

# Metric 16.3

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# STUDENT LEADERS FROM DIFFERENT ORGANIZATIONS AND PUBLICATIONS ASSEMBLE FOR LOUISIAN CONVERGENCE

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Bearing the theme, “Inclusivity & Digital Citizenship Journeying Together Towards Catholic Integral Formation and Global Excellence,” which aims to promote inclusivity and digital literacy, student leaders from Saint Louis University (SLU) organizations and publications gathered at Fr. Francis Gevers Hall for the Louisian Convergence on 29 January 2024.

Supporting SDG 16 (Peace Justice and Strong Institutions) and the CICM Advocacy of Justice Peace and Integrity of Creation, the event was spearheaded by the Office of Student Affairs and Services (OSAS), Center for Counseling and Wellness (CCW), and Sunflower Child and Youth Wellness Center (SFW).





# SULYAP LECTURE SERIES ILLUMINATES PATH TOWARDS JUSTICE, PEACE, INTEGRITY OF CREATION, AND INDIGENOUS PEOPLE'S ADVOCACY

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In episodes two and four of the Sulyap Lecture Series hosted by the Political Science Academic Society (POSAS) on 4 February 2024, important topics took center stage sparking discussions on justice, peace, and sustainable development.

The online lecture titled "Judgment Day: The ICC and its role guaranteeing full respect for human rights in the Philippines" delved into the significant role of the International Criminal Court (ICC) in ensuring accountability for human rights violations globally, with a specific focus on its relevance to the Philippines.

Through these enlightening episodes, the Sulyap Lecture Series continue to provide a platform for engaging discussions and actions that contribute to advancing justice, peace, integrity of creation, and indigenous people's advocacy aligning with SDG 16: Peace, Justice, and Strong Institutions by emphasizing the importance of holding individuals accountable for grave human rights abuses and SDG 10: Reduced Inequalities, by advocating for just policies and promoting inclusivity within communities to foster meaningful dialogue and action on crucial issues, paving the way for a brighter and more inclusive future.



# SLU MINES PUT TOGETHER “EM-CHANTED IN MINES” CELEBRATING VALENTINE’S DAY WITH ENGAGING BOOTH AND ACTIVITIES.

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In celebration of Valentine’s day, the Saint Louis University Mining Engineering Society (SLU MinES) crafted and set in motion their Valentine’s booth entitled “EM-Chanted in MinEs”, which commenced on 12, 13, and 15 of February 2024. The booth was stationed in front of the Mining Engineering Laboratory (H400B) at the SLU Main Campus, offering engaging games and activities for the students to enjoy.

In the spirit of fostering justice, peace, and a sense of community, the booth resonated with the CICM goals of justice and peace along with SDG 16 (Peace, Justice, and Strong Institutions) by entertaining and promoting love and joy to everyone. Through this enchanting initiative, the society celebrated the season of love and contributed to the larger narrative of building a world rooted in compassion, joy, and sustainable development.





# SEAHS LAUNCHES “CORNELIA BOOTH” IN CELEBRATION OF VALENTINE’S DAY



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For valentine's day, the School of Engineering and Architecture Honor Society (SEAHS) organized the booth "Cornelia Booth" on 12 and 15 February 2024, at the front of Otto Hahn Building at the Main Campus.

The Probies of the organization who took the lead in this activity poured their passion and collaborative efforts into crafting an experience that celebrated love in all its forms. Flowers and flower bouquets were also purchasable at the booth, along with treats and sweet delicacies from homemade cookies to sweet cupcakes.

In it's celebration of Valentine's day, the organization crafted this booth in alignment with the United Nations' Sustainable Development Goals 3 (Good Health and Well-being), 10 (Reduced Inequalities), and 16 (Peace, Justice, and Strong institutions) and the CICM Advocacy of Justice and Peace with its inclusive nature and objective of celebrating a day of love. (School of Engineering Honor Society)





# IECEP-SLU PUTS TOGETHER SUCCESSFUL ECE CUP 2024



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The Institute of Electronics Engineers of the Philippines – Saint Louis University Student Chapter (IECEP-SLU SC) conducted their ECE Cup 2024 on the 17 March 2024, at the Saint Louis University Maryheights Campus. The activity aimed to provide Electronics Engineering students with a platform to showcase their talents and skills in various sports.

the ECE Cup 2024 actively supports SDG 16 (Peace, Justice, and Strong Institutions) by nurturing teamwork, sportsmanship, and fair play among participants. By cultivating positive social interactions through this event, it fortifies institutional resilience and promotes a more peaceful and inclusive environment in the community of ECE students.





# SEAHS CELEBRATES EXCELLENCE AND COLLABORATION AT 15<sup>th</sup> INTER-HIGH BRAIN COLLISION



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In the gathering of high schools' brightest minds across different provinces, Saint Louis University's School of Engineering and Architecture Honor Society (SEAHS) set the stage for the 15th Inter-High School Brain Collision on the 24 of April 2024, at the SLU Ladies Dormitory.

The 15th Inter-High School Brain Collision not only celebrated academic excellence but also directly contributed to Sustainable Development Goals (SDGs) 4 and 16, along with the CICM advocacy of peace. By promoting a culture of learning and critical thinking among students, the competition promotes SDG 4 (Quality Education) by ensuring inclusive and equitable quality education. Additionally, through peaceful competition and collaboration, it nurtures a sense of unity and inclusivity, aligning with SDG 16's (Peace, Justice, and Strong Institutions) goal of promoting peaceful and inclusive societies. This advocacy for peace within the academic community echoes the broader mission of the CICM, further reinforcing the institution's commitment to building a world characterized by peace, justice, and strong institutions.





# ANIDO 2025: SLU AS A SAFE, NON-PARTISAN SPACE FOR ELECTORAL DISCOURSE



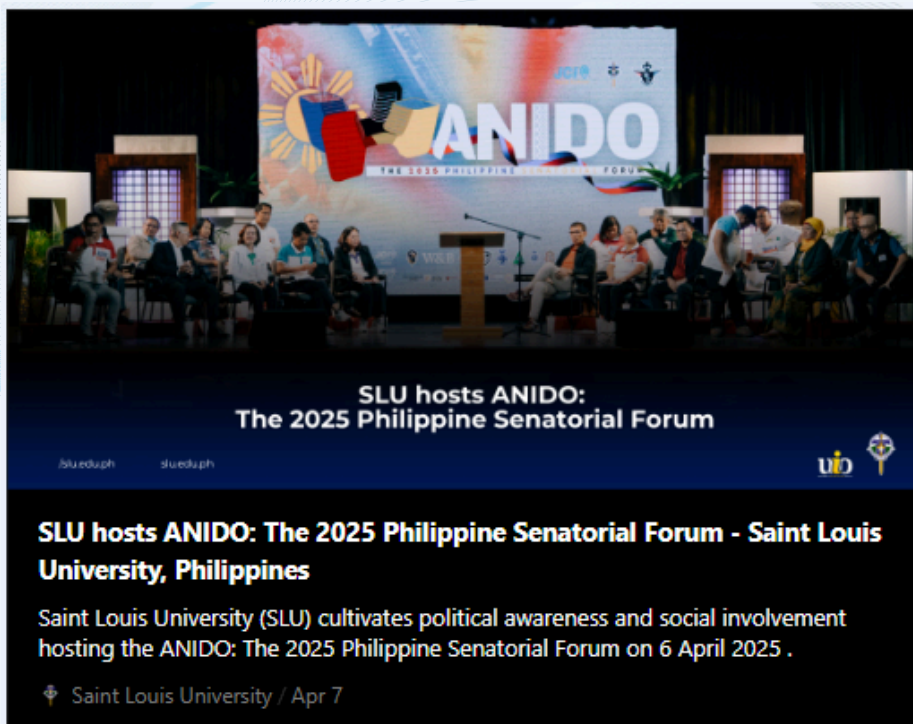
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On 6 April 2025, Saint Louis University hosted ANIDO: The 2025 Philippine Senatorial Forum — a neutral, non-partisan platform that brought together 20 senatorial aspirants, youth voters, and civic organizations. The forum, held at SLU's Center for Culture and the Arts Theater, was co-organized with the university's student government and a local civic group, creating a safe space for open and respectful discourse ahead of the national elections.

Participants engaged in moderated panel discussions, interactive Q&A sessions, and platform presentations where candidates addressed core national issues such as sustainable development, economic resilience, education, youth empowerment, and inclusive governance. This structured dialogue allowed voters — particularly youth — to hear diverse political perspectives directly and make informed decisions.

As part of the program, candidates signed an Integrity Pledge and Peace Covenant — a symbolic commitment to honest, transparent, and peaceful elections. This underscored the forum's values of accountability, unity, and civic responsibility, reinforcing democratic practices within the community.

By hosting ANIDO, SLU demonstrated its role as a neutral facilitator of democratic dialogue and civic education. The event empowered students and community stakeholders to engage meaningfully in national processes, thus aligning with SDG-related goals on peace, justice, and inclusive institutions. It provided a trusted space where differing political voices could be heard, contested respectfully, and understood — fulfilling the indicator's requirement for a university to offer a safe, neutral platform for public discussion.





# SLU HOSTS ACUP YOUTH GATHERING FEATURING RENOWNED EXPERTS, FOSTERING CIVIC DIALOGUE AND ENGAGEMENT



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In July 2024, Saint Louis University welcomed the first youth gathering organized by the Association of Catholic Universities of the Philippines (ACUP). The event featured prominent experts — among them, an esteemed national public figure — who engaged with students and youth participants in open, non-partisan discussions about national issues, civic responsibility, and social justice. The forum served as a neutral platform where diverse perspectives were shared respectfully, and participants were encouraged to reflect on governance, community welfare, and democratic participation. By providing this safe space for intergenerational and civic dialogue, SLU demonstrated its commitment to nurturing informed citizenship and fostering inclusive conversations on societal challenges — fulfilling the role expected of universities to facilitate open, democratic discourse.

