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SEC. REG. NO.: 2021-110033886-01

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**ORGANIZATION PROFILE**

**1. Founding Officers:**

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DR. DON ANTON BALIDA  
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### **3. VISION, MISSION AND GOALS**

**Vision:** A leading professional organization that creates boundless opportunities for researchers and educators all over the world.

**Mission:** To deliver world-class training activities and services, and mentorship program in the field of innovation, research, and education that facilitates professional development and exchange of knowledge among researchers and educators around the world.

#### **Goals:**

1. To provide world-class training activities and services and mentorship programs in research and education;
2. To support professional development and exchange of knowledge among educators and researchers around the world; and
3. To facilitate networking and linkages between and among professionals that will accommodate their various academic and career move needs.



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## **5. LIST OF ACTIVITIES**

 **Activity: NATIONAL ACTION RESEARCH EXPO 2022**

*PARTICIPATORY ACTION RESEARCH: THEORY AND METHODS FOR ENGAGED INQUIRY*

Date: January 28-29, 2022

 **Activity: NATIONAL RESEARCH CONFERENCE ON EDUCATION SERIES 2**

*THEME: GEARING RESEARCH TOWARDS SUSTAINABLE DEVELOPMENT IN  
EDUCATION*

Date: FEBRUARY 25, 2023

 **Activity: WEBINAR ON INNOVATION IN THE CONTEXT OF ACADEME:**

*A TALK WITH THE PRESIDENT AND A GENERAL ASSEMBLY*

Date: JULY 27, 2023



## PART II

### I. PROFILE OF THE PRESIDENT



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## DR. MA. GERLIA AUJERO-BLANZA

*The President*

Dr. Ma. Gerlia Aujero-Blanza is a native of Duenas, Iloilo. Her father and mother are both public servants who instilled in her a culture of hard work, perseverance, and passion, making her a goal-oriented person.

Dr. Blanza is a graduate of Bachelor of Science in Food Technology from the University of the Philippines in the Visayas - Miagao, Iloilo, and worked as a quality controller and product development personnel in Taster's Food and Columbia Candy Factory right after graduation in 1995. The calling to become a teacher landed her to become a basic education teacher at Colegio San Agustin, Binan, Laguna from 1997-1999.

She taught in Colegio del Sagrado Corazon de Jesus and De Paul College and finally landed an opportunity at WVSU - Lambunao Campus in June 2008 as a part-time instructor.

Dr. Blanza started to embrace the SUC academic life in 2009, with which she decided to pursue advanced studies and enrolled in the Master of Science in Business Administration - with a specialization in Hotel and Restaurant Management at Philippine Women's University - Taft Manila.




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She graduated from the said program in 2013 and immediately enrolled to become an academic doctor in the same school year. Moreover, Dr. Blanza finished the program with a degree of Doctor in Business Management - with a specialization in Hospitality Management from Philippine University in 2016.

As a faculty and researcher, she climbed up the ladder from Instructor I - Associate Professor V after 4 NBC cycles. She authored a book titled, "Handbook for Academic Researchers: a Modular Approach" which was published in the university publishing house and bookstore in 2018. Moreover, her passion for research had sprung together with her most valued research work - the Darag Native Chicken Empanada which was able to bring her several awards and nominations for awards in the local, national, and international milieu.

Dr. Blanza is also an inventor and the most promising of her work is the System for Making Pastry which is also an offshoot of her previous studies about Darag Native Chicken Empanada. This invention is ready for prototyping this year, in preparation for take-off for commercialization next year.

Dr. Blanza is also the 2021 WVSUs outstanding researcher, and this gave her the courage to inspire especially the early stage researchers to conduct research. And as the Director of the Office of Research, Innovation, and Extension of WVSU-LC, she was able to project the culture of research among her constituents which made them gain trust in her capacity to bring all the best to WVSU-Lambunao Campus.



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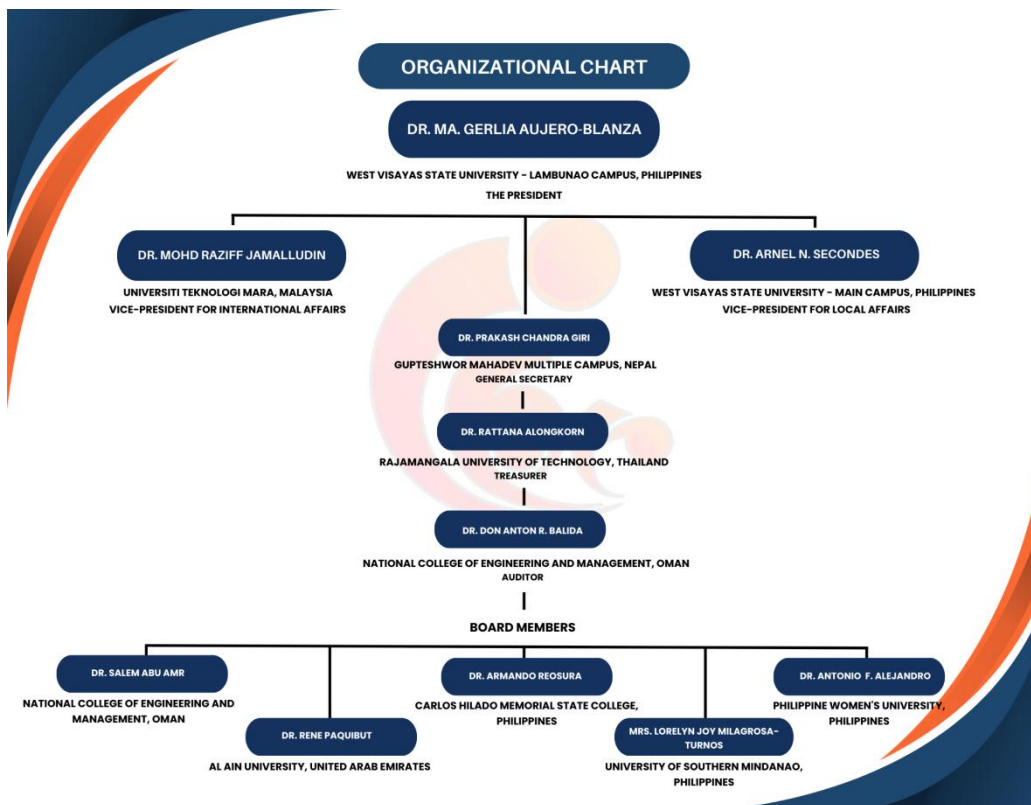
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