

NATIONAL CONFERENCE ON PHILIPPINE PLANT CONSERVATION

PROGRAM

Duration: 3 days
Tentative date: July 26–28, 2023
Venue: Eastwood Richmond Hotel, Quezon City, Metro Manila

Day 1 (July 26, 2023)		
TIME	ACTIVITY	SPEAKER/FACILITATOR
8:00 AM–9:00 AM	Registration of participants	
9:01 AM–10:00 AM	Opening Program	Emcee: Mr. Carlo Bartolata Jr. Human Resources Development Service (HRDS), DENR
	Invocation	
	National Anthem	
	Welcome Remarks	Asec. Marcial C. Amaro, Jr. BMB Director In concurrent capacity as Assistant Secretary for Policy, Planning and Foreign-Assisted and Special Projects
	Introduction of Keynote Speaker	Dr. Carlos Primo C. David Undersecretary for Integrated Environmental Science
	Keynote Message/s	Sec. Maria Antonia Yulo Loyzaga DENR Secretary
	Introduction of Participants (by group/institutions)	
	Photo Opportunity	
	Opening and Viewing of the Poster Exhibits / Ribbon Cutting	
10:01 AM -10:15 AM	BREAK	
10:16 AM–11:00 AM	Plenary Session 1: <i>Philippine Plant Conservation Strategy and Action Plan (PPCSAP)</i>	Dr. Edwino S. Fernando Vice-Chair, Philippine Plant Conservation Committee (PPCC), University of the Philippines Los Baños (UPLB)
11:01 AM–11:45 AM	Plenary Session 2: <i>Policy Issuances/ Implementation and International Agreements related to plant conservation</i>	Plenary Chair: For. Raul M. Briz PPCC Member, Forest Management Bureau (FMB)
	DENR’s policies related to plant conservation, Wildlife Law Enforcement International Agreements	For. Armida P. Andres BMB OIC Assistant Director In concurrent capacity as Chief, Coastal and Marine Division
11:46 AM–12:00 AM	Open Forum	

12:01 NN–1:00 PM	LUNCH BREAK	
1:01 PM–1:30 PM	Plenary Session 3: <i>Research and development initiatives from the academe, civil society, and research institutions on plant conservation</i>	Plenary Chair: Dr. Sandra L. Yap PPCC Member Philippine Native Plants Conservation Society Inc. (PNPCSI)
1:31 PM–2:00 PM		Dr. Marlito Jose M. Bande Visayas State University (VSU)
2:01 PM–2:15 PM		Dr. Isidro C. Sia Integrated Medicine for Alternative Healthcare System, (INAM) Philippines, Inc.
2:16 PM–2:30 PM	BREAK	
2:31 PM–3:00 PM	Plenary Session 3: Forest Tree Seed Quality Enhancement and Development for Conservation of Forest Tree Species BINHI Program	Dr. Dennis M. Gilbero Ecosystems Research and Development Bureau (ERDB)
3:01 PM–3:30 PM		Energy Development Corporation (EDC)
3:31 PM–4:00 PM		Ms. Vernie Valdez- Lucero Los Baños Horticulture Society Inc. (LBHSI)
4:01 PM–4:15 PM		Open Forum
4:16 PM–4:30 PM	Plenary Session 4: <i>Special Projects on Plant Conservation</i> Plant conservation in the Mindoro and Eastern Mindanao Corridors: BD Corridor Project	Plenary Chair: Dr. Aida B. Lapis PPCC Member Plant Expert
4:31 PM–5:00 PM		BD Corridor Project
5:01 PM–5:15 PM		Mr. Anthony C.T.M. Foronda ABS Project Manager

Day 2 (July 27, 2023)		
TIME	ACTIVITY	SPEAKER/FACILITATOR
8:00 AM–8:10 AM	Highlights of Day 1	
	Plenary Session 5: <i>Updates on plant conservation in Protected Areas</i>	Plenary Chair: Dr. Cecilia Banag-Moran PPCC Member University of Santo Tomas (UST)

8:11 AM–8:40 AM	Plant conservation in protected areas	National Parks Division (NPD), BMB
8:41 AM–9:00 AM	<u>Contributions of PAs to plant conservation</u> Case 1: Mt. Banahaw-San Cristobal Protected Landscape	PASu Josephine M. Barrion
9:01 AM–9:15 AM	Case 2: Balinsasayao Twin Lakes Natural Park	PASu Moreno S. Tagra
09:16 AM–09:30 AM	BREAK	
09:31 AM–09:45 AM	Case 3: Mt. Hamiguitan Range Wildlife Sanctuary	PASu Rolly Tapeç
09:45 AM–10:00 AM	Open Forum	
10:01 – 12:00 NN	Workshop Groupings and Mechanics	For. Mirasol E. Ocampo Chief, Wildlife Conservation Section Wildlife Resources Division (WRD), BMB
12:01 NN–1:00 PM	LUNCH BREAK	
1:01 PM–5:00 PM	<p>Workshop 1: Philippine Plant Conservation Strategy and Action Plan (PPCSAP)</p> <p>Workshop 2: Policy Issuances/ Implementation and International Agreements</p> <p>Workshop 3: Research and development initiatives from the academe, civil society, and research institutions on plant conservation</p> <p>Workshop 4: Developing regional concept proposals on plant conservation</p>	<p><i>Facilitator:</i> Dr. Sandra L. Yap</p> <p><i>Resource Person:</i> Dr. Edwino S. Fernando</p> <p><i>Facilitator:</i> For. Raul M. Briz</p> <p><i>Resource Person:</i> For. Armida P. Andres</p> <p><i>Facilitator:</i> For. Romana A. Mauricio PPCC Member ERDB</p> <p><i>Resource Persons:</i> Dr. Marlito Jose M. Bande Dr. Dennis M. Gilbero For. Ronino Gibe</p> <p><i>Facilitator:</i> Dr. Victor B. Amoroso / Dr. Fulgent P. Coritico PPCC Members Central Mindanao University(CMU)</p> <p><i>Resource Persons:</i> Dr. Isidro C. Sia Dr. Nimfa K. Torreta</p>

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Day 3 (July 28, 2023)		
TIME	ACTIVITY	SPEAKER/FACILITATOR
8:00 AM–08:10 AM	Highlights of Day 2	Dr. William Sm. Gruezo PPCC Member Plant Expert
08:11 AM–9:30 AM	Presentation of Workshop Outputs	
9:31 AM–10:30 AM	Presentation on the updated PPCSAP Framework	Dr. Sandra L. Yap
10:31 AM–11:30 AM	Presentation on the updating of the National list of Philippine Threatened Plants	Dr. Edwino S. Fernando
11:31 AM–12:00 NN	Open Forum	
12:01 NN–1:00 PM	LUNCH BREAK	
1:01 PM onwards	Closing Program	Atty. Theresa M. Tenazas Officer-in-Charge, WRD and Head, Legal Unit, BMB
	Synthesis and Ways Forward	
	Closing remarks	
	Raffle	
	Distribution of Certificates	