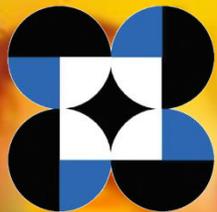


MICROBES, ELECTRODES & ISOTOPES: RESEARCH APPLICATIONS



BSP Exit Report Presentation
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BS Chemistry at the Polytechnic University of the Philippines

MS Chemistry, PhD units in Chemistry at the University of the Philippines

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 Postdoc Researcher at the Research Institute for Humanity and Nature, Kyoto, Japan
 Lecturer at the International College, Chemistry and Biology Combined Major Program, Osaka University, Osaka, Japan



Biodiversity-driven Nutrient Cycling and Human Well-being in Social-ecological Systems

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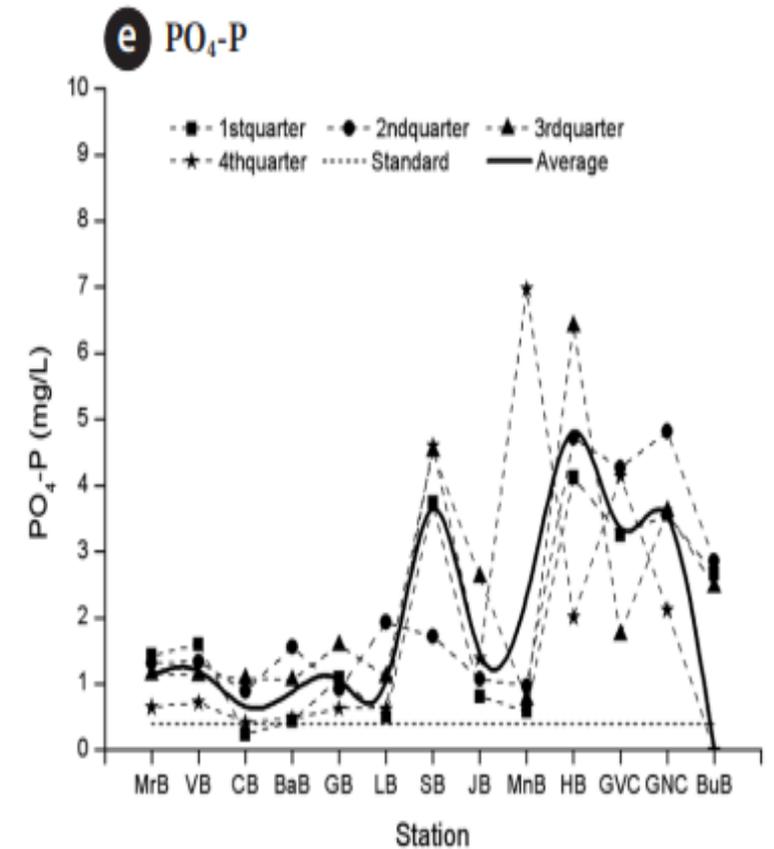
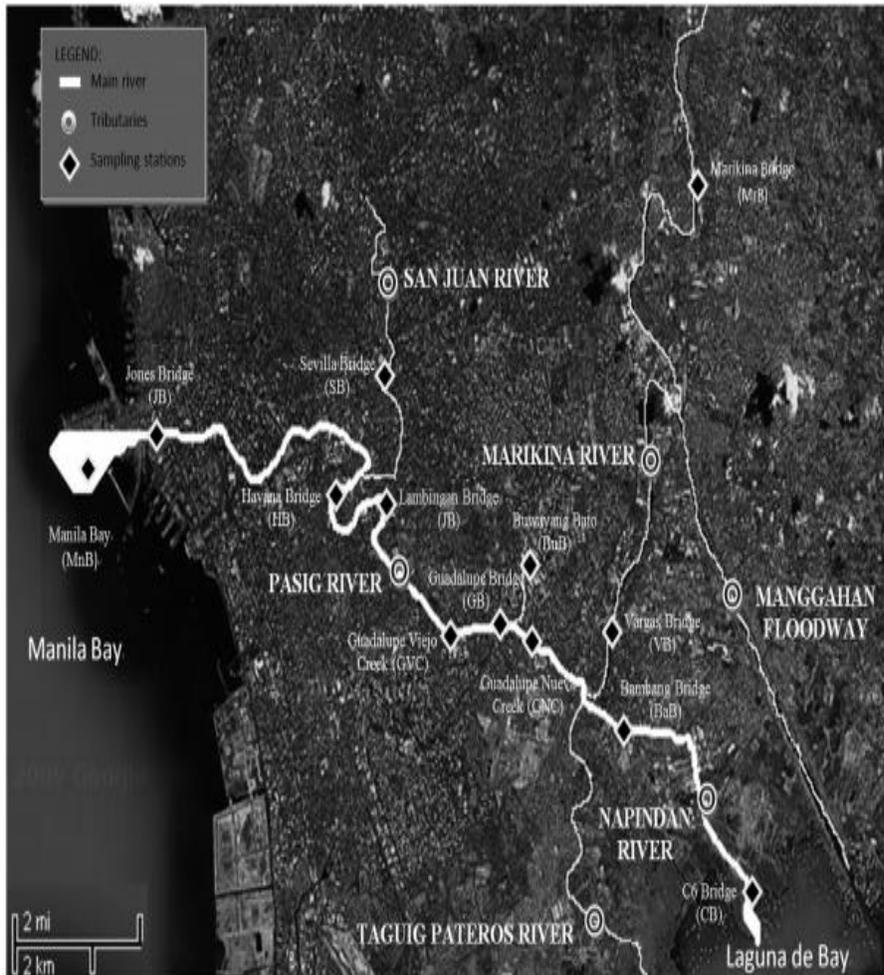


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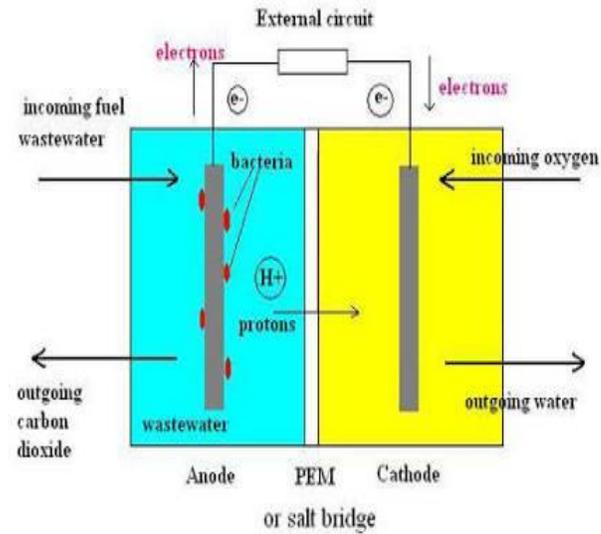
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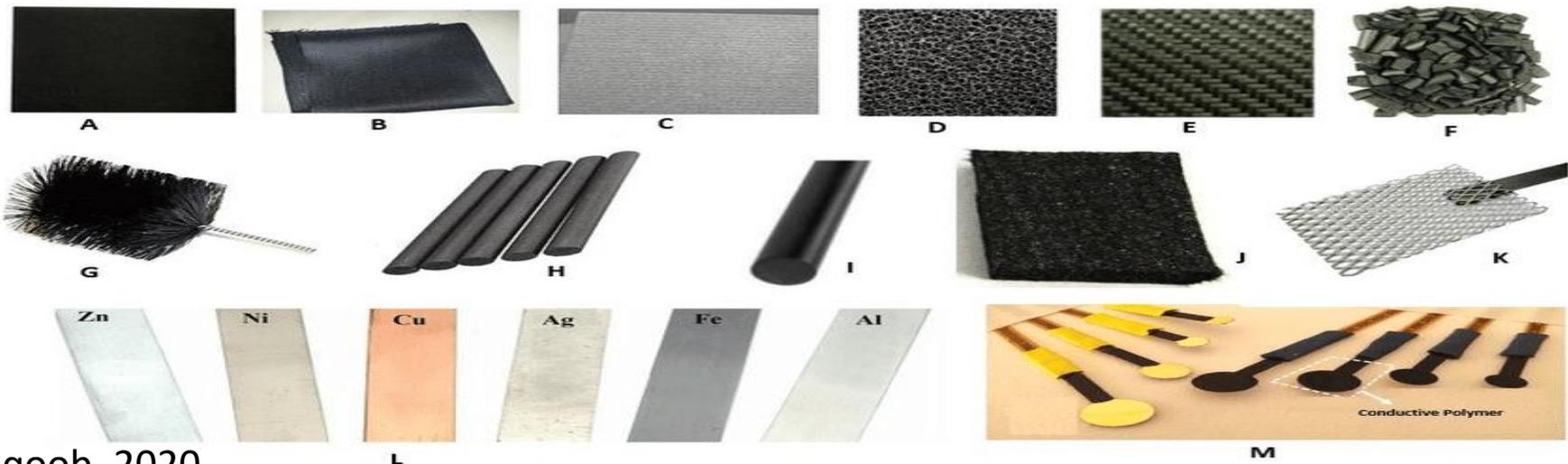


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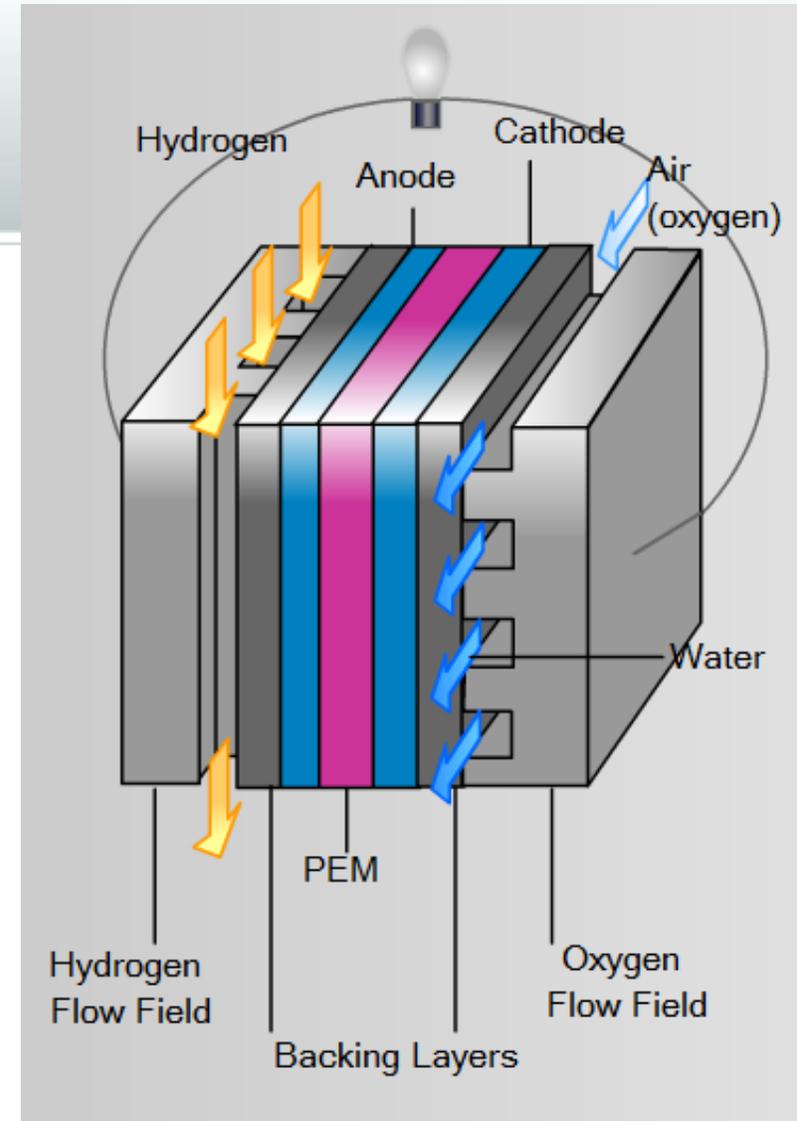
Microbial Fuel Cell



Electrodes



- ❑ a bioelectrochemical that drive electrochemical system that drives an electric current using microbes and high energy oxidant
- ❑ They produce electricity and heat as long as fuel is supplied. A fuel cell consists of two electrodes—a negative electrode (or anode) and a positive electrode (or cathode)—sandwiched around an electrolyte.



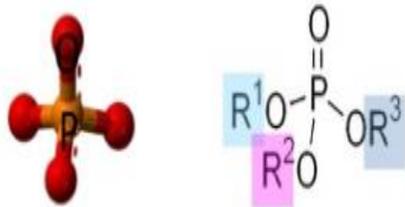
MICROBIAL FUEL CELLS (MFC)



ISOTOPES

OXYGEN ISOTOPES OF PHOSPHATE

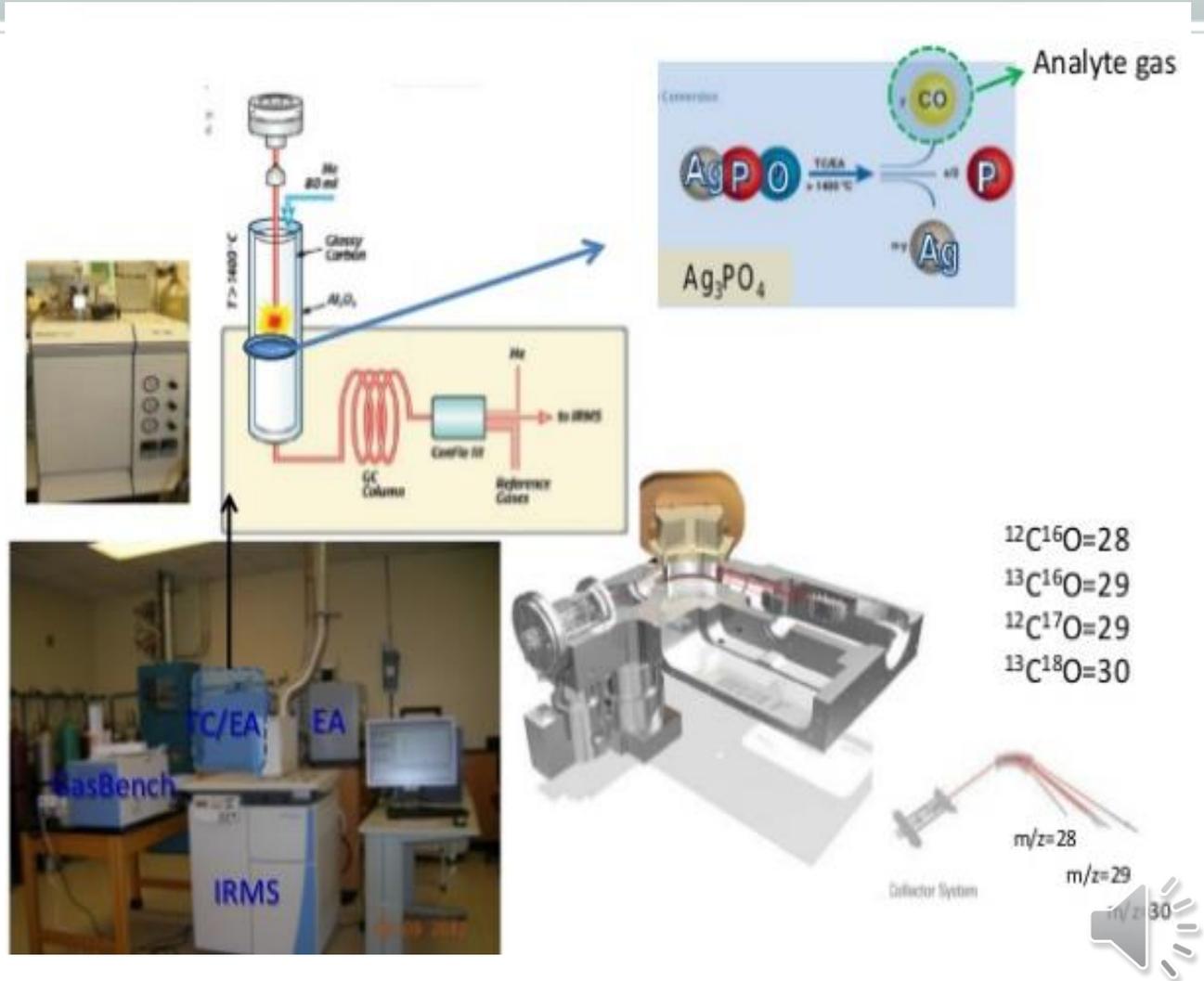
1. Radio Isotopes: ^{32}P : β^- emitter (1.71 MeV), half-life of 14.3 days
 ^{33}P : β^- emitter (0.25 MeV), half-life of 25.3 days
2. Stable Isotopes: ^{31}P : has no other stable isotopes



Three stable isotopes of oxygen (^{16}O , ^{17}O and ^{18}O)

$$\delta^{18}\text{O}_p = \left[\frac{(^{18}\text{O}/^{16}\text{O})_{\text{sample}}}{(^{18}\text{O}/^{16}\text{O})_{\text{VSMOW}}} - 1 \right] \times 1000$$

Photo: Dr. Deb Jaisi





OBJECTIVES

To present possible research applications for long time problems using microbes, electrodes and isotopes

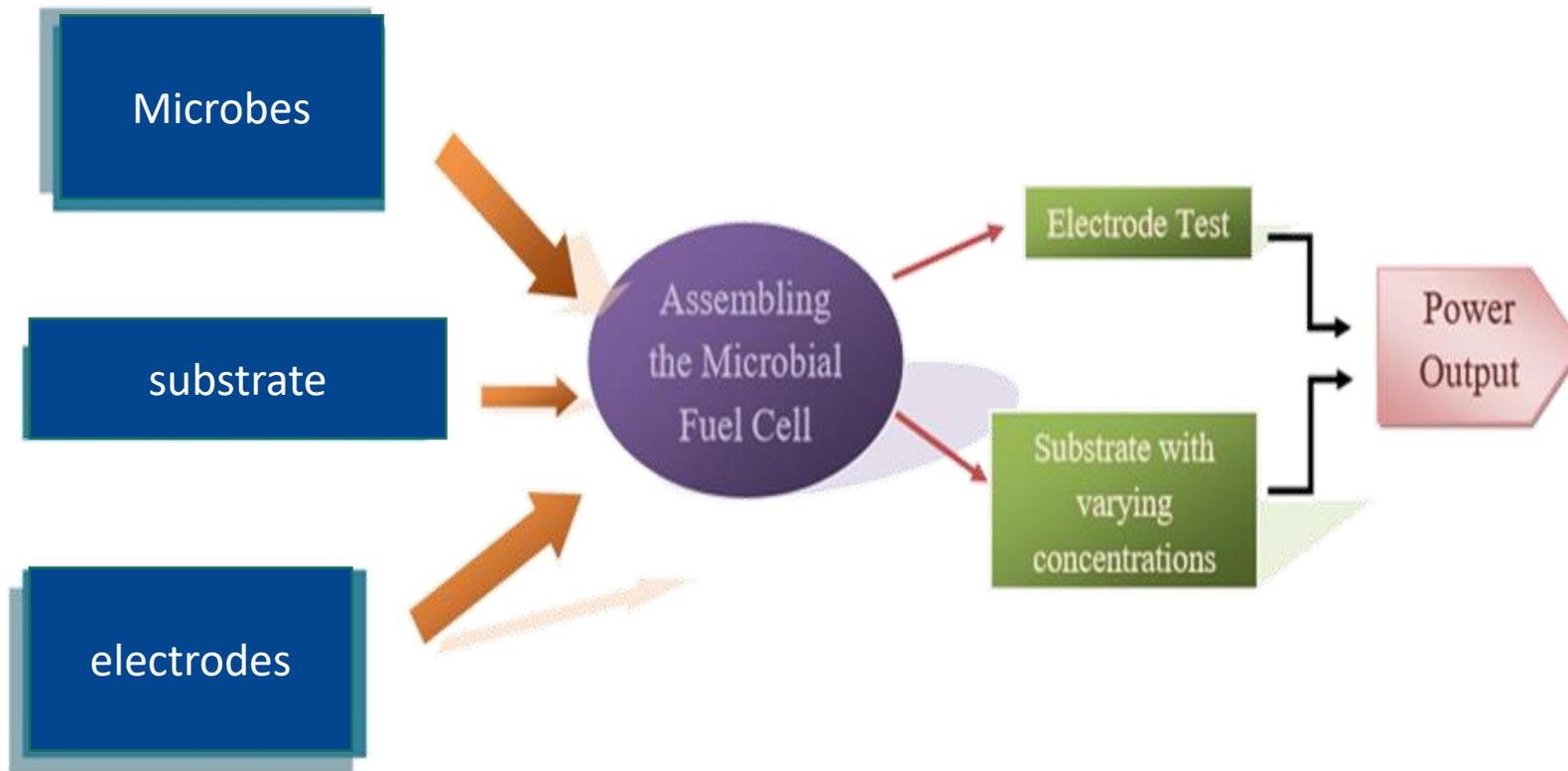
The performance of MFC was studied for different electrolytes, electrodes and cultures of the microbes

To demonstrate the use $\delta^{18}\text{O}_p$ in identifying sources of P understanding the processes, cycling and biological impact of P



METHODOLOGY

MICROBES AND ELECTRODES



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Battery electrode

agar and KCl salt bridge

5% glucose solution
w/ or w/o Met Blue
E. coli

copper solution

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SHARLEEN CAFE
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JOHN ADRIAN PASCUA
ANGELICA PAULO
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Microbial Fuel Cell using Escherichia coli With and Without Methylene Blue as Mediator



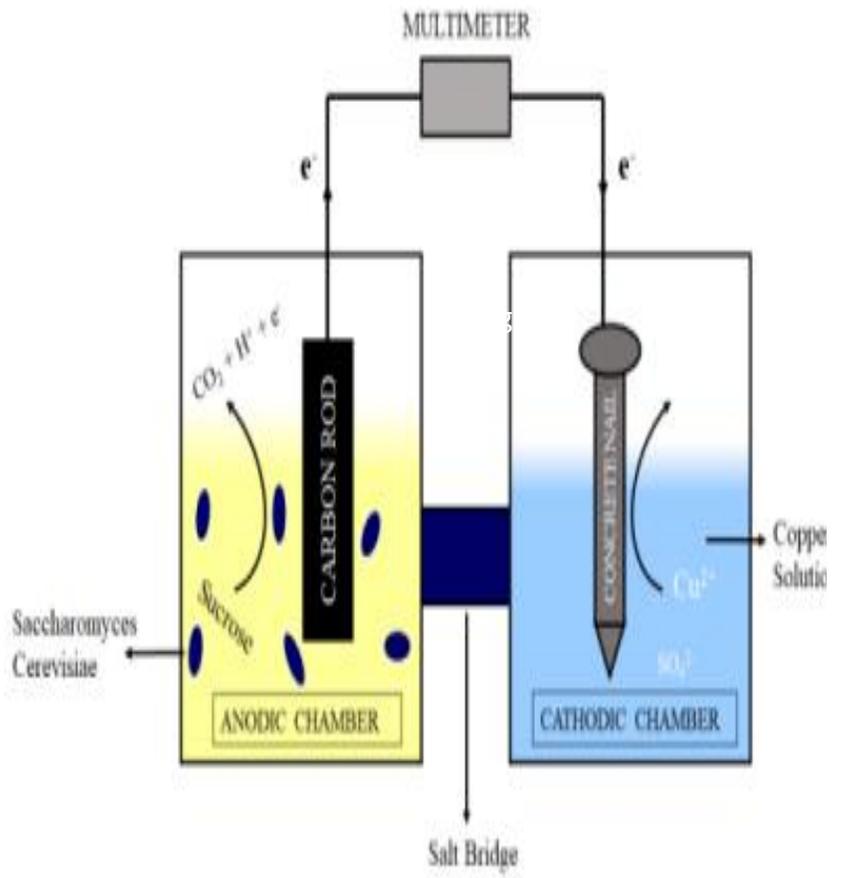
Time(minutes)	Voltage/mV (1×10^{-3} V)		Difference
	With MB	Without MB	
0	2.13	22	-19.87
5	3.5	25.5	-22
10	3	33.3	-30.3
30	1.3	29.5	-28.2
60	1.5	30.1	-28.6
120	7.6	21.3	-13.7
360	8.3	19.7	-11.4
720	29.3	17.8	11.5
1440	23.2	10.7	12.5
2880	5.3	14.4	-9.1
4320	17.3	10.7	6.6
5760	24.1	11.9	12.2
7200	16.8	34.5	-17.7

RESULTS AND DISCUSSION – MICROBES AND ELECTRODES



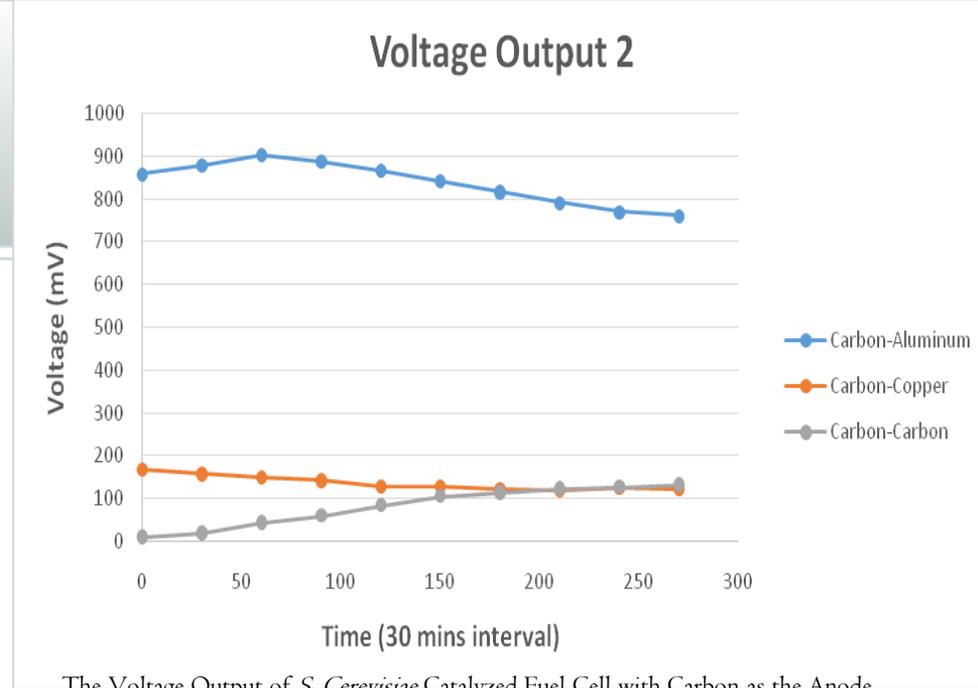
MICROBIAL FUEL CELL USING SACCHAROMYCES CEREVISIAE (BREWER'S YEAST) AS BIOCATALYST: COPPER SULFATE PENTAHYDRATE AS TERMINAL ELECTRON ACCEPTOR

REB B. PEREZ , PATRICIA ANTONINO , MARIE ANGELICA AREVALO , CAMILLE BUBAN , RUTH ROYELLE IZON , MONSOUR JOAQUIN , ANDREA JAVE MAGAYANES , AND CLIVE DERENZ NADUNZA



Time (hour)	Voltage mV	Current mA
0	232	0.005
2	534	0.0833
4	612	0.1167
6	601	0.15
8	632	0.175
10	579	0.183
12	623	0.183
18	581	0.267
20	603	0.25
22	602	0.25
24	538	0.283





The Voltage Output of *S. Cerevisiae* Catalyzed Fuel Cell with Carbon as the Anode with variation of Cathode

THE EFFECT OF ELECTRODE MATERIAL AND SUBSTRATE CONCENTRATION FOR ELECTRICITY GENERATION OF *Saccharomyces Cerevisiae* CATALYZED MICROBIAL FUEL CELL

RESULTS AND DISCUSSION – MICROBES AND ELECTRODES

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 Caguioa, Krysta Marie
 Hugo, Bernadette
 Ilano, Chelsea Jellene
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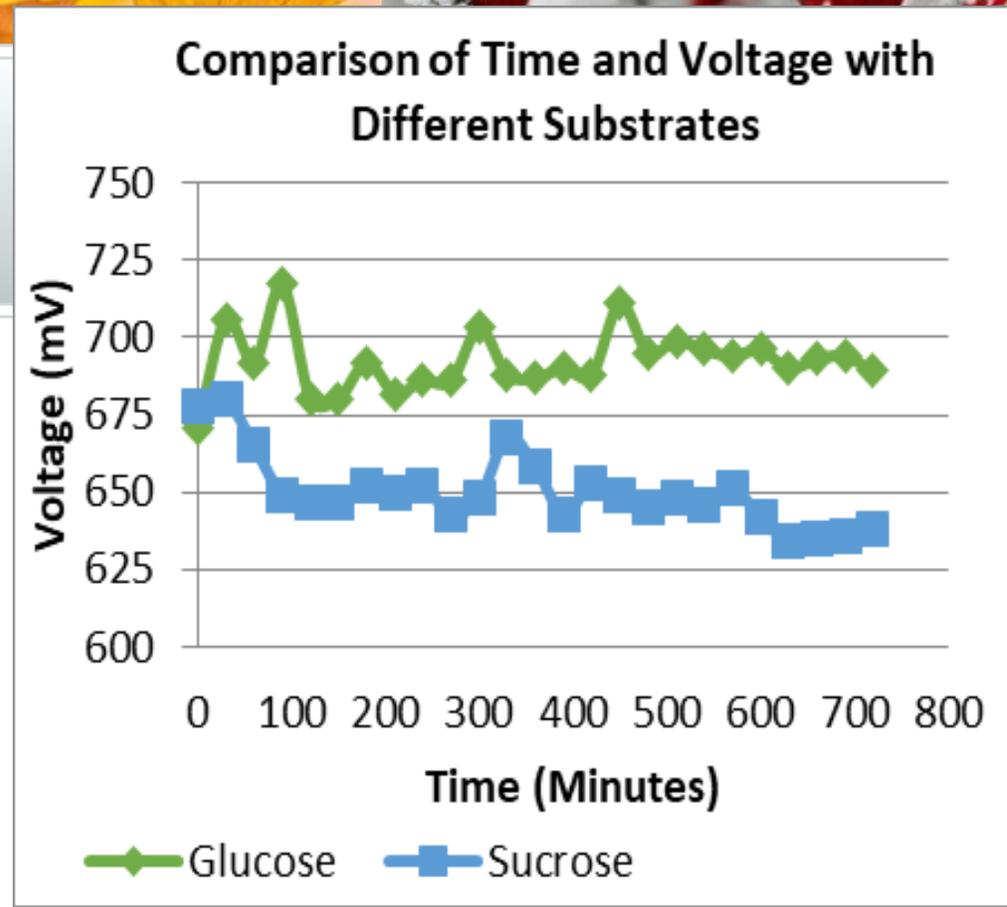
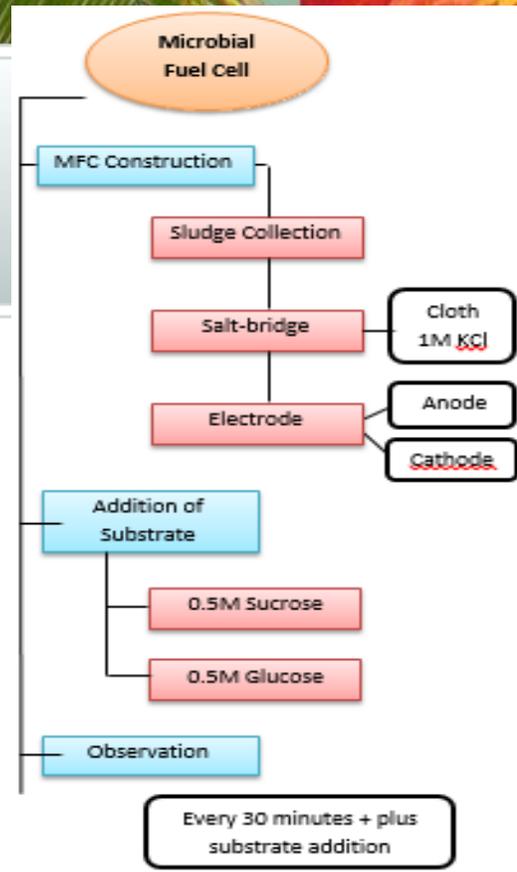
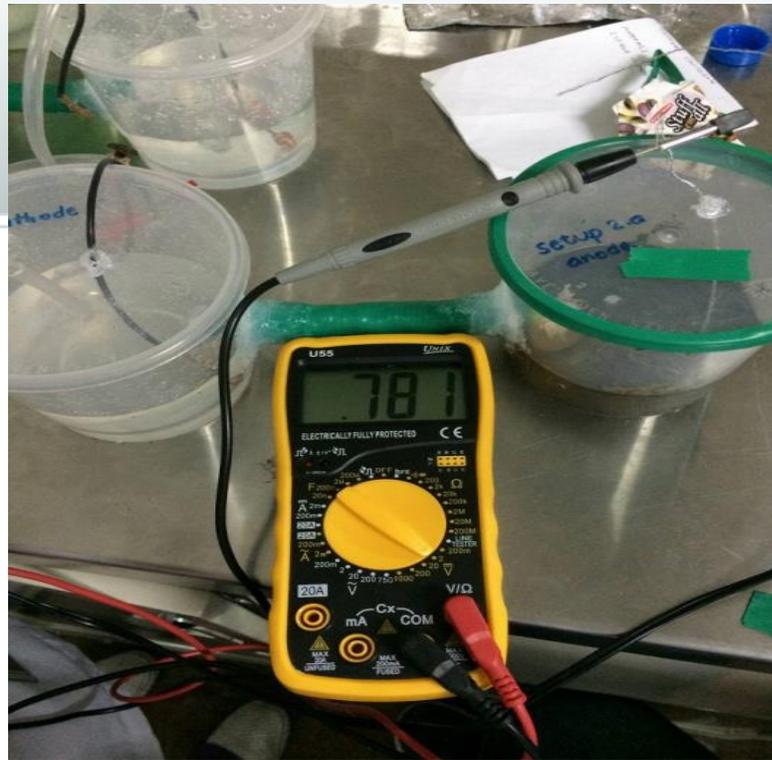


Utilization of *Lactobacillus casei* as a Microbial Fuel Cell using Aluminum Foil as a Cathode Electrode

Begino, Ronald, Castañares, Mariecon, Delavin, Grace Clarisse, Fabian, Ron Vincent, Fernandez, Martin, Ison, Alexis Mae, Mandane, Margie Lhot, Soneja, Nerilene, Villabesa, Rommel

Setup	DAY 1	DAY 2	DAY 3	DAY 4	DAY 5	Average
A	0.8v	0.87v	0.97v	0.97v	0.96v	0.914v
B	0.89v	0.99v	1.01v	1.05v	0.95v	0.978v
C	0.86v	0.95v	0.88v	0.93v	0.87v	0.898v
AB	1.96v	1.94v	1.96v	1.98v	1.9v	1.948v
AC	1.87v	1.86v	1.89v	1.75v	1.88v	1.85v
CB	1.81v	2.16v	1.54v	1.72v	1.78v	1.802v
ABC	2.73v	2.87v	2.75v	2.63v	2.79v	2.754v





The Comparative Analysis of Glucose and Sucrose Used in Two Chamber Microbial Fuel Cell

Arquilada, Anton Max N., Clemente, Shynne Izza F., Dolores, Charlotte Anne G., Manansala, Ronimar G., Mendez, Regine L., Pamo, Kier C., Peñaranda, Aloha Bianca L., Pineda, Precious V., Ramos, Angelica Medz E.

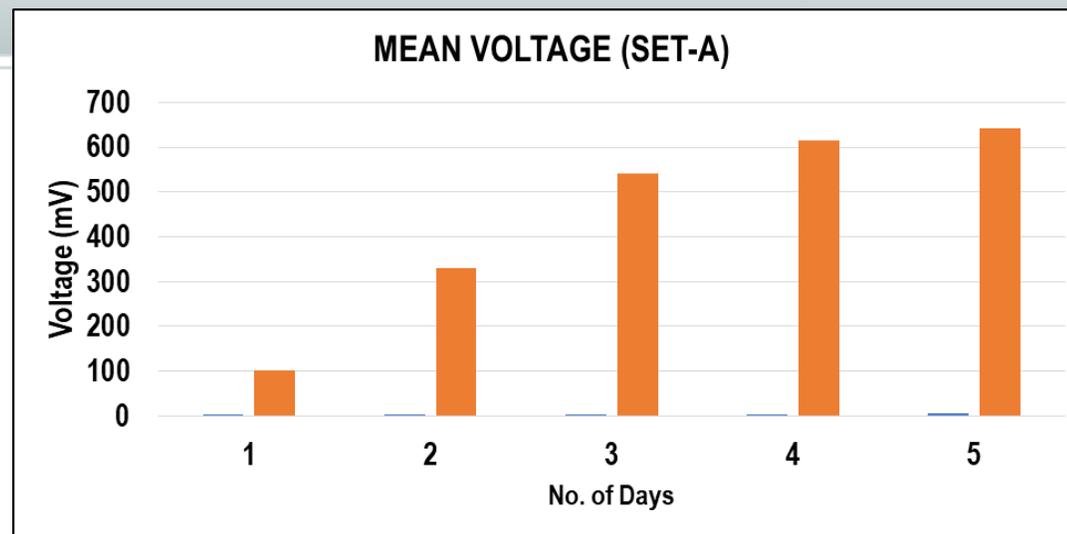
RESULTS AND DISCUSSION – MICROBES AND ELECTRODES



BIOELECTROCATALYTIC RECOVERY OF COPPER METAL IN A MICROBIAL FUEL CELL OF BACILLUS SUBTILIS USING WOOD DUST AS A SUBSTRATE



MFC containing substrate (anodic chamber) and 500ppm Cu^{2+} (cathodic chamber)



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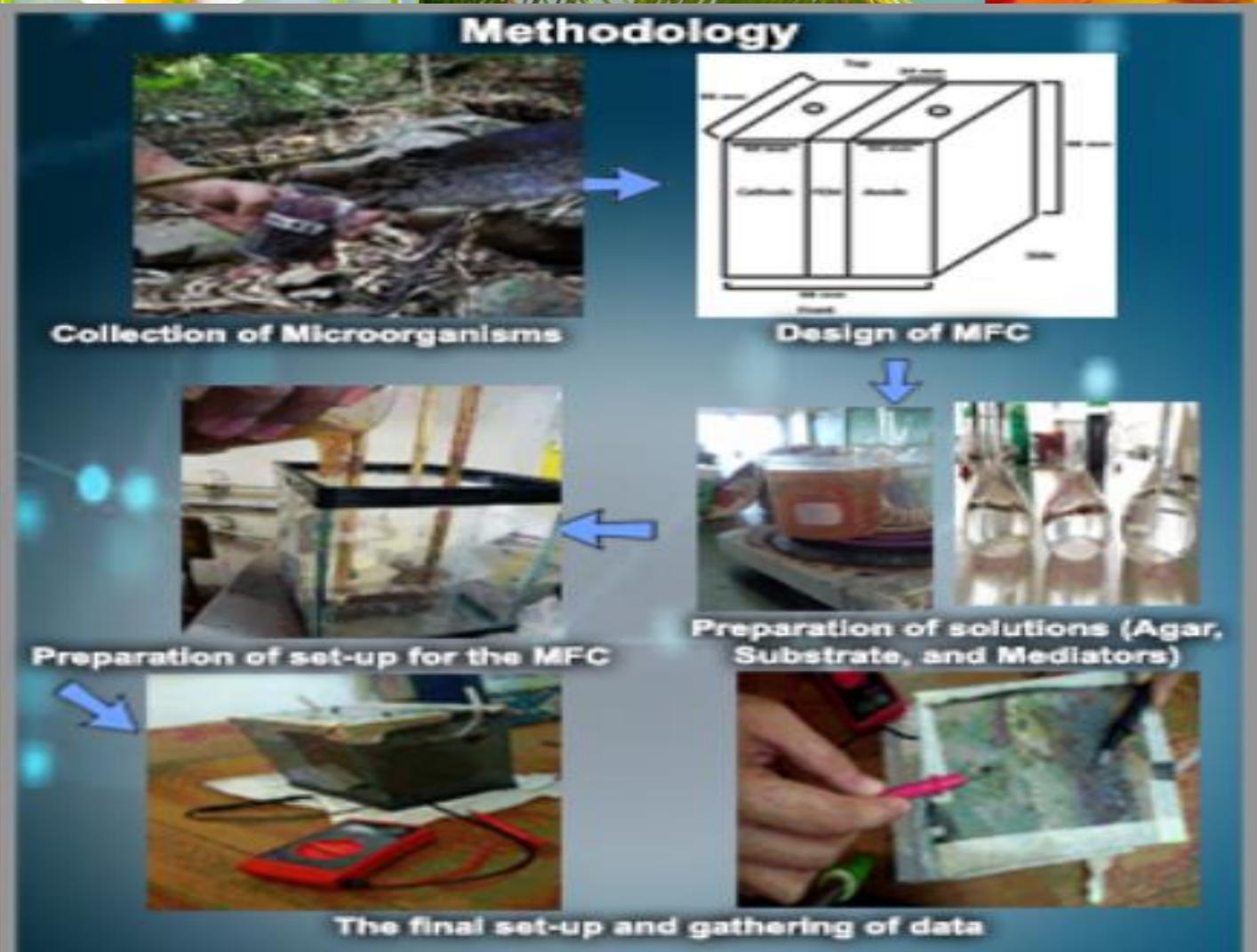
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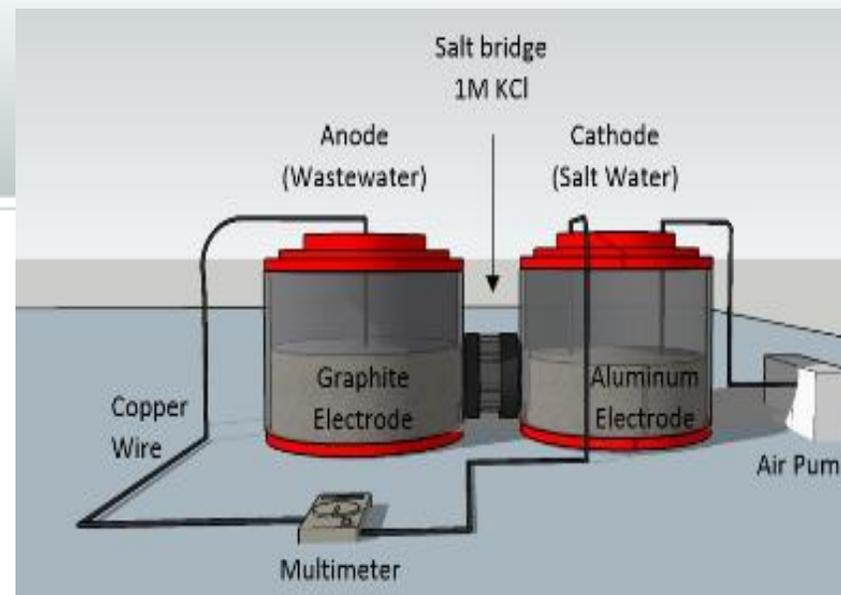
Time(Minutes)	Volts in mv
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30	763
60	768
90	776
120	779
150	782
180	787
210	790
240	793
270	796
300	798
330	800
360	806
390	826
420	816
450	813
480	825
510	840
540	842
570	847
600	829
630	843
660	825
690	808
720	828

Two-Chamber Microbial Fuel Cell: Power Generation from the Anaerobic Bacteria

Abulag, Jericho G. Cahigas, Yvonne Kate C. Manalo, Rowell R. Arcenal, Regine T. Cristobal, Raymond D. Sadie, Joshua P. Bernardo, Freymar Dave M. Jimenez, Ma. Joerdette N. Terante, Raini M.

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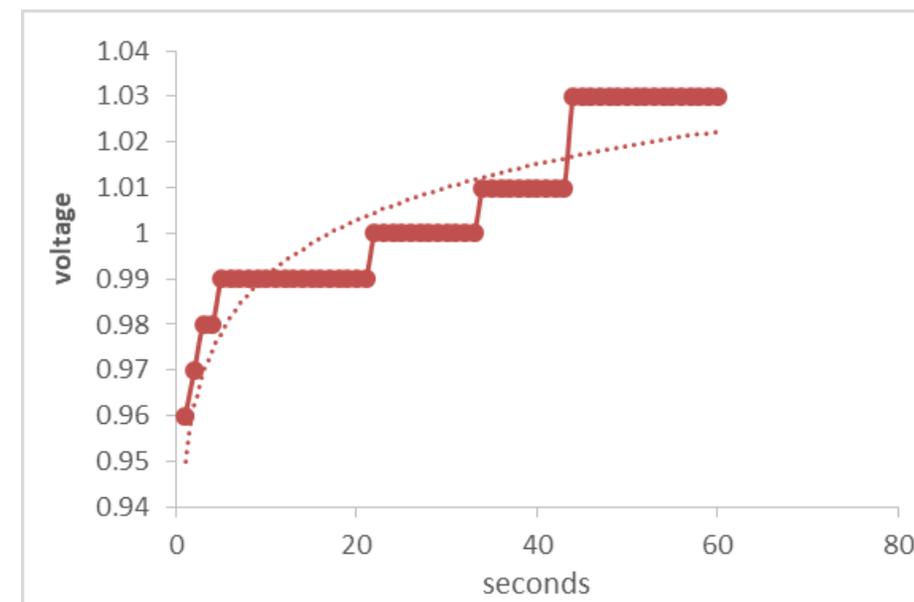




Electricity-generating Double Chamber Microbial Fuel Cell using Waste Water Retrieved from an *Estero* in Vicente Cruz Street in Sampaloc, Manila

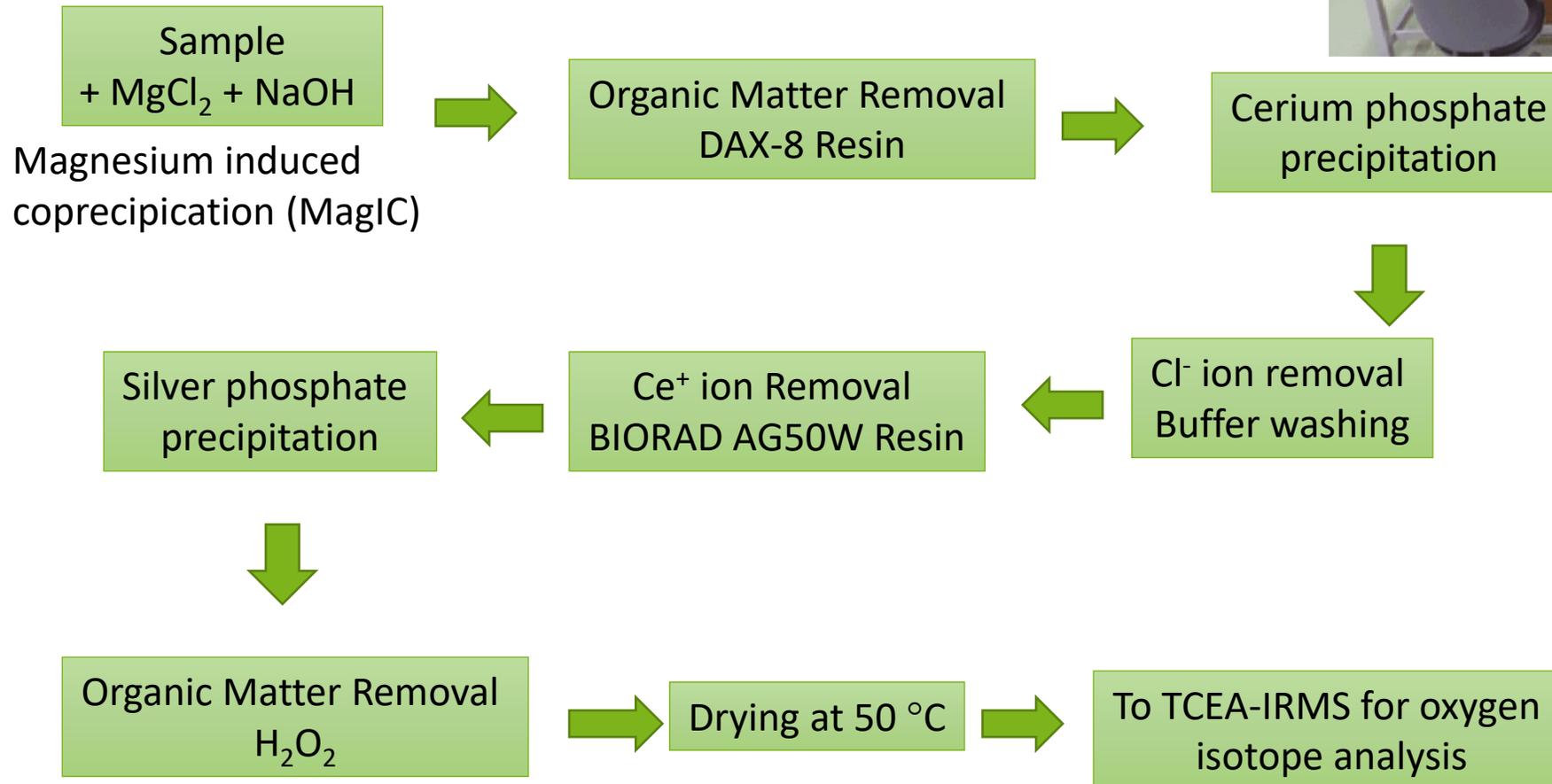
Roel Joseph C. Antonio, Marlo B. Barrera, Harold A. Buenavides, Liv Jurrienne B. Caacbay, Andrea Grace A. Fernandez, Generose T. Mengullo, Jennylyn B. Pan, Jovereeh Chloeeh Pascual, Archie Emmanuel L. Quillo, Jeffrey Yap

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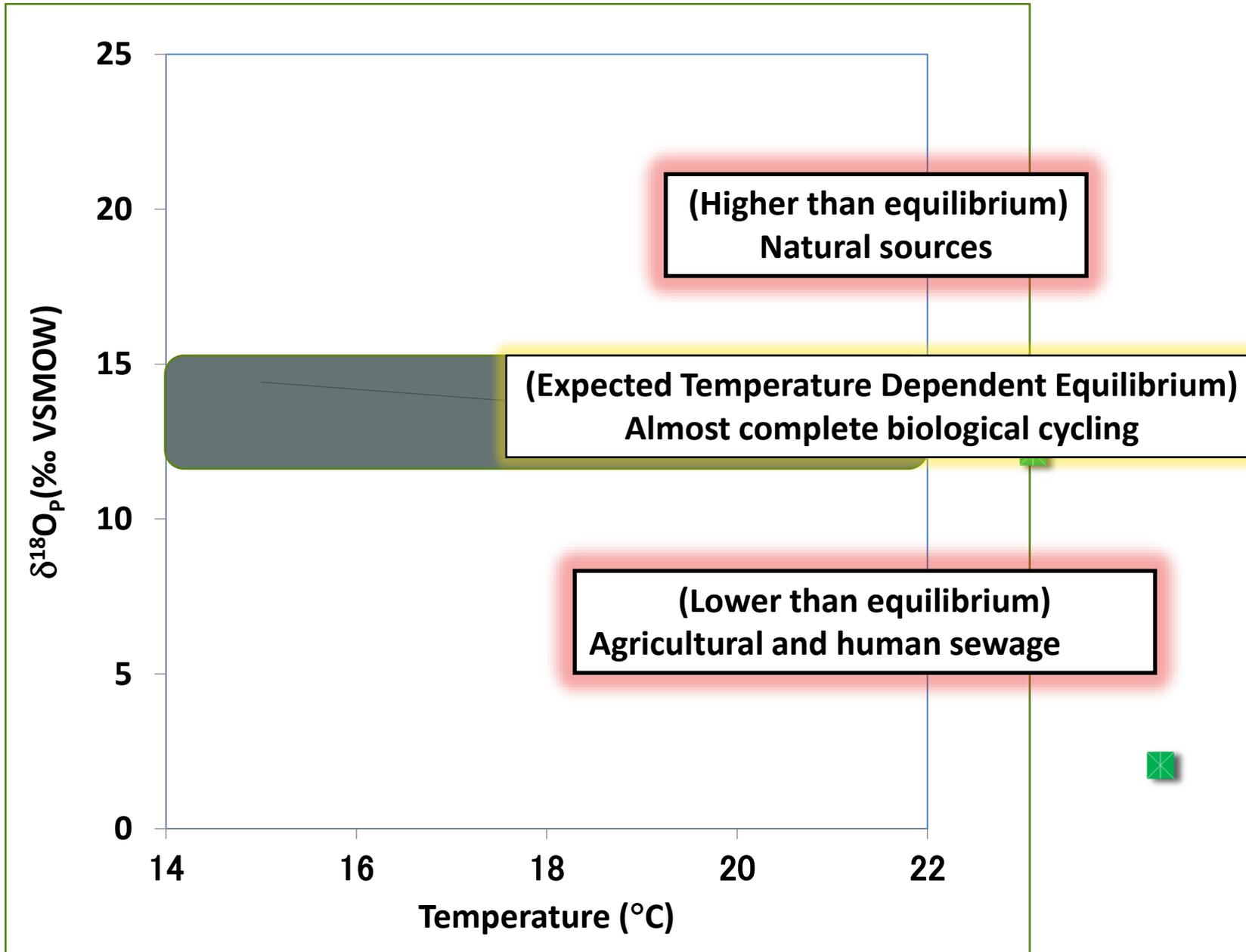


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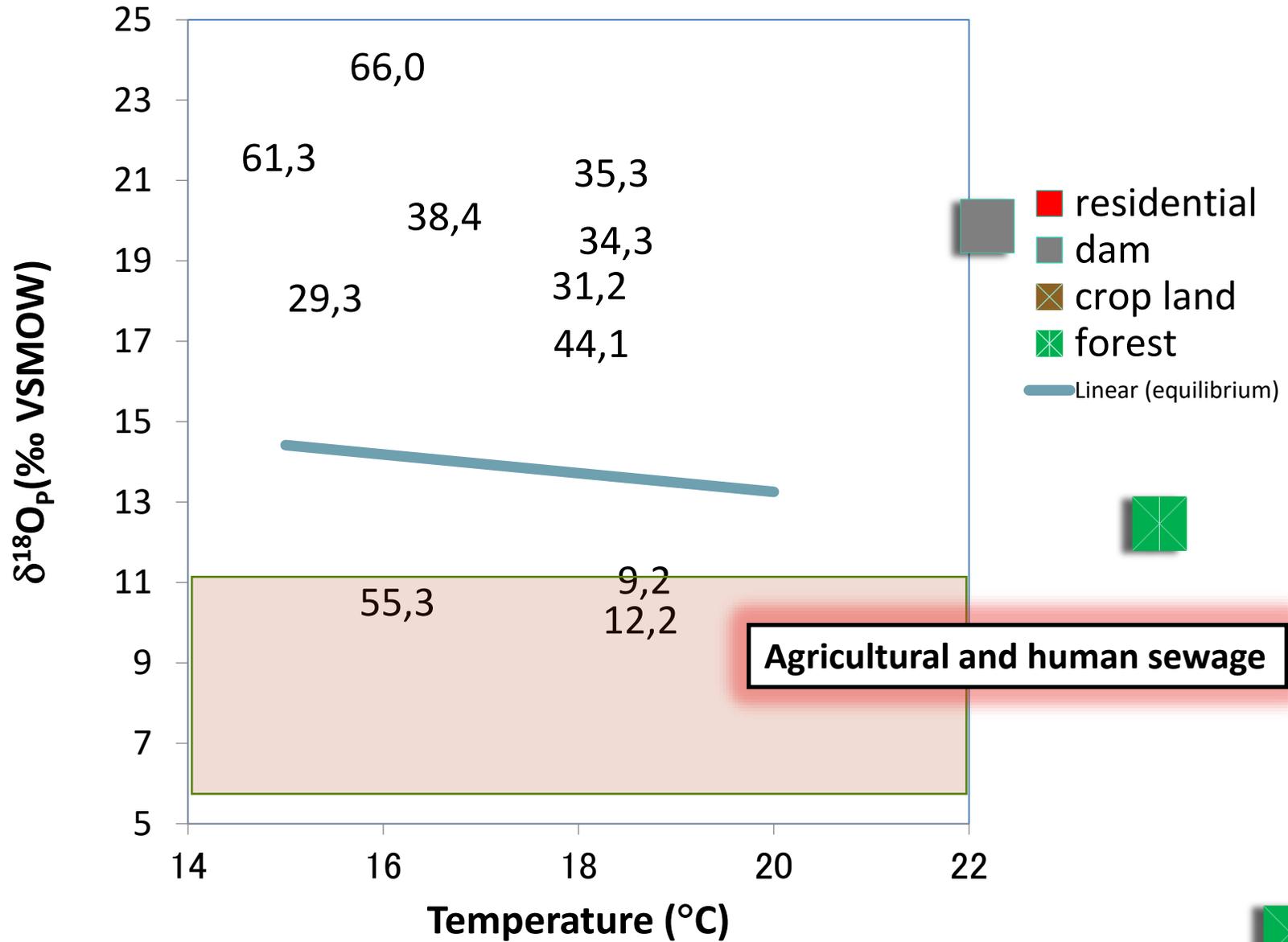
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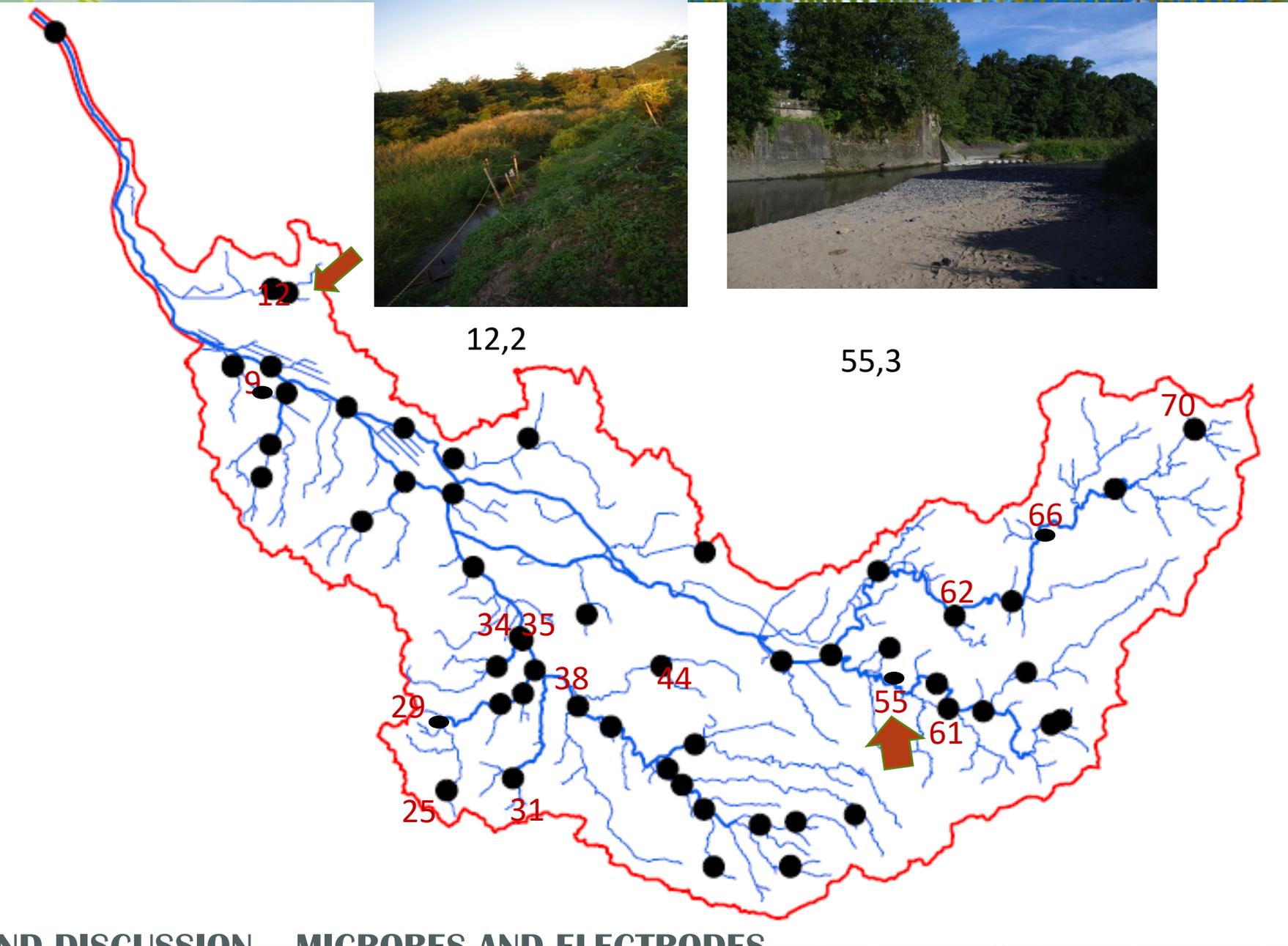


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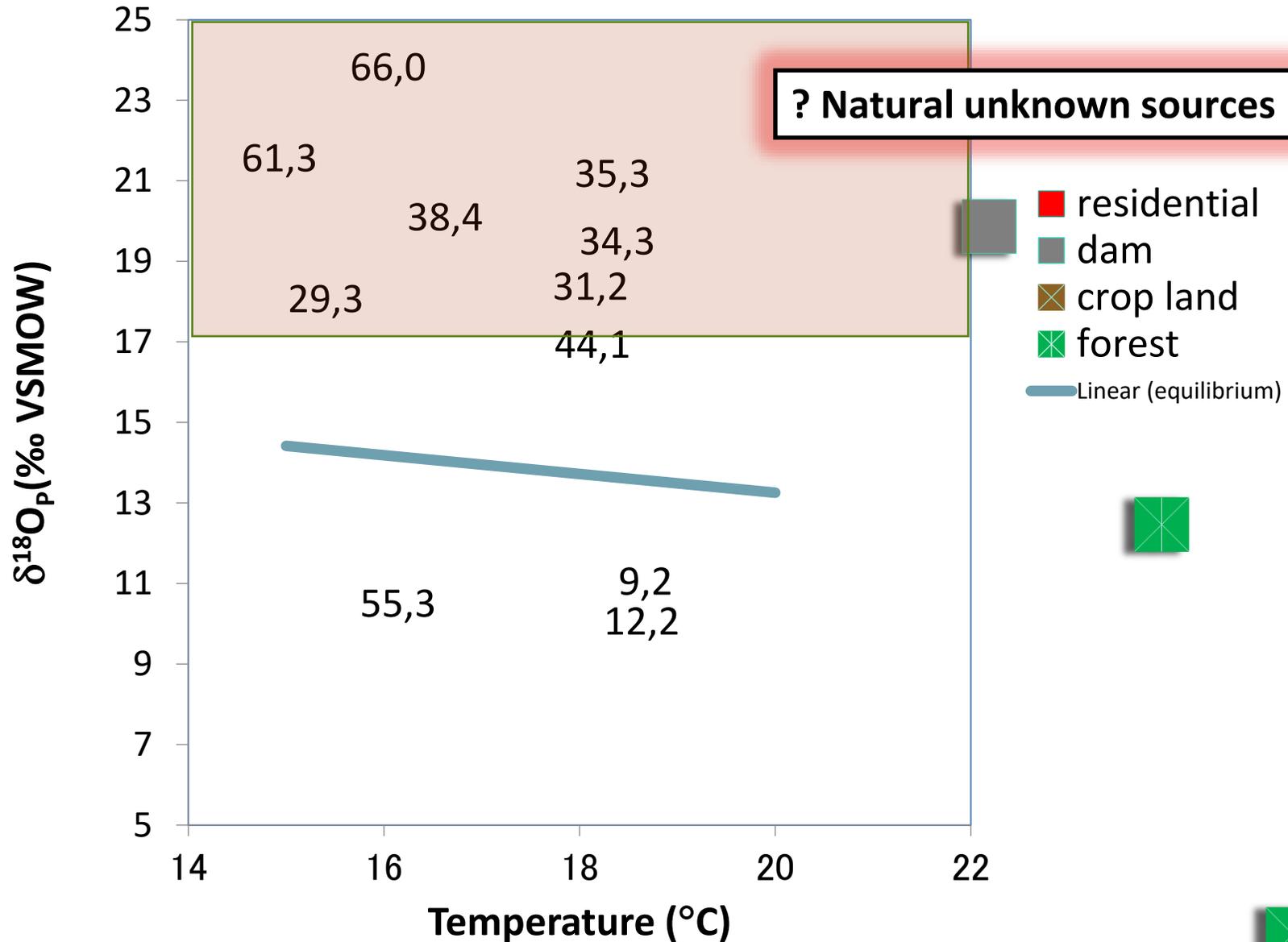


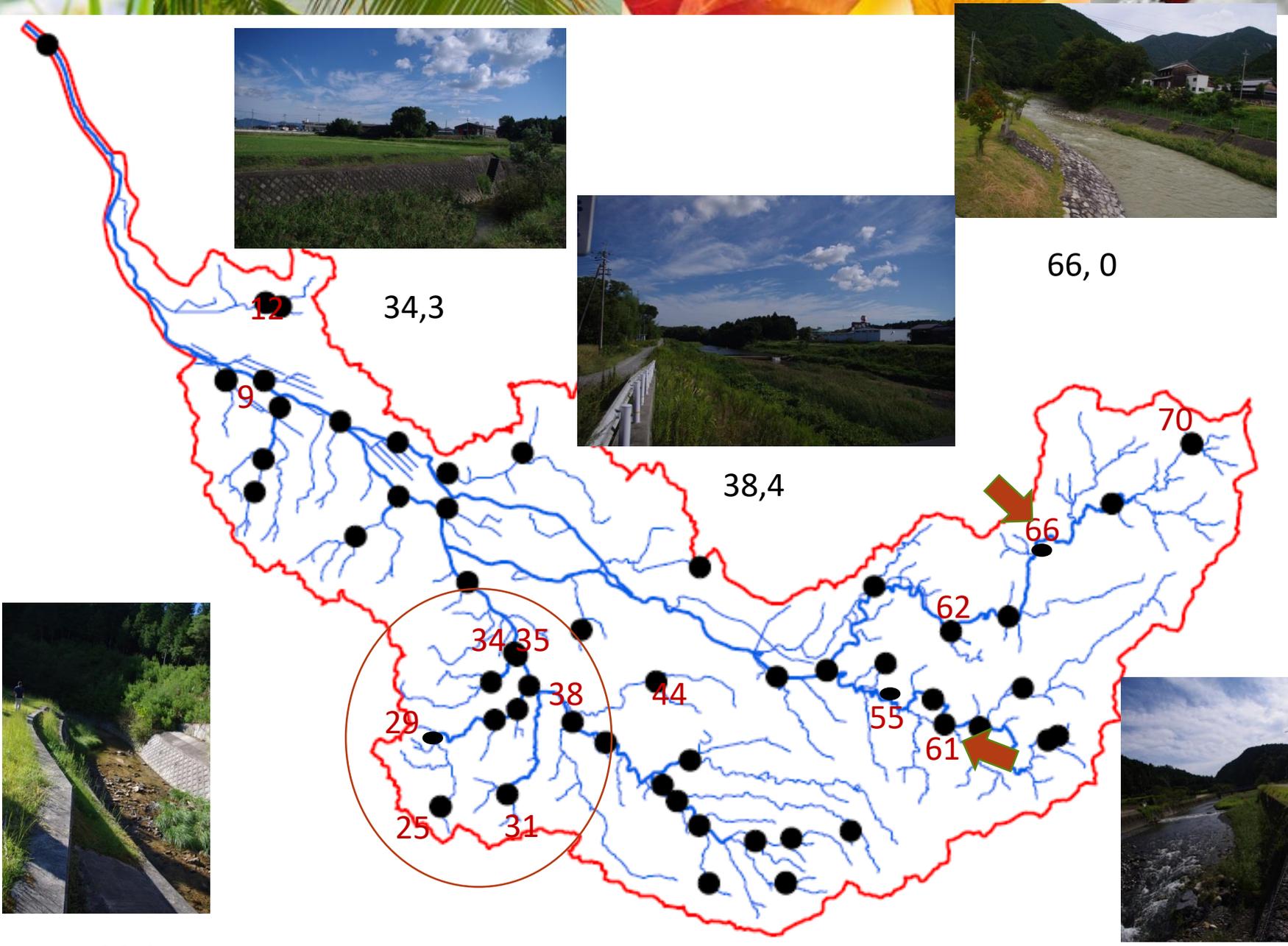


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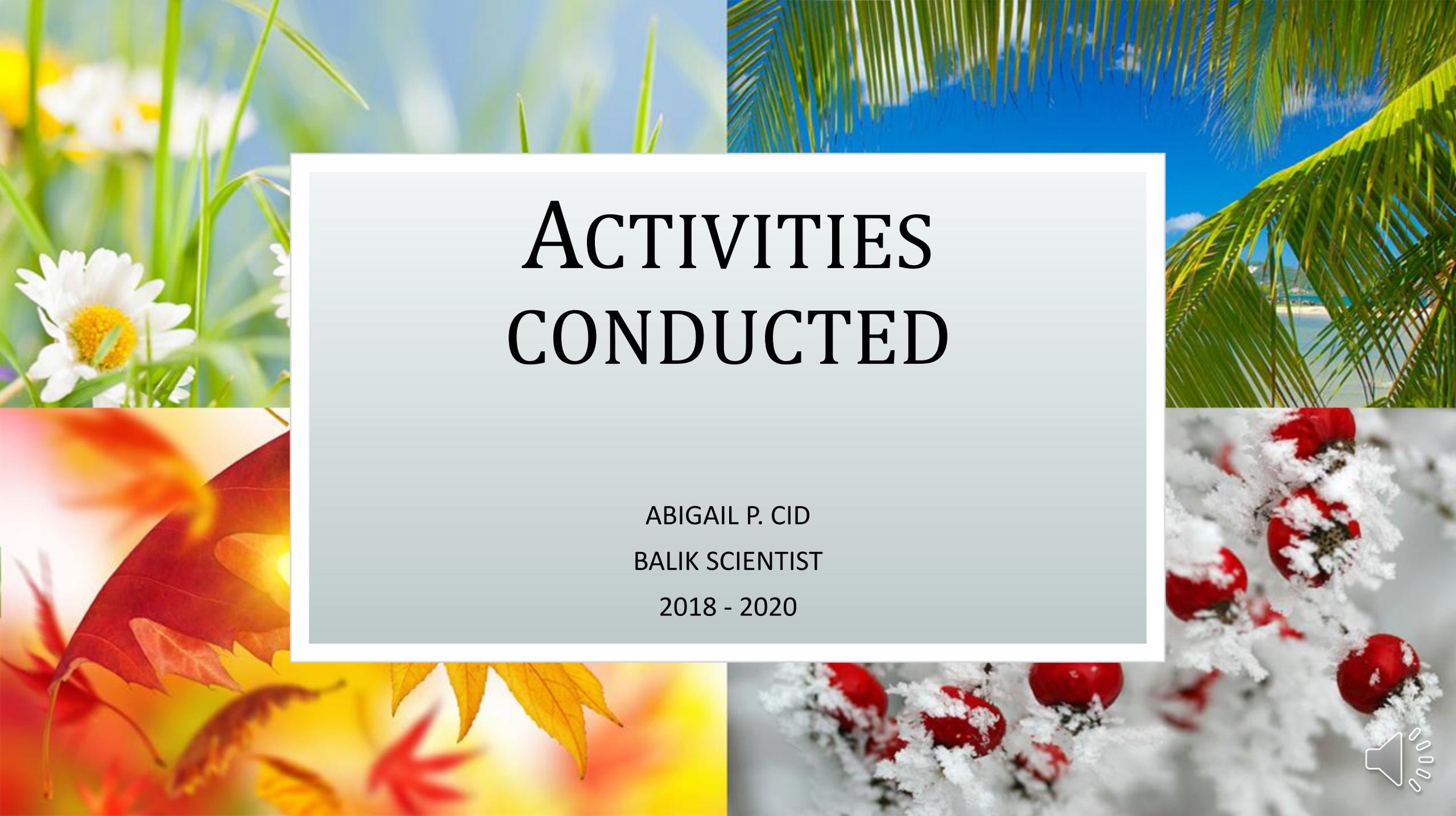




CONCLUSIONS

- Microbial fuel cells can be a useful method in addressing solid waste and waste water problems and can be a source of energy.
- $\delta^{18}\text{O}_p$ can help to better understand **nutrient dynamics in rivers and its effect on biodiversity.**
- These works may also have important implications for approaches to manage Philippine rivers and its watersheds in order to protect aquatic ecosystems from nutrient enrichment.





ACTIVITIES CONDUCTED

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ACTIVITIES CONDUCTED ADMINISTRATION

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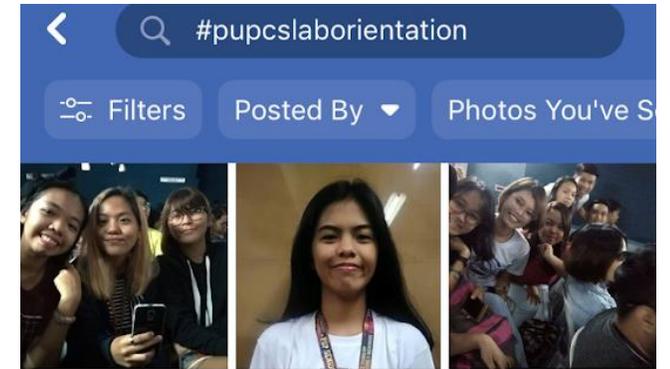




2018 – THE FIRST CS FACULTY LABORATORY ORIENTATION



2018 – LABORATORY LEADERS (PRESENTERS) STUDENTS ORIENTATION FOR CS LAB PROTOCOLS





2018 - CHEMICAL WASTE MANAGEMENT





INSTRUMENT INSTALLATIONS, LAB REPAIRS AND MAINTENANCE



ASSISTANCE TO CHED PRC JOINT ACCREDITATIONS FOR BS CHEMISTRY PROGRAM



Joint PRC-CHED visit for BS Chem program

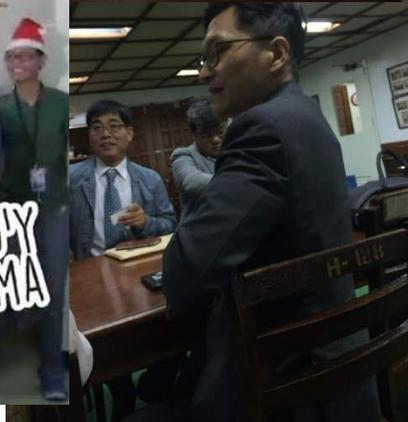


ASSISTANCE TO ISO AUDIT, AACUP PROGRAM ACCREDITATIONS





2018 COLLEGE AND UNIVERSITY EVENTS PARTICIPATION





2018 - CHRISTMAS PARTY 2018 LABORATORY YEAR END PARTY



STRICT IMPLEMENTATION OF SAFETY GUIDELINES



2019- HIRING AND CREATION OF CASUAL POSITIONS AS EMERGENCY CHEMIST , 2021 – JOB ORDER LAB TECHNICIANS

- Hiring of 2 additional personnel for the College of Science Laboratory

Chemical Engr. Ana Brenda Juan
hired in the CS-Engineering
Building



ENGR. ANA BRENDA JUAN

Miss Acosta was hired
as Chemical Technician
PUP Alumni, BS
Chemistry Batch 2018 at
the main building



JHAIRA P ACOSTA, RCh.



2019-CS LABORATORY STAFF PREPARE FOR CAREER GROWTH

Roll of Successful Examinees in the
CHEMIST LICENSURE EXAMINATION
Held on OCTOBER 8 & 9, 2019
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JHAIRA P ACOSTA, Chem. Tech.



Miss Acosta now is a Register Chemist

Allowed her to Study
She undergone a review
to prepare her in licensure exam

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50	BARTOLAY, AL-JADE MARAYAG

RONNEL H. CAPULI



Mr. Capuli is a CS laboratory Staff
With a position of Laboratory
Aide II-
Administrative Aide IV

Master in
Information
Technology



**PUP GRADUATE
SCHOOL**

Allowed him
to study a
Master
Degree of
Information
Technology



LABORATORY EXPANSION, DELIVERY OF EQUIPMENT, AND MAINTENANCE OF EQUIPMENT



2019 - ORGANIZED ROTARY MICROTOME TRAINING WITH GOLDENBAT, INC.



Conducted training for Microtome CS Laboratory Equipment



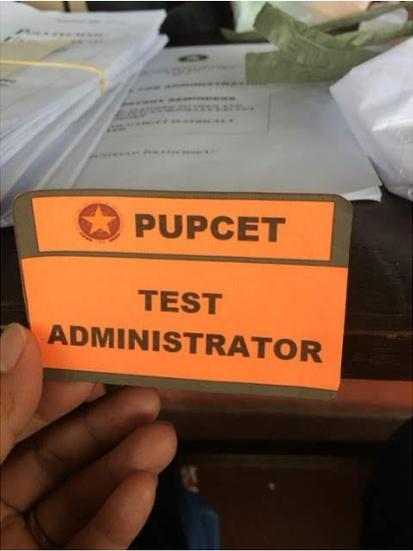


2019 - ORGANIZED OF GEL DOCUMENTATION, OVENS, ETC WITH KRYPTON, INC., SMALL LAB TOOLS WITH PACIFIC STAR





2019 ADMINISTRATIVE DUTIES, MEETINGS





2019 COLLEGE AND UNIVERSITY EVENTS





2019- COLLEGE OF SCIENCE ANNIVERSARY



2019 – ECHO SEMINAR PRESENTATION CS PLANNING IN BAGUIO HOLIDAY VILLAS



Presenting the attended Davao Conference in our Echo Seminar Presentation-
December



2019 – DONATION OF SMART TV FOR CS LABORATORY COLLEGE OF SCIENCE CHRISTMAS PARTY



BS Chemistry Alumni donated Smart TV for CS Laboratory-December



2019 - CHRISTMAS PARTY 2019 LABORATORY YEAR END PARTY



2019 – SUPPLIER TRAINING NIR, SAFETY CABINETS





2019 – SUPPLIER FLASH CHROM TRAINING





2019 POST QUALIFICATION

2019 QUALITY MANAGEMENT SYSTEMS





2019 LABORATORY MAINTENANCE MAIN BUILDING





2019 INSTALLATION OF EQUIPMENT TO ESRC





2019 LABORATORY MANAGEMENT



2019 – MEETING FOR PREPARATION FOR SY 2019-2020



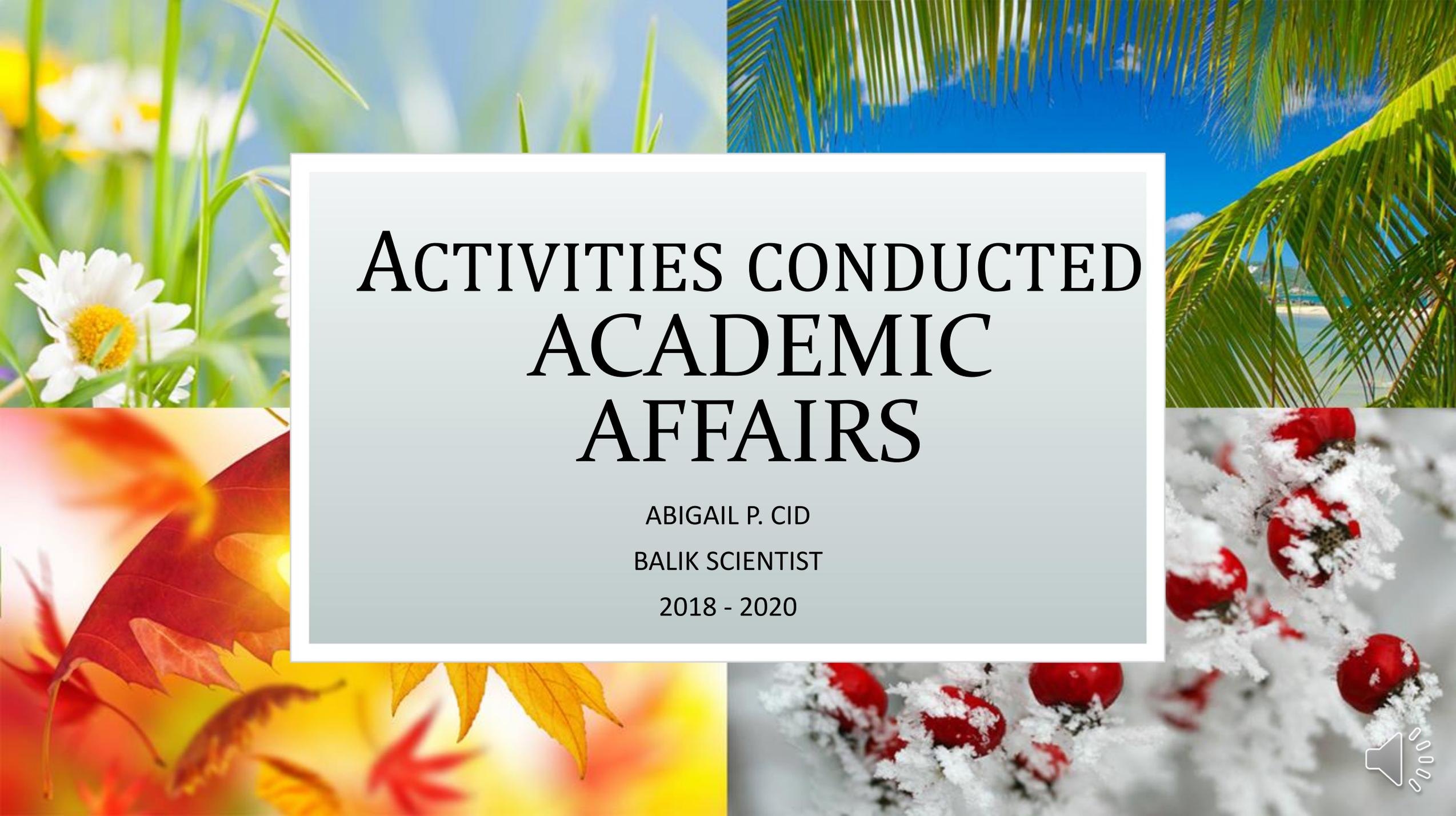
CS Designee Meeting with Dean

2019 – THE SECOND CS FACULTY LABORATORY ORIENTATION WITH TRAINING FROM SHIMADZU PHILS.



Second Faculty Orientation with Equipment Training of UV -VIS





ACTIVITIES CONDUCTED ACADEMIC AFFAIRS

ABIGAIL P. CID

BALIK SCIENTIST

2018 - 2020



2018 – CONDUCT OF CLASSES, ATTENDED MASS FOR BOARD EXAMINEES AND TESTIMONIAL FOR PASSERS





POLYTECHNIC UNIVERSITY OF THE PHILIPPINES
 College of Science
 Department of Physical Sciences
PUP CHEMICAL SOCIETY
Santa Mesa, Manila

October 2, 2018

Dr. Abigail Cid Andres
 College of Science
 This University

Dear **Dr. Andres**,

The PUP Chemical Society will conduct its semestral **Physical Chemistry Congress** with the theme, **"Harmonically Elucidating the Boundless Dimensions of Physical Chemistry"**. It aims to serve as a platform amongst students to indulge in interactive discussions regarding the applications of Physical Chemistry in various fields.

In line with this, it is our pleasure to ask if you would be willing to be one of the panelists on the said event. This Physical Chemistry Congress will be held on **October 2 and 3, 2018 (Tuesday & Wednesday)** at the **6F South Lobby of the Main Bldg. from 9:00 AM to 6:00 PM**

CHEMICAL SOCIETY
VISION
 The PUP Chemical Society envisions itself as the central body that represents the chemistry students of the Polytechnic University of the Philippines, College of Science.

MISSION
 The PUP Chemical Society commits itself to support the development and promote camaraderie among the members of the society.

EXECUTIVE BOARD

2018 STUDENT RESEARCHES ADVISED

ANNOUNCEMENT

BS CHEMISTRY 4-2 THESIS DEFENSE & POSTER PRESENTATIONS

Theme: Towards PUP green chemistry and sustainability
Research Adviser: Dr. Abigail P. Cid-Andres



Jessa C. Leuterio
 Jeremiah Miguel G. Ochoco
 Clarence Jericho B. Tuzon

Synthesis of SnO₂ nanoparticle dispersed in reduced graphene oxide from coconut shell



Sheila Mae M. Bautista
 Ira C. Bendal
 Cedric Jasper S. Francisco

Synthesis of nickel oxide nanoparticles using microwave-assisted combustion method



Alodia Hana M. Barrogo
 Maria Patricia M. Belonio
 Jasmine Kate L. Esparagoza

Photosynthesis of silver-copper alloy nanoparticles using turmeric as the reductant and stabilizer: Assessment of its antibacterial activity



Danielle Joy P. Cabrera
 Irish Angel D. Monte
 Frances Iris N. Salazar

Microwave assisted synthesis of N,N'[[propane-1,3-diyl]bis[1-(5-bromopyridin-2-yl)methanimine]]: Characterization and metal complexation



Jayson L. Abia
 Maria Ricella M. Dela Cruz
 Abegail Donato

Acidic and enzymatic recovery of protein hydrolysates from fish processing wastes

Co-Adviser: LT. Eneva, Ph.D.



Ina Mae B. Leoro
 Angelika Marie R. Sto. Domingo
 Arnelli Charmaine T. Velasco

Biodegradability of KHP and benzene by BOD5 seed inoculum

Co-Advisers: C.J. Cambiador, MSChem Cand.
 May Ann Udojan, MSEnvi Sci



Zyren Janine R. Cabal
 Clouie R. Flores

Adsorption of residual oil in water environment using sugar cane and coconut husk saw dusts

Co-Adviser: J.M. Felicita, MSChem Cand.



Carleen Jay S. Ballesteros
 Danna Jade P. Cavilan
 Dianne A. Nicodemus
 Elisha Jean Somosa

precipitation and adsorption techniques for the recovery heavy metals generated from PUP laboratory chemical waste

Co-Adviser: C.J. Cambiador, MSChem Cand.

WASTE TREATMENT GROUP



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Method Validation for Total Iron Quantification in Iron Ore by KBH₄ Reductant.

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Optimization of iron uptake of RC 152 through soil fortification

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Development of a spectrophotometric method for gold quantification via nanosynthesis

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Development of a magnetite-carbon nanocomposite as an oxygen gas sensor

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Synthesis and characterization of zeolite from rice husk ash for forensic applications

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Fungal Endo-Chitinase: Production, purification and activity assay

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Gene profiling and pathway of maternal and fetal cells of GSE27272 tobacco smokers: Generation of a tutorial material and an application analysis

BIO-ORGANIC STUDIES



THESIS DEFENSE



PUBLICATIONS

- Submitted 17 research papers to international journals
- Published 1 paper



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Biodegradability Study of Potassium Hydrogen Phthalate and Benzene Using BOD5 Seed as Inoculum

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Abstract

Benzene and Potassium Hydrogen Phthalate (KHP) with their immeasurable applications lead to tons of generated waste. Biodegradation is considered to be a remedy for this issue and the usage of Activated Sludge is the most dominant method used among these days. However issues of variation in its content arose and thus the usage of standardized inoculum offered opportunities to surpass these disadvantages, this study aims to test the effectivity of BOD5 Seed inoculum in degradation of Benzene and KHP and eventually apply its effectivity to aqueous organic waste. The samples were tested for Dissolved Oxygen (DO) and Chemical Oxygen Demand (COD) Test for initial analysis before it was prepared for the biodegradation process. During the biodegradation process, pH 6-8 was maintained for it was the desired environment of the seed inoculum. Monitoring was conducted through COD test. The degraded benzene sample was then subjected for GC-MS analysis. The 1000 ppm benzene



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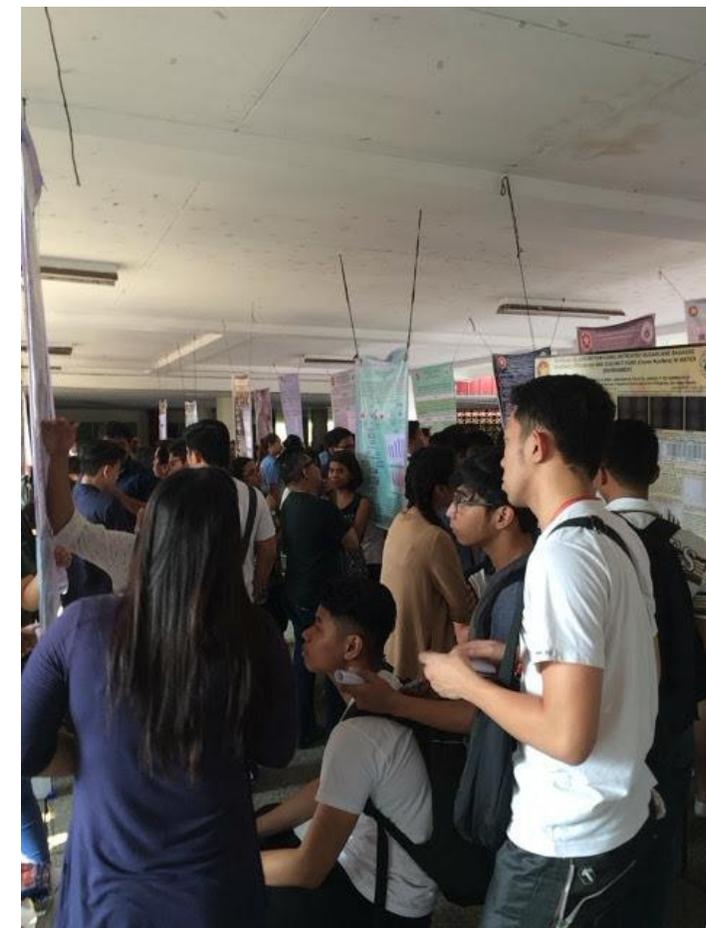
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CHARACTERIZATION OF <i>IMPERATA CYLINDRICA</i> NATURAL REINFORCED POLYMER USING XYLANASE AS A COUPLING AGENT	CAUIOA, DECIERDO, PAMO
FABRICATION OF LOW-COST VISIBLE SPECTROPHOTOMETER FOR THE ANALYSIS OF IRON 3+ CONCENTRATION IN GROUND WATER	MORENO, ILAGAN, CAGOYONG
GREEN SYNTHESIS AND CHARACTERIZATION OF SILVER NANOPARTICLE COMPOSITE WITH POLYURETHANE FOAM USING <i>PREMNA ODORATA</i> (ALAGAW) FRUIT EXTRACT	MENDEZ, PEÑARANDA, RAMOS
SYNTHESIS AND CHARACTERIZATION OF 5, 10, 15, 20-TETRAPHENYLPORPHYRIN FOR METHOD DEVELOPMENT IN QUANTITATION OF ZINC	BUENO, CLEMENTE, VILLALUNA
EVALUATION OF SUPERACTIVATED CARBON-MAGNETITE NANOCOMPOSITE AS AB ADSORBENT FOR Cr (VI) AND Cu(II) IONS IN AQUEAOUS SOLUTION	ANTONIO, CAFE, ZIPAGAN
TITLE	NAME
SIMULTANEOUS ADSORPTION OF COBALT (II) AND COPPER (II) USING CORNCOB- ALGINATE BEADS	ARQUILADA, ILANO
DEVELOPMENT OF Ag-Cu NANOPARTICLES INCORPORATED IN LOCAL ABACA FIBER (MANILA HEMP) AND ITS APPLICATION AS A NOVEL ANTIBACTERIAL WATER FILTER	GARCIA, PEROJA, TUBERON
KINETIC EQUILIBRIUM ISOTHERM STUDIES OF PRETREATED <i>ASPERGILLUS NIGER</i> BIOMASS FOR BIOSORPTION OF CADMIUM (Cd)	DOLORES, MACABIQUIL, PAULO
FABRICATION OF LOW-COST DISSOLVED HYDROGEN SULFIDE SENSOR USING SILVER-CARBON NANOPARTICLE COMPOSITES	BERNANRDO, CRISTOBAL, MANALO
FABRICATION OF WEB-CAM BASED SPECTROFLUOROMETER FOR TRACE ANALYSIS OF RHODAMINE B IN SALTED EGG SHELLS	PASCUA, PRADO, SOLIS

- Published 8 review papers





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2018 – ACCEPTED SHS STUDENT IMMERSION, PUP SHS AND PASIG CITY SCIENCE HIGH SCHOOL RESEARCH ASSISTANCE



CLEANING

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CHECKING OF THE
ILLEGAL USE OF LOCKERS



MAKING OF PARODY
ENTITLED
'LAB RULES'

TAKING OF APPARATUS





2018 GRAND INNOVATION



Brochure - Product/Invention

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4	13. A Research Study on the Effectiveness of Goupia Cochinchinensis as the Main Ingredient in Grease - Absorbent Food Pads	Industrial Design	CDE	Engr. Josefinda Golpeo
5	14. Utilization of Core PWR's (Medulla) Absorption Property as an Alternative Ingredient for Staining Blotting Paper	Industrial Design	CS	Dr. Abigail Cio-Andres
6	15. The Effectiveness of Genipain Mixture as an Undercoat Sealant Pad	Industrial Design	CDE	Engr. Josefinda Golpeo
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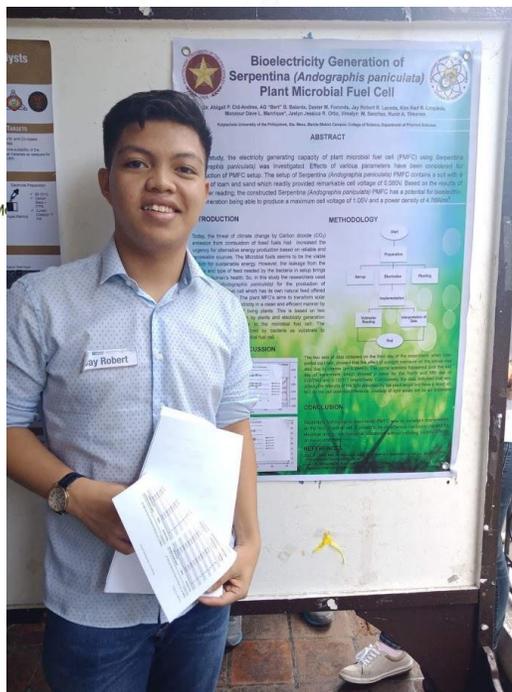
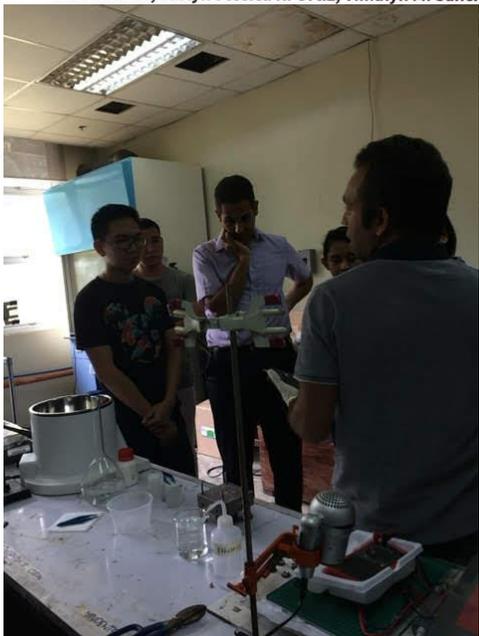


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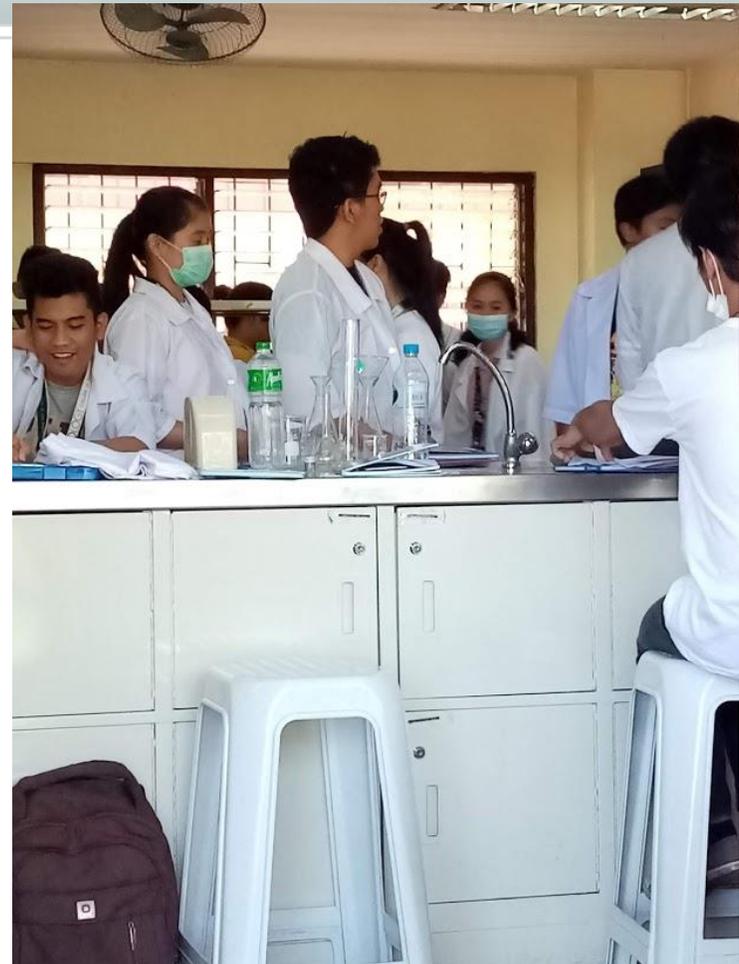


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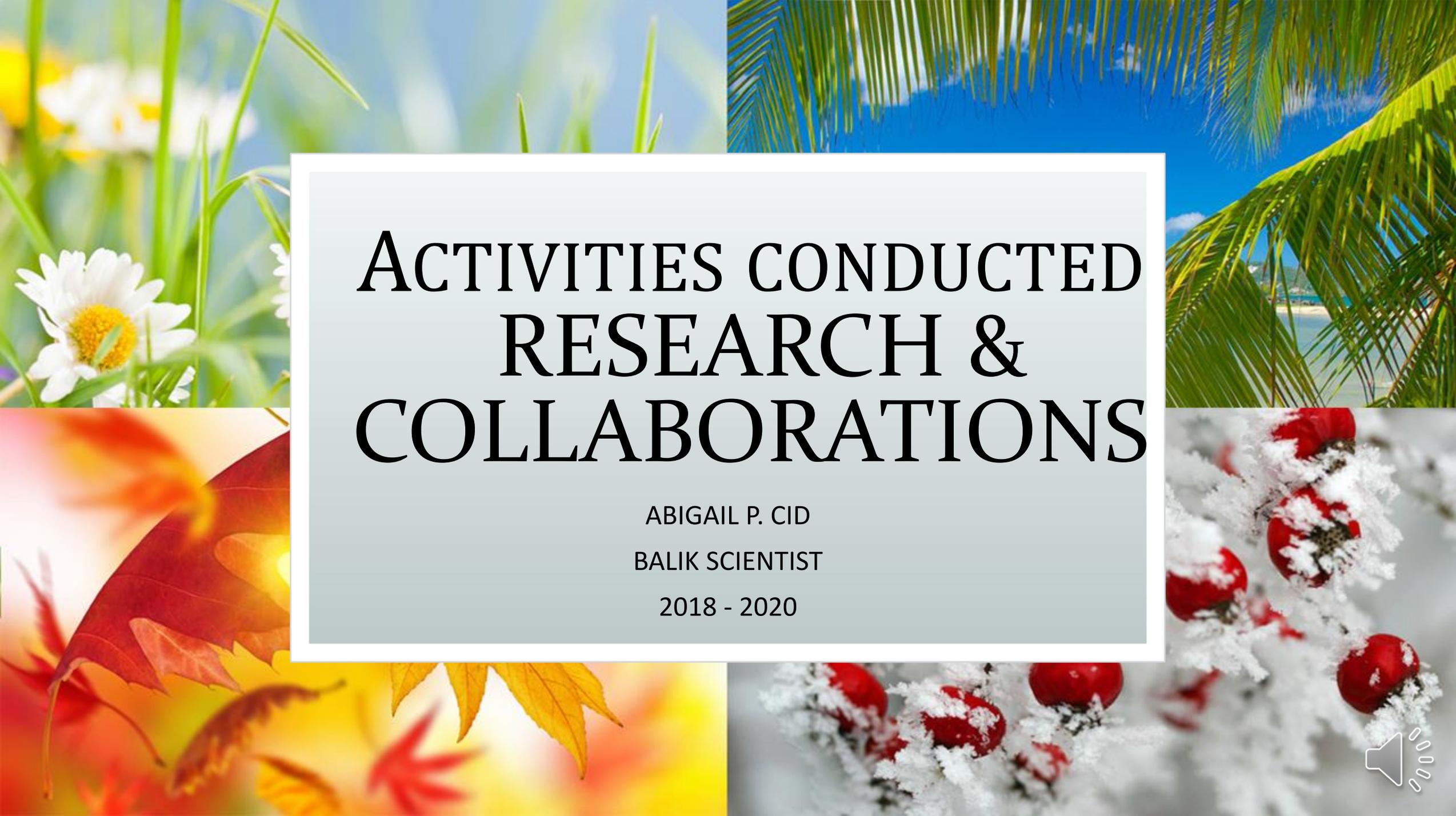
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ACTIVITIES CONDUCTED RESEARCH & COLLABORATIONS

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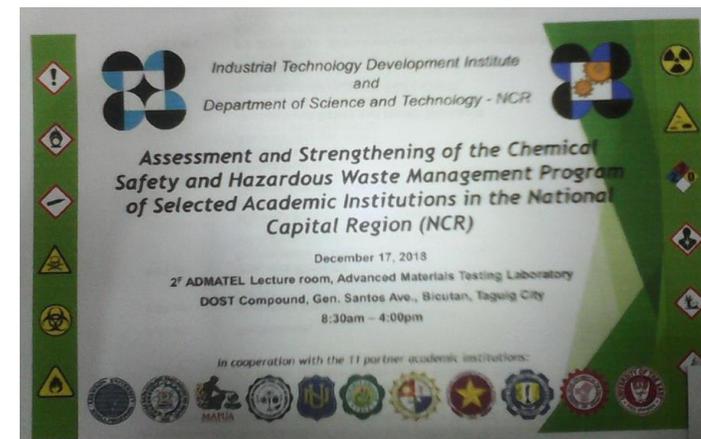




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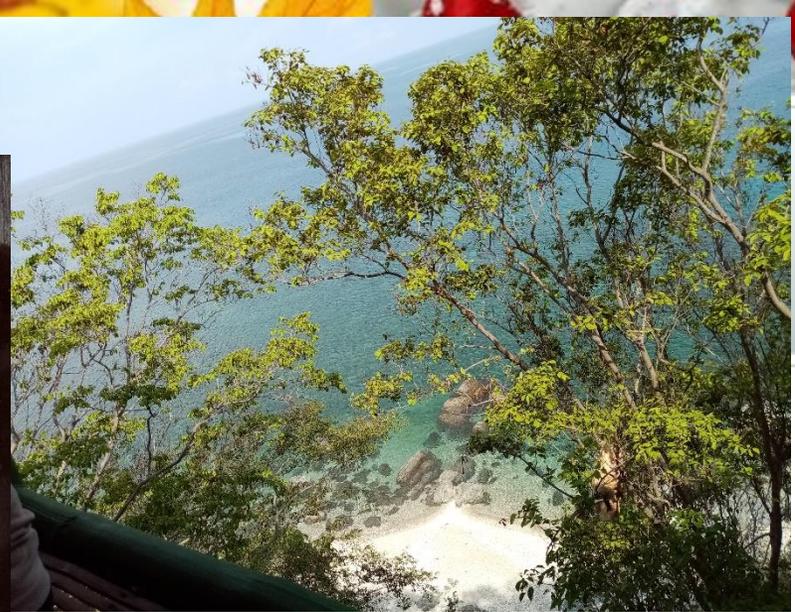
2018 – ASSESSMENT OF THE CHEMICAL SAFETY & HAZARDOUS WASTE MANAGEMENT PROGRAM



The Project Funded of DOST for Supporting Waste Management



RESEARCH



Preliminary observations on the conditions of the sea in Brgy. Imelda, San Juan, Batangas



RESEARCH

Microbial Fuel Cells

1

THE POTENTIAL OF MICROBIAL FUEL CELL AS BIOENERGY IN THE PHILIPPINES

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Polytechnic University of the Philippines, Manila

CHED-Newton Agham Symposium
on Materials for Energy Applications 2018 UP Balay Kalinaw Room A and B

2

Microbial Fuel Cell using *Escherichia coli* With and Without Methylene Blue as Mediator

Time (min)	Voltage (mV)	Current (mA)
0	0	0
10	10	0.01
20	20	0.02
30	30	0.03
40	40	0.04
50	50	0.05
60	60	0.06
70	70	0.07
80	80	0.08
90	90	0.09
100	100	0.10

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ANGELICA PALISOD
ANGIE JETTES PRADO

2

MICROBIAL FUEL CELL USING *SACCHAROMYCES CEREVISIAE* (Brewer's Yeast) AS BIOCATALYST: COPPER SULFATE PENTAHYDRATE AS TERMINAL ELECTRON ACCEPTOR

Time (min)	Voltage (mV)	Current (mA)
0	0	0.000
5	5	0.001
10	10	0.002
15	15	0.003
20	20	0.004
25	25	0.005
30	30	0.006
35	35	0.007
40	40	0.008
45	45	0.009
50	50	0.010

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3

MFC coupling anaerobic penicillin deacetylase and *Sulfolobus* sp. (cathodic chamber)

BIOELECTROCATALYTIC RECOVERY OF COPPER METAL IN A MICROBIAL FUEL CELL OF *BACILLUS SUBTILIS* USING WOOD DUST AS A SUBSTRATE

Day	Mean Voltage (mV)
1	100
2	200
3	300
4	400
5	500

Cajayante, Francis Paul C.
Francisco, Marissa Hazel A.
Ilaga, Luz Crisell
Jalen, Marissa A.
Macabagat, Aronnel M.
Morales, Daniel Citua D.
Pardo, Kharyelle-ly G.
Sally, Brad Randall D.
Tabares, Nicole Ann L.

4

Two-Chamber Microbial Fuel Cell: Power Generation from the Anaerobic Bacteria

Time (min)	Voltage (mV)	Current (mA)
0	0	0
10	10	0.01
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30	30	0.03
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Electricity-generating Double Chamber Microbial Fuel Cell using Waste Water Retrieved from an *Escheria* in Vicenza City Street in Sempalac, Manila

Time (min)	Voltage (mV)	Current (mA)
0	0	0
10	10	0.01
20	20	0.02
30	30	0.03
40	40	0.04
50	50	0.05
60	60	0.06
70	70	0.07
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6

The Comparative Analysis of Glucose and Sucrose Used in Two Chamber Microbial Fuel Cell

Time (Minutes)	Glucose Voltage (mV)	Sucrose Voltage (mV)
0	675	675
100	700	680
200	720	690
300	730	700
400	740	710
500	750	720
600	760	730
700	770	740
800	780	750

Angalada, Anton Max N., Clemente, Shyrine Izza F., Dolores, Charlotte Anne G., Miramanda, Rotimar G., Mendez, Rejine L.

7

THE EFFECT OF ELECTRODE MATERIAL AND SUBSTRATE CONCENTRATION FOR ELECTRICITY GENERATION OF *Saccharomyces Cerevisiae* CATALYZED MICROBIAL FUEL CELL

Time (min)	Voltage (mV)	Current (mA)
0	0	0
10	10	0.01
20	20	0.02
30	30	0.03
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Bueno, Shiela Marie Caguioa, Krysta Marie Hugo, Bernadette Ilano, Chelsey-Joline Rodriguez, Jose Mari San Jose, Jaym Pauline Jaso, Kirby Neal Nathanael

8

Utilization of *Lactobacillus casei* as a Microbial Fuel Cell using Aluminum Foil as a Cathode Electrode

Day	V1 (mV)	V2 (mV)	V3 (mV)	V4 (mV)	Average
1	0.8	0.8	0.8	0.8	0.8
2	0.85	0.85	0.85	0.85	0.85
3	0.9	0.9	0.9	0.9	0.9
4	0.95	0.95	0.95	0.95	0.95
5	1.0	1.0	1.0	1.0	1.0

Bajares, Rowald, Castañares, Mateozer, Delavin, Grace

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RESEARCH ON IRON ADDITION TO SALT WITHOUT OXIDATION



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EXTERNAL REVIEWER

FIELD SURVEYS



LETTER OF ENGAGEMENT AS PEER REVIEWER FOR THE NORTHERN PHILIPPINES JOURNAL

13 August 2018

Dr. Abigail Cid-Andres
Polytechnic university of the Philippines

Dear Dr. Andres:

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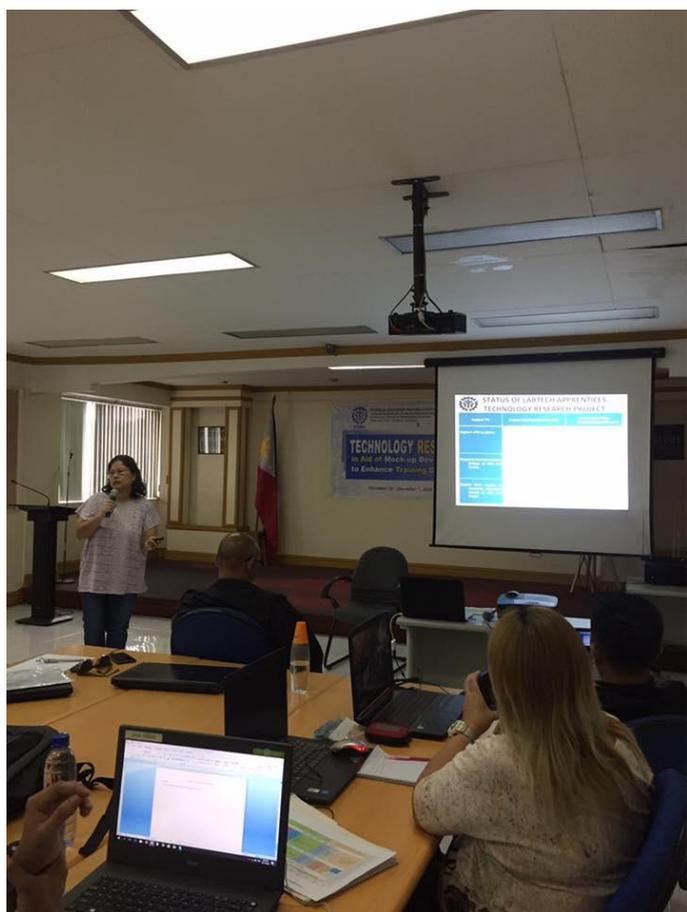
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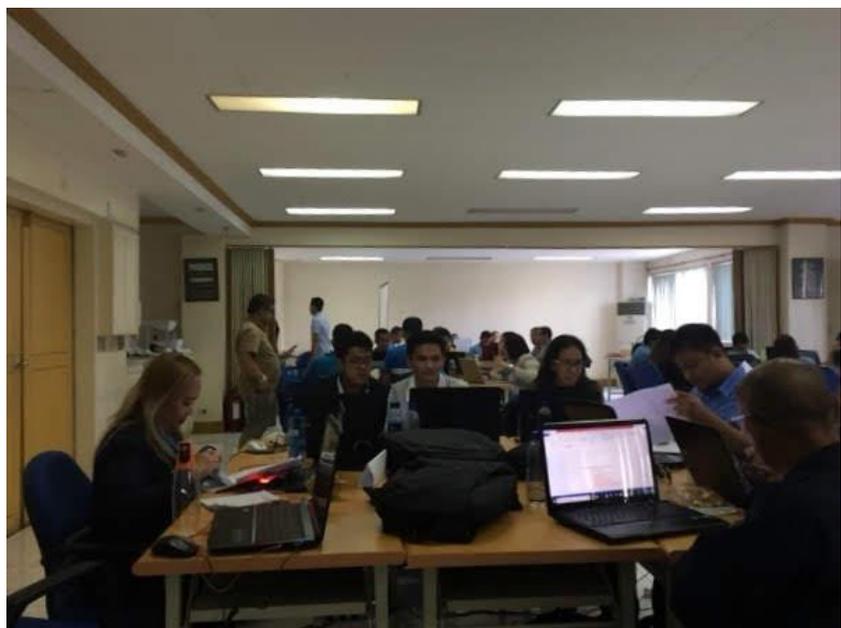
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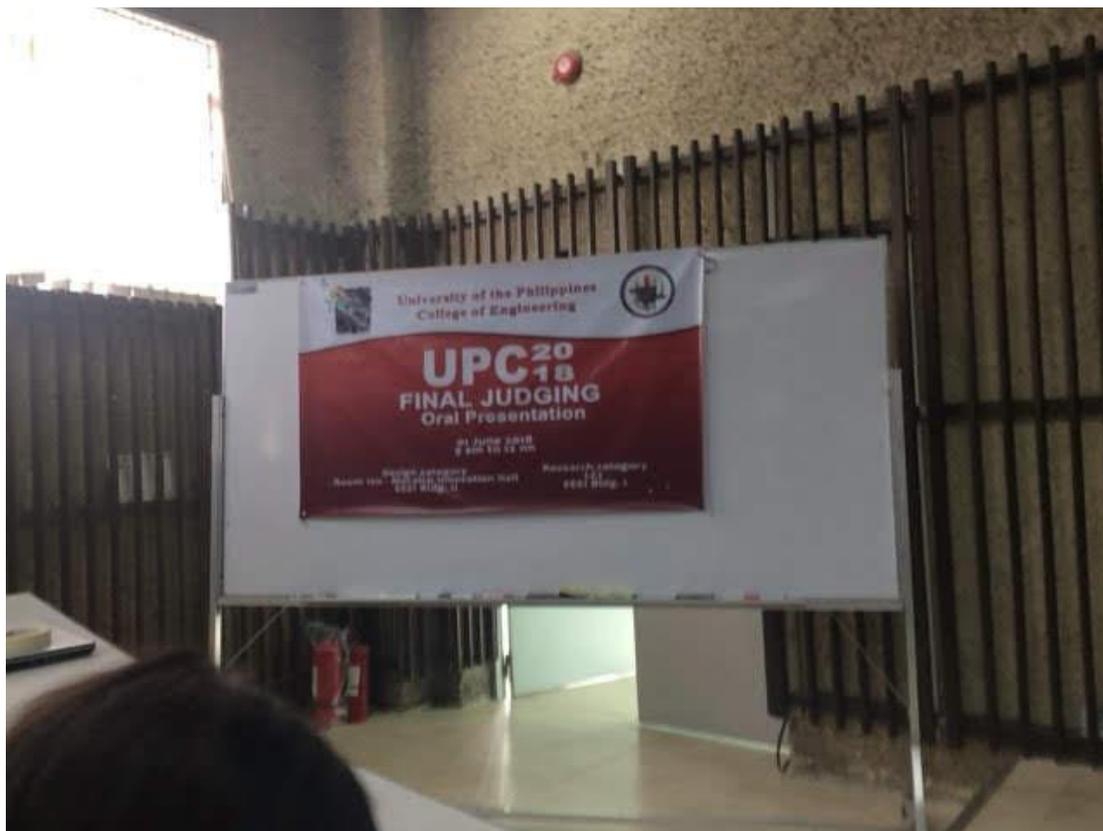
2018 CONFERENCES

NRCP ASSOCIATE MEMBERSHIP





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2019 VISIT TO USTP





2019 VISIT TO TESDA ISABELA



2019 PARTICIPATION TO ISTECS AS COMMITTEE MEMBER



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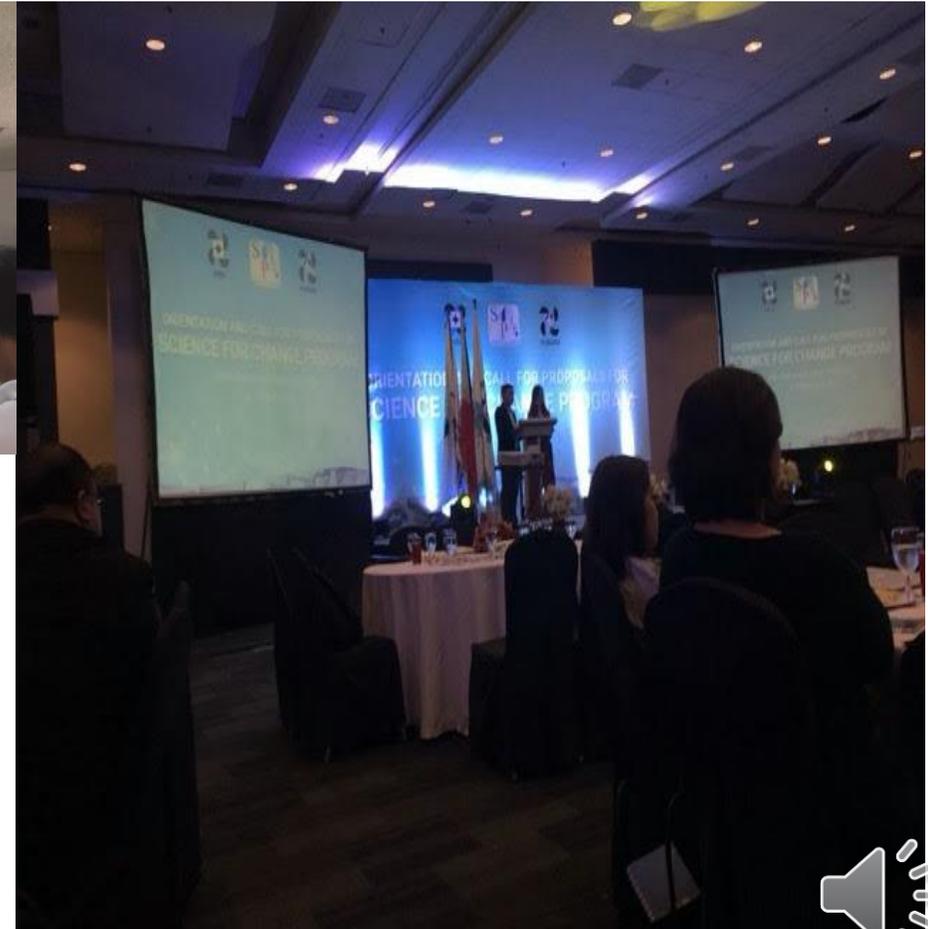
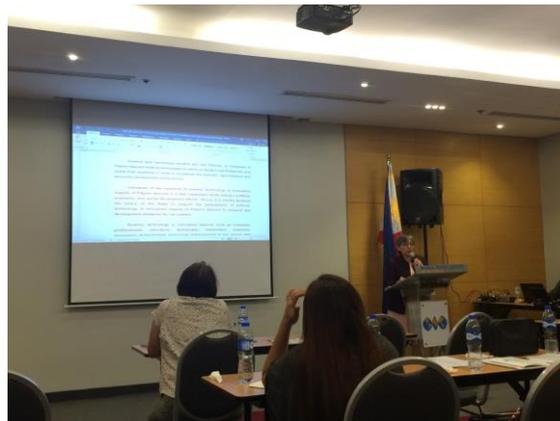
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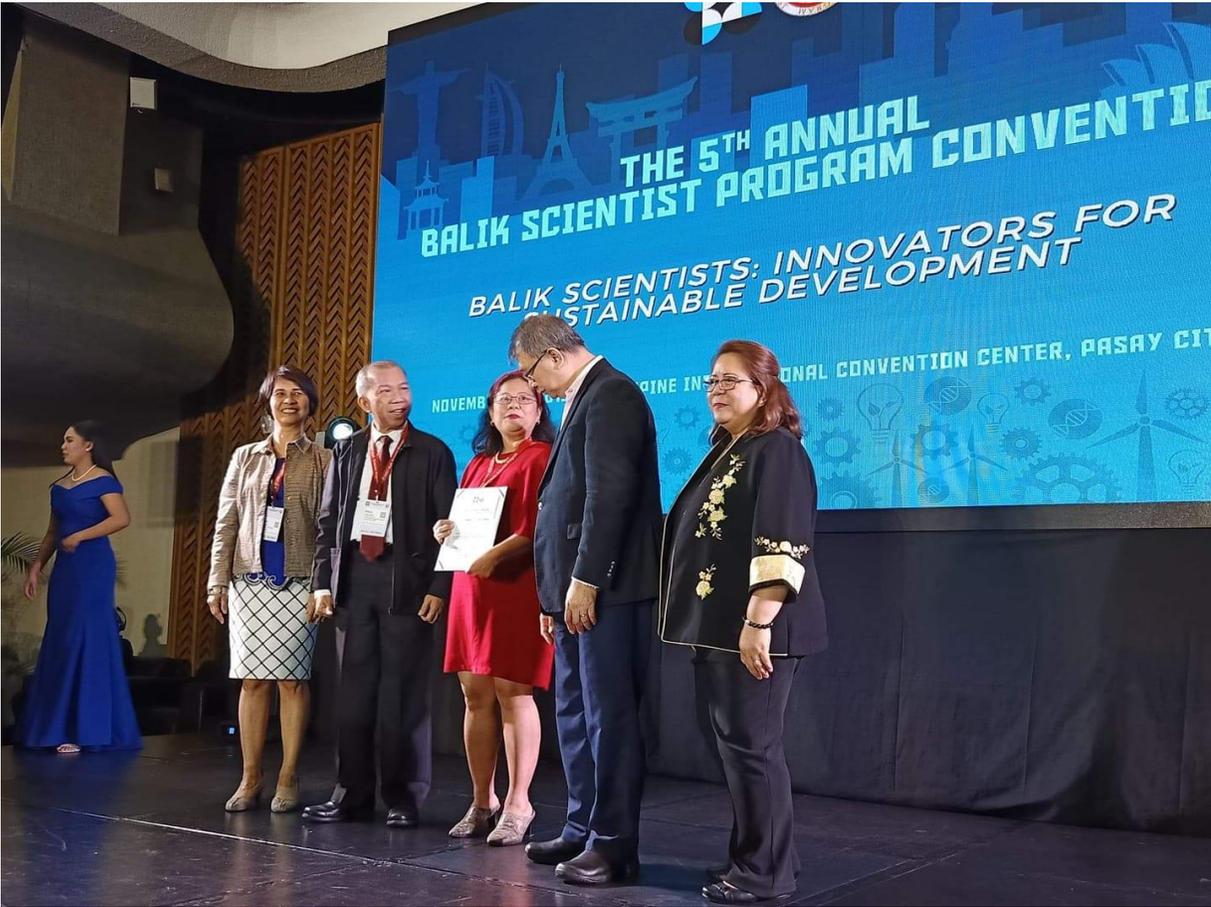
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2019 DOST, NRCP EVENTS PARTICIPATION



2019 DOST, NRCP, NAST EVENTS PARTICIPATION



2020 PARTICIPATION TO MMIEERDC MEETINGS



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FROM STABLE ISOTOPES TO SOCIAL APPROACH IN CONSERVING LAKE BIODIVERSITY



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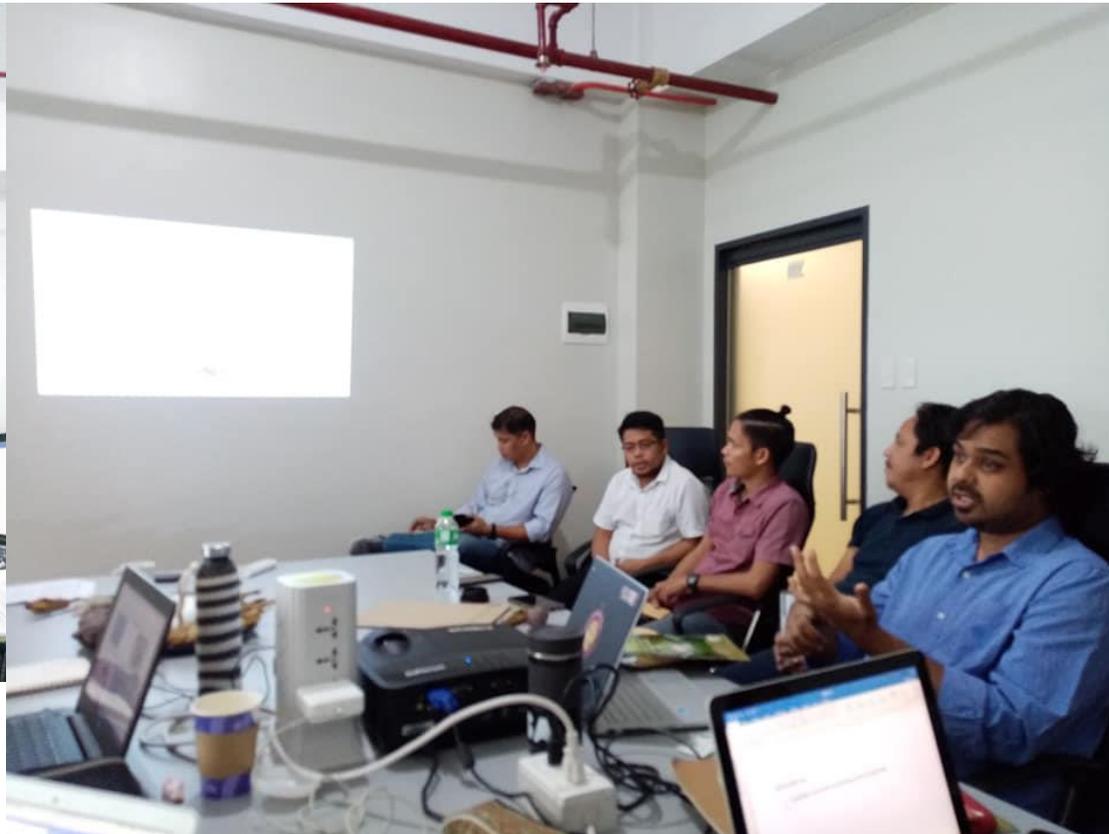
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2019 KYOTO UNIVERSITY OFFICIALS MEET WITH ALUMNI



2019 INTERNATIONAL COLLABORATION PROPOSAL MEETING



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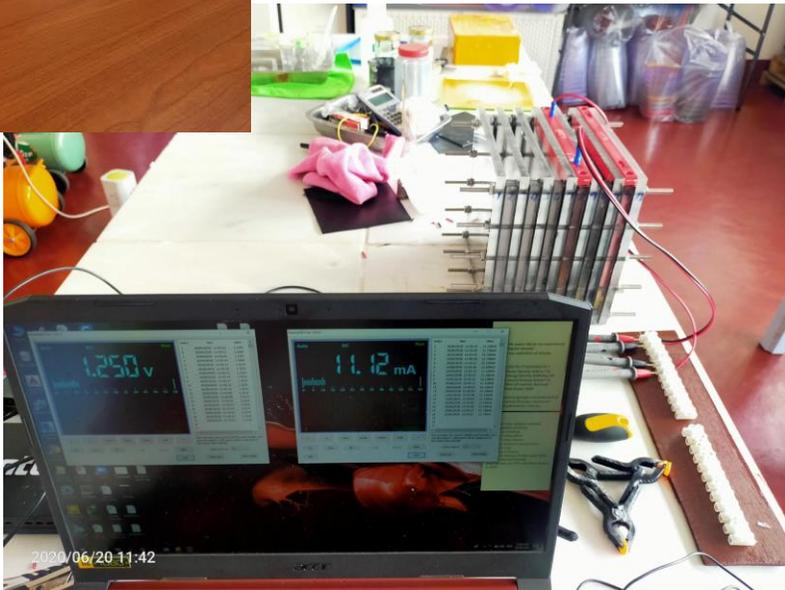


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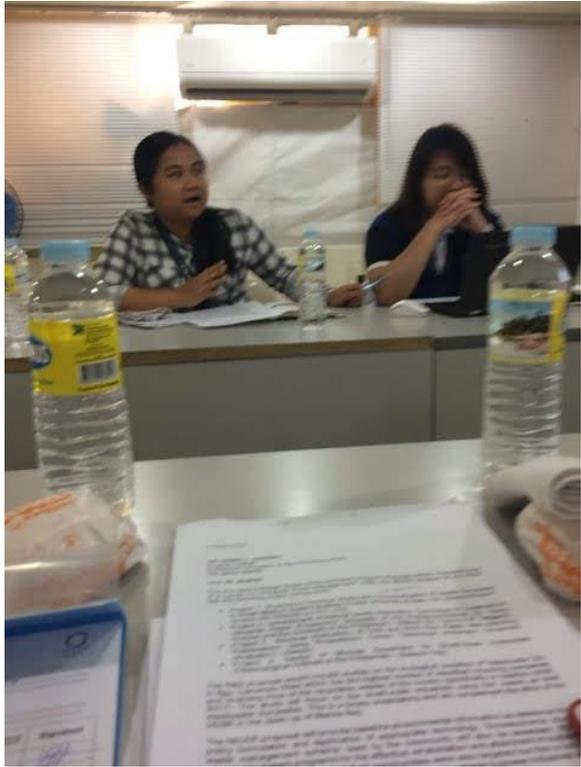


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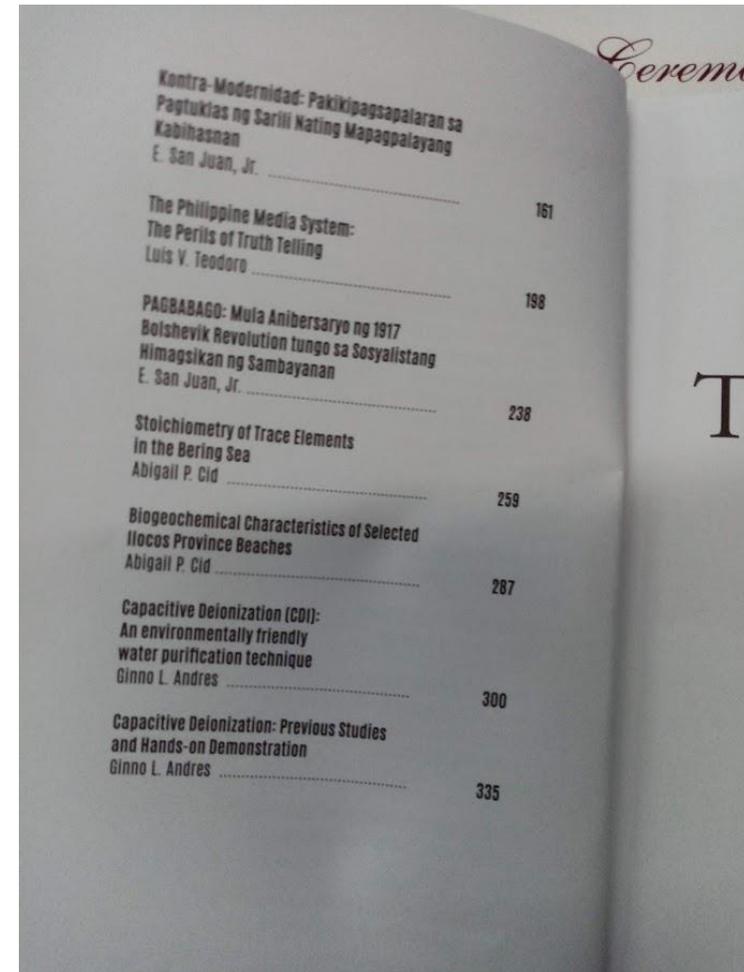
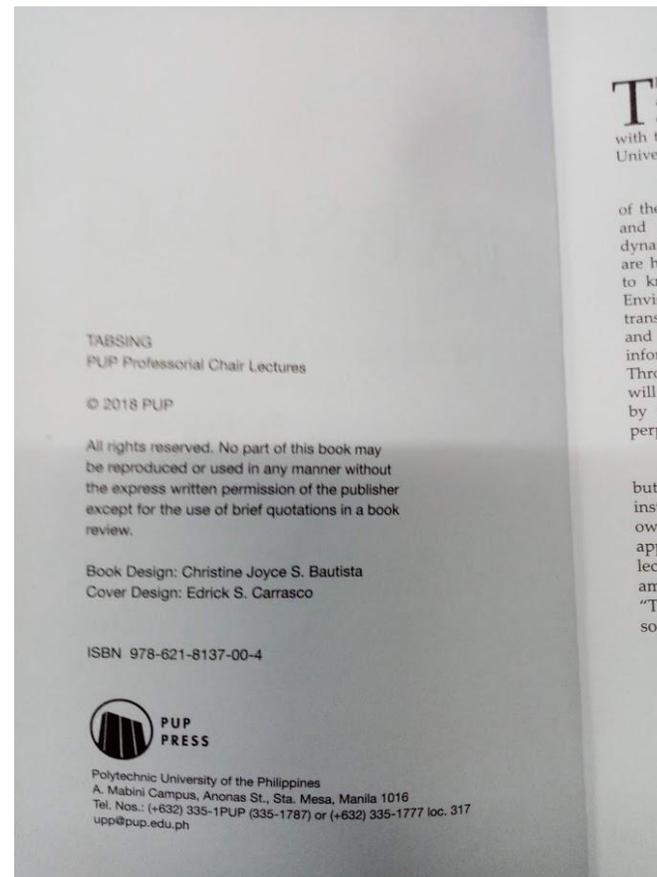
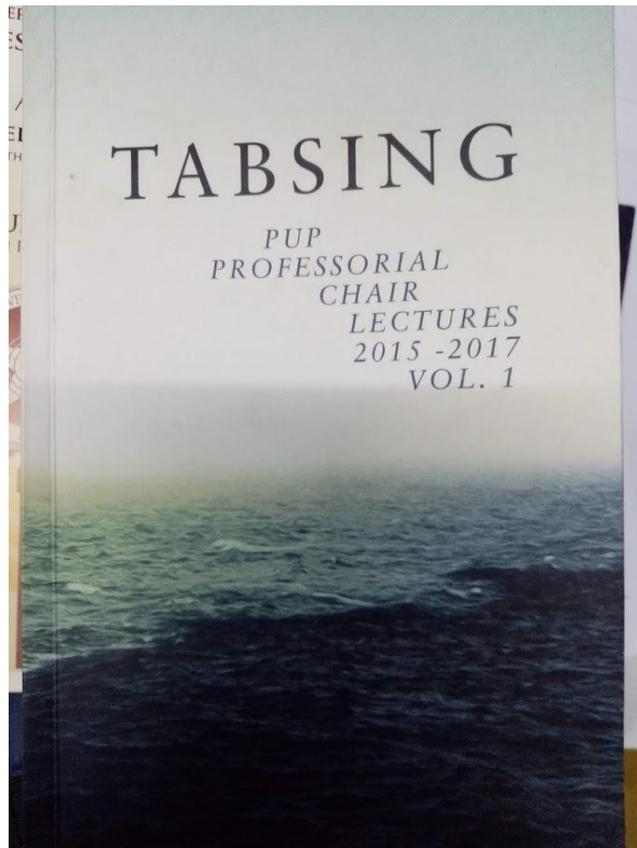
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An Abridged Review on Biosorption of Heavy Metals Using *Aspergillus Niger* as Sorbent Material

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Highlights

- Isotherms and models frequently used for *A. Niger* biosorption
- Processes involved in biosorption
- Physiochemical factors that manipulate the biosorption property

Abstract

Due to technological and industrial advancement, rise in the number of pollutants bring serious environmental issues. Heavy metals are good example of pollutants that are dreadful due to their high toxicity. Along with variety of techniques studied to treat effluents containing hazardous materials, usage of biomaterial such as fungal biomass for removal of heavy metal was studied due to its high potential in reducing metal concentration on contaminated bodies of water through biosorption. Biosorption ability of *Aspergillus Niger*, factors involved in achieving optimal adsorption of heavy metals using fungal biomass; type and nature biomass, concentration of metal solution, and physiochemical factors affecting, and parameters used was reviewed including summarization and description of methods used in biosorption, result accumulated, and inferences on the effects manipulating the biosorption. It was concluded that, *Aspergillus Niger* biomass is an effective sorbent material that most likely follows pseudo-second-order reaction rate and best described using Langmuir isotherm model.

Keywords: Biosorption, heavy metals, biosorbent, kinetics, isotherm, isotherm model

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Abstract

Benzene and Potassium Hydrogen Phthalate (KHP) with their immeasurable waste. Biodegradation is considered to be a remedy for this issue as the most dominant method used among these days. However issues of variability of standardized inoculum offered opportunities to surpass these disadvantages. The study of effectivity of BOD5 Seed inoculum in degradation of Benzene and KHP an aqueous organic waste. The samples were tested for Dissolved Oxygen (DO) and Chemical Oxygen Demand (COD) Test for initial analysis before it was prepared for the biodegradation process, pH 6-8 was maintained for it was the desired environment of the seed through COD test. The degraded benzene sample was then subjected for GC-MS analysis. The degraded benzene sample was 99.79% degraded from an initial COD concentration of 1112.545 ppm. The degraded 1000 ppm KHP sample was 47% degraded from an initial concentration of 127 ppm. The effect of filtration on the COD concentration obtained. In conclusion, BOD5 seed is effective in degrading 1000 ppm benzene and 1000 KHP sample. However, 1000 ppm benzene and 1000 ppm KHP sample. On the other hand, higher concentrations of benzene and KHP require longer time for degradation. Furthermore, treatment/degradation of aqueous organic waste using BOD5 seed is effective. However, seeded samples were also eventually degraded however slower than seeded samples.

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Diabetes is a disease that causes imbalance in blood sugar levels that are abnormally high because the body can't meet the demands of our body processes. Rodents used as models in medical testing because their behavior characteristics closely resemble those of humans, and many symptoms of human conditions can be observed in rats. The highlights of this research are drug-drug interactions between diabetic inducer drugs and administered drugs on fasting blood glucose levels of rats, response of rodent models on induced drugs, and the effect of different pharmaceutical drugs on fasting blood glucose levels of rats. The objective is to determine the efficacy of different pharmaceutical drugs on fasting blood glucose levels of rats. The methods used were plant collection and extraction for organic drugs while the methods used for inorganic drugs were from pharmaceutical industries and hospitals at the location of the scientific analysis. Animals were used from medical institutes approved by the Ethics Committee of Laboratory Animal. Induction and administration of drugs were performed using Metformin, Streptozotocin and Alloxan as drug inducers of diabetic condition. The study design comprises groupings of animals (treated and untreated) with varying dosages and time intervals. Blood sampling were introduced for final analysis. The results obtained were plant materials used for glucose level test. Reduction to blood glucose level to certain period but as time passed by, Diabetic Alloxan Monohydrate induced rats once administered with synthetic drugs showed varied blood glucose level. Hypoglycemic effects prevailed most compared to hyperglycemic effects but both showed that different drugs plays an important role to fasting blood glucose levels of laboratory rats. Standard



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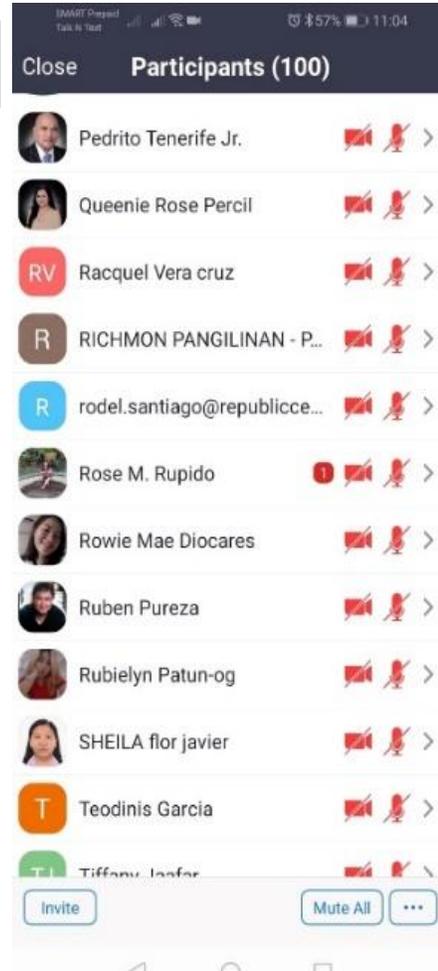
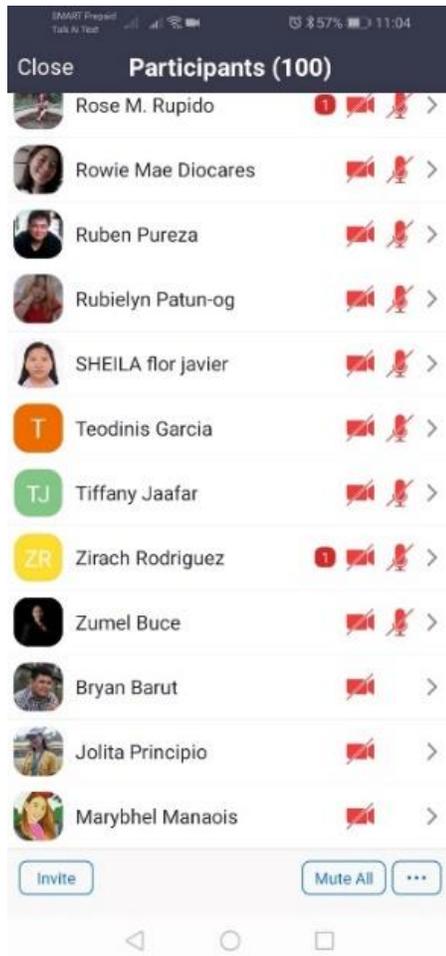
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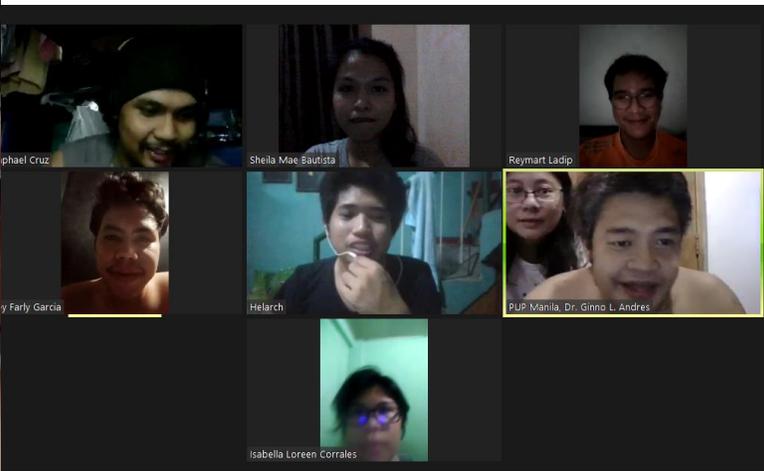
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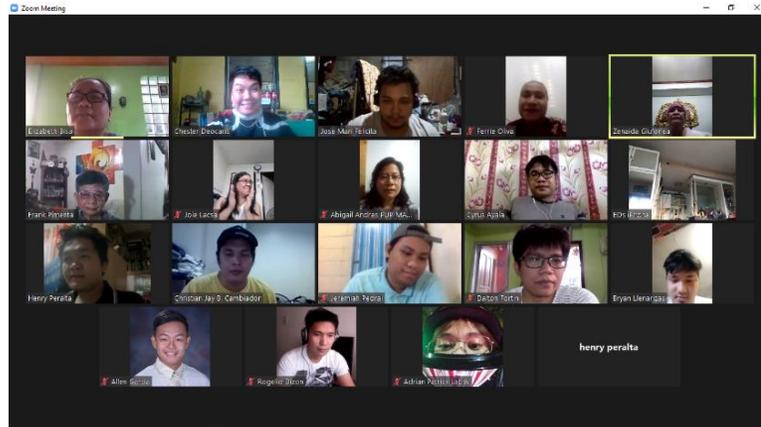
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SUBJECT : Request for comments on the draft strategy on the National Plan of Action on Marine Litter by July 16, 2020

Dear Ms. Cid-Andres:

Good day!

We would like to inform you that the Department of Environment and Natural Resources (DENR), through the Environmental Management Bureau (EMB) and the Biodiversity Management Bureau (BMB), is in the process of finalizing the National Plan of Action for the prevention, reduction, and management of marine litter (NPOA-ML). The NPOA-ML aims to consolidate and harmonize all efforts by different stakeholders that are involved or concerned with Marine Litter.

Having previously engaged with various stakeholders through three major dialogues, we are now conducting a broader public consultation on the draft NPOA-ML which essentially outlines all strategies relevant to the Marine Litter issue. This plan was created with your inputs, and we are requesting once again for your comments before we finalize the actual strategy and proceed with its implementation.

In light of the new normal and to ensure safety, we shall be conducting our public consultation online. On this note, we are forwarding to you a complete matrix of actions which we would like for you to review and comment on **or before July 16, 2020**. We hope to receive your comments, corrections, and other inputs through our survey which you can access at <http://www.dinurl.com/PHMarineLitter>. An information card is also attached to provide you with a step by step guide to answering the survey.

We look forward to your participation in our online public consultation!

Very truly yours,

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Developing the National Plan of Action for the Prevention, Reduction, and Management of Marine Litter

This survey is designed to collect inputs from the public, particularly stakeholders that engage with or are involved with activities pertaining to Marine Litter. Marine Litter is defined herein as *any persistent, manufactured or processed solid material discarded, disposed of or abandoned in the marine and coastal environment.*



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1. INTRODUCTION
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2. PRINCIPLE
Complexation is the process of complex formation between a solvated metals and a complexing agent (ligands) which normally contains electron donating groups. Complexometric titrations is often used in the chemical and pharmaceutical industries to determine inorganic or organic compounds and pharmaceutical active ingredients including metal ion containing dosage forms with cations and anions. The principle of the complexometric titration is based on the complexation. An example of complexation reactions:

$$M(H_2O)_n + L \rightarrow M(H_2O)_{n-1}L + H_2O$$

Where $M(H_2O)_n$ is the solvated metal ions, L is the ligand, n is the coordination number and H_2O is solvent attached to the metal.



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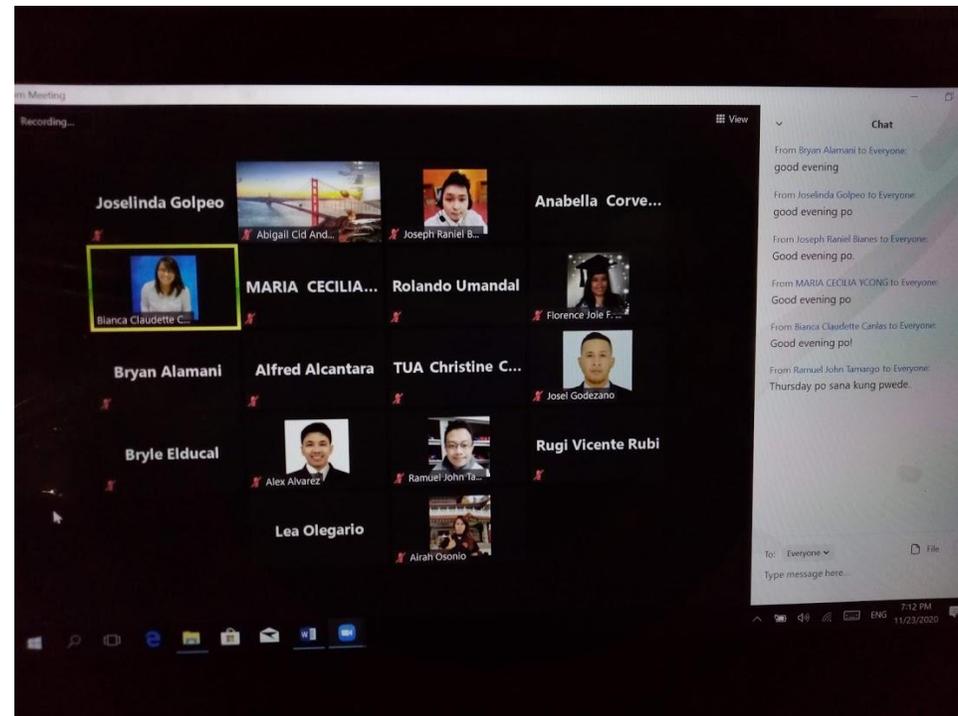
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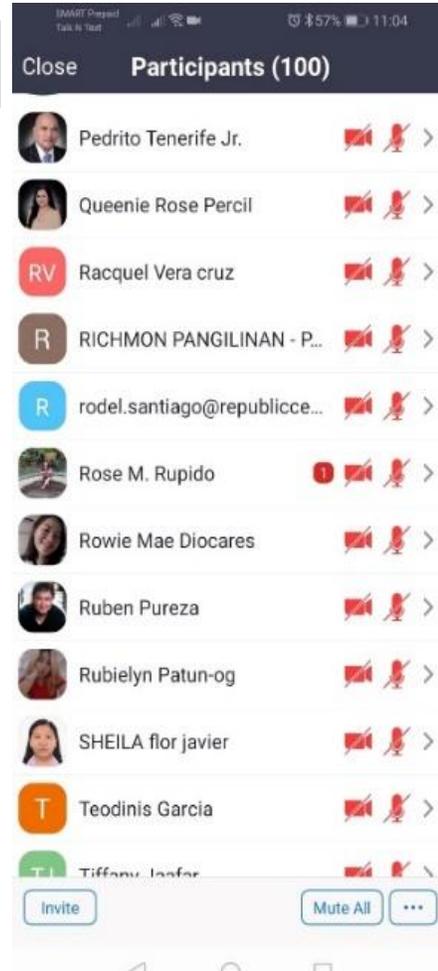
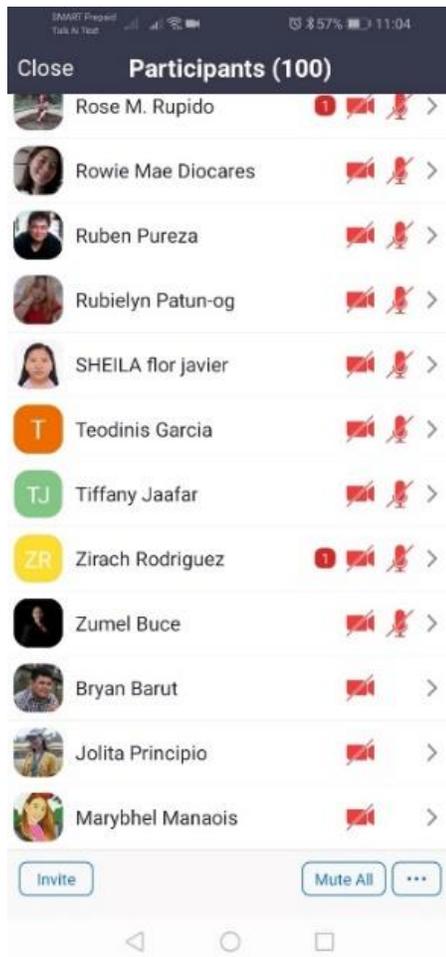
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ABSTRACT: Identifying nonpoint phosphorus (P) sources in a watershed is essential for addressing cultural eutrophication and for proposing best-management solutions. The oxygen isotope ratio of phosphate ($\delta^{18}\text{O}_{\text{P}}$) can shed light on P sources and P



SILICA EXTRACTION FROM BEACH SAND FOR DYES REMOVAL: ISOTHERMS, KINETICS AND THERMODYNAMICS

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Metal incorporated Philippine Abaca fiber (*Manila hemp*) as a potential novel filter for water disinfection

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Abstract. The contamination of water sources by pathogenic bacteria poses a threat both in the environment and in human health. The incorporation of metal nanoparticles in polymer matrix which is abundantly available in a country can be improved to enhance its antimicrobial





2020-2021 SCOPING PROJECT ACTIVITIES

The collage illustrates various project activities. The top-left image shows a Zoom meeting with a slide titled "MMIEERDC Vision Statement". The slide text reads: "To be a network of RESEARCH EXPERTS, DESIGNERS and PRACTITIONERS in the field of ENERGY, ENVIRONMENT, FORECAST, AND EMERGING TECHNOLOGIES contributing significantly towards SOLUTIONS AND SERVICES to the PRESSING CRITICAL PROBLEMS of the National Capital Region through INNOVATION AND INVENTIONS". The Zoom meeting includes participants such as Conchita Cleofas, Abigail Andres, and Joselinda M. Golpeo. The bottom-left image shows another Zoom meeting with participants like John Nillama, DOST-NCR, and Zurnell Buco. The bottom-right image shows a group of people in an office setting, some wearing face masks, engaged in a meeting around a table.





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- Jim Cruz, Mark Catapang, Elizabeth Bisa, Marie Dale Peralis

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- Engr Joseph Biances, Engr Joselinda Golpeo, Engr Mark Manlapaz
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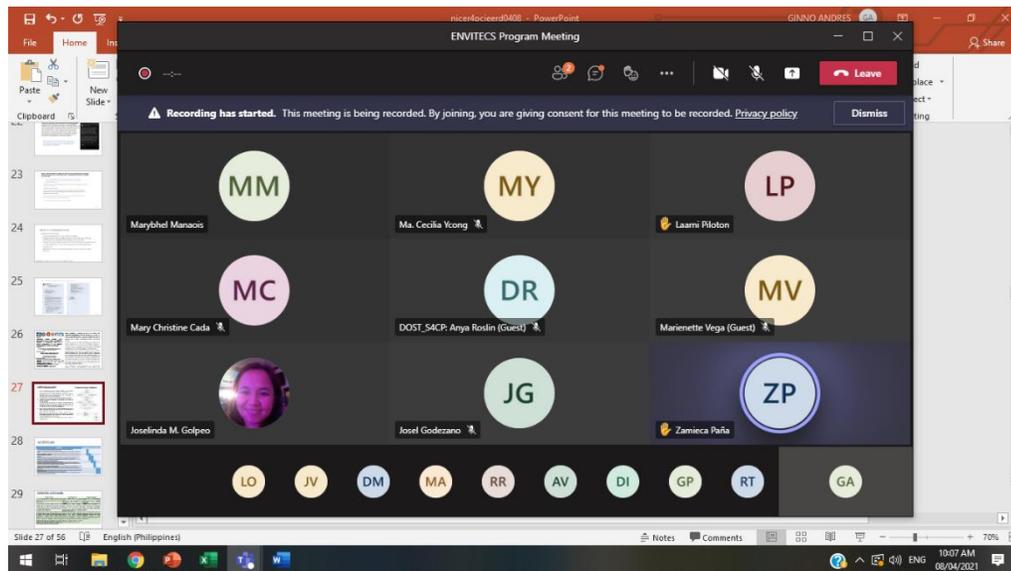


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- Small R&D

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Volume 220, 5 September 2019, 116837



Review Article

Trends in fabrication, data gathering, validation, and application of molecular fluorometer and spectrofluorometer

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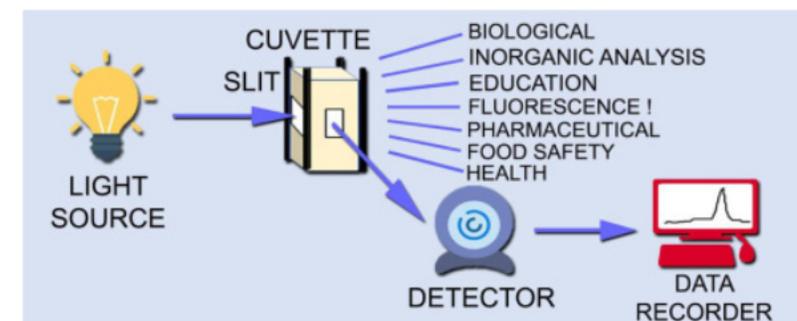
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Technological advances have widely improved the field of research as spectroscopic methods are now flexible in analyzing different sample matrix. There have been various methods used in applications of spectrofluorometer, but some were costly, time consuming or complicated for routine analysis, creating barrier for students to understand the basic concepts of fluorescence. This review focuses on the different fluorometer designs and techniques which promote cost efficiency and/or having modifications without compromise in data gathering, and its applications to various scientific fields. The usage of pesticides has a wide range of effects when it comes to the environment and to human health especially when it enters the food chain. The characteristic of having a low-cost, user-friendly and efficient device can occur in different variations as materials and technology are employed to [fluorescence detection](#) which primarily contributes to the different applications of the device such as in food safety and security.

Graphical abstract



Research on solid phase extraction



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Purifying Inorganic Phosphate using Sawdust Activated Carbon in Solid Phase Extraction for Stable Oxygen Isotope ($\delta^{18}\text{O}_{\text{PO}_4}$) Analysis: A Review on Different Methodological Approach

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ABSTRACT

Phosphate pollution in the ecosystem particularly in different bodies of water may lead to critical degree of contamination and potential ecological risks. As an approach to this problem, the role of solid phase extraction in purifying inorganic phosphate for stable isotope analysis is expected to have a significant outcome. In this review, analysis of isotopic composition of oxygen in phosphate ($\delta^{18}\text{O}_{\text{PO}_4}$) is said to be a prominent research tool for examining phosphate in water and soil, however, this approach requires purified phosphate. There are several techniques in purifying phosphate, and one of the leading method is solid phase extraction that showed high efficiency percentage in purification of target analytes in many studies. Potential use of sawdust as an effective sorbent in solid phase extraction will be discussed in this paper. Moreover, challenges that are usually encountered in the analysis of $\delta^{18}\text{O}_{\text{PO}_4}$ and its environmental applications will be tackled as well.



Research on solid phase extraction



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The Potential of EDTA – Modified Rice Husk Ash as Solid Phase Extraction Resin in Seawater

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Abstract

Solid Phase Extraction (SPE) is one of the methods used in extraction of elements and metals with the aid of preconcentration process. The development of sorbents and their application in preconcentration is a subject of great importance in the environment. This review summarizes the use of solid phase extraction in developing resin for the extraction of trace elements in seawater. On the right hand, Rice Husk Ash (RHA) is a cost-effective agricultural material that has the great properties and capability to be a sorbent for tracing elements. The important properties and components of the RHA will be further specify. This journal review will provide general information regarding solid phase extraction, rice husk ash (RHA), tracing elements and resin.

Keywords: solid phase extraction, trace elements, rice husk ash, resin

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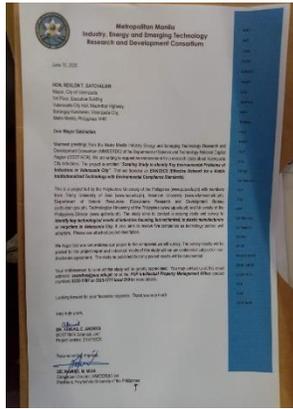
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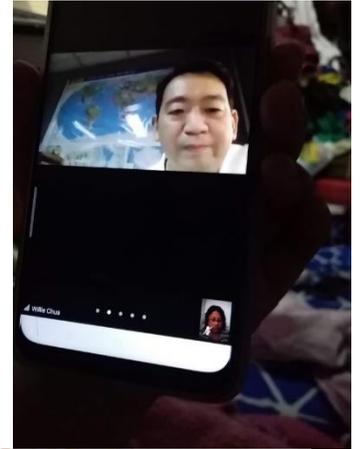
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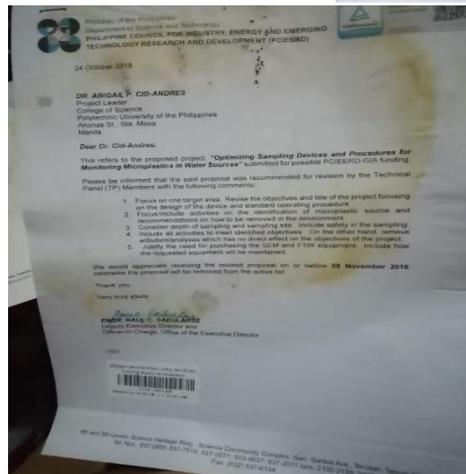
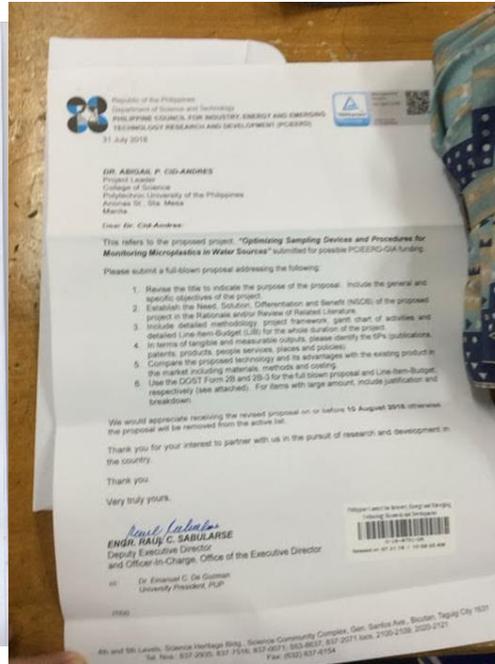
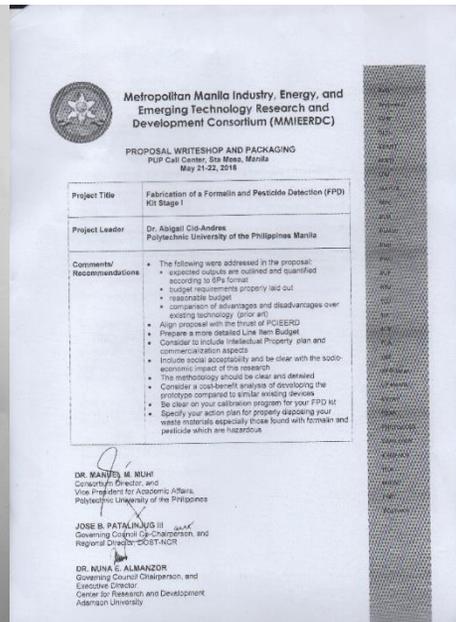
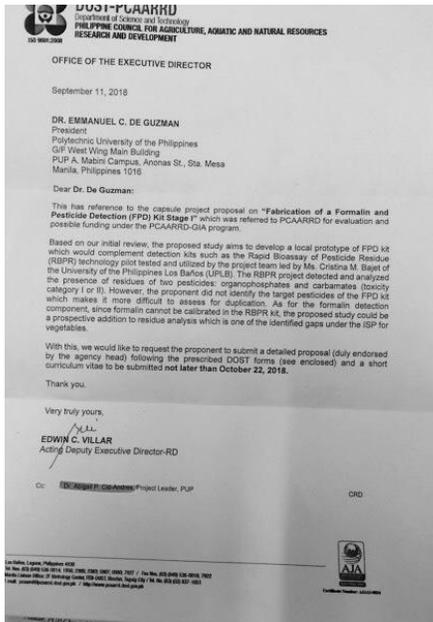
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Project Proposal 2

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Kim



Gin Yew-Hoong, Karina

Mon, May 11, 12:43 PM (5 days ago) ☆ ↶

to me ▾

Hi Abigail

Would appreciate if you could send me a short letter to show your intention to commit, and your role in the project as I have to submit the proposal by the end of today (Singapore side).

Thanks so much,

Regards

Karina



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Project Proposal 3

Writing and submission

Kyoto University, University of Bengkulu, University of the Philippines, University of Santo Tomas, PUP
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Maria Pythias Espino
Salamat EZ!

Sat, Apr 25, 4:29 PM ☆



Noboru Okuda

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Sat, Apr 25, 6:21 PM ☆



abigail cid

Dear All, I have answered pages 10-11 of the application form. Thank you. Cheers, Abigail

Sun, Apr 26, 12:28 AM ☆



abigail cid

Hi, Maam! CV attached po. Thank you.

Sun, Apr 26, 12:29 AM ☆



Abdul Rahman

Dear all, Please kindly include our (Indonesian) team members, Dr. Mase and Dr. Nursaadah, (cc'ed here) in our upcoming communications. Have a nice weekend, Abd

Sun, Apr 26, 4:02 PM ☆



Felicidad Christina R Ramirez

Dear Dr. Pythias, Good afternoon. Please find my CV and Prof. Okuda's draft with my details on page 10-11 attached to this email. Thank you very much. Sincerely

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Julius Mayorga
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8 Attachments

Collated Minutes for Meetings between May 11-15, 2020

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Marybhel Manaois

Thu, Apr 16, 3:34 PM ☆ ↶ ⋮

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Science Research Specialist

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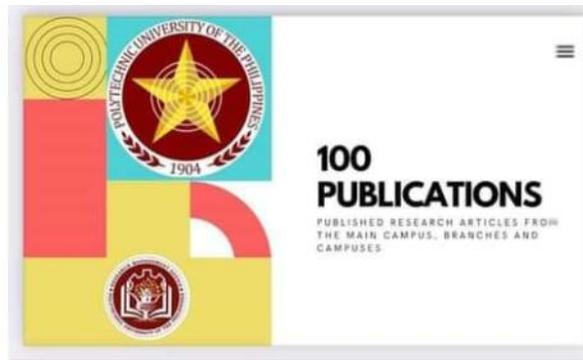
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PUP deposits first gene sequences in GenBank

Jan Bernel Padolina, News, Communication Management Office

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Updates for 100 Publications as of December 2020

SCOPUS (55)
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Bacterial Assemblages and Identity Library Online (BASILIO) Website: A Bacterial Database

Asian Pac J Cancer Prev. 2020 Aug 1;21(8):2297-2306. doi: 10.31557/APJCP.2020.21.8.2297.

In Silico Approach in Designing a Novel Multi-Epitope Vaccine Candidate against Non-Small Cell Lung Cancer with Overexpressed G Protein-Coupled Receptor 56

Leana Rich M Herrera

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PMID: 32856858 DOI: 10.31557/APJCP.2020.21.8.2297

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Conduct research proposal writing

Safety guideline orientation to Faculty

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Factors characterizing phosphate oxygen isotope ratios in river water: an inter-watershed comparison approach

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Abstract

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 - ii. exchange of invitations to scholars (faculty, research personnel and graduate students) for lectures, visits, and sharing of experiences;
 - iii. joint research and educational activities;
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 - v. cultural activities; and
 - vi. any other areas of collaboration maybe mutually agreed by both parties.
2. The terms of the specific areas of agreement shall be further considered and agreed upon in writing by the Parties prior to the initiation of any particular activity.
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4. This Memorandum of Understanding (MoU) will be effective when both Parties have signed this certificate and shall remain in force for five (5) years, subject from time to time to revision or modification by mutual agreement. Each Party

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5. The possibility and the terms of a renewal of the agreement will be discussed by the representatives of the two universities no less than six months prior to the natural termination of the current agreement.
6. The Parties agree that this MoU is not a formal legal agreement giving rise to any legal relationship, right, duties or consequences, but it is only a definite expression and record of the purpose of the Parties to which the Parties are bound in honor only.
7. The implementation of this MoU shall be constructed and governed in accordance with Laws of both countries.

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SILICA EXTRACTION FROM BEACH SAND FOR DYES REMOVAL: ISOTHERMS, KINETICS AND THERMODYNAMICS

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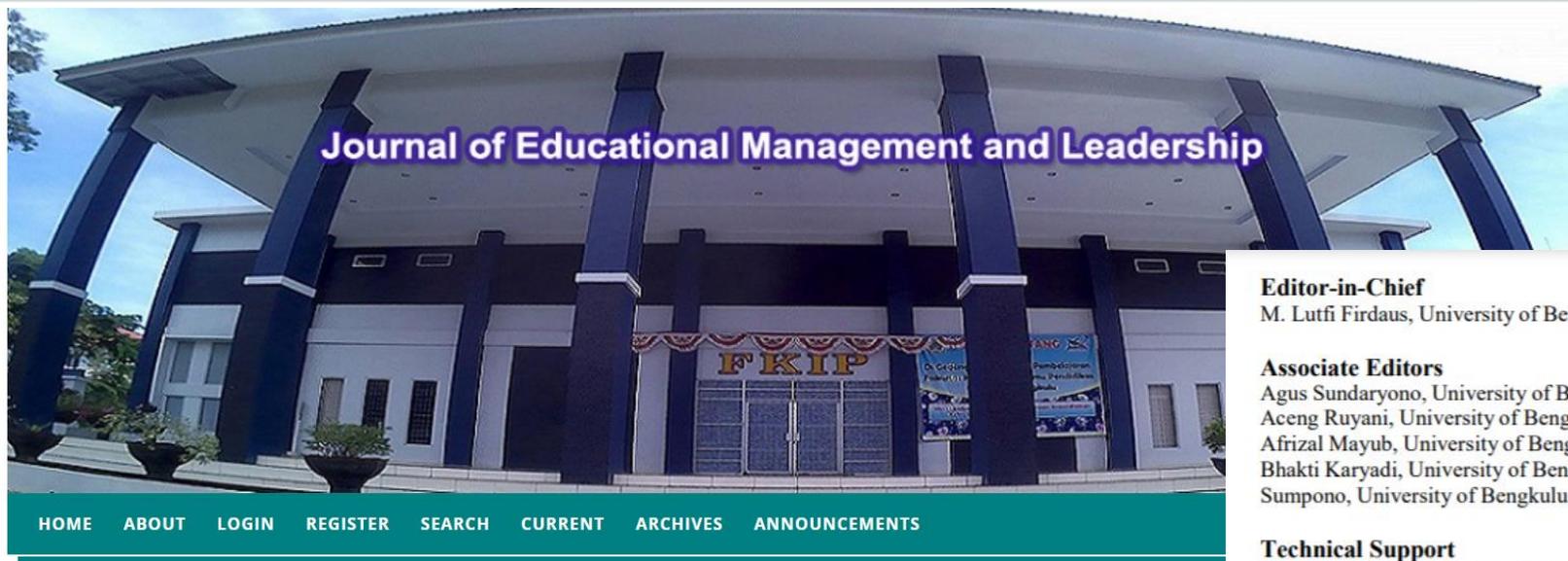
Beach sand is an abundant natural resource that contains silica minerals with many benefits. One of the uses of silica is to remove synthetic dyes that are toxic to biota in the environment. The goal of this research was to extract and characterize the silica from Bengkulu beach sand and to apply it as dyes adsorbent. The extraction of silica consisted of two steps that were potassium silicate formation and gel formation. The gel was formed by adding strong acid into a potassium silicate solution. Silica's particle size and crystallinity were characterized using PSA and XRD, respectively. SEM-EDS was used to characterize the morphology and chemical composition of extracted silica. The effect of the different experimental settings, like pH, temperature, contact time, the concentration of dyes and adsorbent weight, on adsorption of dyes were monitored as well as the study of adsorption isotherms, kinetics, and thermodynamics. At equilibrium, synthetic dyes adsorption to silica suited to the Freundlich model producing correlation coefficients (R^2) of 0.853 and 0.976 for remazol blue and congo red, respectively. At optimum conditions, maximum adsorption capacities for remazol blue and congo red were 133 and 131 mg/g, respectively. The research implied that adsorption of dyes to silica fitted the pseudo-second-order model with thermodynamic values of ΔG° , ΔH° , and ΔS° were -4.04 to 2.19 kJ/mol, -13.53 to -4.726 kJ/mol, and 0.019 to 0.021 J/mol.K, respectively. By using these results, we resolve that the adsorption of dyes trends was exothermic and spontaneous. In addition, the reaction increases the system's entropy. This study emphasizes the potential of silica from the sand beach as a substitute economical adsorbent for the toxic dyes removal.

Keywords: Silica, Remazol Blue, Congo Red, Adsorption, Isotherms, Kinetic, Thermodynamics

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Dear Dr. MAQUEDA,

The Polytechnic University of the Philippines(PUP) supports the project proposal for the UK's **National Environmental Research Council (NERC)** and Singapore's **National Research Foundation (NRF)** on **South East Asia Plastic** wherein our PUP research team is collaborating with the Newcastle University, National University of Singapore and other international research institutions. I am confident that this multidisciplinary research collaborative proposal can successfully deliver the following aims (1) identification of sources and drivers of plastic pollution in Singapore, Malaysia and Philippine marine ecosystems, (2) impact assessment of plastic pollution and (3) intervention, mitigation and adaptation measures to reduce plastic pollution.

Please do not hesitate to contact Dr. Abigail P. Cid-Andres, our DOST Balik Scientist and Associate Professor at +632 53351787 local 318 or at acandres@pup.edu.ph.

May this merit your affirmative action. Thank you very much.

Very truly yours,

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Dear Dr. Maqueda:

This letter expresses the World Wide Fund for Nature (WWF) – Philippines' support to the Polytechnic University of the Philippines (PUP)' project proposal for the UK's **National Environmental Research Council (NERC)** and Singapore's **National Research Foundation (NRF)** on **South East Asia Plastic** wherein the PUP research team is collaborating with the Newcastle University, National University of Singapore and other international research institutions.

WWF - Philippines understands that this is a multidisciplinary research collaborative proposal that aims to achieve the following objectives: (1) identification of sources and drivers of plastic pollution in Singapore, Malaysia and Philippine marine ecosystems; (2) impact assessment of plastic pollution; and (3) intervention, mitigation and adaptation measures to reduce plastic pollution. We at WWF Philippines are working towards the vision of having no plastic in nature through our work with Plastic Smart Cities, Extended Producer's Responsibility and Advocacy for a Legally Binding Treaty to Address Marine Plastic Pollution, among others. Thus, we welcome the proposed research on the impacts of plastic pollution in a marine environment by a state university like PUP with your institution! We can locally work with PUP that may potentially consider engaging with our city partners in the country and collaborate with us to develop waste flow diagrams for these locales, which in turn can inform your proposed study.

May this merit your affirmative action. Thank you very much.

Very truly yours,

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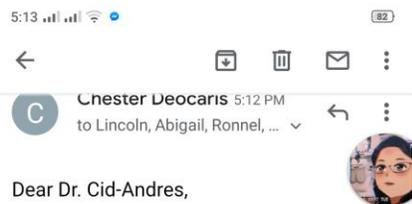
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Dear Dr. Cid-Andres,

We are requesting for an extension of the due dates the equipment that our group (DOST LAMP project) borrowed from the CS Laboratory until the end of AUGUST 2020.

The equipment includes: one (1) Optika dissecting microscope, one (1) Labnet vortex mixer, and one (1) Biometra gel electrophoresis system including chamber and power supply.

This request was made due to impossibility to perform laboratory work because of the ongoing quarantine.

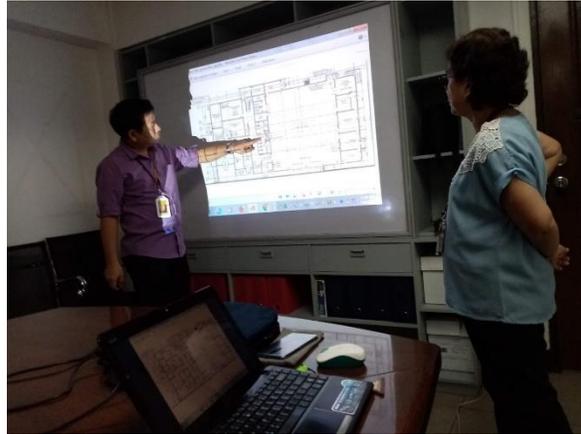
Dr. Alvarez informed me that our LAMP experiments might be transferred to the ESRC. Because of this I am also requesting to allow our group to transfer the borrowed equipment to ESRC building as our laboratory operation resumes.

Yours truly,

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ABIGAIL P. CID

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RATIONALE

Polytechnic University of the Philippines is one of the leading polytechnic university in the Philippines. However, they are in need of experts in Science that can boost their faculty to engage and propose researchers.

Dr. Abigail P. Cid conducted lectures, seminars/workshop on scientific proposal writing to enhance the research capability of the university. In addition to these, a proposal of an establishment of a chemistry laboratory to be housed at PUP will be submitted for grant-in-aid fundings.

Polytechnic University of the Philippines had 8 point agenda- (1) Pursuing Academic Excellence through Disciplinary Integrity, (2) Embedding a Culture of Research, (3) Assuring Transparency and Participatoriness in Giving Rewards and Sanctions, (4) Modernization and Upgrading of Physical Facilities, Equipment, Library and Campus Development, (5) Reconceptualization of Academic Freedom, (6) Institutionalizing Civil Society Engagement and Involved Extension Service Program, (7) Fiscal Responsibility and (8) Assessment of the Institutional Processes and Critical-Rational Review of the Entire Organization.

PUP has a science and technology research institute. The Institute for Science and Technology Research (ISTR) promotes the science and technology (S&T) research agenda of the University. It integrates holistic programs to implement various strategies in pursuing researches in the fields of life science, physical science, mathematics, engineering, as well as nutrition and food technology.



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Abstract:

Diabetes mellitus is a chronic disease that causes imbalance in blood sugar levels that are abnormally high because the body can't produce enough insulin to meet the demands of our body processes. Rodents used as models in medical testing because their genetic, biological and behavior characteristics closely resemble those of humans, and many symptoms of human conditions can be replicated in mice and rats. The highlights of this research are drug-drug interactions between diabetic inducer drugs and treated drugs, efficacy of administered drugs on fasting blood glucose levels of rats, response of rodent models on induced drugs, and methods for blood sampling on rats. The objective is to determine the efficacy of different pharmaceutical drugs to fasting



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A Review on Synthesis, Metal Complexes, Applications of Porphyrin Schiff Bases and its Possibility to be used as a Ligand for Quantitation of Metals

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Abstract:

There have been increasing interests in developing synthetic routes for the synthesis of compounds as these have become one of the dominant ways in developing the studies in the field of chemistry. This review paper mainly aims to highlight the different procedures conducted from previous and recent studies regarding the synthesis and metal complexation of porphyrin Schiff bases. Some Modifications were discussed in order to identify their effect on the Characteristic of the Porphyrin. These compounds exhibit various applications on different fields but this paper focused more on its application for metal quantitation. Porphyrin are known to have strong complexing ability and was successfully complexed with different kinds of metals. Relatively, Schiff Bases was used in many studies about method development for metal quantitation. Developing studies about porphyrin Schiff base complexes could solve some environmental or health issues regarding heavy metal management.

Keywords: Porphyrins, Schiff bases, Porphyrin Synthesis, Metalloporphyrin, Metal Quantitation

1. Introduction

Many chemical substances do not occur naturally and a wide variety of products we use and consume are made up of synthesized chemicals. The fact that chemical synthesis gives us the ability to make these chemical compounds shows how important and valuable chemical synthesis is. Synthesis comes

out of four pyrrole rings associated by methine spans. The carbon on the methine (-CH=) bridge are called meso-position, while the peripheral pyrrolic positions are called as B-positions. Also, porphyrins contain 22 conjugated π electrons but only 18 π electrons are necessary to maintain a closed conjugated aromatic system. The 4 remaining π electrons



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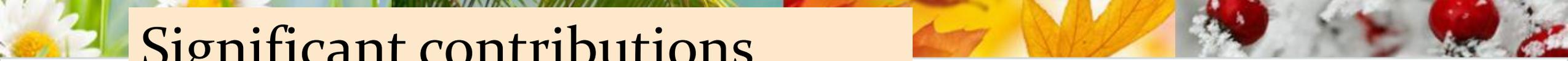


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Activities (*as indicated in TOR)	Deliverables (*as indicated in TOR)	% accomplished	Remarks
1. Assist and provide expert advice for DOST grants	Written report	100%	Extended help in the assistance of use of laboratory equipment, invited to PUP Chemistry congress





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Activities (*as indicated in TOR)	Deliverables (*as indicated in TOR)	% accomplished	Remarks
2. Develop proposals and conduct research	Corresponding project outputs such as on solid phase extraction techniques and its fabrication but not limited to ISI publication/s, place/s developed, and list/number of people mentored,	100%	





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3. Establishment of research laboratory with a thrust on environmental health including the creation of a waste treatment facility	<ul style="list-style-type: none">• Comprehensive and sustainable research plan• Documentation of the establishment of the facility• Highlights of meeting with stakeholders and recommendation report	100%	





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4. Yearly submission of proposals to DOST PCIEERD aligned with the HNRDA	<ul style="list-style-type: none">• Copies of submitted research proposals	100%	
5. Coordinate research and development activities at PUP	Report of R&D breakthroughs of PUP	100%	





Summary

Activities (*as indicated in TOR)	Deliverables (*as indicated in TOR)	% accomplished	Remarks
6. Conduct research proposal writing workshop/s for PUP faculty and researchers for the submission of their respective proposals to DOST and other funding institutions	<ul style="list-style-type: none">• Packaged research project proposals ready for submission	100%	





Summary

Activities (*as indicated in TOR)	Deliverables (*as indicated in TOR)	% accomplished	Remarks
7. Establish research collaborations between universities in the Philippines	<ul style="list-style-type: none">• Highlights of the meeting• Recommendation report• MOU's and list of students/researchers and faculty members participating in the linkage	100%	





Summary

Activities (*as indicated in TOR)	Deliverables (*as indicated in TOR)	% accomplished	Remarks
8.Coordinate with Kyoto University for future collaborations	<ul style="list-style-type: none">• Research Plan• Minutes of the meeting	100%	
9.Assist faculty, researchers and students in their research study	<ul style="list-style-type: none">• List of faculty and students mentored• Highlights of their respective research works	100%	





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10. Conduct lectures in Chemistry and related course	• Class lists for the lectures	100%	
11. Act as external reviewer for PCIEERD funded projects when needed	List of refereed projects	NA	Attended project meetings





Summary

Additional activities conducted

Activities (*as indicated in TOR)	Deliverables (*as indicated in TOR)	% accomplished	Remarks
Additional activities conducted			
1. Laboratory management			
2. Assistance to FT building			





6Ps Summary

	Name	Duration	Place (if applicable)
People Trained/Collaborated	College of Science Lab Staff (2), Assistants(8), Volunteers (50), Students (1000+) Al air project members (9) Other scoping project members (18) Chem Students (200) Bio Students (200) Physics Students (100) College Faculty (40) TESDA Instructors (30) Others (100)	2018 - 2021	



6Ps Summary

	Title of Project	Date implemented	Funding Agency
Project Implemented	Fe in iodized salt Al air Scoping Metals and Plastics	2018 2019 2020 2021	USAID DOST PCIEERD Kyoto University, Japan

	Title of Publication	Date of Submission	Place (if applicable)
Publications	15 full paper publications 3 conference papers 18 submissions	2018 - 2021	





6Ps Summary

	Title of Presentation	Date	Place
Presentation made	Waste Management Proposal writing for TESDA Microbial Fuel Cells Proposal writing for DOST Indigenous material for waste treatment Isotope for biodiversity Scoping Reports	2018 - 2021	PUP, UP, MPC, web MMIEERDC, Davao, Indonesia





6Ps Summary

	Title of Proposal	Date of submission	Funding Agency
Proposal	Pesticide kit Microplastics Dengue kit NICER IDP for Chemistry Plastics in Asia Nutrients in Asia Iron in salt Al air Renewable energy Products from plastic wastes	2018 - 2021	DOST, Newton Fund, UKRI, CHED, DND, eAsia, etc





6Ps Summary



Others: may include equipment donation, patent, curriculum developed, machine blueprint, etc.

LED TV donation from Batch mates

Portable equipment

High School project and immersion assistance

student assistants, volunteers

Accreditation documents

ISO audit

Instructional Manual Inorganic Chemistry and Analytical Chemistry

others





THE CHALLENGES

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Institution

Alignment of researches with priority goals

Budget to execute activities

Government procurement law

Organization

It hard to lead leaders or manage managers

You cannot please everybody

Some people quit or complain when things have to be done that needed hard work or challenging

Personal

Life work balance

Parenthood

Community

Pandemic



RECOMMENDATIONS

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Strategize

Patience

Cheer up

Pray

Personal kumustahan

Make friends

Meet family members

Thank God for all
your blessings

10 Life Messages

1. Your aspirations are your possibilities, keep them always high.
2. Like instant coffee, there is no instant success. Work hard, success will follow.
3. But work hard in silence. Let success make the noise.
4. Persistence pays. It is always too soon to quit.
5. Don't wait for opportunities to knock on your door, create opportunities, build your own doors.
6. You can do anything but not everything. So choose. Focus.
7. Be curious for ever. Creativity follows curiosity. New creation follows creativity.
8. When someone tells you it can't be done, take it more as a reflection of his limitation, not yours.
9. 'I' in every individual must stand for innovation, not for inhibition or imitation. It is better to fail in originality, than succeed in imitation.
10. There is no limit to human imagination and achievement, excepting the limits you yourself put on your mind. So go limitless. Outperform yourself.

- Dr. R. A. Mashelkar



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CHALLENGING BUT EVERYTHING IS WORTH IT

