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THE UNITED ARCHITECTS OF THE PHILIPPINES 25th NATIONAL PRESIDENT ANNUAL REPORT

FISCAL YEAR 2016 - 2017

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A message from the
National President

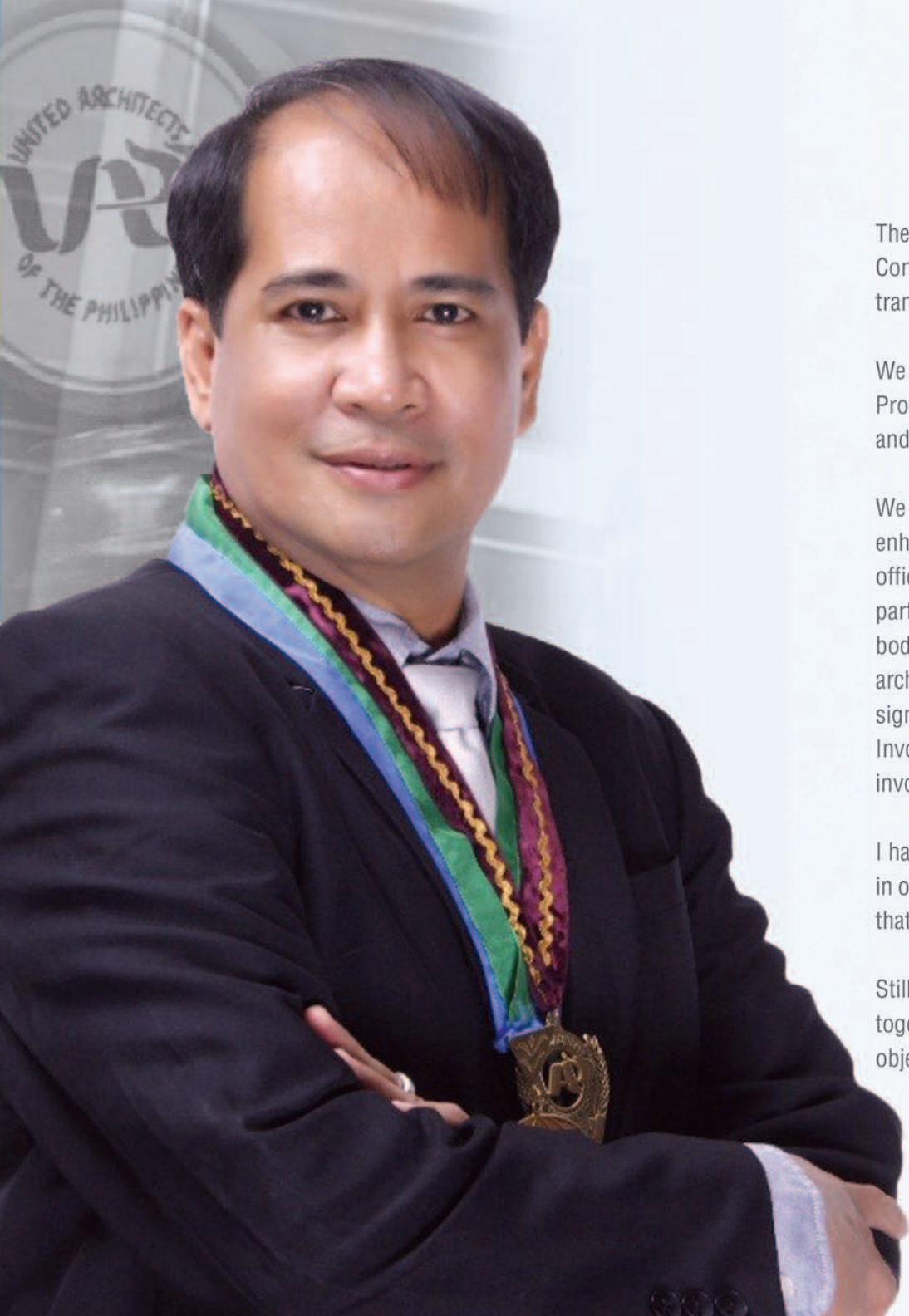


UAP's landmark of
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An infographic
year in review





National President's Message

The year had been very fruitful in terms of activities and projects, and as we hold the annual National Convention, it is my duty to provide our officers and members a comprehensive, dedicated and transparent overview of the UAP in my Annual Report.

We highlight our major activities, centering on this year's thrust of: "Unity + Accountability + Professional Excellence", a positive path of continuity to the commitment of UAP to its members and the profession which we embody.

We had focused on activities centering on Corporate Social Responsibility, engaging in community enhancement projects. We have done collaborations with non-governmental and government offices that had requested partnership to foster distribution of architectural knowledge to deserving parties. Initiatives concerning uplifting professional excellence had been inked with governing bodies. We had involved ourselves in celebrating key events that are traditions within the architectural community. The activities that UAP had undergone for transparency have been significant. Building bridges with other allied organizations had been initialized with positive results. Involvement from the grassroots and the leadership had been fostered, with the auxiliary bodies involved, engaging our future architects with cooperative activities had been established.

I harken to the days when we use the T-Square, we measure and make sure, two things to embody in our actions. We measure how near are we on plans we did at the onset of the year, and make sure that all we put into plans be done in accordance, making sure everything had been put into order.

Still, the road is long in fulfilling our goals, but with the help of each and every one of us, bonded together for mutual improvement, it will be a more assuring stride in achieving these noble objectives.

AR. GUILLERMO H. HISANCHA, FUAP, AA, APEC AR.
National President
United Architects of the Philippines



Oath Taking of the National Board of Directors for Fiscal Year 2016-2017
at Sarabia Manor, Iloilo City on 30 June 2016.

File photo from UAP National



With every passing of the torch of leadership comes a molding of the direction of an organization. On the start of the new leadership's crusade, a theme is crafted to determine the path in which UAP will tread for the year. Choosing of the theme is essential, it must be simple, direct and concise, and above all productive and beneficial for all. Upon creative deliberation, three values are determined and will be used as the cornerstone for what needs to be done for the Fiscal Year 2016-2017.

The new theme embodies the spirit of things to come and focus of UAP for the Fiscal Year 2016, and with that, activities, initiatives, collaborations and ideas are centered on attaining these core values. Under each core value, this report aims to illustrate how actions are set forth in order to attain the ideals. The National President had chosen the values: "UNITY, ACCOUNTABILITY and PROFESSIONAL EXCELLENCE" as the theme of his leadership.



Turn-over of Leadership. NP Guillermo H. Hisancha receives the UAP gavel from IPP Maria Benita Ochoa-Regala (right), during a symbolic induction ceremony held on 30 June 2016 at the Sarabia Manor, Iloilo City.

UAP Past National Presidents attend the Inaugural Rites and Strategic Planning Conference held on 30 June 2016 at the Sarabia Manor, Iloilo City. (from left) PNP Edric Marco C. Florentino, PNP Enrique O. Olonan, PNP Ramon S. Mendoza, PNP Richeto C. Alcorido, PNP Emmanuel P. Cuntapay, PNP Ana Mangalino-Ling, PNP Prosperidad C. Luis, NP Guillermo H. Hisancha, IPP Maria Benita Ochoa-Regala. (from right) PNP Nestor S. Mangio, PNP Medeliano T. Roldan, Jr., PNP Robert S. Sac (PRBoA Chair), and PNP Yolanda David-Reyes (PRC Commissioner)



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I assume the helm of this organization filled with confidence and conviction of success. There are immense challenges confronting our profession, and it is my intention to lead our organization in achieving the best we can do, and make every UAP officer and member proud.

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AR. GUILLERMO H. HISANCHA
UAP National President



UNITY

Working together to achieve common goals through selflessness, collaboration, trust and mutual support

On Unity, it is a direction of sincere efforts to mend bridges and build back waning and lost relationships, motivate the membership towards common goals and visions, a reminder that we are not alone but as an organization we are one and the same, joined together by the noble profession, with the same principles, shared by all architects and dreams for a fulfillment of a united front to weather hurdles that the profession may encounter in its steady road to progress. Unity aims establish new connections with the intent of honesty that will further build trust and commitment with partners, organizations and other entities that UAP sees as positive companions in its push for greater ideas and collaborations.

Objectives:

-Establish unity among all registered and licensed architects and keys stakeholders (architectural organization, academe)

-Create a unity of purpose and sustainable partnerships among allied professionals

-Collaborate with private and public sectors



On the first important thrust of UNITY, the National President had embarked on activities and action towards achieving the important value of UNITY amongst peers. This is a very relevant issue within the Architectural profession as the United Architects of the Philippines started from the efforts of three architectural organizations to have a unified and cohesive body to represent the Philippines in the international scene and to gather all architects under one roof of professional thrust.

The National President had made initiatives to rebuild and foster more collaboration with other allied organizations, organizations in similar fields, government bodies, non-governmental organizations, suppliers, manufacturers and other entities related to the architectural field.

Sincerity is the keyword in which the National President engaged these various entities. The initiative to foster collaborations, mutual agreements, co-sponsorships and cooperative effort between these individual, groups and companies is a major thrust of the National President's policies. It is a testament of the drive of the National President to seek sincere relationships that will not only add value to promote UNITY with others but as a main driving goal of the National President's idea of positive agreement that will enrich the image of the United Architects of the Philippines and present our organization as an open minded and harmonious partner in every endeavor it accepts.

Connecting & Building Collaborative Partnership towards Nation Building

The Philippine Institute of Civil Engineers (PICE) had long been our allied professional in regards to building and construction. This relationship though ongoing for so many years, is a road of many paths. As the National President had deemed that it is about time that we heal the sometime tumultuous relations and connect back the bridges of friendship, professional goodwill and cooperative efforts, activities were set forth to usher in a new age of professional collaboration.

On March 17th, 2017, National President Hisancha had met on a courtesy visit with DPWH Undersecretary and PICE Incumbent President Maria Catalina E. Cabral, Ph. D at the DPWH Office in Manila. Discussed were potential strategic partnerships and relationships for the benefit of the built environment, achieve greater milestones in nation-building, including working on prospective areas of collaboration between and among the allied professional organizations.

A momentous celebration of collaboration between UAP and PICE had been the highlight of the UAP's 42nd anniversary held last March 25, 2017 at the UAP National HQ. In attendance for the UAP celebration and delivering the keynote speech is none other than Usec. Maria Catalina E. Cabral, the incumbent PICE President. Introduced none other than by the National President himself in the UAP Theater, Usec. Cabral addressed the gathered architects on her vision of her duties at the DPWH, women's role in leadership and governance, citing that renewed ties with UAP may result in future joint projects. It was a successful event between historic professional rivals, setting aside the dark past, with a good promise of future cooperation between the PICE and UAP.



As the blossoming of the cooperation of PICE and UAP continued, the National President was invited to the Oath taking Ceremonies of new Civil Engineers and Induction of PICE officers and members at Iloilo City last March 4, 2017 and January 25, 2017. In attendance were PICE Natl. Pres. & DPWH Usec Cathy Cabral, DPWH Asst. Regional Director Jose Al Fruto and regional officers including the PICE Iloilo Chapter President, officers and members.

The historic handshake between the UAP National President, Ar. Guillermo H. Hisancha and DPWH Undersecretary and PICE Incumbent President, Maria Catalina E. Cabral, Ph. D at the DPWH Office in Manila on March 17, 2017.



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WHEN TWO PRESIDENTS MEET

CONNECTING AND BUILDING COLLABORATIVE PARTNERSHIP TOWARDS NATION BUILDING IN LINE WITH NP GUIMO'S VISION OF PROFESSIONALISM



A famous writer once said that "the journey of a thousand miles begins with one step." Once you make the first step, you gain confidence and your motivation to succeed would grow.

True to his advocacy on Unity, United Architects of the Philippines (UAP) National President Architect GUILLERMO H. HISANCHA paid a courtesy visit to the Undersecretary of Department of Public Works and Highways (DPWH) and incumbent President of the Philippine Institute of Civil Engineers (PICE) MARIA CATALINA E. CABRAL, Ph.D. at the latter's office.

The two distinguished presidents of two great professional organizations discussed potential strategic partnerships and relationships for the benefit of the built environment and to achieve greater milestones in nation-building, including working on prospective areas of collaboration between and among allied professional organizations.



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A Night to Remember with the Philippine Institute of Civil Engineers (PICE) and Meeting DPWH Undersecretary and PICE National President Ma. Catalina "Cathy" Cabral. Invited to the Oathtaking of New CE's and Induction of Officers-Iloilo, January 25, 2017

The PRC is mandated to regulate and supervise the practice of the professionals who constitute the highly skilled professional workforce of the Philippines. As the government body in charge of the professional sector, the PRC plays a strategic role in developing the leagues of professionals for industry, commerce, governance, and the economy.

Upon his duty as National President of UAP, Ar Guillermo Hisancha had attended the Induction of newly Registered Architects, Batch 2017. As of oath taking, the newly Registered Architects were sworn in as new members of the UAP at the PICC last July 30, 2016 and March 17, 2017.



Connecting & Building Collaborative Partnership towards Nation Building

UAP SPECIAL COMMITTEE CREATED TO ADDRESS RESILIENCY GAPS



In order to identify & address resiliency gaps in architectural & construction field; in design practice, architecture academe, and project & construction management, UAP National President Arch. Guillermo H. Hisancha, FUAP, APEC AR, AA, recently created a special committee named UAP ADDRESSING GAPS TO BUILD RESILIENCY or UAP AGAP.

Composed of Arch. Ramon L. Abiera (UAP Capitol Chapter) as Chairman and Arch. Michael L. Baluarte (UAP Makati chapter) as Vice Chairman, the committee' proposed initial programs (premised on resilient designs, proper construction management /supervision and proper quality standard materials and specifications) include the following: (a) Establish a partnership with (DTI) Dept of Trade and Industry to assist in monitoring the quality of construction materials; (b) establish a partnership with HUDCC to assist in public housing innovative developments; (c) prepare a study and resiliency assessment report for the UAPHQ building and (d) study and identify gaps in the educational curriculum and continuing professional education and assist and link with academic institutions to mainstream resiliency capacity to the profession.

Arch. Abiera, former UAP National Executive Vice President (FY 2000-2001) and Area A VP (FY 1997-1998) was sworn into office last July 20, 2016 during the QC Capitol Chapter Induction.

The committee had a meeting with the Secretary of Department of Trade and Industry Hon. Ramon Lopez last for the exploratory talks on how to better monitor the quality of construction materials to build resiliency.



UAP INKS MOA WITH ARCHCARE



15th Annual Conference on Architectural Research and Education

ILOILO CITY – With the theme "UWAD: Developing the Future without Forgetting the Past", the 15th Annual Conference on Architectural Research and Education (ACARE) will be held at the University of San Agustin in Iloilo City, Iloilo on August 22 to 23, 2016.

SCOUT RALLOS – The UNITED ARCHITECTS OF THE PHILIPPINES entered into a Memorandum of Understanding (MOU) with the COUNCIL OF ARCHITECTURAL RESEARCHERS AND EDUCATORS (ARCHCARE) to forge a successful partnership concerning the holding of the Annual Conference on Architectural Research and Education (ACARE).

ACARE is a yearly venue organized by the ARCHCARE to publicly present ideas, concepts and innovations by academicians and practitioners involved in architectural education and research. It is also a venue for the sharing of knowledge among researchers and educators.

UAP National President Architect Guillermo H. Hisancha noted that as "one of our corporate objectives to maintain the highest standards of architectural education, through the conduct of research, accumulation and dissemination of information in architecture, environmental design, ecology, technology, culture and other related fields, it is necessary that UAP should support the ACARE in our continuing effort to establish and realize the effective functioning of the developmental network that is being envisioned for Philippine Architecture and to initiate a venue to public present the ideas, concept and innovations by academicians and practitioners involved in architectural education and research".

Considering their common interest in promoting mutual cooperation in the area of education and research, both parties wish to expand the basis for friendly and cooperative educational and academic collaboration and agree to commit to the successful implementation of each other's objectives and agree to work together to achieve outcomes consistent with the purpose of the said agreement and to undertake specific work and operational plans to fulfill the purpose of this agreement and their respective mandates.

The MOA was signed by UAP National President Arch. Guillermo H. Hisancha, representing the United Architects of the Philippines and Arch. Christopher S.P. Espina, representing the Council of Architectural Researchers And Educators.



The United Architects of the Philippines Emergency Architects (UAP-EA) signed Memorandum of Agreement with Mannage Resources Trading Corp. (MTRC) jointly advocating disaster resilience and preparedness in local communities prone to natural calamities. In partnering with UAP-EA, MTRC will assist the group in post-disaster damage assessment, reconstruction or relocation and capacity building for disaster preparedness.

Chairperson Architect Stephanie Gilles signed on behalf of the UAP Emergency Architects with MRTC President Mr. Lawrence Sy on behalf of the country.

According to Chairperson Gilles, "the MOA intends for a year-long term program training and capacity building for skilled workers on disaster resilient construction". "A milestone in UAP-EA's collaboration with a private firm towards disaster preparedness", Architect Gilles added.

Witnessing the signing were Architects Jose Miranda, UAP-EA Deputy Chair and Calixto Kamantigue Jr., for UAP-EA and Mr. Junie Pama and Ms. Manile Catapang for Mannage Resources Trading Corp. (MTRC).

The UAP-EA is a socio-civic disaster-response arm of the United Architects of the Philippines (UAP), which aims to help rebuild lives and support local communities in the Philippines affected by disasters and calamities. (Credit: Philippine Star/UAP-EA)

Connecting & Building Collaborative Partnership towards Nation Building

The Special Committee on Fire and Construction Safety, the body tasked with dealing with safety standards had engaged governmental and non-governmental organizations regarding various laws and standards. The Committee is gave the proposal on the lifting of MEMORANDUM HOLD ORDER on the implementation of FALAR (Fire And Life Assessment Report), to the new Officer-in- Charge of Bureau of Fire protection, C/Supt Bobby V. Baruelo on September 9, 2016 at the BFP Headquarters.

On a very active mode, the committee also submitted of a letter to the UAP National Board the proposal to create local committee on Fire and Construction safety thru board resolution. Exploratory talkswere also done with United Business Media (UBM), organizer of IFSEC 2017, Fire Safety and Security Convention. As proof of practicing what you preach, Committee Chair Ar. Ferdinand Estepa had done the Inspection and testing of the UAP building Fire Detection and Alarm System (FDAS) together with Ar Amado E. Tandoc, Jr., FUAP, Chairman of UAP Land & Building. The Chair also did the first week of February 2017 Inspection, testing and certification of the UAP building FDAS for the Bureau of Fire Protection of Quezon City. As part of goodwill the BFP had met with the National President and Committee Chairman to coordinate with assisting on a study regarding Alternative Fire Safety Evaluation of Existing Healthcare.



The United Architects of the Philippines represented by UAP Secretary General Architect Renato A. Heray, UAP Emergency Architect Chairman Arch. Mario Magallana N. Giles, Chairman of the UAP Committee on International Affairs Arch. Roland B. Baron and Arch. Romulo Reyes attended the Fairbuilding Network Awards 2016. Commissioner of the Professional Regulation Commission and Past UAP National President Arch. Yolanda O. Reyes served as Keynote Speaker during the said event.

Fairbuilding Network is delighted to celebrate two years of successful collaboration with social building and industry partners to advance the housing needs of the poor. At a luncheon and festive gala dinner held last November 24, 2016, Fairbuilding Network celebrated the contributions of its industry peers who helped the network make the world a better place, one project at a time!

Fairbuilding Network Awards are bestowed annually on Building Industry Good Partners of the Fairbuilding Network, who have shown their commitment to corporate social responsibility by providing products and services at special discounts for projects of Fairbuilding that exclusively benefit the poor. Over 50,000 families stand to enjoy social housing developed by NGOs who have partnered with Fairbuilding.

Dedicated to the mission of overcoming poverty one project at a time, the Fairbuilding Network brings together leading builders and sellers in neglected segment of the construction market, it identifies and highlights projects developed by local non-governmental organizations (NGOs), local government units and social housing developers that are normally off the radar of the mainstream building industry.

Fairbuilding enables NGO projects to source for discounted construction materials or in-kind contributions for their projects. On the other hand, it offers the industry an opportunity to raise their social profile by engaging with projects that help the poor, while at the same time extending their market reach to an underserved, low-income segment. The UAP Emergency Architects is looking forward for the collaborative partnership with the Fairbuilding Network.

Dealings with non-governmental organizations are a parallel with dealing with government agencies. NGOs play the role of filling the gaps that governments are unable to fulfill. Such is the work of NGOs and on that purpose they have identified UAP as a potential partner in a lot of fronts that our organization is capable of. Fairbuilding Network had proposed a MOA regarding cooperation work with UAP to network each other's resources. The World Bank had visited the National Headquarters in regard to making a database for workers and professionals, and was cordially met by Executive Directors and other officers to discuss the database scheme. Habitat for Humanity in its vocation of providing to those who are homeless, had proposed an idea and a partnership to have UAP be its donation centers. On all engagements, UAP have shown professional interest on these proposals and hope to have a good culmination on all these future collaborations.



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QUEZON CITY - As part of its stakeholder engagement and advocacy work, the United Architects of the Philippines through UAP Committee on Fire & Construction Safety under the leadership of Arch. Ferdinand "BANGER" Estepa, fsp, uap, made a courtesy call to newly-designated Officer-in-Charge (OIC) of the Bureau of Fire Protection (BFP), Chief Supt. Bobby V. Baruelo last September 9, 2016 at Bureau of Fire Protection National Headquarters, Agham Road, Diliman, Quezon City.

Aside from Architect Estepa, the courtesy visit was also attended by UAP Secretary General, Arch. Renato A. Heray, Members of the Committee: Architects Karlo Mamiit, Melba Benavides, Raymond Co and Rachelle Aresgado.

The Committee presented some of its proposals and projects for the Fiscal Year 2016-2017, to wit: (1) the proposal on the lifting of MEMORANDUM HOLD ORDER on the implementation of FALAR (Fire And Life Assessment Report) by the late DILG Secretary Jessie Robredo, (2) Continuation of UAP's Fire Safety Practitioner Course with BFP as partner, (3) Possible deputization of UAP Architect graduates of FSP course as Fire Safety Inspectors and Fire volunteers, (4) UAP Chapters Nationwide simultaneous celebration of BFP's "WALK FOR A CAUSE" every March 1st of every year, (5) UAP Architects initiative in partnering with BFP on the regular holding of FIRE & EARTHQUAKE DRILLS with the public especially on the structures the architects designed, and (6) Regular consultations between UAP & BFP on possible projects to benefit the public regarding fire safety.

With the said proposals, the Committee is hoping to maintain and nurture the good rapport between UAP and BFP as partners in fire prevention, protection as well as nation building.

NP's Speaking Engagement for Adamson University's 85th Founding Anniversary

The UAP National President, Ar. Guillermo H. Hisancha had been invited to give a speech at the Adamson Theater for the celebration of the 85th Founding Anniversary of Adamson University. It Included the lecture exhibit on the late National Artist Ar. Jose Ma. Zaragoza by his son Ar. Ramon Ma. Zaragoza, "A Tale of Two Architects". This is in conjunction with the celebration of the Sapphire Anniversary of Adamson University last January 17, 2017. The prestigious event was attended by architects from UAP and PIA, including 500 architecture students from 17 schools and universities.



NP Hisancha elected PFPA 2nd Vice President

The National President had been elected on February 17, 2017 as the 2nd Vice President of the Philippine Federation of Professional Associations, the umbrella organization of professional organizations. The organization aims to primarily uplift the value of professionals in nation building and its image to the public. Tasked with forming interdisciplinary collaborations among member organizations, be on the helm of development regarding social, economic and educational-technological initiatives and settle inter-organizational disagreements, the National President has a full year ahead of him to set forth positive policies and guide PFPA on his tenure.



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NP HISANCHA ELECTED PFPA 2ND VICE PRESIDENT

Manila – United Architects of the Philippines National President, Arch. Guillermo H. Hisancha has been recently elected 2nd Vice President of the Philippine Federation of Professional Associations (PFPA).

PFPA is the umbrella organization of all accredited professional organizations in the Philippines duly recognized by the Professional Regulation Commission (PRC). As a cornerstone of professionalism, integrity, and diversity, PFPA is composed of four permanent councils, namely: Council of Professional Health Associations (COPHA), Council for Business and Management Professionals (CBMP), Philippine Technological Council (PTC) and the Council for the Built and Natural Environments (CBNE). United Architects of the Philippines is an active member of the PFPA under the CBNE.

In order to uplift the value and importance of the professionals in nation building and public, the PFPA aims to: a) promote professional interdisciplinary collaboration and interaction to keep abreast with developments in the rapidly changing world; b) galvanize a multi-professional approach to the economic, social, educational, and techno-scientific problems of the nation; c) establish a united rapport among the different professions; d) establish a single clearing house for the problem of the member associations; e) provide a forum among the members of PFPA for the settlement of interdisciplinary differences and disputes; f) aid, assist and advise each member of PFPA towards healthier and stable existence; and g) strengthen the ties with the Professional Regulation Commission, the Philippine Association of Board Examiners, the Government, and the people in general.

The establishment of PFPA came into fruition when after the accreditation of various regulated professional associations in the country in compliance with P.D. 223, Commissioner Eric C. Nubla in 1975 instructed all Board Examiner to slowly but not forcing the newly accredited Professional Society by PRC to bind themselves together and that professionals be dealing with government and that professionals be respected by our people on their contribution to national development. This gem of an idea became a living reality when the Federation of Professional Association (FPA) Philippines was formed on January 28, 1978 with General Ceferino S. Carreon as the first Chairman. It was under General Carreon that the objectives of the Federation were fully identified and its potentials surveyed with the participation of the founding presidents.

In 1981, then UAP National President Architect Felipe Mendoza took over the reign of the Federation as President. It was during his term, after the pains of organizational birthpains were weathered, that the Federation expanded its involvement in the professional and social concerns of its members. It was also during his time that the name of the Federation was changed to Philippine Federation of Professional Associations (PFPA), Inc. and the Council of the Professional Health Associations (COPHA) and the Business and Management Council (BMC) were formed. While previously, the main activity of the Federation was the joint seminar and participation with the Philippine Association of Board Examiners (PABE) during the Professional Consciousness Week, it asserted its role in national policies in legislations concerning the members, in cooperative programs with other professional groups in the Southeast Asian region, among others.

Two past National Presidents already served as President of PFPA, Arch. Felipe S. Mendoza and Arch. Edric Marco C. Florentino.

For year 2017, PFPA officers include the following: **RANULFO C. FELICIANO** (President); **LILIA F. ECHIVERRI** (1st Vice President); **GUILLERMO H. HISANCHA** (2nd Vice President); **CHARLIE HO** (3rd Vice President); **CEZAR S. DELA CRUZ** (4th Vice President); **JOEY E. AUSTRIA** (Secretary); **REYNALDO UMALI** (Treasurer); **FREDERICK PETER C. ALTAVAS** (Auditor); **EDRIC MARCO C. FLORENTINO** (PRC Liaison Officer); **ROLANDO G. BANARES** (Media Relations Officer). Official Representatives of four permanent councils include: **AMADO E. TANDOC, JR.**, **NENITA C. LEE TAN**, **LYDIA MANGAHAS**, **VIOLETA JOSEF**, **ROMULO R. AGATEP**, **ERLINDA V. REYES**, **ENRIQUE C. CUADRA**, **ALFREDO D. ANTONIO**, **HERCULES P. BALDOS**, and **MARIE GRACE GOMEZ**.



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**UAP NATIONAL PRESIDENT SETS UP
ARCHITECT'S UNIFICATION COMMITTEE**

How to REACH OUT, UNIFY, AND STRENGTHEN: UAP National President, Arch. Guillermo D. Mendoza recently created the Special Committee on Architects' Unification.

The Committee will serve as an "Emissary" in creating and maintaining working relationships with other architectural organizations, "mediator" between the UAP and other architectural organizations for a parallel and harmonious advancement of the architects' role in the society as a whole and an "agent" of the Office of the UAP National President in matters relating with negotiations towards architects' unification within and outside the organization.

UAP National President recently appointed Arch. Wilfredo L. Lantada as Special Officer and Arch. Guillermo D. Mendoza as Special Officer in the Special Committee on Architects' Unification.

UAP Architects' Unification Committee is an ongoing Committee of the UAP members for UAP Year 2014-2017. Interested architects who would like to join as members of the Special Committee on Architects' Unification may send an email to unification@uap.org.ph, address to the Chairman. In the same manner.

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In every effort,
We are one and the same!

OBJECTIVES:

The UAP Special Architects' Committee on Unification has the following Objectives:

- To serve as an "Emissary" in creating and maintaining working relationships with Other Associations of Architects (OAA's) defined in Section 40 of RA 9266, to attain excellence in the Architecture Profession both in the Local and Global Practice.
- To be the "Mediator" between the UAP and other architects organizations for a parallel and harmonious attainment of the Architects' Role in the Society as a whole.
- To serve as the "Liaison" of the Office of the UAP National President in matters dealing with negotiations towards Unification within and outside the Organization.

MISSION:

To fully Strengthen the UNITED ARCHITECTS OF THE PHILIPPINES (UAP) by maintaining its position as one said INTEGRATED AND ACCREDITED PROFESSIONAL ORGANIZATION OF ARCHITECTS (APOA).

VISION:

To form a SUMMIT or Coalition of all Architectural Organizations in the Philippines.

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THRUST

UNITY

ACCOUNTABILITY

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EXCELLENCE



The UAP had been in forays of warming up of relations with other architectural organizations, a priority as all are practically in the same boat in regards to professional challenges, opportunities and issues encompassing the design and build profession.

The Philippine Institute of Architects (PIA), the oldest architectural society in Asia, is one of the pioneering organizations of architects in the Philippines, who with two other architectural organizations, bonded to help establish the United Architects of the Philippines in 1975. Through the years, the PIA and its leadership have supported and cooperated on various projects with the UAP.

The PIA had strongly supported the UAP and its leadership, as a show of support the PIA National President Ar Delfin Viola had invited the UAP NP Hisancha to induct the 2017 National and Sections Board of Directors of PIA on its 84TH Philippine Institute of Architects (PIA) Annual National Convention at SMX, Manila, on March 17, 2017. As an assurance of faith in UAP's leadership, the National President had coordinated with other architect leaders such as PIA President Ar. Renato Basa, including coordination meetings with Ar. Armando Nicoleta Alli of the Architecture Advocacy International Foundation, Inc.

*“There shall be
Unity and
Understanding
among Filipino
Architects.”*

- NP Hisancha



ACCOUNTABILITY

A golden value that promotes responsibility regarding the acceptance of UAP's firmness in its decisions regarding varied matters such as crucial lobbying for implementation of important Architectural laws and related legalities; an ever watchful eye to protect the welfare of architects and architecture itself and cultivate supportive leadership and internal management, with the purpose of direction that will make UAP efficient and transparent in its actions. This also includes courting back to the fold inactive members, more participation of members, especially provincial and international chapters to a more active engagement in organizational decisions, with the intent of giving merit to those who are giving their best and more for UAP. UAP aims in doing by example, actions that are anchored in social responsibility, the reputation that UAP is pillar of vitality and the receptacle of information for the Filipino architect.

GOVERNANCE

- Continuously work on the full implementation of R.A. 9266 and its IRRS
- Continuously work on drafting and passage of the Architectural Code of the Philippines
- Vigilance of other professional laws adversely affecting the practice of architecture
- Institute effective governance within the organization pursuant to the UAP Bylaws
- Institute programs and mechanism on financial transparency and reporting
- Ensure adherence to corporate governance principles and best practices

MEMBERSHIP

- Increase membership by bringing back to the fold all inactive members
- Promote advantages of APEC and ASEAN Architects and encourage accreditation among Members
- Institute awards and recognition of exemplary performances of members and chapters
- Involve UAP members from the provinces and abroad to take an active role in the national leadership (i.e. standing committees, special committees)

ORGANIZATION

- Institutionalize UAP Regional Offices
- Embed Corporate Social Responsibility
- Project that UAP is a respected professional organization, a defender for Filipino Architects and a tower of strength of the architectural profession
- Maintain and reinforce the UAP as communication center for all types of data and information needs of members thru the use of modern technology

Continuously Work on the full implementation of

Republic Act No. 9266 and its IRRS

In line with the National President's commitment to forging meaningful partnerships that endorse professional accountability, UAP as represented by NP Hisancha, had met the former National President of the Vice Mayors' League of the Philippines and incumbent National Liaison Officer of the Philippine Councilors' League, Hon. Jesus "Jesse" C. Cruz with Ar. Rosario Q. Roxas, District Director A5.



As part of his presentation on all meetings with Chapters and Districts, the National President deemed it necessary to address the need for immediate action to lobby into law the Philippine Architecture Code. Photo shows the National President at UAP Makati CBD Induction of Officers and Members held on 23 July 2016 at the Fairmont Suites and Raffles Residences Makati.



NP GUIMO HISANCHA PUSHES FOR PARTNERSHIP WITH PHILIPPINE COUNCILORS' LEAGUE IN SUPPORT OF THE IMPLEMENTATION OF RA 9266

As the LGUs' support is vital to the crucial role of architects in the city evolution by their capacity to meet the challenges of urban sustainability, and develop the tools needed to create resilient, sustainable and livable cities, notwithstanding that this will be an opportune time to establish professional accountabilities based on each of the disciplines involved in the construction and building industry, in the interest of public safety and welfare, UAP National President Architect Guillermo H. Hisancha met last March 16, 2017 at the UAP National Headquarters the National Liaison Officer of the Philippine Councilors' League (PCL) and former National President of Vice Mayors' League of the Philippines, Hon. Jesus "Jesse" C. Cruz for potential partnership with the PCL in support of the full implementation of Architecture Act of 2004. The meeting was also attended by UAP Regional Director A-5 Architect Rosario Q. Roxas.

Since the enactment of Republic Act No. 9266 in year 2004, UAP welcomes the support of several cities and municipalities in the full implementation of RA 9266 and for the enactment of local ordinance requiring the submission of ancillary permits duly signed and sealed by the corresponding professionals together with the duly notarized application for building permits to the Office of the Building Official.

It may be recalled that last May 5, 2005, the Vice Mayors' League of the Philippines under the leadership of then Hon. Jesse Cruz and the UAP entered into a Memorandum of Agreement in support of RA 9266 and espousing a common commitment and objective to promote local economic development and protect the rights and good welfare of the community including all its inhabitants, developers, and home and building owners, as well as all professionals, especially licensed architects.

Architect Hisancha, once a Municipal Mayor and a Councilor, said local legislators play a key and powerful role in the enactment of laws and ordinances to promote the common good, social order and economic development of the community and the PCL can help the organization in its advocacy on RA 9266.



ACCOUNTABILITY

ACTION TAKEN



UAP Board Resolution urging the Professional Regulation Commission to exercise its full powers and mandate to clearly define the roles of architects civil engineers, interior designers and all others in the constructions industry as to avoid overlapping of professional services



ACTION TAKEN



Engagement with Congressmen, Governors, Vice Governors, Provincial Board Members, Mayors, and to implement RA 9266 in their respective areas.

ACTION TAKEN



Board Resolution requesting the DILG Secretary Ismael Sueno, DPWH Secretary Mark Villar and Office of the Building Officials around the country to direct their respective units to implement RA 9266 in full.



ACTION TAKEN



Task Force RA 9266 is currently working on the inventories of all issues and concerns on the implementation of our law and spearheaded the monitoring of all bills filed in the Congress which we deemed might affect the Architecture Law

ACTION RECEIVED



Approval, adoption and promulgation of the Architects' Guidelines for Standards of Professional Practice Compliances on the Methods of Compensation and Schedule of Fees



ACTION TAKEN



Designation of Past National Presidents to lead the Special Committee on Architectural Code, and to review and study the existing Architectural Code of the Philippines, and submit for recommendation the implementation of the Architectural Permits in our applications for Building Permits



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NP GUIMO CALLS FOR MAGNANIMITY, UNITY AFTER RTC RULING



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UNITED ARCHITECTS OF THE PHILIPPINES National President, Arch. Guillermo H. Hisancha called for magnanimity and unity following a favorable court decision to the respondents, including UAP as respondent-intervenor.

In an 11-page decision penned by Regional Trial Court Branch 7, Manila Acting Presiding Judge Acero C. Pacheco, the Court dismissed the petition for declaratory relief filed by Arch. J. Paul Q. Octaviano (petitioner) against the Professional Regulation Commission and the Professional Regulatory Board of Architecture (respondents) and the UAP (respondent-intervenor).

After the filing of the parties of their respective memorandum, the Court resolved two issues raised in Civil Case No. 15-134604: (1) whether or not the accreditation of UAP as IAPOA is valid and lawful, and (2) whether or not PRBOA Resolution No. 2, Series of 2005, and PRBOA Resolution No. 05, Series of 2015 are valid?

On first issue, the Court underscored that "contrary to the asseveration of the petitioner, there is nothing in Section 40 of Republic Act No. 9266 which mandates the step by step procedure in the accreditation of the IAPOA. Section 40 merely states the requirements for the accreditation of an organization in becoming the IAPOA. It does not also require that the organization to become the IAPOA must be a new organization. What is merely required is that the Architecture profession must be integrated into one (1) national organization accredited by the Board and registered with the SEC as a non-profit and non-stock corporation. Nowhere in the law that specifically requires a newly formed organization to be accredited as IAPOA. This is too clear to be misunderstood and to express to be misconstrued."

The Court noted that UAP applied for accreditation as IAPOA before the PRC which application was confirmed by three (3) other organizations of architects. The Court also upheld the validity of Resolution No. 03, Series of 2004 accrediting UAP as the IAPOA which dismissed the claim of the petitioner that respondents PRBOA and PRC just "handpicked" UAP to become the IAPOA.

Anent PRBOA Resolution No. 2, Series of 2005 and PRBOA Resolution No. 05, Series of 2015, the Court said that both are likewise valid delegation of legislative power. According to the decision, the power of the PRBOA in issuing these resolutions are in accordance with Section 7 and Section 26 of R.A. 9266.

PRBOA Resolution No. 2, Series of 2005 and PRBOA Resolution No. 05, Series of 2015 were issued by the Board to ensure that all architects have paid the required membership dues and at the end to carry out the objectives of integration.

With a favorable Court ruling, Architect Hisancha is appealing for unity, leaving aside differences and work towards strengthening the architecture profession and making a strong, prosperous and progressive architecture community.

PROFPRAC HEAD SETS TALKS ON ARCHITECTURAL PRACTICE TO SEVERAL CHAPTERS



UAP LOBBIES FOR CREATION OF OFFICE OF THE CITY ARCHITECT, SEEKS SUPPORT FOR RA 9266'S FULL IMPLEMENTATION IN TAUANAN CITY



Approval, Adoption and Promulgation of the Architects' Guidelines for Standards of Professional Practice Complies on the Methods of Compensation and Schedule of Fees

PRC APPROVES ARCHITECTS' GUIDELINES FOR STANDARDS OF PROFESSIONAL PRACTICE COMPLIANCES

The Professional Regulation Commission (PRC) approved Resolution No. 06, series of 2016 issued by the Professional Regulatory Board of Architecture (PRBOA) entitled "Approval, adoption and promulgation of the Architects' Guidelines for Standards of Professional Practice Compliances on the Methods of Compensation and Schedule of Fees, as prepared and recommended by the Integrated and Accredited Professional Organization for Architects".

According to the Resolution, which was published in the Official Gazette on its September 19, 2016 issue (Vol. 112, No. 38, pages 6371 to 6425), the said Guidelines shall be made as integral part of the implementing rules and regulations of Republic Act No. 9266, otherwise known as the Architecture Act of 2004. It shall also serve as the official reference document on methods of compensation and standards in the fixing of fees for professional architectural services rendered. The said Resolution as well its Annex shall take effect after 15 days following their publication in the Official Gazette.

It may be recalled that in compliance with the PRBOA Resolution No. 3, series of 2010, the UAP, through its Special Committee on Standards of Professional Practice, labored to craft the Architects' Guidelines to feature the corresponding Methods of Compensation and Schedule of Fees to finally complete the Standards of Professional Practice approved in 2010.

On October 15, 2014, the UAP National Board of Directors passed Board Resolution 14-15 No. 3-19 approving the Architects' Guidelines and was subsequently submitted to the PRC through the Board of Architecture for adoption and issuance to all architects.

With the passage of the said guidelines, UAP National President Architect Guillermo H. Hisancha underscored the many hours spent discussing, researching, collaborating, and working together have produced an indispensable resource that will support the professional endeavors of architects, their allied professionals and the general public.

"As a compendium of references on the parameters on methods of compensation and schedule of fees, these guidelines are necessary to the architect in the practice of his profession, and henceforth will standardize the ranges for which the client will compensate an architect in direct relation to the value of services that the architect provides", said Architect Hisancha.

The PRBOA is composed of Architects Robert S. Sac (Chairman), Robert M. Mirafuente (Member) and Fidel Jose R. Siapno (Member).



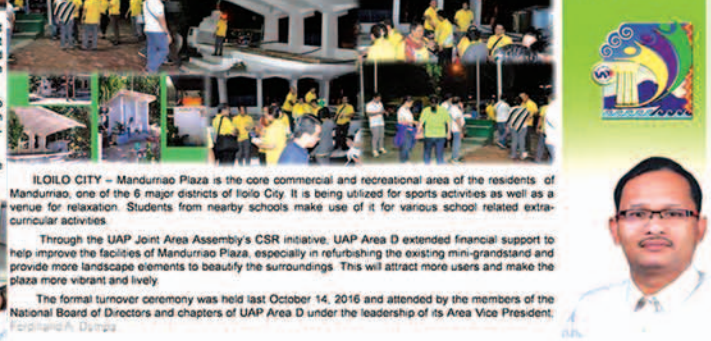
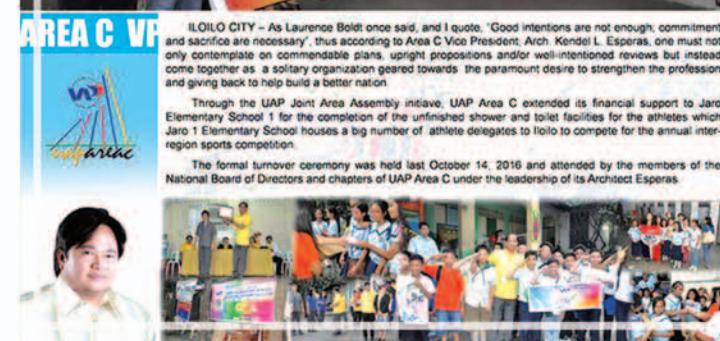
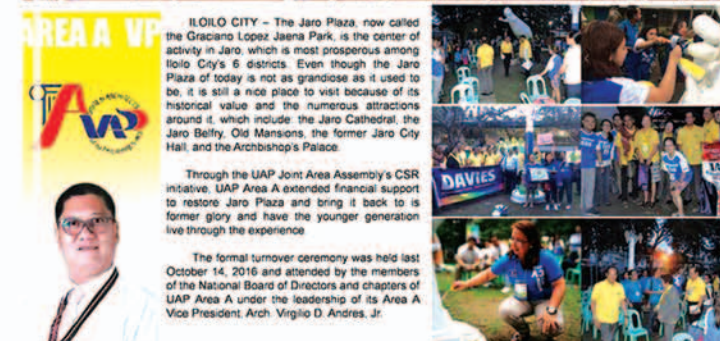
Embed CSR

Corporate Social Responsibility

The concept of corporate social responsibility (CSR) has long been used as an effective lens through which to examine the actions business can take toward ensuring mutual long-term well-being and sustainability.

- Klaus Schwab

With the statement being the anchor of Corporate Social Responsibility, UAP had launched the Joint Area Assembly: "XStream: Architects in Action, to be different from past JAA's. Corporate Social Responsibility is one of its pillars, projects in action not just words, a multifaceted activity centered on UAP going back to its roots of social service. The goal now is to materialize ideas and ideals, especially projects that put UAP in direct and productive output to the local and global community. Social responsibility is the torch that will light the way for UAP's major structural projects with a new sensitivity to the actual needs of our recipients. We will listen with a calm and empathetic ear to our people, to build what is needed, proceed with what must be done, and as architects, we must bring forth in action and reality the actualization of these humanitarian requests, for we, in our very essence are humans and architects at the same time.



JAA 2016'S CIRCULAR ISSUED

Theme: **XSTREAM: Architects In Action**

All Chapter Presidents will be invited to discuss their vision for the future of the profession and the role of the architect in the community. The circular will be issued on October 15, 2016. The circular will be issued on October 15, 2016. The circular will be issued on October 15, 2016.

4 DISTINGUISHED ARCHITECTS TO SPEAK AT JAA 2016

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Institute Awards and Recognition of Exemplary Performances of Members and Chapters

CALL FOR NOMINATIONS FOR THE UAP YOUNG ARCHITECTS AWARD 2017

In its continuing advocacy to give recognition to Architect members of the United Architects of the Philippines who have shown commendable achievements, commitment and made significant contributions to the profession in the early stage of their architectural career, the Committee on UAP Young Architects headed by its Chairman, Arch. Patrick N. Rodriguez is now seeking nominations for the UAP Young Architects Award 2017.

According to the Memo Circular issued by the Office of the National President through the Office of the Secretary General, the UAP Young Architects Award Program and Guidelines were adopted by the UAP National Board of Directors in its regular meeting held last December 10, 2016 under Board Resolution No. 93, s. 2016-2017.

Architect members of the United Architects of the Philippines who are in good standing and have been licensed to practice architecture for not more than 10 years are eligible to be nominated under the Young Architects Award which is now on its 2nd year.

The categories for this award will include:

Category 1: Outstanding Young Architect in the Professional Practice

- Category 1A- Residential
- Category 1B- Commercial
- Category 1C- Heritage/Conservation
- Category 1D- Liturgical

Category 2: Outstanding Young Architect in the Academe

All UAP Chapters in regular status may nominate one individual for each category.

Should you have any further queries about this program, you may contact the Chairman of the UAP Young Architects Committee, ARCH. PATRICK N. RODRIGUEZ, at patrick_n_rodriguez@yahoo.com.

GENERAL CRITERIA

The following guidelines shall apply for the selection of the "Young Architects Award" to be conducted by the UAP Screening & Selection Committee:

A. General Criteria. The candidate must:

1. Be a citizen of the Republic of the Philippines.
2. Be duly registered with Professional Regulation Commission (PRC), with a valid and current professional identification card.
3. Have been in active practice for not more than 10 years upon securing of the Certificate of Professional Registration from PRC, prior to nomination.
4. Be of good moral character, an active and good standing member of a regular UAP Chapter prior to nomination.
5. Have at least one (1) actual project (completed or on-going) within the FY 2016-2017.
6. Not have been found guilty in an administrative case, by final and executory decision, rendered by a professional regulatory board, the PRC, or the regular courts in case of an appeal.
7. Not have been convicted of any crime involving moral turpitude.

For the detailed criteria, forms and other information, visit the Official FB Account of the UAP (United Architects of the Philippines Official FB Forum).

UAP NATIONAL BOARD SETS NEW QUALIFICATIONS ON THE ACCEPTANCE OF APPLICATIONS FOR THE TITLE "MEMBER EMERITUS"

The UAP National Board of Directors in its Regular Meeting held last October 13, 2016 in Iloilo City approved the New Qualifications on the acceptance of applications for the title "MEMBER EMERITUS" (EUAP).

According to Memorandum Circular No. 14, series of 2016, underscoring Board Resolution No. 66, Series of 2016-2017, the UAP Chapters shall endorse their member(s) to be a Member Emeritus with the following new qualifications:

- (a) A Charter member from April 1975 to December 30, 1975, or UAP member in good standing;
- (b) At least 65 years old, Senior Citizen, Active Or Retired from the Practice - Private, Academe, and/or Government;
- (c) Exemplary Architectural Projects;
- (d) Service to the community related to the Architectural Profession, Civic, Social Organizations;
- (e) Awards received from UAP, Academe, Government, Civic, and/or Social Organizations; and
- (f) For those with arrears, to pay at least the last five years prior to nomination.

The Circular stressed that the application may be accepted provided the chapter must fully comply with the abovementioned qualifications and the Personal Information Sheet with corresponding authenticated documents or attachments should also be submitted.

For any further queries or clarifications relative to the approved new qualifications, you may contact the Chairman of the UAP National Membership Committee, Arch. Vanessa L. Ledesma.

NATCON 43 RATES

Areas C and D
Regular Rate Php 4,000.00
Until March 31, 2017

Areas A and B
Early Bird Rate Php 4,000.00
Until February 3, 2017

Regular Rate Php 4,500.00
February 4 to March 31, 2017

ALL AREAS
Late Rate Php 8,000.00
April 1 to 14, 2017

NO ON-SITE REGISTRATION
NO RESERVATION

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CHAPTER PRESIDENT OR CHAPTER TREASURER
AT UAP NATIONAL HQ ONLY
Look for Ms. Alma Hilaria D. Valencia

Accepted Modes of Payment
CASH CHEQUE
CHEQUE VIA COURIER MONEY ORDER

UAP PRESENTS CHAPTER SERVICE AWARDS

The United Architects of the Philippines, through its Commission on Internal Affairs and Committee on Chapter Organization presented the Chapter Service Awards to sixteen (16) chapters last October 14, 2016 at International Convention Center in Iloilo City.

The Awards were presented to the chapters in recognition of their founding anniversaries for this Year 2016 (40, 30, 20 and 10 years) and their invaluable and loyal service to the organization.

40 YEARS		
Chapter Reg. No.	Chapter	Date Chartered
1	UAP CEBU	Jan 20, 1976
2	UAP DAVAO	Mar 25, 1976
3	UAP CAGAYAN DE ORO	Mar 26, 1976
4	UAP PANGASINAN-DAGUPAN	May 9, 1976
5	UAP BACOLOD	Jun 26, 1976
6	UAP ILOILO	Jun 27, 1976
7	UAP ZAMBALES-OLONGAPO	Oct 2, 1976
8	UAP BAGUIO	Dec 9, 1976

30 YEARS		
Chapter Reg. No.	Chapter	Date Chartered
45	UAP ANGELES CITY	Aug 31, 1986
46	UAP MANILA MAYNILAD	Aug 31, 1986

20 YEARS		
Chapter Reg. No.	Chapter	Date Chartered
70	UAP BATANGAS	Mar 23, 1996
71	UAP CAVITE	Mar 30, 1996
72	UAP SOCSKSGEN	July 1, 1996

10 YEARS		
Chapter Reg. No.	Chapter	Date Chartered
111	UAP SAMAR SINIRANGAN	Oct 7, 2006
112	UAP NORTH DAVAO	Oct 7, 2006
113	UAP CAGAYAN NORTH	Nov 29, 2006



Congratulations!

UAP ANNUAL NATIONAL AWARDS CIRCULAR ISSUED

SCOUT RALLOS - Pursuant to the administration's objective to recognize significant accomplishments that "givezing" best practices in organizational affairs, promote a positive image of the profession, and support UAP's flagship programs and advocacies, the Office of the Secretary General issued a Memo Circular last October 27, 2017 concerning "UAP ANNUAL NATIONAL AWARDS FOR OUTSTANDING INDIVIDUAL MEMBERS, CHAPTER AWARDS, MERITORIOUS AWARDS AND DISTRICT AWARDS FOR FISCAL YEAR 2016 - 2017".

The Circular is issued in coordination with the UAP Committee on Awards (FY 2016 - 2017) which is implementing new guidelines that are deemed easier-to-understand, streamlined to avoid redundancy of bids, incorporate additional descriptive Meritorious Awards bids that automatically become part of Best Chapter bids, reflect activities which relate to the structure of the national organization, and include a clear point system for all re-classified categories.

The UAP Awards are divided into the following:

I. The Outstanding Individual UAP Members Awards. The Outstanding Individual UAP Members Awards are given to honor members for their outstanding services to the profession, the professionals, the professional product and the professional organization. Categories include Outstanding New Member, Outstanding Regular Member, Outstanding Chapter President (Groups I, II and III) and Outstanding Foreign Chapter President (Groups I and III).

II. The UAP Best Chapter Awards: The UAP Best Chapter Awards are given to honor UAP Chapters for their outstanding performance as extension of the national organization and for their exemplary programs and activities in various specified categories: Best Chapter (for Groups I, II and III), Best New Chapter, Best Foreign Chapter (for Groups I and III), Best New Foreign Chapter.

III. The UAP Meritorious Awards: The UAP Meritorious Awards, given to honor UAP Chapters for particular programs planned and executed with commendable outcomes, focus on eight (8) specific aspects of a chapter's involvement in the national organization, in the profession, in the community and in the world at large: Best World Architecture Day Program, Best National Architecture Week Program, Best Media and Public Relations Program, Best Professional Development Program, Best Bayanhang Arkitektura (CSR) Program, Best Green Architecture Program, Best Heritage Conservation Program, and Best Unity and Camaraderie Program.

MEMORANDUM CIRCULAR NO. 07, S. 2016
Fiscal Year 2016-2017

I. CHAPTER PRESIDENTS
UNITED ARCHITECTS OF THE PHILIPPINES
II. AREA VICE PRESIDENTS AND REGIONAL DISTRICT DIRECTORS
UNITED ARCHITECTS OF THE PHILIPPINES
III. UAP ANNUAL NATIONAL AWARDS FOR OUTSTANDING INDIVIDUAL MEMBERS, CHAPTER AWARDS, MERITORIOUS AWARDS AND DISTRICT AWARDS FOR FISCAL YEAR 2016 - 2017

IV. The UAP District Awards, which include two categories: Outstanding District Director - The Outstanding District Director Award is given to recognize and honor a UAP District Director who possesses exemplary leadership qualities, unites the Chapters in his/her District towards a common beneficial goal, promotes and contributes to the National Organization, and advances the programs of the professional organization, and Best District - The UAP Best District Award is given to honor a UAP District for its outstanding performance as a group of Chapters and for their exemplary programs and activities in various specified categories.

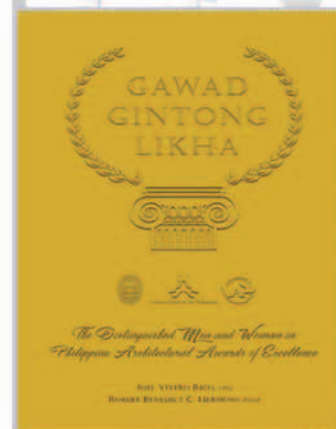
According to the Circular, all bids must be received by the Committee on Awards on or before 28th of February 2017 at 5:00 PM at the 5th floor of the UAP Headquarters. The bids must be addressed and submitted to:

UAP Committee on Awards
UAP National Headquarters
53 Scout Rallos Street, Barangay Laging Handa,
Quezon City 1103

For further information, proper guidance and compliance of all concerned, you may refer to this link: <https://drive.google.com/drive/folders/0B7oYArBQ0REZ05BN1d3ZGVpQWU7uspsharing?usp=sharing> to download the UAP Annual National Awards Guidelines and Procedures in excel file forms.

A JOINT PROJECT BETWEEN THE
UNITED ARCHITECTS OF THE PHILIPPINES & PHILIPPINE INSTITUTE OF ARCHITECTS
IN COORDINATION WITH
UAP SENTRO NG ARKITEKTURANG FILIPINO & ARCHITECTURAL ARCHIVES PHILIPPINES

THE DISTINGUISHED MEN AND WOMAN IN PHILIPPINE ARCHITECTURAL AWARDS OF EXCELLENCE



A COFFEE TABLE BOOK...COMING SOON

CIRCULAR ON WORLD ARCHITECTURE DAY 2016 ISSUED

QUEZON CITY – PURSUANT to the commitment of the organization to uphold architecture as a product and as a profession, and to advocate new trends in the practice of the profession with social responsiveness as a major consideration, the Office of the National President through the Office of the Secretary General issued Memorandum Circular No. 4, series 2016 requesting all Chapters to take an active participation in this year's celebration of the World Architecture Day. The celebration will be held on October 3, 2016 with the theme, "Design a Better World", and focuses on the role of architecture to provide a better future for the people and create possible solutions to current global challenges through effective design. Further, the 2016 World Architecture Day highlights the vital role of architect in alleviating human suffering, reducing planetary burdens and enhancing quality of life. This event is the unification of all architects with a common goal, under the auspices of the International Union of Architects to which the UAP is an active member.

To mark the occasion, the circular is enjoining chapter officers to participate in the following activities: (1) participate in the PHOTO-DESIGN-CREATE Contest (check UAP World Architecture Day Facebook Page); (2) conduct morning GMM or other Meetings on the same date; (3) send photos and/or a three (3) second video of the chapter's celebration to uapworldarchday2016@gmail.com on or before September 30, 2016. The photos will be included in the WAD official video of all celebrations held nationwide. The photos may be included in write-ups and print ads; (4) include #UAPWorldArchDay2016 in all FB postings; and (5) coordinate with respective local government units and conduct activities in conjunction with WAD such as forums, exhibits, workshops, etc.

The Commission on Governmental and External Affairs through its Committee on World Architecture Day is tasked to lead the celebration and provide assistance to UAP Districts and Chapters.

For any queries or require any further information about this activity, the concerned are requested to contact the Chairman of the Committee on World Architecture Day, Arch. Jil Rochelle M. Sevilla. The organizing committee of 2016 WAD took their oath of office last September 6, 2016 at UAP National Headquarters in the presence of UAP National President Arch. Guadalupe V. Hasnucha, UAP Secretary General Arch. Renato A. Heray and Executive Director for Commission on Governmental and External Affairs, Arch. Gil V. Japson.



NATIONAL ARCHITECTURE WEEK December 4-10, 2016

As part of UAP's push to highlight Architecture and its importance in nation building, the NAW or the National Architecture Week is an annual tradition and celebration of the architectural community in the Philippines. It is a celebration of ingenuity, passion and compassionate hearts and minds, all for architecture. With the 2016 theme, "Kolaborasyon", the annual NAW aims on a different plane of celebration. With the Kolaborasyon theme, architects will spearhead collaboration activities with the purpose of uplifting the lives of those who are in need of assistance. This is essentially a shift to CSR or corporate social responsibility, a call for valid actions to help others in need.

Kolaborasyon further bridges the gap among project partners, especially allied professionals such as engineers, suppliers, developers, and others whom we want to work with creatively, efficiently and foster unity in the goal for the common target of promoting excellence in the field of architecture.

PHL ARCHITECTS TO CELEBRATE WORLD ARCHITECTURE DAY ON OCTOBER 3



World Architecture Day is celebrated every first Monday of October. This year, it falls on October 3, and on that day the United Architects of the Philippines (UAP) will be holding an event at its headquarters in Quezon City.

"Design a Better World" will be the theme of the event, which will focus on the role of architecture in providing a better future for people and creating solutions to global challenges through effective design.

Role in alleviating human suffering

World Architecture Day was established in 2005 by the International Union of Architects (UIA), which represents over 1.3 million architects in 124 countries.

"As the range of global challenges grows and intensifies, the role of architecture, planning and design are becoming ever more critical to ensuring a better future for all people," the UIA said on its website, explaining this year's theme.

"UIA calls upon all architecture organizations everywhere to highlight the essential role of design in alleviating human suffering, reducing planetary burdens, and enhancing the quality of life."

The UIA announced that its members and partners—which includes the UAP—will "promote the enormous power of architecture to cope with climate change, and to foster communications that are strong, safe, equitable, productive and affordable" on World Architecture Day.

As part of its celebration of the day, the UAP invited architects and architecture students to take a photo of an area's particular problem and overlay a sketch solution on the photo. Submissions will be judged and the winning entry will receive a cash prize.

Courtesy: www.gmanetwork.com

UAP World Architecture Day 2016 is happening on October 3!

We encourage everyone to celebrate with us.
Check out our page (<https://web.facebook.com/uapworldarchday2016/>)
for more announcements regarding
#UAPWorldArchDay2016 #DesignABetterWorld #SaArkitektoSigurado

CIRCULAR FOR NAW 2016 CELEBRATION ISSUED

SCOUT RALLOS – UAP Memorandum Circular No. 10, s. 2016 issued by the Office of the Secretary General enjoin participation of all UAP Chapters and Members to the National Architecture Week (NAW) which is scheduled on December 4-10, 2016 with the theme "Our Past Defines Our Future Towards Professional Excellence". The said event will be held pursuant to Presidential Proclamation No. 934 issued by President Ferdinand E. Marcos dated November 18, 1971.

As part of the study campaign of the UAP to promote the current administration's thrusts, this year's week-long celebration aim to uphold unity, tributes, and community outreach activities.

All Chapters, Districts and Areas are hereby requested to participate in the NAW activities. Details of which will be announced soon.

Moreover, according to the Circular, Chapters, Districts and Areas are still encouraged to prepare additional programs of activities in conjunction with this year's theme and submit the same via NAW official email address at uapnaw2016@gmail.com not later than Nov. 10, 2016.

In addition, a report containing details and photos of the aforesaid event that will transpire is required for submission thru email at the address given above not later than December 15, 2016.

SHALL CHAPTER PRESIDENTS Should you require further information, you may also contact the UAP NAW Chairman, Ar. Amiel Caesar H. Ido through his mobile number at (0915) 809 9555 or email address at arkipnas@gmail.com.

Logo/Theme Rationale The official logo of the UAP NAW 2016 should always be included in your respective event banners, streamers, plaques and certificates.

This year's theme is "KOLABORASYON: Our Past Defines Our Future Towards Professional Excellence". Our history significantly influences what we are capable of achieving in all our undertakings as stewards of the architectural profession. We, as Architects, need to continue to be proponents in aggressively defending the interest of our cultural heritage especially in the spectrum of Architecture.

It is important to realize that excellence derives from experiences cultivated from the past. Without our past, losing our fundamental knowledge, we will find ourselves reverting to mediocrity. That is why history is an integral part of recognizing our potential to create and differentiate each Architect's brilliance to inspire conservation or innovation. What we design and create today will become part of our legacy from which will prominently influence future visionaries in their own journey to achieve excellence in the profession.



NAW ACTIVITIES

- Regionwide Balangkanan for Academic Architects
- Symposium on Professional Activities
- Motorcade of UAP Chapters to Heritage Sites, followed by the "On the spot Pen and Ink sketches"
- Color Fun Run
- Balangkanan for Government Practice
- Architect's Exhibits
- Symposium for Academics
- "Sikad, Lakad, Takbo" Fun Run
- Outreach Program such as Blood Letting and gift giving to orphanage and/or Home for the Elderlies
- Culmination night at the UAP National Headquarters highlighted by a "Thanksgiving Mass"
- Exhibits of the winners in the "On the Spot Pen and Ink"

UAP COMMUNITY KICKS OFF 2016 NATIONAL ARCHITECTURE WEEK CELEBRATION

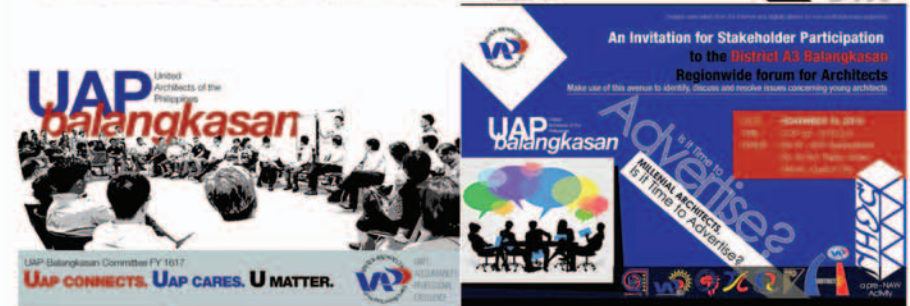
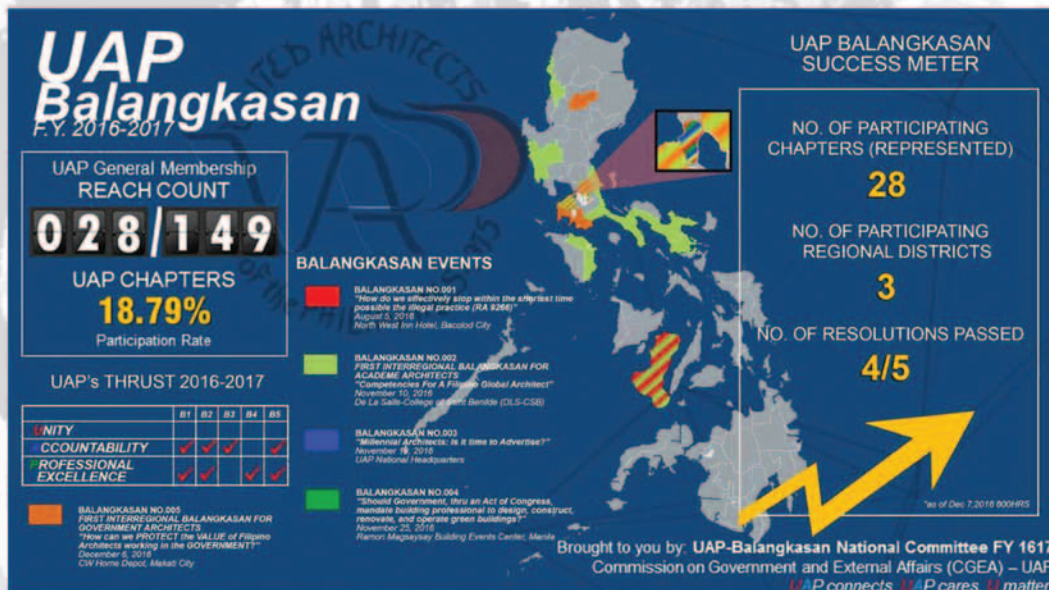
DECEMBER 4-10, 2016

KOLABORASYON: Our Past Defines Our Future Towards Professional Excellence"



Balangkasan on the Forefront of Accountability

On UAP's 42nd Founding Anniversary held last March 25 2017 at UAPHQ a Memorandum of Understanding (MOU) Renewal for RA 9266 and ARCHITECTS CODE OF ETHICS Comics Strip series (Year 3) and Launching of the VALUE OF AN ARCHITECT Comics and Video clip series (based also from the predominant survey results from 1st BALANGKASAN FOR ACADEME ARCHITECTS last Nov 2016 and results of Balangkasan No.1 hosted by UAP Regional District C2 (Bacolod, Negrense and Mt Kanla-on Chapters) held last August 5, 2016).





KUALA LUMPUR – The United Architects of the Philippines led by its UAP National President, Arch. Guillermo H. Hisancha attended the 7th APEC Architect Central Meeting held in Kuala Lumpur, Malaysia last October 10-11, 2016. The Philippines delegation include Commissioner of the Professional Regulation Commission Arch. Yolanda David-Reyes, Chairman of the Professional Regulatory Board of Architecture, Arch. Robert S. Sac, Past UAP National Presidents, Arch. Prosperidad C. Luis and Arch. Edric Marco C. Florentino.

The Central Council has ultimate responsibility for all matters relating to the APEC Architect framework, which include its primary duty is to decide the standards and criteria required for registration as an APEC Architect and to establish operational procedures for management of the APEC Architect Register. These are reviewed periodically by the Council to ensure their continued relevance to the practice of architecture within the APEC region and the effectiveness of the systems employed to assess them. The Council is responsible for the authorization of Monitoring Committees to maintain a section of the Register and for subsequent review of their continued conformance with APEC Architect registration criteria.

It may be recalled that the Philippines, through the UAP, hosted the 4th Meeting of the APEC Architect Central Council which was held from October 10-11, 2010 at SMX Convention Center, Pasay City. The proceedings held in the Philippines has a unique scenario of having back-to-back APEC events: the 1st International Conference of Architects (ICA) held on Oct. 8-9, and the 4th APEC Architect Central Council Meeting held on Oct. 10-11, 2010.

Currently, the Philippines has 54 APEC Architects.



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November 29, 2016



ARCH. SHAMCEY SUPSUP-LEE NAMED UAP'S AMBASSADRESS OF GOODWILL

SCOUT RALLOS – The United Architects of the Philippines has appointed Miss Universe 2011's 3rd runner-up Architect Shamcey Supsup-Lee as its Ambassadors of Goodwill to articulate the vision and programs of the organization and the role of architecture profession in nation building and development.

Architect Shamcey Supsup-Lee earned a degree of Bachelor of Science in Architecture from the University of the Philippines Diliman and graduated magna cum laude. She topped the 2010 Architect Licensure Board Examination given by the Professional Regulatory Board of Architecture of the Professional Regulation Commission.

Crowned as the Binibining Pilipinas Universe 2011 on April 10, 2011 and bagged the awards of Binibining Pilipinas Universe 2011 – Miss Talent, Miss Cream Silk and Miss Philippines Airlines, Architect Shamcey Supsup-Lee represented the Philippines in the Miss Universe 2011 beauty pageant in Sao Paulo, Brazil and won third runner-up in the 60th Miss Universe pageant.

According to UAP National President, Arch. Guillermo H. Hisancha "the United Architects of the Philippines (UAP), the Integrated and Accredited Professional Organization of Architects where Architect Shamcey Supsup-Lee is an active member, takes pride on her widely recognized talent, beauty, intellect, accomplishments and achievements in the field of architecture profession and pagangay. We are honored to have her as our goodwill ambassador to promote the organization and the architecture profession."



ACTION TO BE TAKEN



To enter in a Memorandum of Agreement with PAM (Malaysian Institute of Architects) to recognize UAP Kuala Lumpur and its members as partner and collaborator



ACTION TAKEN



National President invited to give a keynote talk at the UIA SYMPOSIUM CUM REGION IV MEETING" highlighting the EMERGENCY DISASTER HEALTH CARE FACILITIES competition





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PHILIPPINES READIES 1ST ASEAN ARCHITECTS CONGRESS



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1st ASEAN ARCHITECTS CONGRESS
PHILIPPINES

In order to promote intra-ASEAN mobility of professionals, provide a venue for the Filipino Asean Architects to meet and collaborate with other Asean Architects from other AMS, promote services of Filipino Asean Architects to multi-national and other potential companies and produce a template of a Collaboration Agreement for the use of Filipino Asean Architects to collaborate with other Asean Architects from other AMS, the Philippines is set to hold the 1st ASEAN Architects Congress of the Philippines on April 26-27, 2017 at two different venues, namely, Manila Marriott Hotel (for Day 1) and SMX Convention Center Manila (for Day 2).

The congress will be hosted by two organizations, namely United Architects of the Philippines (UAP) and Philippine Association of Professional Regulatory Board Members Inc. (PAPRB), under the wisdom and guidance of the Professional Regulation Commission - Professional Regulatory Board of Architecture (PRC-PRBoA) which will serve as the Congress Advisers.

Chairman of the UAP – Special Committee on APEC, ASEAN & Global Practice, Architect Alfred Geoffrey C. Carandang serves as the Congress Director and Chair of the Congress Secretariat Committee.

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First ASEAN Architects Congress Philippines

A Pioneering Initiative by Filipino Architects

The ASEAN Architects and the Special Committee which focuses on this important arena have several objectives: the promotion of intra-ASEAN mobility of professionals; provide a venue for the Filipino Asean Architects to meet and collaborate with other Asean Architects from other member countries; promote services of Filipino Asean Architects to overseas companies and other potential partners in business; produce a template of a Collaboration Agreement for the use of Filipino Asean Architects to collaborate with other Asean Architects from other partner countries. With these honorable intentions the Special Committee is on its way to a successful holding of the 1st ASEAN Architects' Congress. All the coordination had been done in cooperation with the Philippine Association of Professional Regulatory Board Members, Inc. and the PRBoA.



This congress is organized by the United Architects of the Philippines, the Integrated and Accredited Professional Organization of Architects (UAP-IAPOA) and the Philippine Association of Professional Regulatory Board Members, Inc. (PAPRB) in partnership with the Professional Regulation Commission (PRC), Professional Regulatory Board of Architecture (PRBoA) and the ASEAN Monitoring Committee on Architectural Services of the Philippines (AMCASP).



Professional EXCELLENCE

Professional excellence had been chosen as a major theme because of its significance to architectural practice. It is a fitting principle as architects had strived years to perfect and receive certification from the accrediting government body that they may practice as professionals. In continuing such competence, the architect's mind must always be fed with technical and innovative information that will maintain and elevate the know-how. These will be achieved thru prioritizing programs about continuing professional education with an angle on modernization, practice of basic and advanced skills to keep the knowledge intact.

Providing effective, efficient, and diligent service through our commitment to culture of professional excellence

Integrity and Professional Development:

- Provide sufficient amount of quality CPE seminars and learning modules for the architects' continuing growth fields
- Institutionalize and strengthen scholarship grants for qualified members
- Advertise and campaign for the public understanding and appreciation of the importance of architectural services
- Work for a significant and influential position for architects in various levels of the government



United Architects of the Philippines
NATCON 43



SHIFT: SHAKING UP THE ARCHITECTURE PRACTICE
CPD CREDIT UNITS (CU)

Day 0 April 26, 2017

Chapter Presidents Assembly	1.5 CU
Tripartite Meeting	1.5 CU
COEDASP Meeting	1.5 CU
National Board of Directors Meeting	1.5 CU

Day 1 April 27, 2017

CPD Seminar 1 Keynote	1.5 CU
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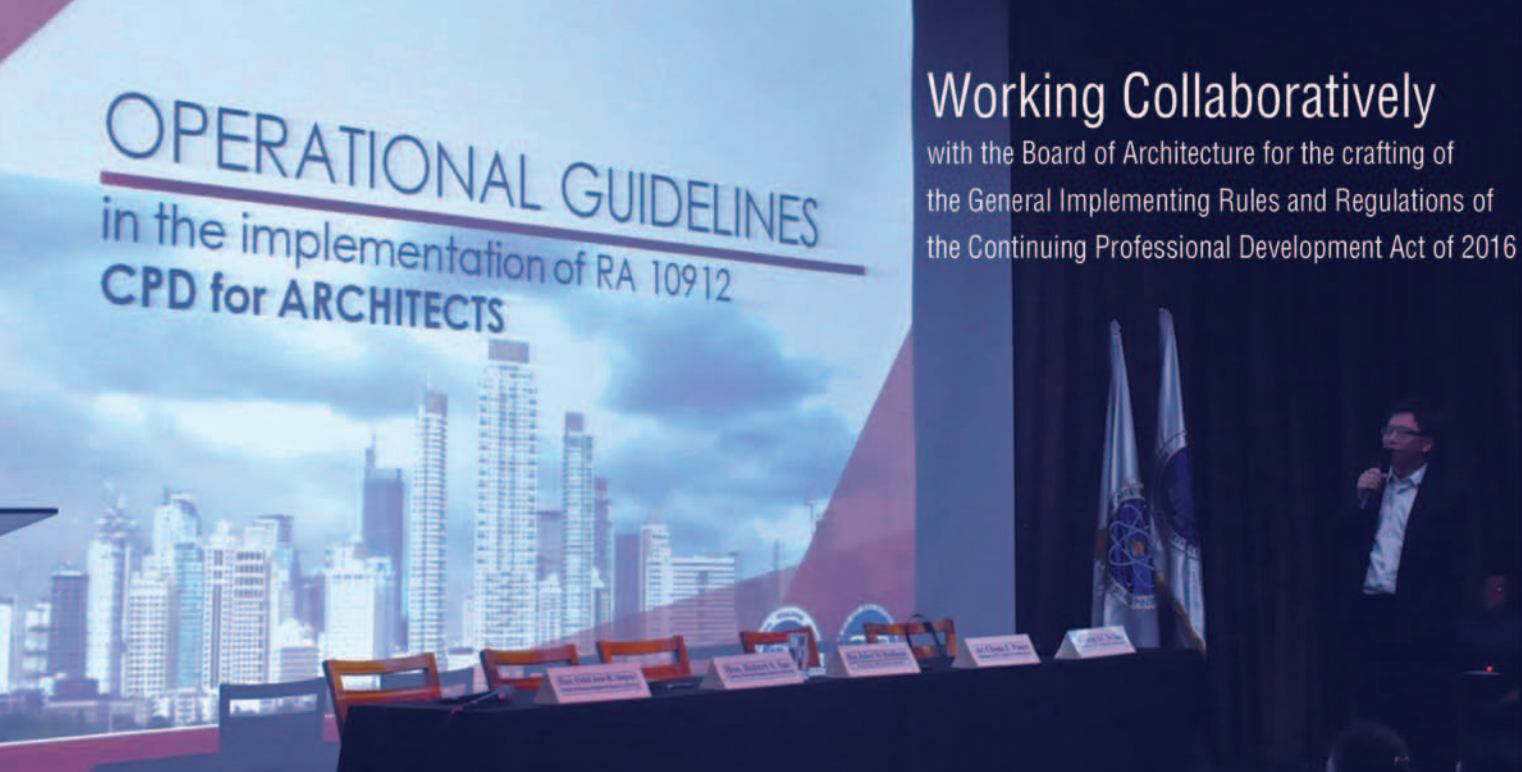
Day 2 April 28, 2017

CPD Seminar 2	1.0 CU
CPD Seminar 3	1.0 CU
General Assembly & Annual Business Meeting	0.5 CU
CPD Seminar 4	1.0 CU
CPD Seminar 5	1.0 CU

Day 3 April 29, 2017

CPD Seminar 6	1.0 CU
CPD Seminar 7	1.0 CU
CPD Seminar 8	1.0 CU
Escorta Tour	0.5 CU
DLS CHS SDA Tour	0.5 CU
Intramuros Tour	0.5 CU
National Museum Tour	0.5 CU

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Working Collaboratively
with the Board of Architecture for the crafting of
the General Implementing Rules and Regulations of
the Continuing Professional Development Act of 2016



On the forefront of promoting Professional Excellence, The National President in cooperation with the Committee on Continuing Education had embarked on initiatives centered on the improvement of the technical excellence of the Filipino Architect through Continuing Professional Education.

The Professional Regulation Commission (PRC) through the Professional Regulatory Board of Architecture (PRBoA) and the Professional Board of Architecture Continuing Professional Development Council (PRBoA-CPDC) in coordination with the United Architects of the Philippines (UAP) held the Consultation on Operational Guidelines of the Continuing Professional Development (CPD) Programs and Activities last 10 December 2016, Saturday, from 8:00 A.M to 12:00 NN at the 7/F Teatro Arkitekto, UAP National Headquarters, Diliman, Quezon City.



UAP SIGNS MOA WITH SC FOR INTERNATIONAL CONCEPTUAL DESIGN COMPETITION FOR THE NEW SUPREME COURT COMPLEX



CITY OF MANILA - The United Architects of the Philippines under the leadership of National President Arch. Guillermo Hisancho signed a Memorandum of Agreement with the Supreme Court of the Philippines for its participation in the conduct of International Conceptual Design Competition for the Supreme Court Complex in Fort Bonifacio, Taguig City. Held last September 6, 2016 at SC Building in Padre Faura Street, Ermita, Manila, the MOA was signed by Atty. Felipa Amana, Ruby Esteban-Garcia and Eden Candelaria, in behalf of the Supreme Court, and Architect Hisancho and Immediate Past President Arch. Maria Benita O. Regala, in behalf of UAP.

In his statement before the signing, Architect Hisancho conveyed UAP's sincere appreciation to the Honorable Supreme Court of the Philippines "for allowing our organization to become your humble partner in the conduct of the International Conceptual Design Competition for the New Supreme Court Complex, which is envisioned to be a culturally iconic building and a legacy for generations to come."

"As the staunch champion and vanguard of the Constitution, it is high time that the Supreme Court of the Philippines shall have its own home that can stand with international counterparts or even better in terms of design, standards, sustainability and environmental performance", he said.

The Competition

Background. The Supreme Court Complex is presently occupying a lot that is owned by the University of the Philippines, and the office spaces are not ideal for a productive working environment. On October 2, 2015, the Supreme Court and the Bases Conversion Development Authority executed the Contract for the acquisition of a 2.1-hectare land in Fort Bonifacio, Global City which will serve as the site of the New Supreme Court Complex, and the ceremonial groundbreaking was held with the President of the Republic, His Excellency Benigno C. Aquino III, as the guest of honor. The Department of Budget and Management issued a multi-year obligational authority in the amount of P 3.28 billion to fund the design and construction of the New Supreme Court Complex over the course of 4 years.

Vision. The Supreme Court envisions its new home to be a culturally iconic building and a legacy for generations to come. It aims to build a green and resilient building for the efficient and effective dispensation of justice.

Objectives. (1) Design a nationalistic and iconic Supreme Court Complex using the lowest possible Carbon Footprint; (2) Incorporate ecologically sustainable and resilient design features; (3) Maximum use of alternative sources of energy in the Complex design (e.g. wind, solar, biomass, etc.) (4) Provide an economically feasible design; (5) Create a positive Place Branding for the Supreme Court Complex; and (6) Gather international best practices and design.

For more information or details of the competition, please visit <http://design-newphsupremecourt.org/>



PROFESSIONAL EXCELLENCE

ACTION TAKEN



Entered into a Memorandum of Agreement with the Supreme Court of the Philippines in the conduct of International Conceptual Design Competition for the Supreme Court Complex in Fort Bonifacio, Taguig City



ACTION TAKEN



Participated in the WHO-DOH Consultative Workshop of Enhanced Hospital Safety Index Assessment Tools to establish consensus-driven weights



ACTION TAKEN



We established partnership with Nippon Paint for the Asia Young Designer Award 2016, an annual architecture and interior design contest for students



ACTION TAKEN

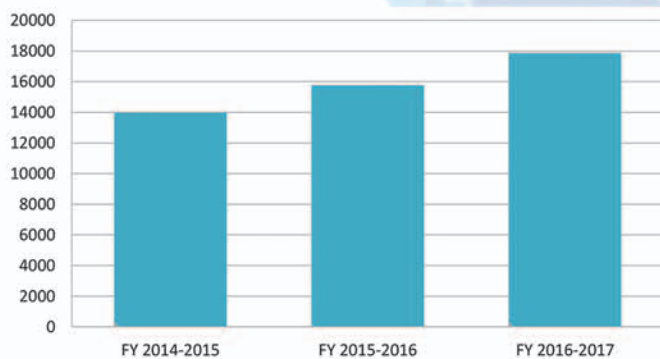


Collaborated with Metrobank Foundation for the Metrobank Art & Design Excellence Program



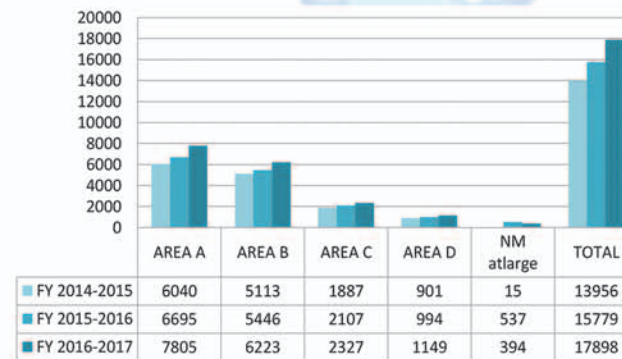
UAP Membership Growth

Total Members in Good Standing



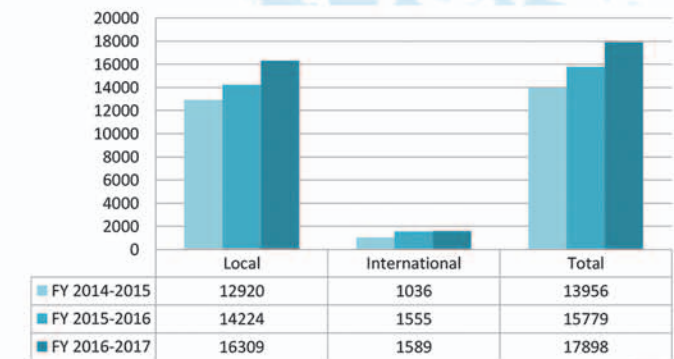
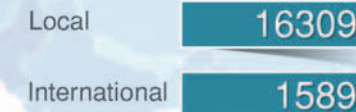
Total Members in Good Standing by AREA

Fiscal Year 2016-2017



Total Members in Good Standing

(Local and International) Fiscal Year 2016-2017























Arki-Likha Construction and Development Expo,
Malolos Republika Chapter, February 22, 2017



15th Gold Cup Committee



ASEAN Architects Organizing Committee

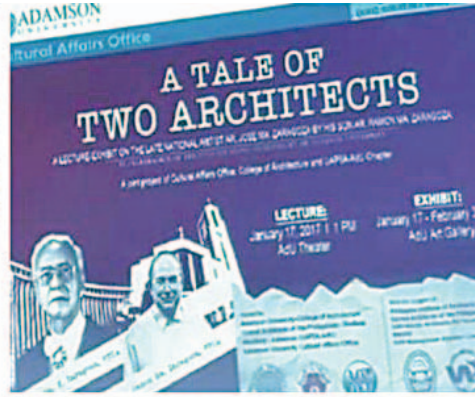


Design and Build Committee 2017









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Memorandum Circulars

Fiscal Year 2016-2017

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Memorandum Circular No.01
COMMITTEE COMPOSITION AND OTHERS

Memorandum Circular No.02
SUBMISSION OF CHAPTER REPORTS

Memorandum Circular No.03
UAP NATIONAL ANNUAL MEMBERSHIP DUES FOR FISCAL YEAR 2016-2017

Memorandum Circular No.04
CELEBRATION OF 2016 WORLD ARCHITECTURE DAY SCHEDULED ON 3 OCTOBER 2016

Memorandum Circular No.05
INVITATION TO ACTIVELY PARTICIPATE IN THE FORTHCOMING 2016 JOINT AREA ASSEMBLY

Memorandum Circular No.06
31ST OCTOBER DECLARED AS ADDITIONAL SPECIAL NON-WORKING HOLIDAY

Memorandum Circular No.07
UAP ANNUAL NATIONAL AWARDS FOR OUTSTANDING INDIVIDUAL MEMBERS, CHAPTER AWARDS, MERITORIOUS AWARDS AND DISTRICT AWARDS FOR FISCAL YEAR 2016 – 2017

Memorandum Circular No.08
MANUAL ON PROCEDURES FOR THE CONDUCT OF BALANGKASAN FORUM

Memorandum Circular No.09
GABAY ARKITEKTURA: A UAP EDUCATIONAL ASSISTANCE PROGRAM

Memorandum Circular No.10
CELEBRATION OF NATIONAL ARCHITECTURE WEEK (NAW) 2016

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Fiscal Year 2016-2017

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Memorandum Circular No.11

INTENSIFIED SUPPORT FOR THE ONE CHAPTER – ONE BOOK PROJECT OF THE COMMITTEE ON LIBRARY AND ARCHIVES

Memorandum Circular No.12

FIRST ISSUE OF THE UAP POST FOR FISCAL YEAR 2016-2017

Memorandum Circular No.13

CONSULTATION WITH THE PROFESSIONAL REGULATORY BOARD OF ARCHITECTURE (PRBoA) ON OPERATIONAL GUIDELINES OF THE CONTINUING PROFESSIONAL DEVELOPMENT (CPD) PROGRAMS AND ACTIVITIES

Memorandum Circular No.14

IMPLEMENTING THE NEW QUALIFICATIONS ON THE ACCEPTANCE OF APPLICATIONS FOR “MEMBER EMERITUS”

Memorandum Circular No.15

CALL FOR NOMINATIONS FOR THE UAP YOUNG ARCHITECTS AWARD 2017

Memorandum Circular No.16

WORK SCHEDULES AT THE UAP NATIONAL HEADQUARTERS FROM DECEMBER 24, 2016 TO JANUARY 3, 2017

Memorandum Circular No.17

REQUEST FOR THE LIST OF CHAPTER MEMBERS WHO ARE IN THE PRACTICE OF RESTORATION, CONSERVATION AND / OR PRESERVATION

Memorandum Circular No.18

43RD UAP NATIONAL CONVENTION AND CONEX 2017

Memorandum Circular No.19

IMPORTANT REMINDERS

Memorandum Circular No.20

SUMMARY OF BOARD RESOLUTIONS PASSED AND APPROVED DURING THE FIRST, SECOND, THIRD AND FOURTH NATIONAL BOARD OF DIRECTORS' MEETING FOR FY 2016-2017

Memorandum Circular No.21

43rd UAP NATIONAL CONVENTION

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Memorandum Circulars

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Memorandum Circular No.22

SUBMISSION OF THE UAP CHAPTER GENERAL INFORMATION FORM FOR FISCAL YEAR 2017-2018

Memorandum Circular No.23

REQUESTING THE SUPPORT AND COOPERATION OF ALL UAP CHAPTERS TO SEND EVENT AND ACTIVITY PHOTOS FOR THE UAP BID BOOK FOR THE PRC OUTSTANDING ACCREDITED PROFESSIONAL ORGANIZATION OF THE YEAR AWARD

Memorandum Circular No.24

REQUEST TO SUBMIT NOMINATION FOR SELECTION OF THE “OUTSTANDING PROFESSIONAL OF THE YEAR” AND THE “NUBLA EXCELLENCE AWARDEE” FOR THE CONFERNMENT BY THE PROFESSIONAL REGULATION COMMISSION FOR 2017

Memorandum Circular No.25

UPDATING THE RECORDS ON NATIONAL AWARDS ACQUIRED BY EACH OF THE UAP CHAPTERS AND DISTRICTS

Memorandum Circular No.26

SECOND ISSUE OF THE UAP POST FOR FISCAL YEAR 2016-2017

Memorandum Circular No.27

OFFICIAL LIST OF QUALIFIED CANDIDATES FOR UAP ANNUAL NATIONAL ELECTIONS ON APRIL 28, 2017

Memorandum Circular No.28

ELECTION GUIDELINES FOR 2017 UAP ANNUAL NATIONAL ELECTIONS

Memorandum Circular No.29

WORK SCHEDULE AT THE UAP NATIONAL ADMINISTRATION OFFICE FROM APRIL 12, 2017 TO APRIL 15, 2017

Memorandum Circular No.30

ENJOINING ALL CHAPTER PRESIDENTS TO EXTEND FULL SUPPORT FOR THE ONE CHAPTER – ONE BOOK PROJECT OF THE UAP COMMITTEE ON LIBRARY AND ARCHIVES

Memorandum Circular No.31

CHAPTER PRESIDENTS’ ASSEMBLY ON APRIL 26, 2017

NBD

Board Resolutions

Fiscal Year 2016-2017

National Board of Directors FY 16-17 Meeting No. 1
30 June 2016, Thursday
Casa Real de Iloilo, Iloilo City

Board Resolution 16-17 NO. 1:

Approval for the adoption of the Internal Rules of Procedure of the United Architects of the Philippines-National Board of Directors otherwise known as the "UAP-NBD House Rules".

Board Resolution 16-17 NO. 2:

Designation of a new set of signatories for all UAP Bank accounts effective July 1, 2016.

Principal signatories:

1. GUILLERMO H. HISANCHA – National President
2. PAMELA N. AMADOR – National Treasurer
3. MARIA NINA BAILON-ARCE – National Executive Vice President
(Alternate to the National President)

Board Resolution 16-17 NO. 3:

Approval of the Corporate Theme, Plans and Programs and Policies for the Fiscal Year 2016-2017 formulated by the Administration for the Fiscal Year 2016-2017, and referral to various Commissions/Committees for study, report and recommendation.

Board Resolution 16-17 NO. 4:

Confirmation of the appointments for the Executive Directors for the Commissions, Chairman of the Standing Committees, Chairman of Special/Adhoc Committees and Official Representatives of the UAP.

Board Resolution 16-17 NO. 5:

Approval to hold in abeyance the appointment of a Presidential Executive Assistant for the Fiscal Year 2016-2017 for the Office of the National President subject to the submission of the specific job description on the duties and responsibilities attached to the position for presentation and approval of the Executive Committee at its meeting in July.

Board Resolution 16-17 NO. 6:

Approval of hiring of the following UAP External Consultants in reference to Article XI, Section 2 of the 2009 UAP Bylaws:

1. UAP Legal Counsel for Fiscal Year 2016-2017
2. UAP External Auditor for Fiscal Year 2016-2017

Board Resolution 16-17 NO. 7:

Approval for the adoption of the unfinished business of the previous administration (Fiscal Year 2015-2016) as continuing business of the incoming administration (Fiscal Year 2016-2017), and referral to various Commissions/Committees for study, report and recommendation.

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Board Resolutions

Fiscal Year 2016-2017

UNITED ARCHITECTS OF THE PHILIPPINES
National Board of Directors FY 16-17 Meeting No. 1
30 June 2016, Thursday
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Board Resolution 15-16 NO. 8:

Approval to provide insurance coverage to the following members:

1. UAP National Board of Directors
2. Executive Directors of all UAP Commissions
3. The Officers of the College of Fellows and Members of the Jury of Fellows
4. Chairpersons of all UAP Standing Commissions and UAP Special Committees
5. All UAP Chapter Presidents

Board Resolution 16-17 NO. 9:

Approval of the Scheduled Dates of the following UAP National Activities:

1. Joint Area Assembly - October 14-15, 2016
venue: Iloilo City
2. 43rd UAP NatCon - April 17-20, 2017
& UAP CONEX 2017 SMX Convention Center

Board Resolution 16-17 NO. 10:

Approval of the Annual Schedule of Activities for Fiscal Year 2016-2017.

UNITED ARCHITECTS OF THE PHILIPPINES
National Board of Directors FY 16-17 Meeting No. 2
20 August 2016, Saturday, 10:00 A.M.
UAP National Headquarters, Diliman, Quezon City

Board Resolution 16-17 No. 11

Approval for the use of the name "World Architecture Day" with the acronym "WAD" as recognized by the UIA.

Board Resolution 16-17 No. 12

Approval of the Date, October 14-15, 2016, the Logo, Theme and Rationale, the Program of Activities, the Registration Fees and the CSR program for the Joint Area Assembly.

Board Resolution 16-17 No. 13

Approval of new scheduled dates, April 27, 28, 29, 2017, for the 43rd UAP National Convention and CONEX 2017.

Board Resolution 16-17 No. 14

Approval that UAP will no longer accept shootings at the UAP premises.

UNITED ARCHITECTS OF THE PHILIPPINES
National Board of Directors FY 16-17 Meeting No. 2
20 August 2016, Saturday, 10:00 A.M.
UAP National Headquarters, Diliman, Quezon City

Board Resolution 16-17 No. 15	Approval of the adoption of the Internal Rules for Executive Committee Meetings.
Board Resolution 16-17 No. 16	Approval of the Job Description of the Presidential Executive Assistant.
Board Resolution 16-17 No. 17	Approval of the hiring of Mr. Noel Ongoco as Presidential Executive Assistant under the Office of the National President co-terminus also upon the discretion of the National President.
Board Resolution 16-17 No. 18	Approval of the creation of the UAP-AGAP (UAP addressing GAPS to Build Resiliency), a Special Committee under the Office of the National President, its Composition, Mission, Vision and Initial Programs
Board Resolution 16-17 No. 19	Approval of the appointment of Ar. Ramon Abiera as Chairman of the Committee on Addressing the Gaps to Build Resiliency under the Office of the National President.
Board Resolution 16-17 No. 20	Approval of the resignation of District Director for RD A-1a Reymundo I. Florentino from his office in view of the reason that he was elected as City Councilor.
Board Resolution 16-17 No. 21	Approval of the recommendation/appointment of Ar. Eric C. Quadra as the new District Director for RD A-1a as endorsed by former DD A-1a Reymundo Florentino.
Board Resolution 16-17 No. 22	Approval of Option 2 of the Privilege Card subject to review of Contract and with the information regarding sponsorships.
Board Resolution 16-17 No. 23	Approval for UAP to send sympathy cards expressing deep sympathy and condolences to families of their dearly departed UAP members.
Board Resolution 16-17 No. 24	Approval of hiring a regular building and facilities administrator which includes the monitoring of the maintenance of the UAP headquarters.
Board Resolution 16-17 No. 25	Approval of the proposed design of the National President's bedroom and Guest Room located at the Fourth Floor of the UAP Headquarters.

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Board Resolutions

Fiscal Year 2016-2017

UNITED ARCHITECTS OF THE PHILIPPINES
National Board of Directors FY 16-17 Meeting No. 2
20 August 2016, Saturday, 10:00 A.M.
UAP National Headquarters, Diliman, Quezon City

Board Resolution 16-17 No. 26	Approval of the request of the UAP-GA for the use of any space within the UAP National Headquarters as directed by the UAP Secretariat.
Board Resolution 16-17 No. 27	Approval of the appointments of the members of the Accreditation Committee to handle the accreditation of architectural schools in the Philippines under the Commission on Education.
Board Resolution 16-17 No. 28	Approval of the appointment of Ar. Leiron de Guzman as Committee Chair of UAP-GA.
Board Resolution 16-17 No. 29	Resolution of gratitude to IPP MBO Regala for turning over the amount of PhP14.42 million to the present administration.
Board Resolution 16-17 No. 30	Approval of the preparation of a letter of request to PRC urging PRC to exercise its powers and mandate to define the specific roles of the different professionals, specifically the architects, the engineers and the interior designers so that conflicts can be avoided.
Board Resolution 16-17 No. 31	Resolution of appreciation to Congressman Mark Go of Baguio in expressing his support to the United Architects of the Philippines for making steps in pursuing the context to finally implement the Architectural Permit through the National Building Code.
Board Resolution 16-17 No. 32	Resolution of appreciation to Congressman Gus Tambunting in expressing his support to the United Architects of the Philippines for making steps in pursuing the context to finally implement the Architectural Permit through the National Building Code.
Board Resolution 16-17 No. 33	Resolution of appreciation to Congressman Eric Olivares of Parañaque Palanyag in expressing his support to the United Architects of the Philippines for making steps in pursuing the context to finally implement the Architectural Permit through the National Building Code.
Board Resolution 16-17 No. 34	Resolution of appreciation to Vice Mayor of Sta. Barbara, Pangasinan Joel Santos in expressing his support to the United Architects of the Philippines for making steps in pursuing the context to finally implement the Architectural Permit through the National Building Code.

UNITED ARCHITECTS OF THE PHILIPPINES
National Board of Directors FY 16-17 Meeting No. 2
20 August 2016, Saturday, 10:00 A.M.
UAP National Headquarters, Diliman, Quezon City

Board Resolution 16-17 No. 35

Extension of appreciation to Vice Governor Calimlim of Pangasinan in expressing his support to the United Architects of the Philippines for making steps in pursuing the context to finally implement the Architectural Permit through the National Building Code.

Board Resolution 16-17 No. 36

Approval of the following UAP official delegates to the ARCASIA Council Meeting on September 26, 2016 – October 2, 2016 in Hongkong:

UAP Official delegates to ARCASIA Council Meeting:

1. NP GH Hisancha as National President
2. IPP MBO Regala who will deliver the Country Report
3. John Joseph T. Fernandez, being the Chair of the ARCASIA Committee on Education

UAP Official Members/Representatives at ARCASIA Committees:

1. Committee on Education
Wilfredo G. Gacutan
Jonathan V. Manalad
2. Committee on Green Architecture
Michaela Rosette M. Santos
Emelito C. Punzalan
3. Committee on Young Architects
Patrick N. Rodriguez
Marian Eileen T. Florentino-Marudo
4. Committee on CSR
Renato A. Heray
Rene Richie A. Corcuera
5. Committee on Professional Practice
Benjamin K. Panganiban, Jr.
Maria Nina Bailon-Arce

Board Resolution 16-17 No. 37

Approval of the formation of the UAP Mindoro Chapter.

Board Resolution 16-17 No. 38

Approval of the formation of the UAP Malolos Republika Chapter.

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National Board of Directors FY 16-17 Meeting No. 2
20 August 2016, Saturday, 10:00 A.M.
UAP National Headquarters, Diliman, Quezon City

Board Resolution 16-17 No. 39	Approval of the Committee members of the Standing and Special Committees.
Board Resolution 16-17 No. 40	Approval of the appointment of Ar. Chona E. Ponce as UAP Official Representative to the CPD Council.
Board Resolution 16-17 No. 41	Approval of the Rules and Regulations on Compensation and Overtime Pay for the UAP Employees and for its immediate implementation.
Board Resolution 16-17 No. 42	Approval of the endorsement of Ar. Shamcey Supsup-Lee, third runner-up in the Ms. Universe 2011, as the UAP Ambassador of Goodwill with no honorarium involved.
Board Resolution 16-17 No. 43	Approval of the appointment of Ar. Richie Tumambing as Chair of Bid Book Committee and Ar. Roger Aguilar as Deputy Chair.
Board Resolution 16-17 No. 44	Approval that ACARE be given the PhP100,000.00 with an agreed Memorandum of Understanding but still subject to their submission of their research work.
Board Resolution 16-17 No. 45	Approval to change the security agency for the UAP Headquarters.
Board Resolution 16-17 No. 46	Approval of the request of the Chair of the CONEX Group for the advance seed money of PhP500,000.00.
Board Resolution 16-17 No. 47	Approval for UAP to sponsor two booths at the Green Building 2016.
Board Resolution 16-17 No. 48	Approval to retain the services of both the Internal and External Auditors.

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UNITED ARCHITECTS OF THE PHILIPPINES
National Board of Directors FY 16-17 Meeting No. 3
13 October 2016, Saturday, 1:00 P.M.
Sarabia Manor, Iloilo City

Board Resolution 16-17 No. 49

Approval of the “NBD Key Points to Ponder” as guide in the conduct of the National Board of Directors Meetings and likewise added to the “Internal Rules of Procedure of the NBD”, otherwise known as “UAP-NBD House Rules”.

Board Resolution 16-17 No. 50

Approval of the New Schedule of Fees and Other Charges of the Revised Implementing Rules and Regulations of the National Building Code of the Philippines as endorsed by the UAP Technical Working Group to the Board of Consultants.

Board Resolution 16-17 No. 51

Approval of the UAP National Budget for FY 2016-2017.

Board Resolution 16-17 No. 52

Approval of the Security Service Contract between Black Falcon Security Agency and the United Architects of the Philippines.

Board Resolution 16-17 No. 53

Approval to allot a working budget for the World Architecture Day in the amount of PhP100,000.00 and PhP50,000.00 to be released as initial fund and the excess from the PhP100,000.00 will have to be provided through sponsorships, subject to liquidation.

Board Resolution 16-17 No. 54

Approval for the release of PhP15, 000.00 as seed fund to all the Area Vice Presidents, subject to liquidation.

Board Resolution 16-17 No. 55

Approval of the UAP Representatives to attend the following international activities and for UAP to shoulder the expenses:

- 1) UAP MENA Dubai Summit on October 21, 2016 – IPP Ma. Benita O. Regala
- 2) UAP Brunei Chapter Induction on September 23, 2016 – SG Renato A Heray, VPC Kendell L. Esperas and VPD Ferdinand A. Dumpa
- 3) UAP Singapore Chapter and UAP Kuala Lumpur Chapter Inductions on September 30, 2016 – NEVP Ma. Nina Bailon-Arce, VPA Virgilio D. Andres Jr. and VPB Cesar G. Aljama.

Board Resolution 16-17 No. 56

Approval to seek the assistance of DILG Secretary Ismael Sueño to direct the Chief Executives of LGUs to strictly enforce the implementation of RA9266 in their respective localities.



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13 October 2016, Saturday, 1:00 P.M.
Sarabia Manor, Iloilo City

Board Resolution 16-17 No. 57	Approval to seek the assistance of all local Chief Executives, Mayors and Governors to strictly enforce the implementation of RA9266 in their respective localities through the offices of the Building Officials.
Board Resolution 16-17 No. 58	Approval to seek the assistance of DPWH Secretary Mark Villar to direct the Office of the Building Official and the Chief Executives of LGUs to strictly enforce the implementation of RA9266 in their respective localities.
Board Resolution 16-17 No. 59	Approval to seek the assistance of the Philippine Association of Building Officials (PABO) to direct the Chief Executives of LGUs to strictly enforce the implementation of RA9266 in their respective localities.
Board Resolution 16-17 No. 60	Resolution of gratitude and appreciation to those officials who committed to the implementation of Republic Act No. 9266.
Board Resolution 16-17 No. 61	Resolution of commendation for the efforts of the UAP legal counsel Poblador Bautista Reyes Law Office and Atty. Jose V. Cabrera for the success of the UAP Intervention in the Declaratory Relief Case filed by Ar. J. Paul Octaviano against PRC and PRBoA at RTC Branch 7 under Civil Case No. 15134604.
Board Resolution 16-17 No. 62	Approval for UAP to commission an HR Consultant who will formulate or design an HR Package which is appropriate to the needs of the UAP.
Board Resolution 16-17 No. 63	Approval of the UAP Employee Service Awards Program.
Board Resolution 16-17 No. 64	Approval of the amendments on the National Awards Guidelines.

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National Board of Directors FY 16-17 Meeting No. 3
13 October 2016, Saturday, 1:00 P.M.
Sarabia Manor, Iloilo City

Board Resolution 16-17 No. 65

Approval to grant the title “Member Emeritus” to the following Members:

UAP Baguio Chapter:

Renato S. Bautista	Charter Member	UAP # 546	PRC # 3137
George D. Lansang	Member	UAP # 969	PRC # 3675
Rafael G. Chan	Member	UAP # 971	PRC # 4526
Francisco G. Flora Jr	Member	UAP # 973	PRC # 2847
Francisco B. De Guzman	Member	UAP # 976	PRC # 2940
Rogelio J. Naz	Member	UAP # 982	PRC # 1695
Josephine B. Chan	Member	UAP # 1294	PRC # 5205
Isabelita N. Vizcocho	Member	UAP # 1740	PRC # 4941

UAP Davao Chapter

Manuel N. Chiew	Charter Member	UAP # 64	PRC # 3426
Flora J. Lumayno	Charter Member	UAP # 77	PRC # 1928
Prospero A. Abellano	Member	UAP # 1450	PRC # 5554

UAP Kadayawan Chapter

Jaime P. Ansaldo	Charter Member	UAP # 68	PRC # 4218
Hector L. Esguerra	Member	UAP # 899	PRC # 4707
Omar Luis J. Payumo	Member	UAP # 1045	PRC # 4957
Salvador V. Sandoval	Member	UAP # 2385	PRC # 6074
Noel T. Divinagracia	Member	UAP # 2952	PRC # 6669

Board Resolution 16-17 No. 66

Approval of the New Qualifications for Member Emeritus.

Board Resolution 16-17 No. 67

Approval of the logo and the budget of PhP142,000.00 intended for the National Architecture Week.

Board Resolution 16-17 No. 68

Approval of the Gabay Arkitektura – UAP Educational Assistance Program.

Board Resolution 16-17 No. 69

Approval of the Manual of Procedures for the Conduct of Balangkas Forum.

Board Resolution 16-17 No. 70

Approval to authorize the National President thru the Execom to decide on the Logo, Theme and Rationale subject to the refinement of the Logo and the submission of all DDs of the Theme selected during the National Assembly and presented at the Welcome Dinner of the Joint Area Assembly.

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13 October 2016, Saturday, 1:00 P.M.
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Board Resolution 16-17 No. 71	Approval of the NatCon registration fees of PhP4,200.00 for the early bird, PhP4,500.00 for the regular members, PhP3,000.00 for the National Board, the NatCon Organizing Committee and the members of the College of Fellows and PhP1,000.00 for the COF members who will just attend Day 1.
Board Resolution 16-17 No. 72	Approval of the appointments of the Chairman and Working Clusters for the UAP Technical Working Group (TWG) for the Architectural Code.
Board Resolution 16-17 No. 73	Approval of the nomination for Ar. Robert Benedict C. Hermoso as UAP Representative for Architecture at the National Commission on Culture and the Arts (NCCA) starting from January 2017 up to December 2019.
Board Resolution 16-17 No. 74	Approval of nomination for Ar. Rogelio Caringal to represent Luzon or NCR as Cluster Representative for Architecture.
Board Resolution 16-17 No. 75	Approval of the formation of the UAP Balladaw Dabaw Chapter.

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National Board of Directors FY 16-17 Meeting No. 4
10 December 2016, Saturday, 3:00 P.M.
UAP National Headquarters, Diliman, Quezon City

Board Resolution 16-17 No. 76	Approval of the “Keeping You Posted” should be referred to as “The Official E-Newsletter of the United Architects of the Philippines” and not to state that it is “Maintained by the Office of the Secretary General” and contents are subject to the screening of the Secretary General.
Board Resolution 16-17 No. 77	Approval of the purchase of the latest model of a Fortuner to replace the 5-year old UAP van.

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10 December 2016, Saturday, 3:00 P.M.
UAP National Headquarters, Diliman, Quezon City

Board Resolution 16-17 No. 78

Approval to grant authority for the Office of the National Auditor to conduct a Property Audit regarding:

1. Land Appraisal
2. Building Appraisal
3. Assets Inventory

and for the National Auditor to proceed with the negotiations with respective vendors who will do the work.

Board Resolution 16-17 No. 79

Approval to grant Ar. Amado Tandoc a monthly reimbursement for gasoline expenses in the amount of PhP10,000.00 starting November 2016 as Building Administrator for this Fiscal Year.

Board Resolution 16-17 No. 80

Approval of the printing of 1,000 copies of the Architect's Guidelines with authority from PRC.

Board Resolution 16-17 No. 81

Approval of the creation of a Special Committee on Design Build Services under the Office of the National President.

Board Resolution 16-17 No. 82

Approval of the appointment of Ar. Donato Magcale as Chairman of the Special Committee on Design Build Services under the Office of the National President.

Board Resolution 16-17 No. 83

Approval of the composition of Nominations Committee as Chaired by the Chancellor of the College of Fellows with members coming from Past District Directors as recommended by their respective districts.

Board Resolution 16-17 No. 84

Approval of the Execom Resolution No. 51 Series of 2016-2017 be referred to and approved by the Management Committee and not by the National Board.

Board Resolution 16-17 No. 85

Approval for the release the amount of PhP10,000.00 for the expenses of Bid Book Committee in the preparation of the UAP Bid Book, subject for liquidation.

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Board Resolution 16-17 No. 86	Approval to inform all members of out-of-town Board members to purchase their own individual airline tickets for the succeeding NBD meetings a week before the scheduled dates with 10 kilos baggage allowance and that, in case of re-bookings, all sur-charges penalties shall be shouldered by the individual and not by the UAP.																				
Board Resolution 16-17 No. 87	Approval for the inclusion in the Natcon Schedule of the First Forum of Architects in the Government.																				
Board Resolution 16-17 No. 88	Approval of the study and crafting of a Manual on Ethical Conduct to include possible sanctions.																				
Board Resolution 16-17 No. 89	Approval of the District Recommendations to Constitute the Committee on Nominations for National Elections.																				
Board Resolution 16-17 No. 90	Approval of the District Recommendations to Constitute the Commission on Elections (COMELEC).																				
Board Resolution 16-17 No. 91	Approval of Ar. Wilfredo G. Gacutan to represent UAP as Jury Member of the International Conceptual Design Competition for the new Supreme Court.																				
Board Resolution 16-17 No. 92	Approval of the nomination of Ar. Jayson B. Portem as UAP Representative for the National Committee on Monuments and Sites of the National Committee on Culture and the Arts (NCCA) from January 2017 up to December 2019.																				
Board Resolution 16-17 No. 93	Approval of the Revised Young Architects Award Guidelines.																				
Board Resolution 16-17 No. 94	Approval of the new Registration Fees for the 43rd UAP National Convention & CONEX 2017 as follows: <table><tr><td>1. AREA C & D</td><td>Regular Rate</td><td>-</td><td>PhP 4,000.00</td><td>until March 31, 2017</td></tr><tr><td>2. AREA A & B</td><td>Early Bird</td><td>-</td><td>PhP 4,000.00</td><td>until February 3, 2017</td></tr><tr><td></td><td>Regular Rate</td><td>-</td><td>PhP4,500.00</td><td>Feb. 4 - March 31, 2017</td></tr><tr><td>3. ALL AREAS</td><td>Late Rate</td><td>-</td><td>PhP8,000.00</td><td>April 1-14, 2017</td></tr></table>	1. AREA C & D	Regular Rate	-	PhP 4,000.00	until March 31, 2017	2. AREA A & B	Early Bird	-	PhP 4,000.00	until February 3, 2017		Regular Rate	-	PhP4,500.00	Feb. 4 - March 31, 2017	3. ALL AREAS	Late Rate	-	PhP8,000.00	April 1-14, 2017
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Board Resolution 16-17 No. 95

Theme and Rationale for the 43rd UAP National Convention & CONEX 2017.

Board Resolution 16-17 No. 96

Approval of the implementation of Board Resolution No. 4-02 passed during the National Board of Directors Meeting held on November 13, 2009: "That in consideration of the recent approval of the 2009 By-laws and its amended Articles of Incorporation but in light of the recent calamity brought by typhoons Ondoy and Pepeng which resulted to massive flooding and destruction of properties particularly in Luzon area, the Execom has extended the effectivity of General Assembly Resolution No. 01-11, series of 2009 re: Approval to increase the Annual Membership dues and late payment surcharge from November 26, 2009 to January 1, 2010.

Further, that the National Board of Directors FY 2016-2017 shall rectify the 2009-2010 Membeship Status of all members whose payments were made on or before January 9, 2010 and to notify the Membership Department to make the necessary notations to effect the Resolution."

Board Resolution 16-17 No. 97

Approval of the request of Ar. John Joseph T. Fernandez to cover his airfare to and from Islamabad, Pakistan to attend the ARCASIA 2017-2018 Handing Over Ceremony and OB Meeting on January 13-15, 2017.

Board Resolution 16-17 No. 98

Approval of the attendance of Ar. Rosette Santos as Official Representative and Ar. Mel Punsalan as Alternate Representative of the UAP to the said event and further, that the National would only cover of their airfare expenses.

Board Resolution 16-17 No. 99

Approval of the working budget request of Committee on Ways and Means Chairman Dante Aguirre in the amount of Two Hundred Thousand Pesos (P200,000.00) for the construction of the Presidential Suite at the UAP National Headquarters.

Board Resolution 16-17 No. 100

Approval of the Committee on Nominations and the Commission on Elections as endorsed by the respective District Directors.

Board Resolution 16-17 No. 101

Approval of the appointment of Ar. Amado Tandoc as CPD Coordinator with the assistance of Membership Manager Marcialito Cuevas.

