



Saint Louis University  
**together with its stakeholders,  
advocates for inclusive and  
equitable education and  
promotes life long learning**



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# Proportion of graduates with teaching qualification



Saint Louis University  
produced a total of 3,873  
graduates for AY 2022-  
2023.



Number of graduates who  
gained a qualification that  
entitled them to teach at  
primary school level

293



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## **Free Access to Educational Resources**



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# Saint Louis University Library American Corner Baguio

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The Saint Louis University Library - American Corner Baguio was one of the 16th American corners in the Philippines. It was first established as American Thomas Jefferson Library, yet the year was undated since the corner was instilled as old. Later on, the name of the corner was altered to American Studies Resource Center. And, in 2010, it was officially called as American Corner Baguio, which was located in the 4th floor of Msrg. Charles Vath Building inside the Library. The American Corner Baguio gives the union of the Philippines and American spaces where students and professionals are able to explore American history, politics, arts, and cultures of the American. Students and professionals outside of the University are welcomed to participate in the different activities of the corner.

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# Saint Louis University Inclusive Education Resource Center (SLU-IERC)

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SLU in its advocacy for Inclusive Education has for itself the Inclusive Education Resource Center (IERC) which caters to the needs of the differently-abled learners. This center is open to students and learners from Saint Louis University and nearby towns and provinces. The center aims to help create a welcoming, inclusive, and disabled-friendly learning community by capacitating students, parents, and teachers in understanding, caring and teaching learners with disability.

This center offers the following services:

1. curriculum plus skills training for students with visual and hearing impairment,
2. training in addressing students' learning needs in receiving classrooms for teachers and administrators, and
3. parenting children with disabilities for parents, guardians and other stakeholders.

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## Host of Public Events



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# UNRIC Organizes Research Training Workshop

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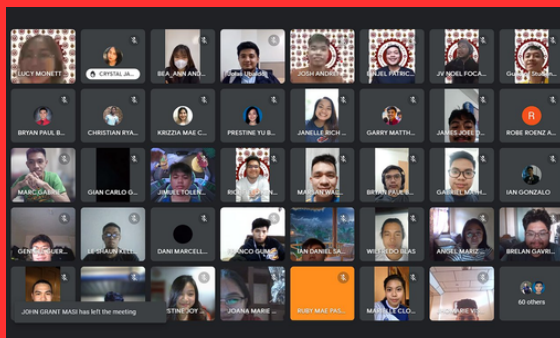


Saint Louis University adheres to research as one of its trifocal functions. Faculty and students are provided guidance along this university endeavor. On October 14, 2022, the University Research and Innovation Center (UNRIC) organized a one-day training workshop at the Fr. Francis Gevers' Hall. The said workshop entitled, "Mental Health Research in the Philippines: Developing a Competitive Research Proposal and Writing an Impactful Policy Brief," was held in cooperation with the National Research Council of the Philippines (NRCP-DOST) under the RD Lead Program. The training workshop's main objective is to develop skills in crafting research proposals and writing policy briefs.

The resource speaker was the RD Leader, Dr. Ronald Del Castillo, a clinical psychologist with expertise in public mental health and social policy.

# SLU Guild of Student Mechanical Engineers Conducts Enrichment Seminars

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The Guild of Student Mechanical Engineers of Saint Louis University conducted two seminars as a response to SLU's 3-point agenda. The first was held face-to-face on November 29, 2022, and the other was online on December 3, 2022. Topics discussed were "Pinagpala ng Uling: An Overview of a Coal-fired Power Plant in PH" and "Dredging Project Management" by the Bureau of Equipment, DPWH Central Office.

This activity is again another opportunity for future mechanical engineers to update themselves of current trends and issues in their work aligned in their context.

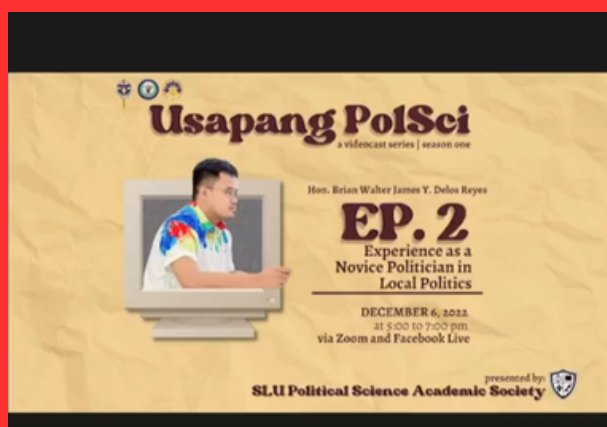
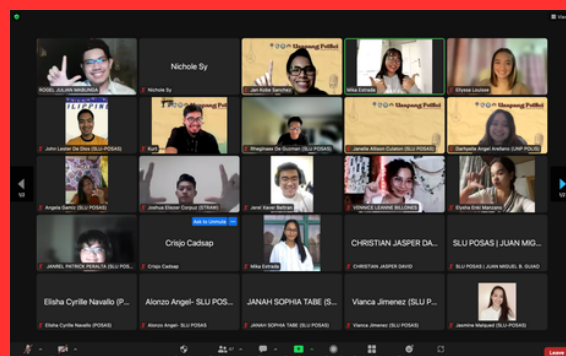
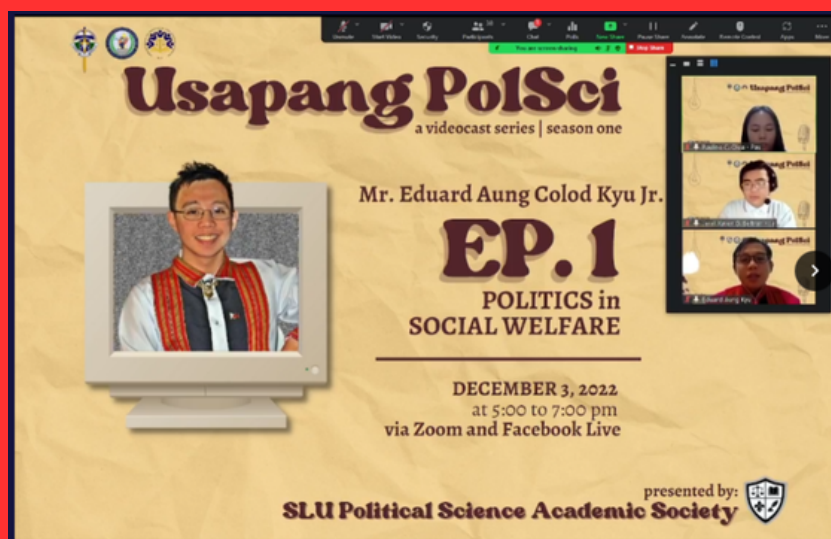
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# Usapang PolSci Videocast Series

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Students as future professionals play a vital role in nation-building. The Political Science Academic Society's Videocast, Usapang PopSci, addresses various topics about politics, social issues, youth civic participation, and experiences as a law student. The four episodes were meaningful discussions on various social and political topics. The active participation and engagement of the students provided them opportunities to present their perspectives and stand on various issues. The speakers were experts and professionals working in different institutions and agencies from Baguio and other provinces.



# Psyche Society Conducts Sign Language Workshop

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Saint Louis University advocates for an inclusive learning environment and community by reaching out to persons and individuals with disabilities. The Psyche Society conducted a Sign Language Workshop at the Perfecto AVR on March 29, 2023, with Ms. Denise Osmeña as the guest instructor. The activity equipped the students with basic sign language skills as well as basic information in dealing with persons with hearing impairment. As future professionals in this field, the students find this experience very helpful as they also need to know how to properly communicate with differently-abled individuals.





# Thai Students under the English Camp and Immersion Program

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Students from Thailand under the English Camp Program of the SLU-Languages and International Studies Unit (LISU) were given free training on Braille Reading and Writing, Adaptive Technology and Basic Sign Language from the SLU-Inclusive Education Resource Center. It was a different but memorable experience for them because their field of specialization is not related to special needs education. Their hands-on experience with the equipment and technology for learners with visual impairment equipped them with foundational skills in teaching children with disabilities.



# Kapadpada

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In line with its mission to promote cultural understanding and historical awareness, the Center for Culture and the Arts of Saint Louis University presents the SLU Dance Troupe featuring the SLU Symphonic Band in KAPADPADA, an untold true folk history of Filipino natives. KAPADPADA is a contemporary show inspired by a folk historical narrative on the development of unfavorable stereotypes of the Igorot people and Filipino society. KAPADPADA offers an ensemble of music and dance, highlighting the Igorots and other Filipino natives who, despite the most severe provocation, maintained a remarkable sense of dignity throughout their suffering. The show strives to enrich learners' and audiences' understanding of the untold folk stories of the past and, in turn, develop a sense of cultural understanding and pride.



# SLU Hosts HIYAS CCP Awards

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On October 4, 2022, Saint Louis University hosted “Hiyas, CCP Awards” the triennial (every three years) award for outstanding and exemplary artists, cultural workers, and creative organizations in the Luzon region. This aims to give recognition to deserving individuals and/or organizations in Luzon who have exemplified commendable work and services in cultural and artistic endeavors, and have been in the forefront of the research, development, preservation, education and promotion of arts and culture in Mindanao for at least 15 years or more.

# SLU Hosts Transformative Academic Practice in Higher Education in the Philippines Seminar-Workshop on Academic Practice

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Saint Louis University (SLU) hosted a Seminar-Workshop on Academic Practice (SWAP) on April 14, 2023, at the Fr. Francis Gevers Hall in the SLU main campus. This event brought together faculty and administrators from Benguet State University, Kalinga State University, the University of Baguio, the University of the Cordilleras, as well as SLU faculty and administrators from SAMCIS, SEA, and SOHNABS. SWAP is aimed at enhancing the quality of higher education in the Philippines by promoting the broader dissemination and implementation of innovative and future-ready academic practices among educators in Philippine higher education institutions.

The SWAP event was facilitated by alumni of the University of Liverpool and AdvanceHE in the United Kingdom. These individuals received support from the Transformative Academic Practice in Higher Education in the Philippines (TAPHEP) project, which is overseen by the Commission on Higher Education. This support allowed them to attain a Post Graduate Certificate in Academic Practice and achieve fellowship status within the Higher Education Academy.

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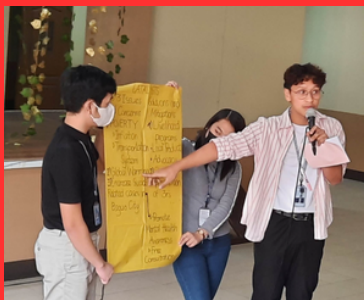




# SLU American Corner and UN SDG Center Conducts "The Power of Women" Seminar Workshop

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The American Corner Baguio, an initiative of Saint Louis University, in collaboration with the Saint Louis University UN Sustainable Development Goals Center, took the lead in organizing a seminar-workshop called "Empowering Women." This event took place at the Amphitheater of SLU Laboratory Elementary School (SLU-LES) on March 30, 2023, and spanned the entire day, aligning with the observance of International Women's Month. The seminar-workshop drew the participation of student leaders and educators from Saint Louis University's School of Teacher Education and Liberal Arts (STELA), Saint Louis University Senior High School (SLU-SHS), Saint Louis School, Inc. High School Department, Saint Louis School of Pacdal, as well as women from Banangan, Sablan, Benguet.

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# SLU SAS and SEA Host Public Lecture on Disaster Studies

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The School of Advanced Studies and the School of Engineering and Architecture at Saint Louis University organized a public lecture delivered by Professor JC Gaillard. The lecture focused on "The Archipelago of Disasters: Research, Responses, and Beyond" (Ang Kapuluan at Kalamidad: Pananaliksik, Pagtugon at Iba Pa) and aimed to contribute to the attainment of the Sustainable Development Goals (SDGs) outlined by Saint Louis University (SLU). This event was conducted in collaboration with the United Nations Development Program (UNDP).

Professor Gaillard, who is currently affiliated with the University of Auckland and the UP Resilience Institute, has diverse research interests encompassing disaster studies, postcolonial studies, Philippine studies, and teaching and learning.

The seminar was attended by personnel from various disaster risk reduction and management offices, including the Baguio City Disaster Risk Reduction and Management (DRRM), La Trinidad DRRM, Benguet DRRM, Mountain Province DRRM, and the Department of Social Welfare and Development Cordillera Administrative Region (DSWD CAR) Field Office, as well as representatives from the Office of Civil Defense (OCD) CAR, Police Regional Office Cordillera (PRO-COR), Local Government Unit (LGU) Baguio, faculty members from SLU and the University of Baguio, and individuals from the Mountain Province Broadcasting Corporation DZWT.

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# Saint Louis University Hosts In Service Training on Bioethics

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On January 9, 2023, the Department of Philosophy at Saint Louis University School of Teacher and Liberal Arts organized an in-service training session on Bioethics. The event took place in the audio-visual room of the Waldo Perfecto Building. The participants included members of the Philosophy faculty and medical doctors from Baguio General Hospital and Saint Louis University Sacred Heart Medical Center, who serve on their respective Ethics Committees.

The training seminar featured Rev. Fr. Jerry Reb. Manlangit, OP, as the resource speaker. At the outset of his lecture, Fr. Jerry emphasized the critical role of Bioethics in the field of Life Sciences, stating that it is the ethical cornerstone of this discipline. Fr. Manlangit is a professor of Moral Theology and Bioethics at the University of Sto. Tomas (UST) in Manila. He is also associated with UST's Ecclesiastical Faculties of Theology and Philosophy, Faculty of Medicine and Surgery, and the Graduate School. In addition to his academic responsibilities, he teaches subjects related to Hospital Administration and Human Resource Management and holds various positions in hospitals across the country.



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# SLU- Extension Institute for Small Scale Industries Foundation Inc. (EISSIF)

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The Saint Louis University Extension Institute for Small Scale Industries Foundation Incorporated aims to assist interested individuals with basic skills in beekeeping along the following: maintaining healthy and productive honeybee colonies; increase their chances of a profitable bee related enterprise and gain employment on this area. Series of trainings have been conducted during Academic Year 2022-2023. After the trainings of the participants, the foundation still continue to monitor and supervise their product outputs.



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# SLU Faculty Invited to Kalinga-Apayao Teachers and Administrators Seminar

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In accordance with the directives of Rev. Fr. Gilbert B. Sales, CICM, who serves as the CEAP-CAR Regional Trustee and PEAC – CAR Regional Program Director, to ensure that all Catholic and Private Schools in the region are in compliance with delivering high-quality Catholic education, the Apostolic Vicariate of Tabuk invited three faculty members from Saint Louis University. These individuals, namely Dr. Stephenie Ong Busbus, Mr. John Michael Aguirre Guerzon, and Dr. Joselito C. Gutierrez, were extended an invitation to attend the Kalinga-Apayao Teachers and Administrators Seminar (KATAS) from November 17 to 19, 2022. The primary objective of this event was to provide support and assess the Standards-Based School Improvement Plans (SSIP) and Curriculum Map prepared by Catholic Schools in the region.

# Reaching Potentials: An Outreach Activity with Saint John Paul II Learning Center Inc.

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To commemorate Developmental Disabilities Awareness Month, the Psyche Society organized an event named "Unleashing Potential." This community gathering was held on April 20, 2023, at the Quezon Hill Proper Covered Court and benefited from the support of 28 Psychology student volunteers.

Before the program commenced, both students and their guardians received assistance during the registration process. The event kicked off with a morning ceremony, followed by a group warm-up session and an energetic Zumba performance, all led by dedicated student volunteers. The opening remarks were delivered by Ms. Novella Garma, who serves as the principal of SJP II Learning Center. As part of the program, student volunteers devised three engaging and interactive activities, all tailored to the individualized education program of SJP II Learning Center students.





# SLU STELA Dean Conducts Training on Curriculum Quality Audit (CQA) for Peace Education and IP Studies Integration

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Aligning with the CICM's commitment to advancing causes such as the promotion of peace and safeguarding the rights of Indigenous Peoples, among other initiatives, and in response to CHED advisories encouraging the inclusion of Peace Education and Indigenous Peoples' Studies within academic curricula, Saint Louis University has successfully incorporated these principles into its general education courses. Moreover, the institution has actively engaged in training and research related to Indigenous Peoples' studies and peace education.

Drawing from these valuable experiences, Dr. Felina P. Espique, then Dean of School of Teacher Education and Liberal arts, was invited by the Zamboanga Peninsula Polytechnic State University (ZPPSU) to provide training to academic deans, department heads, and faculty members from various Higher Education Institutions (HEIs) in Region 9. The purpose of this training was to equip participants with the skills needed to conduct a Curriculum Quality Audit (CQA). This audit process is aimed at ensuring that curriculum reviews are comprehensive and that the integration of peace education and Indigenous Peoples' studies into general education and research programs is appropriately executed. The training took place on October 28-29, 2022.

# DOST-SEI Language Strategies in Teaching Science and Mathematics Goes to Bacolod City

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The Department of Science and Technology's Science Teacher Academy for the Regions, operating under the Science Education Institute (DOST-SEI STAR), extended an invitation to Ms. Dorothy Silva to serve as one of the resource persons and facilitators for a training program designed for Mathematics and Science educators in private schools within the Parochial Schools of Negros. This event took place in Bacolod City, Negros Occidental, from December 5 to 7, 2022.

Ms. Dorothy Silva, affiliated with SLU STELA, played a significant role as a resource person and facilitator during the training. This collaborative initiative was made possible through the combined efforts of DOST-SEI Project STAR, the Negros Inter-Diocesan Association of Parochial Schools, and SLU-School of Teacher Education and Liberal Arts (STELA). The leadership of Dr. Josette Biyo, Rev. Fr. Hubert M. Javellana, LPT, Ph.D., and Dr. Felina P. Espique, respectively, were instrumental in organizing this event.



# SLU and CEAP-CAR Sponsor Seminar-Workshop for In-Service Teachers

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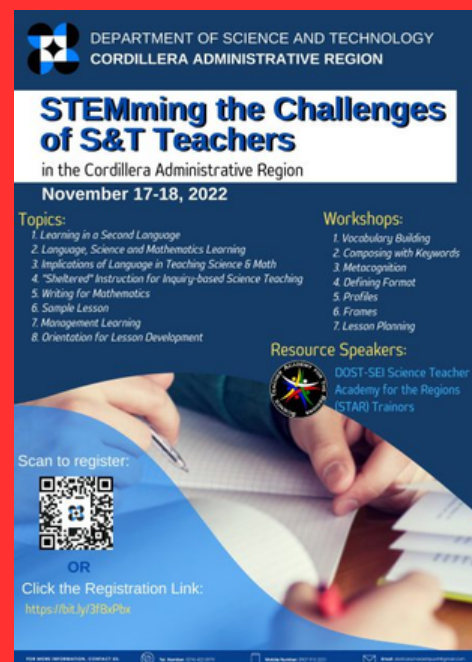
In collaboration with CEAP-CAR, Saint Louis University, under the leadership of Rev. Fr. Gilbert B. Sales, CICM, who serves as both SLU President and a member of the CEAP-CAR Council, organized a seminar-workshop for teachers already in service. The event addressed the theme "Enhancing Learning Delivery in Private and Catholic Schools" and took place from July 22 to July 24, 2023, at the Fr. Gerard Decaestecker Hall within the SLU SHS Building, Navy Base, Baguio City.

Distinguished speakers, including Dr. Joselito C. Gutierrez, Dr. Stephenie O. Busbus, Dr. Felina P. Espique, and Dr. Geraldine S. Wakat, covered a range of crucial topics during the workshop. These topics encompassed concepts such as Improving Learning Delivery in Private and Catholic Schools, Aligning and Mapping Curricula, Enhanced Learning Delivery Methods for Private and Catholic Schools, Learner-Centered Teaching Approaches utilizing MELCs (Most Essential Learning Competencies), Crafting Authentic Assessments using MELCs, and the Imperative to Update Learning Delivery through MELCs.

# DOST-CAR Taps SLU-DOST STAR Trainers in "STEMming the Challenges of S&T Teachers" Seminar for Math and Science Teachers

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The Science Education Institute (SEI) of the Department of Science and Technology (DOST), in its Science Teacher Academy for the Regions program (DOST-SEI STAR), engaged trainers from Saint Louis University to conduct training for mathematics and science educators in the Cordillera Administrative Region (CAR). This training program, titled "Addressing the Challenges Faced by Science and Technology Teachers in CAR," attracted participants from various educational levels, including elementary, junior high school, senior high school, and tertiary-level instructors. The seminar-workshop took place over two days, from November 17 to 18, 2022, and was conducted via Zoom and broadcasted on Facebook Live.





# Schools Division of Benguet invites SLU Faculty as Resource Persons in Capability-Building Series

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As part of a series of skill-building initiatives, the Benguet Schools Division extended an invitation to faculty members from Saint Louis University to serve as Resource Persons in the "Enhancing Skills and Knowledge of Teachers and School Leaders Across Various Governance Levels" program, which took place from July 17 to July 21, 2023, at Brentwood Apartelle in Brentwood Village, Baguio City. This collaboration between SLU and the Department of Education (DepEd) Benguet Division was facilitated through the efforts of Rev. Fr. Gilbert B. Sales, CICM, who serves as the Regional Program Director of PEAC, and it solidified the synergy between private and public educational institutions.

The seminar-workshop welcomed 600 educators from the DepEd, representing schools in Atok, Bakun, Bokod, Buguias, Itogon, La Trinidad, Mankayan, Sablan, Tuba, and Tublay. The event was conducted in three separate sessions, with each batch accommodating 200 participants.

# SLU SAS Dean Conducts Lecture on Mental Health and Psychological First Aid for Local LGUs and NGOs

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In pursuit of enhancing Mental Health Literacy, particularly among community leaders and organizations in the Cordillera Administrative Region (CAR), Dr. Faridah Kristi C. Wetherick, who serves as the Dean of the School of Advanced Studies (SAS) and as a Board Member of the Psychological Association of the Philippines (PAP), was invited to deliver a lecture on Mental Health and Psychological First Aid. This lecture took place on November 25, 2022, at the Mountain Lodge in Baguio City. The audience consisted of participants from the Local Government Units (LGUs) of Abra, which are actively engaged in rehabilitation efforts following a series of earthquakes in the province. Additionally, representatives from NGOs in Baguio City were also in attendance.

