

# INTERNATIONAL COUNCIL FOR EDUCATION OF PEOPLE WITH VISUAL IMPAIRMENT

## EAST ASIA REGIONAL CONFERENCE

Them: "Rights-based Education and Sustainable Development Goals  
for Persons with Visual Impairment"

NOVOTEL Manila, Philippines

16-18 October 2018

### TENTATIVE PROGRAM

TIME	ACTIVITIES	VENUE
<b>Monday , 15<sup>th</sup> October, 2018, Day 0</b>		
09:00-05:00PM	REGISTRATION OPEN	
<b>Tuesday , 16<sup>th</sup> October, 2018, Day 1</b>		
07:00-8:45AM	REGISTRATION OPEN	
08:45-10:00AM	<p><b>OPENING PROGRAM</b></p> <p><b>National Anthem</b> <b>Doxology</b> <b>Acknowledgement of Guests and Delegates</b> <b>Welcome Messages</b></p> <p><b>Ms. Amy O. Mojica</b> Chairperson, Host Committee</p> <p><b>Ms. Aria Indrawati</b> ICEVI, East Asia Regional Chair</p> <p><b>Dr. Yolanda S. Quijano</b> Chairman, Scientific Program Committee</p> <p><b>Special Number</b> <b>Philippine National School for the Blind Students</b></p> <p><b>Keynote Speaker</b> <b>Her Excellency Maria Leonor Gerona-Robredo</b> Vice President, Republic of the Philippines <b><i>"Rights-Based Education and Sustainable Development Goals for Persons with Visual Impairment"</i></b></p>	<p>Monet Ballroom 2 &amp; 3</p>

TIME	ACTIVITIES	VENUE
10:00-10:30AM	COFFEE BREAK	
10:30-12:00NN	<p align="center"><b>PLENARY SESSION 1</b>  <b>Panel Discussion</b>  <i>UNCRPD And The Incheon Strategies  In Light Of SDGs in The ASEAN Perspective</i></p> <p align="center"><b>Mr. Monthian Buntan</b>  Member, National Legislative Assembly, Royal Thai Parliament  Former Senator, Upper House, Royal Thai Parliament  Member, UNCRPD; Thailand Association for the Blind</p> <p align="center"><b>Ms. Michiko Tabata</b>  President, World Blind Union, Asia Pacific</p> <p align="center"><b>Mr. Andrew Griffith</b>  Head of Advocacy, Sight Savers, USA</p>	Monet Ballroom 2 & 3
12:00-01:00PM	LUNCH BREAK	
01:30-5:00PM	<b>CONCURRENT SESSIONS 1 &amp; 4</b>	To Be Announced (TBA))
<b>Wednesday, 17<sup>th</sup> October 2018, Day 2</b>		
07:30-08:00AM	REGISTRATION	
08:00 –08:30AM	PRELIMINARIES	
08:30 -10:00AM	<p align="center"><b>PLENARY SESSION 2</b>  <b>Panel Discussion</b>  <i>Inclusion, Assistance and Support Services: Progress and  Prospects</i></p> <p align="center"><b>Prof. Kay Alicyn Ferrel</b>  Professor of Special Education, University of Northern  Colorado, USA</p> <p align="center"><b>Dr. Praveena Sukhraj</b>  Chairperson, Advocacy &amp; Information Committee of Blind,  South Africa; Vice President, ICEVI</p> <p align="center"><b>Dr. Lorna Dig Dino or Dr. Tony, DepEd</b>  Early Intervention and Basic Education in the Philippines</p> <p align="center"><b>Dr. Emanuel C. De Guzman</b>  President, Polytechnic University of the Philippines</p>	Monet Ballroom 2 & 3

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10:00 10:30AM	<b>COFFEE BREAK</b>	
10:30-12:00NN	<p><b>PLENARY SESSION 3</b>  <i>Education, Technology and Employment  ICEVI &amp; ONNET Experiences</i></p> <p><b>Ms. Aria Indrawati</b>  President, Pertuni (The Indonesian Blind Association)  Indonesia</p> <p><b>Mr. San Hoai Phuc</b>  Sao Mai Center for the Blind, Vietnam</p> <p><b>Mr. Auray Aun</b>  Executive Director, Krousar Thamey, Cambodia</p> <p><b>Ms. Yamin Ohnmar</b>  General Secretary  Myanmar National Association for the Blind</p> <p><b>Mr. Thongsouk Keonamany</b>  Professor, National University of Laos Bouakeo, Laos</p> <p><b>Ms. Gerel Dondovdorj</b>  President, Mongolian National federation of the Blind</p> <p><b>Mr. Ryan Q. Operario</b>  Project Officer, Resources for the Blind, Inc.</p>	Monet Ballroom 2 & 3
12:00-01:00PM	<b>LUNCH BREAK</b>	
01:30-03:00PM	<p><b>CONCURRENT SESSIONS 5 &amp; 8</b>  <i>Inclusion, Assistance and Support Services:  Progress and Prospects</i>  <b>(TBA)</b></p>	
15:00 -15:30	<b>COFFEE BREAK</b>	
15:30-05:00	<p><b>CONCURRENT SESSIONS 7 &amp; 9</b>  <i>Appropriate and Effective Assistive Devices for Persons  with Visual Impairment including in their Education</i>  <b>(TBA)</b></p>	(TBA)

TIME	ACTIVITIES	VENUE
<b>Thursday, 18<sup>th</sup> October 2018, Day 3</b>		
07:30-05:00	Secretariat Table (Open for Certificate Distribution)	
08:00-08:30	PRELIMINARIES	
8:30 -10:00AM	<p style="text-align: center;"><b>PLENARY SESSION 4</b> <i>Special Services</i></p> <p style="text-align: center;"><b>Ms. Debbie Gleason, Perkins International</b> <b>Ms. Nandini Raval, Blind People’s Association India</b> Multiple Disabilities with Visual Impairment (MDVI)</p> <p style="text-align: center;"><b>Ms. Karin Van Dijk</b> Global Low Vision Consultant, Christoffel Blindenmission</p> <p style="text-align: center;"><b>Mr. Michael I. Barredo</b> Former President, International Blind Sports Federation (IBSA); <b>President, PHILSPADA</b></p>	Monet Ballroom 2 & 3
10:00-10:30AM	COFFEE BREAK	
10:30-12:00NN	<p style="text-align: center;"><b>PLENARY SESSION 5</b> <i>Legislation and Advocacy</i></p> <p style="text-align: center;"><b>Dr. Bushon Punani</b> Executive Director, Blind Peoples Association, Ahmedabad</p> <p style="text-align: center;"><b>Ms. Aria Indrawati</b> President, Pertuni (The Indonesian Blind Association) Indonesia</p> <p style="text-align: center;"><b>Mr. Mateo Lee, Jr.</b> Deputy Executive Director National Council on Disability Affairs</p>	Monet Ballroom 2 & 3
12:00-01:00PM	LUNCH BREAK	
01:30-03:00PM	<p style="text-align: center;"><b>CONCURRENT SESSIONS 10 &amp; 12</b> <i>Drafting of the Declaration on the Education of Children with Visual Impairment Inclusion Multiple Disabilities</i></p>	(TBA)
03:00-3:30PM	COFFEE BREAK	
03:30-05:00PM	<p style="text-align: center;"><b>CLOSING PROGRAM</b> <b>Manila Declaration on the Education of Visual Impairment &amp; MDVI</b></p>	Monet Ballroom 2 & 3
05:01PM	<b><i>End of the 2018 ICEVI East Asia Conference</i></b>	