

Final Announcement and Invitation:



BIOTA Annual National Convention & Scientific Sessions



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***Paradigm Shifts in the Curriculum:
Challenges & Opportunities for Biologists***

9-11 April 2015

Ateneo de Manila University
Katipunan Avenue, Loyola Heights, Quezon City



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Call to Convention

It is with great pleasure that we invite you to the Ateneo de Manila University, to attend the **50th BIOTA Annual National Convention and Scientific Sessions** on April 9-11, 2015 with the theme **“Paradigm Shifts in the Curriculum: Challenges & Opportunities for Biologists.”**

Convention Activities at a glance:

April 9 (Thu)	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Opening Ceremonies • Opening of Poster and Commercial Exhibits • Plenary Sessions • Concurrent Lecture Seminars • Fellowship Dinner
April 10 (Fri)	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Plenary Sessions • Business Meeting • Concurrent Workshops
April 11 (Sat)	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Plenary Sessions • Field Trip/AdMU Campus Tour • Closing and Awarding Ceremonies

Call for Papers

BIOTA members and interested participants are invited to present a paper under any of these three (3) categories:

- **Workshop Paper** – a 1-hr. lecture-demonstration or hands-on activity to be presented during the Scientific Sessions. Please indicate willingness to give a repeat session.
- **Seminar Paper** – a 25-minute lecture-seminar and Q&A to be presented during the Scientific Sessions.
- **Poster Presentation** – poster size: 36”(W) x 46”(L); to be presented at the Poster Exhibit.

Please see <http://biotaph.org/biota2015> for submission guidelines regarding your abstract proposals. Only online submissions via biotafifty@gmail.com will be accepted on or before **March 2, 2015** (Friday).

Only officially registered and paid participants (by **March 4, 2015**, Wednesday) are allowed to present a paper and to have their abstracts included in the souvenir program.

Registration Fee

Includes membership fee, convention materials (except for Student Associate Members), 3-day snacks & lunches, field trip and fellowship dinner. Extra field trip fee may be collected on-site (optional).

	Early bird (on or before March 4, 2015)	On-site (March 5, onwards)
Regular Member	PhP 3,100	PhP 3,400
Current Life Member	PhP 2,800	PhP 3,100
Incoming/New Life Member*	PhP 5,800*	PhP 6,100*
Student Associate Member - Undergraduate students**	PhP 1,900***	PhP 1,900***

* Must have attended at least one national or regional convention within the past three years.

** Valid I.D. must be presented; *** Convention material not included

Registration Form

Please type or print in BLOCK LETTERS
Email this form to biotafifty@gmail.com
Or register online via <http://biotaph.org/biota2015>

Name (✓ one): [] Prof. [] Dr. [] Mr. [] Ms.

(Family Name) (Given Name) (M.I.)

Affiliation/Complete School Name & Address

Mailing Address (✓ one): [] Office/School [] Home

Office Tel. No. : _____

Email Address : _____

Mobile No. : _____

[] I am attending the 50th BIOTA Annual National Convention and Scientific Sessions

[] I am presenting a (please limit to one per category; max of two papers only):

[] Workshop Paper

[] Seminar Paper

[] Poster

Under the category:

[] Competing for awards

[] Non Competing

Under the sub-theme:

[] Pedagogical practices

[] K to 12 science curriculum implementation

[] Research and development in the Life Sciences

[] Issues concerning biodiversity and climate change

[] Issues and solutions concerning health and wellness

[] Others (pls. specify): _____

School Level: [] Gr 1-6 [] Gr 7-10 [] Tertiary

Title of Paper/Poster:

Audio Visual and Other requirements

BANK PAYMENT INFORMATION

Make all registration payment to:

**Biology Teachers Association of the Philippines Inc.
Bank of the Philippine Islands (BPI) EDSA-Ortigas Branch
Account No. 3101-0990-15**

Please scan your deposit slip with your printed name and the BPI branch where the deposit was made, and email with Subject: 50th BIOTA PAYMENT INFO to

biotafifty@gmail.com