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SPU MANILA SENIOR HIGH SCHOOL STUDENTS WELCOMED

SPU Manila welcomed 1,218 Senior High School students for school year 2018-2019. The student and parents attended an orientation activity on 9 June 2018.

The program, which was held in the Fleur-de-lis Theater, included a welcome address by Sr. Evangeline Anastacio, SPC, University President and a talk on Paulinian values by Sr. Jesusa Taccad, SPC, Vice President for Christian Formation.

Part of Sr. Evangeline's welcome speech follows:



Your excitement is so palpable I could cut it with a knife and, as the song goes, "put it in my pocket and save it for a rainy day." But I am sure there is also some fear in you—fear of the unknown. To dispel that fear, let me just tell you a few things about your new school: St. Paul University Manila. This is a Catholic school, which means that we are concerned not just with your excellence in academics but also, and more so, with your formation as children of God. This means we will seek to mold you to be good citizens of the country, good citizens of this world, and good citizens of the next world—heaven.

Today marks your first step at becoming a Paulinian, which means being simple, being Christ-centered, being committed, being all to all. It means regarding everyone with respect, regardless of race, color, or creed. But do not be intimidated. Being a Paulinian also means making friends with fellow students; learning joyfully from competent and caring teachers; engaging in sports; expressing yourself in singing, dancing, acting, writing; making the most of your two years in senior high school before you make the decision to go to college or join the workforce. Being a Paulinian means sharing a tradition with many famous alumni, who have made their mark in government, education, business, the arts—and having the opportunity to reach for the stars and become like them. Being a senior high school Paulinian means being the "bunso" in the large St. Paul Manila Family so be assured that you will be well taken care of (but not spoiled!).

Being a Paulinian means having Christ as your ever-loving God. I invite you to look up at the figure of Christ on the façade of our chapel—and see His outstretched arms reaching out to you. Being a Paulinian also means having me as your mother, and I now also open my arms to you and say, "Welcome to the family! Welcome to your new second home!"

After the orientation program, new students and their parents were given a tour around the campus by student leader volunteers. Among the places they toured were the Chapel of the Crucified Christ, the SPU Museum and Archives, and the college building, with classrooms and learning facilities.



Sr. Jesusa talking on Paulinian values...



New students and parents in the museum...



Student leaders volunteer for the campus tour...

Officers of Paulinian Public Relations with some new students...



Welcome to the Paulinian Family!

FROM THE COLLEGE OF MUSIC AND THE PERFORMING ARTS



What can you do with a Music Degree?

HELP OTHERS LIVE BETTER LIVES THROUGH MUSIC

Bachelor of Music in Music Education with concentration on MUSIC THERAPY

Apart from working in the general classroom and the private music studio, if you graduate with the degree Bachelor of Music in Music Education with concentration on Music Therapy, you are also equipped with the necessary skills to handle students with special needs. More importantly, through individualized music therapy sessions, you can use music to help differently-abled individuals become more integrated members of the society.

COMPETENTLY PERFORM AS A SOLOIST

Bachelor of Music in Piano
Bachelor of Music in Voice
Bachelor of Music in Marimba
Bachelor of Music in Guitar
Bachelor of Music in Violin

Bachelor of Music in Performance
major in:
Strings
Brass
Woodwind
Percussion

TEACH

Bachelor of Music in Music Education
areas of concentration:
Piano
Voice
Violin
Guitar
Organ
Marimba
Music Theory
Composition
Brass
Strings
Woodwinds
Percussion

A Bachelor of Music in Music Education degree allows you to confidently and effectively teach in both the general classroom and the private music studio.

HELP MANAGE A THEATRICAL PRODUCTION

Bachelor of Music in Music Education with concentration on TECHNICAL THEATER

While still focused on developing confident and effective teachers in the general classroom, the degree Bachelor of Music in Music Education with concentration on Technical Theater gives you the skills necessary to work in the field as a backstage theater practitioner. All these without forgetting training as on-stage performers as well.

AND WITH OTHERS

Bachelor of Music in Piano Accompanying and Chamber Music

Advanced technique, finesse, and a deep understanding of style allows you to develop a long and rewarding performing career. These performance-focused programs give you a solid foundation and help you become the best musician you can be.

The College of Music and the Performing Arts of St. Paul University Manila is big enough to give you a rich and varied musical experience but small enough to afford you the individualized attention and care that you deserve.

IOB BEGINS NEW VOLUME

The Inter-Office Bulletin (IOB) begins a new volume this school year. It will be recalled that the bulletin was launched in 2007 after the planning session in Bangkok.

The objective of the bulletin has been to inform the SPU Manila community of a particular office's activities and improve the presence of the different sectors of the school.

The IOB went into limbo twice; first when it was decided not to print hard copies but instead to upload it in the website; and second when the website had some problems.

Since then, it has come out every week with accounts of past activities and announcements of future ones. At times, there has been a dearth of news so the editor renews the call for regular contributions from the Deans, Chairpersons, and Office Heads.

Contributions may be sent in lay-out form but not necessarily. Data and raw pictures are acceptable.

ALUMNI ACTIVITIES

**SPMAFI Meeting
with 2019 Jubilarians
5 June 2018
Meeting Room 1**

**On tap:
Visit to the CIW
6 July 2018**



**High School 1973
Vietnam Tour
16-23 June 2018**

**High School 1965
Lunch for Emelita Cruz
22 June 2018
UCC Café, Rockwell**

