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Dear Sir/Madam

The Philippine Association for the Advancements of Science and Technology (PhilAAST) will be holding its 71st Annual Convention on September 9, 2022, with the general theme “**Accelerating Transformations for Sustainable Development Through Science, Technology, and Innovation.**” As part of the celebration, PhilAAST will conduct a series of webinars to discuss important issues and concerns relative to this theme.

Below are the schedule of the webinar series:

Date	Time	Webinar Title
19 July 2022	8:30 AM-12 PM	Climate Resilience and Sustainable Communities
26 July 2022	8:30 AM-12 PM	Integrated Energy Solutions Addressing Security and Sustainability
9 August 2022	8:30 AM-12 PM	Health and Wellness
16 August 2022	8:30 AM- 12 PM	Sustainable Utilization of Water, Land, and Soil Resources
25 August 2022	8:30 AM-12 PM	Accelerating Transformations of Sustainable Development through STI in Digital Revolution

The National Meeting on 9 September 2022 will be held from 8:30 AM to 4:00 PM, wherein, aside from the Plenary Session and Business Meeting, the 2022 winners of the PhilAAST awards, including the Best Poster Paper, will be presented and awarded. Attached is the tentative program of the event for your easy reference and the [71st PhilAAST Registration](#).

Prior to the Convention, there are series of Webinars that will be conducted. All these virtual activities are open to both PhilAAST members and non-members. However, to ensure a slot and be entitled to receive the Certificate of Participation, regular members are encouraged to pay the annual fee of P200.00 to update their



Membership and an additional P50 Initiation Fee for those who wish to become members. Attendance of Lifetime Members is free, and Non-members will be charged a fee of P500.00. Still, they may also opt to become a PhilAAST member before the Webinars or before **24 August 2022** for those attending the convention only by completing the attached Nomination for Membership Form, paying the membership fee, and emailing the deposit slip and nomination form to sison_fe@yahoo.com. In return, they will receive a number as a confirmed participant and a link to the meeting. Payment of fees may be made either through Metrobank Checking Account No.658-7658020567 or via GCash (Fe M. Sison – 09178051550; please take a screenshot of the transaction and email it to sison_fe@yahoo.com).

You are also invited to participate in the PhilAASTvirtual poster session by submitting your original, unpublished research papers on vast topics in S&T fields. Research papers related to the convention theme are encouraged. Please see attached guidelines for preparing and submitting digital posters. Send your abstract to Dr. Lucille Abad, Chair of Poster Session, at avlucille@pnri.dost.gov.ph. The deadline for submission is on 25 August 2022.

For any inquiries, please email philaast@yahoo.com or sison_fe@yahoo.com, or avbriones@itdi.dost.gov.ph.

We shall look forward to your participation in these significant events.

Very truly yours,

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President, PhilAAST

Encl: Nomination for Membership Form
Provisional Program
Poster Paper Guidelines