LOOKING BACK

THE FIRST EVER HRM ALUMNI HOMECOMING
YESTERDAY, TODAY AND TOMORROW: A Decade of Excellence
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The HRM Alumni Homecoming is the first ever homecoming organized by the Hotel and Restaurant Management 4th year students enrolled in the events management class. The activity was held on 20 February 2016 in the HRMTC 3rd floor Ballroom.

Mr. Jamleon V. Javier was the team leader of the HRM Alumni Homecoming under the guidance of Ms. Pamela Acevedo Go and Ms. Amelia S. Butial. The homecoming was conceptualized, organized, and planned by the select core team members, namely Mr. Javier, Ms. Gulrajani, Ms. Cantos, Ms. Bichel, Ms. Hipolito, Mr. Mateo, Ms. Geronimo, and Ms. Salas.

The event was attended by former Hotel and Restaurant Management students of SPU Manila from Batch 2006 to the 2015 graduates. The theme of the homecoming was black and white with a touch of Hollywood that gave the evening an elegant look and made the whole event tasteful and classy.

The HRM Homecoming featured a video showcasing and celebrating a decade of excellence of the HRM batches, their successes and their memories of their life as Paulinian HRM students. It was followed by a very beautiful inspirational message from Sr. Ma. Evangeline Anastacio, SPC, University President. The night was truly beautiful. All the hardships of the team were worth it. It was a very memorable event for the HRM alumni, former and present faculty, and the organizers of the event.

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Here are some pictures of the event:
Once again, the College of Business and Management (CBM) organized a Student Research Forum with the theme, “CBM’s Best Undergraduate Research Studies 2016.” The event was held on 18 March 2016 in the HRM Training Center, 2nd Floor Function Room. Best student researches from the undergraduate and graduate programs of the College of Business and Management were presented to 3rd and 4th year students of the college.

The main objective of the activity was to showcase CBM students completed research papers through oral presentations and provide a venue for the exchange of information between researchers, administrators, practitioners, and students. It was also an opportune time to share innovative approaches in conducting research among students and faculty.

The following presented their papers:
• Practices and Problems Encountered in Food Waste Management among Select Casual Dining Restaurants in Robinson’s Place Manila
  Alonzo, Jullian Albert  Cruz, Jenica Carla  
  Fujimoto, Masago  Javier, Jamleon  
  Manlapaz, Lordylei (HRM 4)
• From Shooting to Booming: A Multiple Case Study of Teleserye Locations Turned to Tourist Attractions
  De Leon, Dennyse Nicole  Dizon, Judelle Mhey  
  Jimenez, Jaira Fay  Kuan, Jazmine Ann C. (BST 4)
• Customer Perception on Kazuko Japanese Restaurant: Basis for a Proposed Japanese Dish
  Barrameda, Bettina  Bernardo, Melissa  
  Sunga, Gianna  Magnaye, Aldous Terrenz  
  Salazar, Maria Reycelyn
  Ms. Irish S. Tuquib (MBA-OD)
• Anihan Technical School Industry Partner’s HR Policies and Practices: An Evaluation
  Ms. Mary Rosario C. Lappay (MBA-HRM)
• Chodan: A 3D Virtual Reality Game
  Alvin R. Betoya (CS4)

Presenters from the Hotel and Restaurant Management Program

Presenters from the Tourism Program
The Growth Session for SPU Manila Scholars entitled “Study Habits of Successful Students” was held on 5 March 2016 from 1:00 to 4:00 P.M. in the Guidance Testing Room. The session was organized mainly to address specific issues of the scholars identified during the needs assessment survey conducted on 5 October 2016.

Results of the needs assessment showed that motivation, study habits, and time management were the most dominant concerns of the currently enrolled scholars. These were the topics covered in the session. The module designed by Ms. Raquel D.R. Evangelista, RGC was facilitated by her two other co-counselors in the University, Mr. Ajocrivipor P. Agojo I, RGC, who discussed the objectives of the session and good study habits of successful students, and Ms. Maria Cecilia Q. Gutierrez, RGC who talked on effective time management and motivation techniques.
Through the growth session, the scholars were be able to:

1. Evaluate self in terms of personal study habits, time management skills, and techniques in staying motivated in school;
2. Optimize school experience by acquiring habits, skills, and adapting techniques necessary in succeeding in school; and
3. Respond to their pressing needs.

There were a total of 20 scholars who participated in the said activity. Seven were Education Grantees, seven Student Assistants, two Paula Pilipina Scholars, two PD451 Scholars, and two Mother Bernard Recipients.

Christmas Socialization of Paulinian Scholars

On 16 December 2015, the Paulinian Scholars gathered for a simple Christmas Socialization. In the spirit of giving and sharing, the scholars had lunch sponsored by the SPU Manila administrators and exchanged gifts with one another.

Ms. Mae Arañas and Ms. Kaye Evangelista donated gifts, which were distributed to each of the participants through a raffle. To show their gratitude, the scholars likewise gave the President,
her Council, and Ms. Evangelista gifts with very meaningful messages that clearly demonstrated the spirit of the joyous season.
ALUMNAE GATHERINGS

High School 1965
Despedida for Lylwynn Gonzales
Lorenzo’s Way
3 April 2016
L-R: Angelica Gonzales, Malou Tuason, Lylwynn, Beth Concepcion, Carolle Agbulos, Yvonne Vergara, Dottie Lucasan, Millie Braganza, Coci Andal, and Josie Guytingco

SPMAFI Meeting
Meeting Room 1
5 April 2016

High School 1968
Lunch for Betsy Mamawal
Via Mare Oyster Bar
5 April 2016
L-R: Rose Montano, Corito Sevilla, Sandy Cirpiano, Alice Roco, Betsy Mamawal, and Loowee Andal

Vicky Martinez’s death anniversary
La Nuova Pasteleria
6 April 2016
L-R: Lucy Uy, Aida Bautista, Ruby Tuason, Maureen Sandejas, Sherry Alingod, Flora Bernardo, Judy Sandejas, MOM, Vicky’s daughter, and Ruby Tanyu

High School 1965
Welcome Dinner for Sol Ilagan
Krazy Garlic
7 April 2016
L-R: Beth Concepcion, Millie Braganza, Sol, and Marilen Ruiz