

A. Significant Events (Training, Conferences, Workshops, etc. - Local and International)

No.	Date/Duration	Specific Title	Highlights	Venue	Persons Involved	Unit	Role of Unit/Persons Involved
1	03 August - 22 September 2017	Engineering Science Paper Drive	CEAT Student Council revived a former fund-raising activity as we will be printing and distributing ES Papers for the council	CEAT A and B	CSC	CSC	Organizer
2	09-13 August 2017	Indonesian Society of Agricultural Engineering International Seminar (ISAE IS) Theme: Strengthening Food Security, Feed and Energy Sustainability to Enhance Competitiveness	Paper presentation on AFMTs as propellers in Strengthening Food Security, Feed and Energy Sustainably to Enhance Competitiveness	Bandar, Lampung, Indonesia	Dr. Rossana Marie C. Amongo	BIOMECH	Plenary Speaker
3	18 August 2017	DOST-PCIERRD Proposal Presentation	Presented the Nano Filter from Rice hull Project	UP Diliman, Quezon City	Dr. Rossana Marie C. Amongo	BIOMECH	Proponent/ Presenter
4	04-05 September 2017	Seminar/Workshop on Coaching and Mentoring Aspects of SPMS	Insights on what a coach does and what are the qualities of a good coach	ICOPED-CEM, UPLB	Ms. Rodora S. Calibo	DChE	Participant
5	05 September 2017	AMTEC visit and discussion on the DA Agricultural Modernization Project Proposal and Testng and Evaluation Capacity Building		AMTEC, CEAT, UPLB	Mr. Takashi Fujimori (Administrator, Safety Testing, Institute of Agricultural Machinery, Naro, Japan), Mr. Kenji Tarada (Agriculture Attache, Embassy of Japan, Makati, Philippines), Dr. Aurelio A. Delos Reyes Jr., Engr. Darwin C. Aranguren, and Engr. Romulo E. Eusebio	AMTEC	Participants
6	06 September 2017	Research proposal meeting for DOST-GIA call	Setting of research topic and action items	COE, UP Diliman	Dr. Rowena B. Carpio and Asst. Prof. Stephen S. Doliente	DChE	Participants
7	06-09 September 2017	Makina Expo 2017		Iloilo City Convention Center, Iloilo City	Dr. Aurelio A. Delos Reyes Jr., Engr. Darwin C. Aranguren, and Engr. Romulo E. Eusebio	AMTEC	Resource Persons
8	07 September 2017	Meeting with NTHU	Round table discussion with NTHU and lecture seminar on their degree program offerings	AMTEC Conference Room, CEAT, UPLB	Dr. Arnold R. Elepaño, Dr. Myra G. Borines, Dr. Ramon Christian P. Eusebio, DChE Faculty, Staff, and Students	CEAT Dean's Office and DChE	Organizers/Coordinators/Participants
9	07-09 September 2017	Makinasaka 2017 (UPLB Hand Tractor cum Seed Planter and UPLB Two Drum Corn Sheller)	Exhibited BIOMECH generated AMTs	Iloilo Convention Center, Iloilo City	Engr. Jose D. de Ramos, Engr. Marife R. Santiago, Engr. Alexis C. del Rosario, Dr. Ronel S. Pangan, and Mr. Ronnie R. Repoldo	BIOMECH	Exhibitors
10	08 September 2017	MLB Ceremonial MOA Signing	Ceremonial signing for the agreement between Manila Laguna Batangas Research Corridor (MLB) consortium universities	FAITH Multi-Purpose Hall, Tanauan City, Batangas	Dr. Arnold R. Elepaño, Dr. Myra G. Borines, and Engr. Mary Louise P. Pascual	CEAT Dean's Office	Attendees
11		Makinasaka 2017	Student R&D contest	Iloilo Convention Center, Iloilo City	Dr. Ronel S. Pangan	BIOMECH	Judge
12	09 September 2017	Makinasaka 2017	National Consultation on the PNS for Corn Combine	Iloilo Convention Center, Iloilo City	Dr. Rossana Marie C. Amongo and Dr. Victor A. Rodulfo Jr.	BIOMECH	Resource Persons and TWG Members
13		DA-BAFS National Public Consultative Meeting for the Development of Philippine National Standards for Various Agricultural Machinery (Corn Combine Harvester)		Iloilo City Convention Center, Iloilo City	Dr. Aurelio A. Delos Reyes Jr., Engr. Darwin C. Aranguren, and Engr. Romulo E. Eusebio	AMTEC	TWG Co-Chair, TWG Member, and TWG Member
14	11 September 2017	Volunteer Corps Orientation	Held to orient interested volunteers of the CEATSC	EE Auditorium, CEAT, UPLB	CSC	CSC	Organizer
15	11-13 September 2017	DA-BAFE Testing and Evaluation Accreditation Advisory Committee (TEAAC) Planning Workshop	Planning workshop on the Standard Regulation and Implementation of the National Guidelines for Testing and Evaluation of Agricultural and Fisheries Machinery	Zambales Training and Conference Center (BALIN SAMBALI) Iba, Zambales	Dr. Aurelio A. Delos Reyes Jr., Engr. Romulo E. Eusebio, Dr. Rossana Marie C. Amongo, and Engr. Alexis C. del Rosario,	AMTEC and BIOMECH	TEAAC Chair, Alternate Representative, Resource Persons, and TWG Members
16	11-16 September 2017	3rd Training of Trainers of the Asian and Pacific Network for Testing of Agricultural Machinery (ANTAM) on Rice Transplanters		Nanning, China	Engr. Fatima Joy J. Raytana and Engr. Conrad Ian S. Tan	AMTEC	Participants
17	12-14 September 2017	Zonal deployment of Training Regulations (TRs), Competency Assessment Tools (CATs) and Assessment Fees	Presented the TR, CATs and Fees	Plaza del Norte Hotel, Laoag City	Dr. Ronel S. Pangan	BIOMECH	Technical Expert
18	13-17 September 2017	KII and FGD with key personnel of NIA and DA Region 6 re potential commercialization or adoption of WSN technology for Irrigation		Iloilo City	Dr. Victor B. Ella	LWRD-IAE	Resource Person
19	14 September 2017	1st CEAT CSL Emergency Meeting	CEATSC conducted an emergency meeting to resolve Lounge Concerns	CEAT B-202	CSC	CSC	Organizer
20	14-18 September 2017	Prince Valiant International Corporation and Focus Applied Technologies Dynamometers Training at the manufacturer's facility		Jalan Jawi Indah, Penang, Malaysia	Dr. Aurelio A. Delos Reyes Jr. and Engr. Romulo E. Eusebio	AMTEC	Participants
21	14-19 September 2017	Training on Procurement Process	Presentation of the results of the 3 BAC Unification Meeting to the end users	ICOPED, CEM, UPLB	Dr. Rossana Marie C. Amongo	BIOMECH	Resource Speaker and BAC Infra Chair
22	15 September 2017	Site Visit		Amadeo, Cavite	Dr. Arthur L. Fajardo and Asst. Prof. Erwin P. Quillooy	LWRD-IAE	

23	18 September 2017	1St GAD Focal Points Special Meeting	Orientation on Gender Sensitivity & presentation of Gender Activities; Guidelines and Roles & Responsibilities & Plans of UPLB Officials GAD Summit	CEC Conference Room, UPLB	Dr. Rossan Marie C. Amongo	BIOMECH	Focal Points for BIOMECH
24		Presentation of BIOMECH's activities regarding agricultural mechanization	Presentation of BIOMECH's activities regarding agricultural mechanization to Negros Oriental Provincial Agriculture Office and Extension Workers	Dumaguete City	Engr. Marife R. Santiago and Engr. Jose D. de Ramos	BIOMECH	Resource Persons
25		Never Again Unity Statement	A Unity Statement was released by the Student Councils in UPLB with regards to the Anniversary of Martial Law	-	CSC		CSC
26	19 September 2017	Training/Workshop on UPLB Procurement Process and Updates on the Implementing Rules and Regulations of 9184	Procurement process and updates	ICOPED-CEM, UPLB	Ms. Filipina B. Obligado	DChE	Participant
27	20-21 September 2017	Workshop series ENERPHIL: Energiewende on the Philippine Island	1) Renewable energy research techniques and methodology 2) Project Management Workshop	COE, UP Diliman	Dr. Rowena B. Carpio and Asst. Prof. Stephen S. Doliente	DChE	Participants
28	21-23 September 2017	Training on the operation and maintenance of BIOMECH AMTs	Hands-on training on the ORM of BIOMECH AMTs	Siquijor, Siquijor	Engr. Jose D. de Ramos, Engr. Marife R. Santiago, and Engr. Alexis C. del Rosario	BIOMECH	Resource Persons
29		Impact assessment of the BIOMECH Piloting Activities in Siquijor	Primary data gathering from partners/collaborators and other stakeholders	Siquijor, Siquijor	Dr. Maria Victoria L. Laron	BIOMECH	Lead Investigator
30	24 September 2017	Marcos Not Welcome in UPLB Unity Statement	A Unity Statement was released by the Student Councils in UPLB with regards to the event held by the One Social Family Credit Cooperative last September 23, 2017	-	CSC	CSC	Co-Organizer
31	25 September 2017	DA-BAFS Technical Working Group Meeting for the Revisions of PAES for Slaughterhouse and Lairage		Quezon City	Dr. Aurelio A. Delos Reyes Jr.	AMTEC	Co-Chair
32		Interview of Farm Worker Applicants	3 applicants were interviewed	IAE Conference Room, CEAT, UPLB	Dr. Rossana Marie C. Amongo, Dr. Ronel S. Pangan, Mr. Nick C. Milante, and Engr. Marife R. Santiago	BIOMECH	BIOMECH AdPC and APC
33		Meeting with BFAR Consultant for the project on Policy Formulation of the Standard Procedure for Fishery Mechanization Index Integrating the Best Practices on the Utilization of Fisheries Mechanization Technologies (FMTs)	Initial Identification of study area for the identification of Best Practices in using FMTs in the Fisheries Industry	BFAR-DA	Dr. Maria Victoria L. Laron, Engr. Clarissa Ileana L. Ilao, and Ms. Gerlie Nelle L. Lalap	BIOMECH	Project Leader and Staff
34		4th CEAT Council of Student Leaders' Meeting	We discussed our organizational announcements, Lounge Matters, and Loyalty Day Matters	CEAT Student Lounge, UPLB	CSC	CSC	Organizer
35	26 September 2017	DA Agriculture and Fisheries Mechanization Committee (AFMeC) Technical Working Group Regular Meeting	Presentation of progress report on Fish Mechanization Index (FishMI) Projects and review of guidelines and Activities of the Training & Extension group	Quezon City	Dr. Aurelio A. Delos Reyes Jr., Dr. Rossana Marie C. Amongo, Dr. Victor A. Rodolfo Jr., Dr. Maria Victoria L. Laron, and Ms. Gerlie Nelle L. Lalap	AMTEC and BIOMECH	Member, Resource Person, and Presenter
36		Philippine-France Forum on Agriculture		AG New World Manila Bay Hotel, Manila	Dr. Victor B. Ella	LWRD-IAE	Resource Person
37		Joint PCAF-NSC and Three Quarters Performance Review and Planning Workshop		DA PCAF Quezon City	Dr. Arthur L. Fajardo	AMD-IAE	Participant
38	27-28 September 2017	Planning Workshop and Conference on the GIS-Based Water Resources Assessment R&D for Small Scale Irrigation Systems in the Philippines	Presentation of the UPLB SSIP Project and Finalization of the Guidelines for the Final Output	Eden Nature Park, Toril Davao City	Dr. Rossana Marie C. Amongo, Dr. Ronaldo B. Saludes, and Engr. Ronnie C. Valencia	BIOMECH	Project Leader & Staff
39	27-28 September 2017	2017 Joint PCAF, NSC and AFC Three Quarters Performance Review and Planning Workshops	Presentation of the output from the projects: Operational Policy for the Development of the Philippine Agricultural and Fisheries Mechanization Index Policy Study in Support of the Local Assembly and Manufacturing of SCE for the Philippine Agricultural & Fisheries Sector	PCAF-DA	Dr. Maria Victoria L. Laron, aP Mark Keylord S. Onal, and Ms. Gerlie Nelle L. Lalap, Dr. Victor A. Rodolfo Jr., and Dr. Arthur L. Fajardo	BIOMECH and IAE	Resource Speaker and Presenters
40	28 September 2017	Zonal deployment of Training Regulations (TRs), Competency Assessment Tools (CATs) and Assessment Fees	Presented the TRs, CATs, and Fees	TESDA, Bicutan	Engr. Marife R. Santiago	BIOMECH	Technical Expert
41		Basic WESM Training		Philippine Electricity Market Corporation (PEMC), Ortigas, Quezon City	Asst. Prof. Karen-Christian C. Agno, Asst. Prof. Adrian Augusto M. Sumalde, Asst. Prof. Elvin D. Dulce, Engr. Athena P. Lavega, Engr. Kristel Mae V. Villasin, Engr. Kim Jay R. Rosano, Asst. Prof. John Paolo P. Manzano, Engr. Aryan Paula A. Manalo, Engr. Melvin C. Ilang-Ilang, Engr. Raymond S. Mabilangan, and Engr. Jenny Rose V. Repollo	DEE	Asst. Prof. Adrian Augusto M. Sumalde -- Chair, Socials and Sports Com; Asst. Prof. Annie Liza C. Pintor -- stage design with Mr. Lemuel Llamera Jr and Mr. Rodolfo Ramos; Engr. Kim Jay R. Rosano, Engr. Gabriela Monica M. Gonzales, and Engr. Jenny Rose V. Repollo -- Master of Ceremonies

42		DA-AFMeC Technical Working Group on Training and Extension Special Meeting		Quezon City	Engr. Darwin C. Aranguren	AMTEC	Representative
43	29 September 2017	Review and Revision of the 2007 Philippine Exchange Visitors Program Skills List	Updated the EVP Skills List of the Philippines related to agriculture, aquatic and natural resources	DOST PCAARRD Innovation and Technology Center (IDPITC), Los Baños, Laguna	Dr. Myra G. Borines	CEAT Dean's Office	Participant
44		2nd Philippine Women Engineers Summit	Presentation of different achievements of Women Engineers in the Philippines	Century Park Hotel, Manila	Dr. Rossana Marie C. Amongo	BIOMECH/AMD-IAE	Plenary Speaker
45	30 September 2017	9th Southern Tagalog Industrial Engineering Seminar (STIES) Part 1	UPLB-IESO and IED, in cooperation with CEAT and UPLB is conducting 9th STIES which is about Service Quality Management (SQM). SQM assesses how well a service has been given for continuous improvement, identify problems and correct them to increase customer satisfaction	DL Umali Hall, UPLB	IESO and Selected IED Personnel	DIE	Partner for the event
46	02 October 2017	Agricultural and Biosystems Engineering Oath Taking and Awarding Ceremony	ABE Mass Oath Taking and receive the award for UPLB as Top Performing School in the ABE Board Exam	Century Park Hotel, Manila	Dr. Fernando O. Paras, Jr. and IAE Board Passers	IAE	Recipient and Attendees
47		Flag Ceremony	IAE Faculty, Staff and students hosted the weekly Flag ceremony at the UPLB Main Library	UPLB Main Library	IAE	IAE	Host

Legend:

Departments:

IAE – Institute of Agricultural Engineering
DChE – Department of Chemical Engineering
DCE – Department of Civil Engineering
DEE – Department of Electrical Engineering
DES – Department of Engineering Science
DIE – Department of Industrial Engineering

Units in IAE:

ABPROD – Agricultural and Bio-Processing Division
AFSD – Agrometeorology and Farm Structures Division
AMD – Agricultural Machinery Division
LWRD – Land and Water Resources Division

Research and Extension

BIOMECH – Center of Agri-Fisheries and Biosystems Mechanization
AMTEC – Agricultural Machinery Testing and Evaluation Center

Support Units:

DO – Dean's Office
CSO – College Secretary's Office
CEAT Library
CSC – CEAT Student Council

B. New, Ongoing, and Completed RDE Projects

No.	Date/Duration	Unit	Specific Title	Objectives	Expected Output	Leader and Staff	Source of Funding
1	2 years (Proposal)	BIOMECH and IAE	Development of Filtration System from Nanosilica Derived from Rice Hull for Recirculating Aquaculture Systems		Development of Filter system for RAS	Dr. Rossana Marie C. Amongo, Dr. Engelbert K. Peralta, and Dr. Arthur L. Fajardo	DOST- PCIERRD (PhP 9.847M)
2	January 4, 2016 to March 2017	IAE	Enhancing Productivity Through Utilization of Technologies in Crop Based Ecosystem for Food Security		Extension	Dr. Rossana Marie C. Amongo, IAE Faculty, and BIOMECH Engineers	NAFES-CHED
3	March 2015-28 Feb 2017 Extension Approved to 31 Aug 2017	ABPROD-IAE	Improving Productivity of Sea Cucumber Processing through Mechanization and Packaging		Research, Extension, Publication	Dr. Kevin F. Yaptenco and Dr. Ronel S. Pangan	PCAARRD
4	2 years (Sept 1, 2017- Aug 31, 2019)	BIOMECH	Identifying Suitable Sites for Small Scale Irrigation Projects (SSIPs) in the CALABARZON Region (Region IV A) Through GIS-based Water Resources Assessment		1. Regional Water Resources Assessment Map for SSIPs 2. Suitability Maps of SSIPs 3. Publication in a refereed journals and conferences proceedings 4. Undergraduate students and Graduate Student	Dr. Rossana Marie C. Amongo	DA-BAR (PhP 4.977 M)
5	1 year (18 August 2017 to 17 August 2018)	DChE	Life cycle Assessment of Swine Production Towards A Sustainable Swine Industry in the Philippines		Carbon Emissions of Existing Swine Production Practices and Policy Recommendation	Dr. Rex B. Demafelis	DA-BAR
6		AFSD-IAE	Smarter Approaches to Reinvigorate Agriculture as an Industry in the Philippines (Project 2: Vulnerability Study)		Research/ Publication	Prof. Moises A. Dorado and Asst. Prof. Vicente G. Ballaran, Jr.	PCAARRD
7		AFSD-IAE	Monitoring and Detection of Ecosystems Changes for Enhancing Resilience and Adaptation in the Philippines		Research/ Publication	Prof. Moises A. Dorado and Asst. Prof. Vicente G. Ballaran, Jr.	PCAARRD
8		LWRD-IAE	Development of a Climate Responsive Integrated River Basin Master Plan for Cagayan, Agno, Mindanao and Bauayan-Malungon River Basins		River Basin Master Plans	Dr. Roger A. Luyun, Jr. and Dr. Aurelio A. Delos Reyes, Jr.	RBCO, DENR
9		LWRD-IAE	Policy Study towards Effective Groundwater Management for Sustainable Agriculture		Policy Study/Publication	Dr. Roger A. Luyun, Jr. and Dr. Arthur L. Fajardo	DA-PCAF
10		IAE and DCE	The UPLB Off-Grid Community Based Sustainable Energy Research		Action Research, Green community	Dr. Marish S. Madlangbayan, Dr. Rossana Marie C. Amongo, Dr. Marloe B. Sundo, Dr. Fernando O. Paras Jr., and Dr. Arthur L. Fajardo	NGCP
11	01 April 2017- 31 March 2018	LWRD-IAE	Development of Wireless Sensor network-based Water Information System for Efficient Water Management in the Philippines		Research	Dr. Victor B. Ella, Dr. Arthur L. Fajardo, Asst. Prof. Maurice A. Duka, Engr. Jeffrey A. Gonzales, Ms. Mary Anne T. Labrador, RIMariñas, Ms. Nikki Allaine Panaligan, Mr. Mark Ferdie Eusebio, Ms. Kristelle Marie DeLa Cruz, and Asst. Prof. Rosa B. Delos Reyes	CHED-PCARI
12	01 June 2017- 30 November 2018	LWRD-IAE	Analysis of Irrigation Structures Sensitivity and Perturbations in Support for the Development of Improved Operation and Management (O & M) of UPRIIS		Research	Dr. Mona Lisa De Los Reyes, Asst. Prof. Maurice A. Duka, and Engr. Jeffrey A. Gonzales	OVPAA-ECWRG
13	01 May 2017 - 30 April 2021	IPB, IAE (AMD and ABPROD)	Project 5. Assessment of Sugarcane Varieties and Germplasm Collection for Drought and Waterlogging Tolerance Component 1: Screening of Sugarcane for Drought Tolerance		Research	EF Delfin, Dr. Kevin F. Yaptenco, Asst. Prof. Erwin P. Quillooy	Sugar Regulatory Administration

C. Scientific Productivity

No.	Unit	Type of Publication	Title	Author (s)	Publisher	Date Published
1	ABPROD-IAE	Journal paper	Moisture sorption isotherms and shelf life prediction for whole dried sandfish (<i>Holothuria scabra</i>)	Dr. Kevin F. Yaptenco, Engr. Sharmaine N. Pardua, Engr. Jonnel Andrew C. Duque, Dr. Ronel S. Pangan	International Commission of Agricultural and Biosystems Engineering	August 2017
2	ABPROD-IAE	e-Journal	Design, Construction and Performance Evaluation of an Indirect Solar Dryer for Fermented Cacao Beans	Dr. Juanito D. Burguillos, Dr. Jessie C. Elauria, and Dr. Irene De Vera	Philippine e-Journal for Applied Research and Development (2017) Vol.7 pages 1-11	2017
3	BIOMECH/AMD-IAE	Plenary paper presented during the Indonesian Society of Agricultural Engineering International Seminar (ISAE IS) sponsored by ISAE Lampung Chapter in cooperation with the Lampung University in Indonesia	AFMTs as propellers in Strengthening Food Security, Feed and Energy Sustainably to Enhance Competitiveness The Philippine Experience	Dr. Rossana Marie C. Amongo	Lampung University	10-12 August 2017
4	BIOMECH/AMD-IAE	Plenary Paper presented during the PTC-WEN 2nd Philippine Women Engineers Summit	Meeting Challenges of Engineering & Technology	Dr. Rossana Marie C. Amongo	PTC-WEN	29 September 2017
5	DCE	ISI Refereed Journal	Corrosion Damage Measurement on Reinforced Concrete by Impressed Voltage Technique and Gravimetric Method	E.D. Benito, Dr. Marish S. Madlangbayan, Engr. Nimfa S. Tabucal, N. S., Dr. Marloe B. Sundo, M. B., and Asst. Prof. Perlie P. Velasco	International Journal of Geomate	November 2017 (Accepted: August 2017)

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D. New Appointments/Resignations/Retirements

No.	Date	Unit	Name	Position
1	09 August 2017	DChE	Dr. Jovita L. Movillon	Adjunct Faculty
2		AMD-IAE	Engr. Charles Gunay	Instructor 2
3	01 September 2017 - 31 August 2018	BIOMECH	Dr. Rossana Marie C. Amongo, Dr. Ronaldo B. Saludes, and Dr. Roger A. Luyun, Jr.	Project Leaders of the project entitled, "Identifying Suitable Sites for Small Scale Irrigation Projects (SSIPs) in the CALABARZON Region (Region IV A) Through GIS-based Water Resources Assessment"
4	01 September 2017 - 28 February 2018	BIOMECH	Dr. Maria Victoria L. Larona	Project Staff of the project entitled, "Identifying Suitable Sites for Small Scale Irrigation Projects (SSIPs) in the CALABARZON Region (Region IV A) Through GIS-based Water Resources Assessment"
5	01 September 2017 - 31 October 2018	BIOMECH	Engr. Ronnie C. Valencia	URA II of the project entitled, "Identifying Suitable Sites for Small Scale Irrigation Projects (SSIPs) in the CALABARZON Region (Region IV A) Through GIS-based Water Resources Assessment"
6	01 September 2017 - 31 October 2018	BIOMECH	Engr. Michelle Acosta	URA I of the project entitled, "Identifying Suitable Sites for Small Scale Irrigation Projects (SSIPs) in the CALABARZON Region (Region IV A) Through GIS-based Water Resources Assessment"
7	01 September 2017 - 31 October 2018	BIOMECH	Ms. Khendy S. Bautista	Admin Aide of the project entitled, "Identifying Suitable Sites for Small Scale Irrigation Projects (SSIPs) in the CALABARZON Region (Region IV A) Through GIS-based Water Resources Assessment"
8	01 September 2017	DCE	Engr. Timothy M. Bertiz	Instructor 4
9	01 September 2017	DCE	Engr. Mark Joel B. Uaje	Instructor 4
10	20 September 2017 - 19 September 2019	ABPROD-IAE	Ms. Marcelina T. Miranda	IAE AdPC Member (Supervisory)
11	20 September 2017 - 19 September 2019	ABPROD-IAE	Ms. Myra F. Aran	IAE AdPC Member (Non-Supervisory)
12	02 October 2017	DCE	Engr. Richard Dean F. Morales	Instructor 4

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E. Local and Foreign Visitors

No.	Date	Unit	Name	Organization	Place of Origin	Purpose of Visit
1	07 September 2017	DChE	SW Chen, SY Lu, DSH Wong, and HH Chou	National Tsing Hua University	Tsing Hua, Taiwan	Discussion meeting and presentation for possible research collaboration and student exchange program
2	19 September 2017	CSC	Ms. Aiza	576 MP Photostudio	Marikina	Graduation Photo Shoot
3	27 September 2017	CSC	Ms. Ma. Luisa Gomez	Smart DigiEnterprise	Sta. Rosa, Laguna	Graduation Photo Shoot
4	27-28 September 2017	IAE		Kagoshima University	Japan	

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F. Visiting Exchange Students

No.	Date	Name	School	Place of Origin	Field of Interest
1	NONE				
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G. New MOU/MOA

No.	Unit	Duration	Parties Involved	Purpose of Agreement
1		NONE		
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H. Awards and Recognition (Faculty, REPS, Administrative Personnel, Students)

No.	Unit	Name of Awardee/Recipient	Position	Title of Award	Granting Organization	Date of Award
1	DCE	Mr. Francis Kenneth P. Cabrera	Student	PICE Regional CE Quiz Contest - Champion	PICE Laguna Chapter	09 September 2017
2	IAE	IAE, CEAT, UPLB		Top Performing School in the recent Agricultural Engineering Licensure Examinations (98.33%, 59/60)	PRC	02 October 2017
3	IAE	Job Jonas Ruzgal, Engr. Twain Limbo, and Engr. Jayson Fumera (Team iAgriVentures)	Graduate Students	Finalist in the EWS Innovation Olympics		29 September 2017

I. Other Announcements (Renewal of Appointments with Promotion)

No.	Effectivity	Name	Unit	Previous Designation	New Designation
1	NONE				
2					

AMTEC Announcements:

A total of 25 agricultural machinery (seed cleaner, floating tillers, flat bed dryer, drilling rig, rice thresher, shredder, corn shellers, corn dryer, motorized banca, recirculating dryer, corn mill, power sprayer, 4WD tractor, solar pumpset, diesel engine, and centrifugal pumps) were tested by the center for the month of September 2017.

DCE Announcements:

The withdrawal of Study-Leave with Pay and return to service of Engr. Nimfa Maren S. Tabucal effective 02 October 2017. This is due to the special condition of her pregnancy that limits her to travel long distances, which is the case for her MS Study at UP Diliman.

DEE Announcements:

- (1) Study leave with pay of Engr. Lorwin Felimar B. Torrizo to pursue his MS ECE at the De La Salle University effective September 4, 2017.
- (2) DEE celebrated its 21st anniversary with various activities mainly for students dated 19 to 23 September 2017 at the EE Auditorium. This event was spearheaded by the Socials' committee, headed by Engr. Gabriela Monica M. Gonzales
- (3) Administrative position, Instrumentation Section: Mr. Jose S. Mendoza as Laboratory Technician II effective September 11, 2017
- (4) Registered Electrical Engineer (REE) Licensure Exam September 2017 Result: 100% (30 out of 30), Top 7, Engr. Jan Robert Inocencio
- (5) Registered Master Electrician (RME) Licensure Exam September 2017 Result: 100% (2 out of 2), Top 4, Ms. Rochelle Marie Flores, undergraduate BSEE student

IAE Announcement

- (1) Study leave with pay of Asst. Prof. Joan Cecilia C. Casila of LWRD-IAE to pursue PhD in Tokyo Metropolitan University (TMU) from 24 September 2017 to 23 September 2018.
- (2) Dr. Kevin F. Yaptenco will participate in the Study Visit to the Sutardja Center for Entrepreneurship & Technology (SCET), University of California Berkeley from 16 August to 15 December 2017
- (3) Return to service of Dr. Roger A. Luyun after serving as Research Fellow under the "2017 JASSO Follow-up Research Fellowship" at the United Graduate School of Agricultural Sciences, Kagoshima, Japan from 24 July - 25 September 2017
- (4) LWRD/AFSD Building - 90% complete. Contractor is still waiting on the approval of proposed variation order.
- (5) Training Rooms/Director's Office - 80% complete. Contractor is still waiting on the approval of proposed variation order

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J. Concerns (Students, Faculty, REPS, and Administrative Staff)

No.	Concerns and Issues	Status	Unit
1	CCTV Concern	As a resolution during the 1st CEAT CSL Meeting, the CEATSC, along with most of the organization approved the placement of the CCTV at the CEAT Lounge	CSC
2	CEAT Lounge Maintenance	The CEAT SC spearheaded the budget proposal for the materials for the CEAT Lounge	CSC