



Republic of the Philippines  
OFFICE OF THE PRESIDENT  
**COMMISSION ON HIGHER EDUCATION**



**MEMORANDUM FROM THE OFFICE OF THE CHAIRPERSON**

**FOR :** ALL CHED CENTRAL AND REGIONAL OFFICE DIRECTORS  
ALL PRESIDENTS / HEADS OF PUBLIC AND PRIVATE HIGHER  
EDUCATION INSTITUTIONS (HEIS)

**SUBJECT :** PARTICIPATION IN 57<sup>th</sup> PHILIPPINE ECONOMIC SOCIETY (PES)  
ANNUAL MEETING AND CONFERENCE WITH THE THEME  
“RETHINKING DEVELOPMENT STRATEGIES: INTEGRATING  
TECHNOLOGY, PROMOTING COMPETITIVENESS,  
REINVIGORATING INDUSTRIES” TO BE HELD THIS  
NOVEMBER 7, 2019 AT NOVOTEL MANILA, ARANETA CENTER,  
QUEZON CITY

**DATE :** 08 October 2019

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In accordance with the pertinent provisions of Republic Act (R.A.) 7722, otherwise known as the “*Higher Education Act of 1994*”, this Office hereby endorses the above undertaking organized by Philippine Economic Society (PES), for the support and participation of all concerned.

This activity is open to all interested participants from Higher Education Institutions (HEIs).

Participation of officials, employees and students from private higher education institutions (HEIs) shall be **VOLUNTARY**. Officials and employees of State and Local Universities and Colleges (SUCs and LUCs) who will participate in this activity should obtain prior approval from the President/Head of their respective institutions. Proper use of government funds in accordance with the Department of Budget and Management (DBM) National Budget Circular No. 563 of 2016 and Budget Circular No. 2017-5 is highly expected.

For registration and further information, you may coordinate with the organizers via email through [pes.eaea@gmail.com](mailto:pes.eaea@gmail.com) or via phone inquiry through (02) 929 2671.

Wide dissemination of this Memorandum is desired.

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