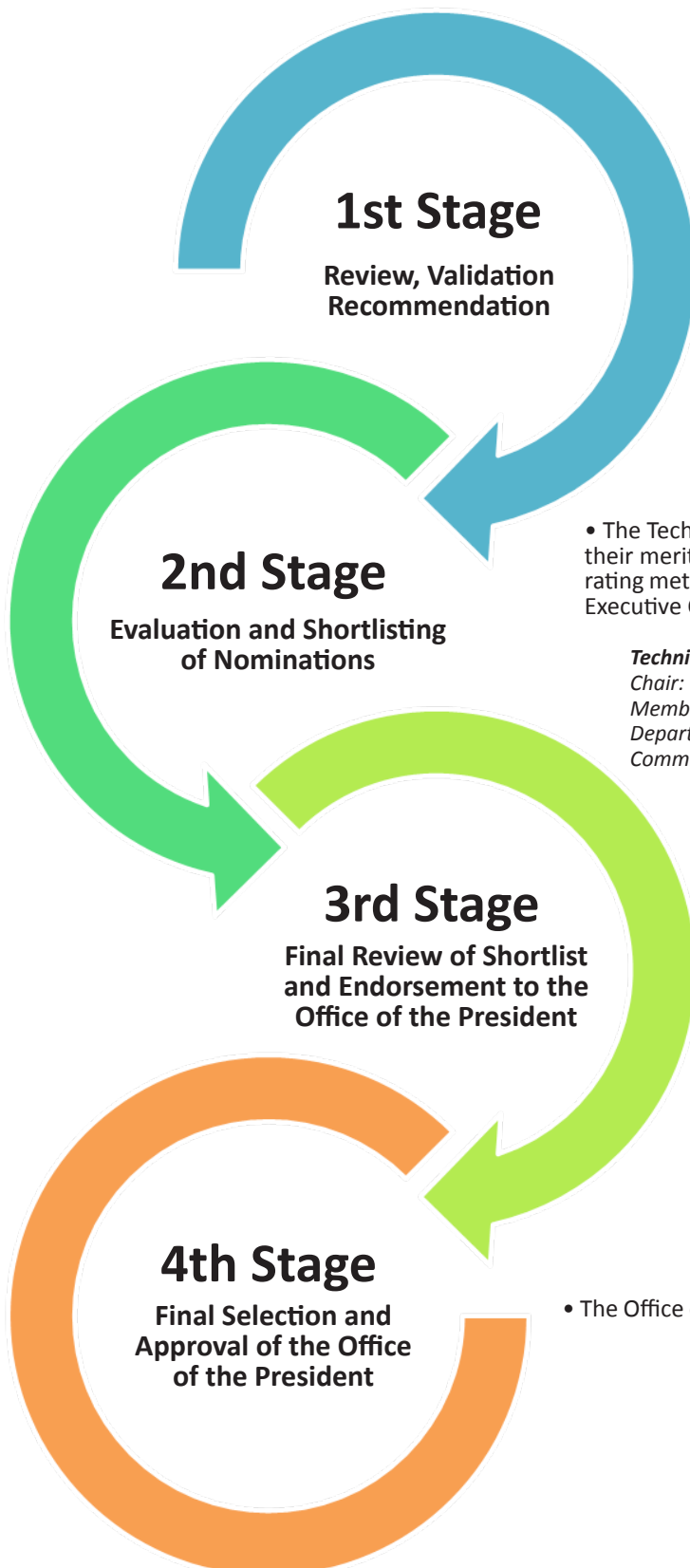
All documents shall be treated with utmost confidentiality, and shall become the property of the Commission on Filipinos Overseas.

Awarding Ceremony

The Awards Ceremonies will be held in December 2016 at the Malacañan Palace, Manila.

SELECTION PROCESS

The awardees will be selected from among the nominations which will be evaluated through the following stages of review and evaluation:



- The Awards Committee (at Philippine Embassies and Consulates) shall review all nominations, verify compliance with the required documentation, request for additional documents (if needed) and endorse nomination documents to the Technical Committee.

Awards Committee at Philippine Embassies and Consulates
Chair: Philippine Ambassador/ Head of Post
Members: Officers appointed by the Ambassador/ Head of Post; Representative(s) from the Filipino community

- The Technical Committee shall evaluate all nominations according to their merits, and prepare a shortlist of nominees based on the agreed rating methodology. It shall endorse the shortlisted nominations to the Executive Committee.

Technical Committee
Chair: Representative, Commission on Filipinos Overseas
Members: Representatives from the Department of Foreign Affairs, Department of Science and Technology, Department of Health, National Commission for Culture and the Arts, academe, and migrant organization

- The Executive Committee shall review and evaluate the shortlisted nominees as submitted by the Technical Committee. After review and deliberation, it shall either endorse the Technical Committee's shortlisted nominees, or make its own recommendations before endorsing the same to the Office of the President.

Executive Committee
Chair: Secretary, Commission on Filipinos Overseas
Vice-Chair: Secretary, Department of Foreign Affairs
Members: Chief of Protocol Office - Office of the President, Representatives from religious sector, private business sector, and media

- The Office of the President approves the final list of awardees.

GALLERY OF PRESIDENTIAL AWARDEES

LINGKOD SA KAPWA PILIPINO AWARD

Ablaza, Sariel G.G., M.D., 2004
Adams, Gloria Ysmael, 2006
Aguman Kapampangan UK, 2012
Aларcon, Teresita Calderon, 2010
Association Lending Assistance in Exigencies
at Home, gem e.V., 2006
Association of Philippine Physicians in America, 2008
Cacdac, Manuel A., M.D. (+), 2012
Cagas, Cosme R., M.D., 2002
Caoile, Gloria T., 1996
Clemente, Lilia C., 1991
Cuenco, Juliet A., 1991
Cunanan, Leonardo B., 1991
De Venecia, Guillermo B., M.D., 2004
Enverga, Tobias, Jr. C., 2008
Evangelista, Stella S., M.D., 2006
Feed the Hungry, Inc., 1998
FEU - Dr. Nicanor Reyes School of Medicine
Alumni Foundation, 2006
Filipino Chamber of Commerce of Hawaii, Inc., 2004
Filipino Children's Fund (FCF), 1991
Filipino Women's Association United Kingdom, 2008
Foundation of the Philippine-American Medical
Society of New Jersey, Inc., 1991
Guerrero, Christopher M., M.D., 2012
H.O.P.E. Foundation International, 1998
Halo, Hugo H., 1991
Ho, Jesus T., M.D., 1996
Ileto, Benjamin A., M.D., 2004
International Network of Filipinos Overseas, 2004
Martin, Arsenio R., M.D., 2004
Martinez, Ruth C. 2010
Montero, Juan II M., M.D., 2000
Nacario, Emanuel N., 1996
Navarra, Victoria C., M.D., 2000
Nihei, Marie Bernabe, 2004
North Central Virginia Association of
Philippine Physicians, 2010
Philippine American Association of Connecticut, 2010
Philippine American Foundation, 1996
Philippine Children's Charity Fund, 1996
Philippine Cultural Organization in Saarland,
e.V., 1992-1993
Philippine Economic and Cultural Endowment
(PEACE), 1996

Philippine German Community Oberberg e.V., 2010
Philippine-Australian Sports Club, Inc., 1991
Science and Technology Advisory Council
-San Francisco, 1996
Serenata, 2014
Society of Philippine Surgeons in America, 2006
Stichting Kapatiran, 2008
Tan, Elton See, 2000
Tesalona, Alfredo T., 2004
Torio, Isabelo S., M.D., 1996
Tria, Honesto R., 2006
University of the Philippines Medical Alumni Society
in America, 2004
Vijungco, Jose G., M.D., 1996
Visayas-Mindanao Cultural Association e.V., 2004
World Bank / IFC-IMF Filipino Association, 1992-1993

KAABAY NG BAYAN AWARD (Discontinued)

Aloha Medical Mission, 1996
Balikatan sa Kaunlaran – Hong Kong Council, 2000
Council of Filipino Associations in Belgium, 1991
Filipino Community in Greece, 1991
Filipino Community in Thailand, 1998
Filipino Community in the Commonwealth of
Northern Mariana Islands, 2000
Filipino Community of Guam, 1991
Filipino Community of Guam, 2000
Filipino-American Community of Colorado, 2000
Foundation for Aid to the Philippines, Inc.
(FAPI), 1992-1993
Pagkakaisa ng Samahang Pilipino/Confederation
of Filipino Overseas Organization, 1992-1993
Philippine Emergency Relief, 1991
The Filipino Community of Thailand, 1991
Volunteer Business Counselors (VBC) of Doha, 1996

KAANIB NG BAYAN AWARD

“Salamat Po Kai”, 1992-1993
American Jewish Joint Distribution Committee
(AJJDC), 2014
Anesvad Foundation, 2000
Asato, Wako, 2014
Association Alouette, 1998
Association Philippines International of Geneva, 1996
Books for the Barrios, 1992-1993

California Technological Care, Inc., 2006
Caritas Lebanon Migrants Center, 2010
Catholic Medical Mission Board, 2008
Children's Chance CT, 2008
Consuelo Zobel Alger Foundation, 1996
Continental Air Micronesia, 1991
CORA - Filipino American Task Force/Advisory Board, 2006
Haba, Gonen, M.D., 2012
Hanazaki, Misao, 2006
Heetens Helpgood Center Philippines, 2008
Humana Child Aid Society, 2014
International Medical Help for Children (A.M.I.E.), 2002
Jules and Paul-Émile Léger Foundation, 2000
Lam, Phoebe Bik Che, 2010
Lam, Sunny Kai Chor, 2010
Ligier, Laurence C., 2008
Löehlein, Christian, M.D., 2012
Ma'Ma Children's Center of Norway, 2006
Martens, Robert Sommer, Ph.D., 2006
Operation Rainbow Australia Limited, 2006
Operation Smile International, 2000
Pag-Asa Group, 1992-1993
Philippine Development Assistance Programme, 1998
Salpeter, Simha, 2010
Segaert, Dominiek, 2014
Social Welfare Corporation Raphael Clinic, 2006
Tsakos Shipping and Trading, S.A., 1996
World Opportunities International, 1991

BANAAG AWARD

Abagat, Emely D. Ph.D., 2010
Acebuche, Nestor A., 2000
Acosta, Rodrigo C., 1998
Al Zedjali, H.E. Essa Mohammed, 1996
Aloha Medical Mission, 1991
Alpay, Carlito E., 2012
Andes, Phoebe Cabotaje, 2000
Angelical, Lilia, 2000
Aranilla, Leticia R., 1998
Argel, Maria Imelda L., 2012
Association of Caviteños in Canada, 1991
Astillero, Mohamed Ali Carlito, M.D., 1996
Asuncion, Alexander E., 2008
Avenidaño, Tomas P., 2012
Babaylan-Switzerland, 2002
Bagong Kulturang Pinoy, Inc., 2006
Balik Bohol Medical Mission, 1996
Baron, Zayda O., 1991
Barranger, Luzviminda B., 1991
Bautista, Antonio C., 1998
Bayoumi, Mohammad Ahmad, 2000
Beatty, Estrella C., 2002
Benzon, Norma R., 2002
Berberabe, Patricia A., 2008

Berdos, Imelda Vollenweider, 2004
Binavince, Emilio S., 1991
Buchholdt, Thelma Garcia, 2006
Buhain, Wilfrido J., M.D., 2004
Bulos, Alice P., 2000
Carandang, Angeles R., 2008
Casambre, Sr. Mary Aida C., 2008
Casamina, Roland C., 2004
Castaños, Rafael S., 2012
Centre for Filipinos, 2004
Centre for Philippine Concerns-Australia, 2002
Cheng, Dr. Sian Chun, 1998
Compas, Lolita B., 2002
Computer Society of Filipinos International, 2010
Concepcion, Zenaida S., M.D., 2002
Congress of Visayan Organizations, 2010
Coniega, Roger, 1991
Covarrubias, Grace Fe N. (Posthumous), 1992-1993
Cueto, Alex M., M.D., 2000
Cuizon, Virgilio G., 2004
Cunanan, Aguedo Q., 2000
Cunina Organization, 2000
Daegu Filipino Community Council, 2014
Dasodas, Catherine D., 1998
De Guzman, Remigio L., 1991
De Guzman-Formoso, Ruby L., M.D., 2002
De Villa, Guillermo Jr., 1991
Dechavez, William D., 2002
Del Rosario, Sonia S., 2002
Dela Paz, James Alla, 2000
Derpo, Esperanza R., 2008
Docoy, Fr. Eugene Jr., 1998
Evangelista, Jose L., 1992-1993
Farmer, Lolita L., Ll. B., OAM, 2006
Favor, Danilo M., 2014
Federation of Filipino Communities in Israel, 2010
Fiesta Filipina Dance Troupe of Canada, 2004
Filipiñiana Europa V.Z.W., 2012
Filipino American Human Services, Inc., 1996
Filipino American Medical, Inc., 2006
Filipino Association in Brunei, 2002
Filipino Association of Singapore, 2006
Filipino Club of Bahrain, 1991
Filipino Coalition for Solidarity, Inc., 2000
Filipino Communities Council of Australia, Inc., 2002
Filipino Community Center, Inc., 2002
Filipino Community of Seattle, Inc., 2012
Filipino Cultural Club, 2004
Filipino Digerati Association, 2012
Filipino Korean Spouses Association, 2008
Filipino Ladies Association of Guam, 1992-1993
Filipino-American Council of Chicago, 1991
Florentino, Sr. Magdalena S., FMM (+), 2000
Fojas, Marcos R., M.D., 2002
Gange, George G., 2010

Garcia, Lamberto S., 2008
Ginete, Alex Jose R., 2000
Go, Engr. Roman Ting, 2006
Go, Mildred Aires, 2000
Gödicke, Charlotte, 2004
Halasz, Fr. Luis, SVD, 2000
Helbig, Aurea G., 1992-1993
Hernandez, Carmencita R., 1992-1993
Ho, Eleanor B., 2008
Home-Reach Foundation, Inc., 2004
Hongkong Bayanihan Trust, 1998
Hyehwadong Filipino Catholic Community, 2004
Ick, Claire R., 2000
Institute of Integrated Electrical Engineers
–Central Region Chapter Saudi Arabia, 2014
Iskwelahang Pilipino, Inc., 2006
Juanta, Reynaldo Dante, 1991
Juele, Lilia R., 1996
Kabayan Center Philippines, 1991
Kalayaan, 2002
Kanagawa Women’s Space Ms. La, 2000
Kasimieh, Marilyn Wafa R., 2010
Kawayan Philippine Language and Cultural School, 1998
Kinderhilfe Philippinen, 2004
Kinderhilfe Philippinen, E.V., 2000
Kinding Sindaw, 2010
Lädeli, Theresa, 2000
Lahing Kayumanggi, 2006
Lammawin, Francis L., 2000
Lew, Bridget, 2002
Libron, Rosa Angelica C., 2014
Littaua, Ferdinand Z., 1991
Lubang-Looc International (LLI), 1991
Lubang-Looc International, 2000
Magdalena, Joseph I., 2008
Maharlika-Switzerland, 2002
Manglona, Benjamin T., 2002
Manuel, Vladimir James M., 2006
March, Marina Roma, M.D., 2000
Markham Federation of Filipino Canadians, 2006
Mataac, Celso Jr. T., 1998
McGuinness, Amor Ilao, 2004
Mendachic Club of Chicago, 1991
Mercado, Augusto, 2014
Micabalo, Luzviminda S., 2012
Migrant Heritage Commission, 2014
Missionary Sisters of the Immaculate Concepcion,
1992-1993
Miyake, Chiyo, 1998
Muzones, Santiago Jr., L., 2008
National Organization of Professional Teachers
–Hong Kong, 2002
Natividad, Alicia, Ll.B., 2004
Natividad, Cornelio Ruiz, 2000
Natividad, Evelyn D.A., Ph.D., 2004
Navarra, Eduardo J., 2006
Navarro, Victoria, 2014
Nayan, Teofilo, 1992-1991
Nemivant, Emma Balquiedra, 2004
Noblejas, Dr. Antonio N., 2008
Nora, Rena M., 1991
Olalia, Sr. Lucia C., 2010
Overs, Lilian Y., 2008
Pama, Ricardo P., 1991
Panday Tinig Choral Ensemble, 2004
Paragas, Rodolfo DL., 2000
Paterno, Ramon A. P., 1992-1993
Penang Support Group for Migrant Filipinos, 1996
Perez, Alfonso Jr., S., 2012
Philippine American Group of Educators and
Surgeons, 2006
Philippine Association of Metropolitan Washington
Engineers, 2002
Philippine Australian Sports and Culture, Inc., 2004
Philippine Community Council of New South Wales, 2008
Philippine Cultural Foundation of Hawaii, 2004
Philippine Cultural Foundation, Inc., 2006
Philippine Heritage Band, 1998
Philippine Institute of Certified Public Accountants
–Riyadh Chapter, 1996
Philippine Nurses Association of America, 2008
Philippine School Bahrain, 2000
Philipsen, Adelina R., 2008
Pilapil, Virgilio D.R., M.D., 2004
Quema, Eric Michael B., 2012
Quiblado, Conrada P., 1998
Quinto, Edgardo R., 2006
Racinez, Sr. Olivia, WCW, 2000
Ramos, Angel T., 1996
Ravindranathan, N., M.D., 2002
Reed, Loline Luahati, 2006
Rizal-Blumentritt Society, 1996
Ruivivar, Marina G., 1991
Sabio, Fr. Raymond T., 1998
Salazar, Lourdes A., 2004
Sales, Justina L., 2006
Santiago, Jovenal R., 1991
Santos, Robert N., 2012
Sasaki, Anita A., 2014
Search to Involve Pilipino Americans, 2004
Seguritan, Reuben S., 1992-1993
Sirmata (Vision) 2004, 2000
Steiner, Mona Lisa L., 1996
Stichting Bayanihan, 2012
Tahanan (Diocesan Center for Filipino Migrants),
1992-1993
Talangbayan, Francis V., M.D., 2002
Tendencia, Benita B, 1998
Tenorio, Pedro P., 2000
Tigno, Rosario B., M.D., 2006

Tomelden, Benjamin Jr. S., 2002
Tordjman, Paul Semo, 2000
Tsai, Ma. Luzviminda C., 2012
Tuluyang Pinoy (Philippine Centre Zurich), 2006
United Filipino Council of Hawaii, 2008
Uy, Emelio Y., 1996
Vargas, Orlando R., 2000
Verstraeten, Jean Paul, 2004
Veterans Equity Center, 2006
Victorian Community in Belgium, 2000
Ybo, Evangelina V., 2010
Zamora, Prospero C., 1996

PAMANA NG PILIPINO AWARD

Abad, Pacita (+), 2000
Abella, Manolo I., 2002
Abinsay, Felipe Jr. P., 2004
Acosta, Adolovni P., 2006
Aguirre, Bayani S., 2000
Al Mahdi, Mary Jane Alvero, 2012
Alcantara, Anacleto R., 1996
Alih Salih, Sharifa Zeannat, 1998
Amaya, Dr. Delia B. Rodriguez, 2012
Antonio, Camilo C., 2000
Aquino, Belinda A., Ph.D., 2002
Aranda, Jacob V., M.D., 1996
Ardiente, Editha M., 2006
Armit, Amelita Aranas, 2000
Asera, Larry L., 2006
Asmundson, Mayor Ruth U., Ph.D., 2006
Asperilla, Marianito O., 2014
Baisas, Armando V., 2006
Balcos, Ophelia G., 1998
Banatao, Diosdado P., 1992-1993
Bebars, Evelyn Panganiban, M.D., 1996
Bernal, Samuel D., M.D., 2012
Bernardo, Rodolfo S., Ed. S., 2004
Besa, Amelita C. and Dorotan, Romeo G., 2008
Bobis, Dr. Merlinda, 1998
Buhay, Wilfredo R., 2004
Cadawas, Eliodoro C., 2004
Camara, Jorge G., M.D., 2000
Caña, Lilac L., 2010
Cantos, Atty. Olegario VII, 2006
Carlota, Lupo T., M.D., 1992-1993
Castrence, Pura Santillan, 1998
Castro, Salvador P., 1998
Cayetano, Benjamin J., 2002
Chai, Arlene Joan, 2002
Chen, Anita B., 1998
Ciani, Lina L., 2002
Cielo, Angel B., M.D., 2000
Cinco, Michael, 2014
Clemente, Lilia Calderon, 1996
Collo, Kristoffer L., 2014
Comerford, Cristeta, 2014
Cordero, Paciente Jr. A., 1996
Cordova, Frederic and Dorothy, 1996
Coronel, Sheila, 2014
Cunanan, Zenaida F., 2006
Dadap, Michael A., 2006
Dar, William D., 2014
David, Angelito DL., 2010
De Asis, Fred S., 2010
De Asis-Benitez, Joanne, 2002
De Guzman, Rodolfo A., M.D., 1992-1993
De Leon, Bayani M., 2008
Del Rosario, Remedios K., 2000
Dela Cruz, Cesar M., 2002
Dela Cruz, Roderick M., 2014
Diaz, Jose Duddley, 2000
Dietrich-Hall, Vellie, 2006
Esclamado, Alejandro A., 2004
Esguerra, Carlos D., 2008
Fernandez, Jovelle Laoag, M.D., Ph.D., 2004
Fernando, Antonio III T., M.D., 2012
Fitzsimmons, Edith Dizon, 2000
Flores, Eddie Jr., 2000
Fuentes, Dante C., 2004
Garcia, Dr. Manuel M., 1998
Garcia, Jorge M., M.D., 1996
Garcia, Renato B., MBE, 2002
Gelvezon-Tequi, Ofelia, 2014
Gener, Bernard Randy G., 2010
Gilles, Almira Astudillo, 2012
Goh, Ma. Cynthia J., 1996
Guingona, Michael Patrick L., 2002
Hagedorn, Jessica, 1998
Haley, Ma. Luisa Mabilangan, 2000
Hizon, Rico M., 2008
Ho, Anita Magsaysay, 2000
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Lhuillier, Diane Monique L., 2012
Licad, Cecile B., 2014
Lim, Lenore R.S., 2004
Lirio-Marcelo, Sheila, 2014
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Lopez, Robert, 2014
Luzuriaga, Katherine R., 2014
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Macabenta, Gregorio B., 2006
Magsino, Romulo F., Ph.D., 2006

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Moguel, Milagros K., 2000
Natividad, Irene, 1996
Natori, Josie C., 2002
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Ortoll, Jorge Z., 2012
Ostrea, Enrique Jr., M., M.D., 2006
Pagtakhan, Rey D., M.D., 1996
Palis, Rosendo K., 1992-1993
Pangilinan, Manuel V., 1996
Pelayo, Libertito P., 2008
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Quiambao, Rodolfo C., 2004
Ramos, Teresita V., Ph.D., 2008
Recana, Mel Red., 1996
Roces, Alfredo R., 2014
Rodriguez, Manuel Sr. A., 2000
Rustia, Jeffrey P., 2006
Sagun, Teresita B., 1998
Salonga, Maria Lea Carmen, 2014
Santos, Emmanuel T., 2000

Silva, Paolo Antonio S., 2014
Soriano, Edward, 2000
Spoelstra, Erik C., 2012
Sunico, Raul M., 1996
Tabalba, Camilo M., 2000
Tabuena, Romeo V., 1996
Taguba, Maj. Gen. Antonio M., 2004
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SPECIAL CITATION

Filipinas Magazine, 2002

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Attachments / Documents: <input type="checkbox"/> Photograph (12 cm x 9 cm) <input type="checkbox"/> Summary of Professional/Work History <input type="checkbox"/> Summary of Accomplishments and Contributions <input type="checkbox"/> Certificates of Awards/Citations/Honors		<input type="checkbox"/> Testimonials / Other References <input type="checkbox"/> Additional Documentation/Photos <input type="checkbox"/> Completed Endorsement Form	
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I. INFORMATION ABOUT THE NOMINEE (Please attach good 12 cm x 9 cm photograph)

Name: Mr. /Ms. _____			
Surname	First Name	Middle Name	
Home Address: _____			
Street	Town/City /County	Country	
Home Tel: _____	Office Tel: _____	Cell No.: _____	Email: _____
Date of Birth: _____	Civil Status: _____	Sex: _____	
Place of Birth(Town/City/Country): _____			Citizenship: _____

II. EDUCATIONAL BACKGROUND (Please use additional sheets as necessary)

Course / Degree / Program	School / College / University	Year	Academic Honors / Awards

III. SUMMARY OF PROFESSIONAL / WORK HISTORY (Please use additional sheets as necessary)

Designation/ Position	Office/ Company/ Organization	Brief Description of Functions and Responsibilities	Years of Service

IV. SUMMARY OF ACCOMPLISHMENTS OR CONTRIBUTIONS (Please arrange chronologically and attach supporting documents. Use additional sheets as necessary)

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V. AWARDS / CITATIONS / HONORS (Please arrange chronologically and enclose copies of citations or supporting documents. Use additional sheets as necessary)			
Awards / Honors / Citations	Conferred by	When Conferred	
VI. TESTIMONIALS (Please list below, and attach written testimonials from at least three (3) competent persons or beneficiaries. Additional references may be included. Use additional sheets as necessary)			
Witness or Beneficiary	Profession / Designation	Address	Tel/Fax No./ Email
VII. ADDITIONAL DOCUMENTATION (Please include information other than those mentioned above which may support the nomination, such as research papers, publications, feature/news articles, other professional/personal affiliations or additional photographs. Use additional sheets as necessary)			
VIII. NOMINATING PARTY			
Name: Mr. /Ms. _____			
Surname		First Name	Middle Name
Address: _____			
Street		Town/City /County	Country
Home Tel:	Office Tel:	Cell No.:	Email:
Signature: _____			
IX. ENDORSING PARTY			
Philippine Embassy / Consulate:			
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Attachments / Documents: <input type="checkbox"/> Organization Logo and 12.75 cm x 17.5 cm group photograph <input type="checkbox"/> Constitution and By-laws <input type="checkbox"/> Summary of Accomplishments and Contributions		
<input type="checkbox"/> Certificates of Merit / Citations <input type="checkbox"/> Testimonials / Other References <input type="checkbox"/> Other Information/Photos <input type="checkbox"/> Endorsement Form		
I. INFORMATION ABOUT THE NOMINEE (Please attach organization logo and 12.75 cm x 17.5 cm group photograph)		
Name of Organization :		
Office Address:		
_____	_____	_____
Street	City/Town/County	Country
Tel. No:	Fax No.:	Email:
Head of organization :		Position:
Contact person :		
Address of contact person :		
Home Tel:	Office Tel:	Cell No.:
		Email:
II. PROFILE OF NOMINEE (Please attach copy of constitution and by-laws/basic agreement and use additional sheets as necessary)		
Type of Organization:		
<input type="checkbox"/> Association	<input type="checkbox"/> Cooperative	<input type="checkbox"/> Partnership
<input type="checkbox"/> Corporation	<input type="checkbox"/> Federation	
When and Where Established		
Mission/ Objectives of the Organization		
Officers of the Organization		
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Category nominated for: _____
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ENDORSEMENT

The Awards Committee hereby certifies that it has exercised due diligence in reviewing this nomination and states that: (please check boxes)

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- The nomination is accompanied by documentary evidence or written testimonial in connection with the nominee's activities within this jurisdiction or in other jurisdictions.

On the basis of the above, the Awards Committee hereby submits this endorsement to the Commission on Filipinos Overseas for evaluation of this nomination.

Awards Committee Chairman

Position

Signature

Date Submitted

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