

Presenting the Journal

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Fr. Quintin C. Terrenal, SVD—Founder of the Association—writes a special guest editorial for this maiden issue of the Journal.

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To enable the readers to take a glimpse of the recurring and current philosophical issues discussed in the conventions and conferences organized by the Association, this Journal also features the themes of these gatherings and the topics of the papers read.

It is our hope that the PHAVISMINDA JOURNAL would encourage philosophical researches especially among the members of the Association, and serve as an effective medium in disseminating the ideas in these researches.

May there be more of this Journal in the years to come.

