PRME SIP REPORT
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PRME Principles for Responsible Management Education
“Aldersgate College sustains its value through developing the power of reason, to liberate people from ignorance, penury, and hopelessness and empower them to commence their own journey for social and economic transformation and spiritual salvation Thus our goal is to make environmental sustainability a way of thinking, a way of doing business, a way of promoting economic development without incurring environmental damage, in essence, a way of life that insures our well-being and that of all the generations to come. This will be inducted in all our curriculums and in teacher trainings so that the value of its true meanings can be delivered through various forms of teaching methodology for student centric learning. Aldersgate will further accomplish this goal through research, training, public outreach, and much more. As a signatory to PRME, Aldersgate College will become one of the best places within the Philippines to conduct or sponsor research in environmental sustainability because it brings together through its Association the ICCAPI some of the best researchers, environmental research institutions and industry players in the world through to tackle problems in environmental sustainability. Whether in grade school, high school, college, business, industry or media, if someone is looking for information on environmental sustainability, Aldersgate College will be the place to go for the most up-to-date and reliable information on the issue”

Dr Don Prasad
Vice-president-International
March 05 2015

Japanese Ambassador Toshinao Urabe opened the new Centre for Women “the Project for Construction of Women's Training Center in Quezon, Nueva Vizcaya was initiated in 2013.” The project, amounting to approximately 4.1 million pesos, is funded through the Grant Assistance for Grassroots Human Security Projects (GGP).

Rural communities of Nueva Vizcaya have not been able to achieve their economic potential to the full. Aldersgate College attributes it to the fact that women in such areas have not had enough opportunities to participate in agricultural and vocational training. No matter how the women are willing to have training that directly leads to profitable economic activities, it would mean little if there is no appropriate facilities to conduct the training.

Through the training, women are expected to acquire organic farming with better productivity as well as marketing strategies and organizational skills. The training is also going to include food processing skills. Through the center, approximately 200 households of farmers in the area are expected to enjoy improvement of farming methods and marketing, as well as boost job opportunities.
ACTIVITIES IN 2016

April 06-20 2016

Aldersgate College International initiatives extended to educational outreach to under developed nations that aims to improve literacy and numeracy skills among children aged 6-16 years old in Africa. Thus using a citizen driven, learning-based assessment tool, and sharing the results with the broader community to encourage awareness, engagement, and action. Thus Dr Don Prasad Vice-President took on this project by working along with Professor Mahiyaa the Chairman of Christ College Primary and High School in the rural area of Zimbabwe. Dr Prasad conducted training skills with the small community of teachers in the school related to, Student Support, Education Delivery, School Support, Skills for Work, Education Technology and Girls' Education. In this Corporate Social initiative, Aldersgate College provides scholarships to outstanding students from this school seeking to pursue higher education in the Philippine.

October 22-29 2016

Aldersgate College in its continuous effort to involve in humanitarian outreach undertook a collaborative partnership with the Institute of Cultural Affairs Japan(ICAJ) to implement a Typhoon Relief Project funded by Japan Platform in Pasig City.

One hundred (100) evacuee-families at the Old Pasig city Capitol received relief goods composed of blankets, towels, underwears for women and children, water and groceries on October 27. And one thousand five hundred (1,500) families who are residents of Barangay Pinagbuhatan in Pasig...
City, which is still flooded one month after the typhoon, were given relief goods the next two days.

The project implementation was conducted by Shizuyo Sato, Director of ICA Japan and Masaru Tamura, International Project Manager. The Aldersgate College project team was led by Junifen F. Gauuan (College President), Marlene C. Cadang (Director-CREATE), and Carmencita G. Mendoza (Superintendent-ACCC). Volunteer leaders and workers from Pasig City as well as the support staff of Aldersgate College provided reliable and effective support to the project activities.

Those who participated in relief distribution included Shigehiro Matsuda, third Secretary of the Economic Section of the Embassy of Japan; Mrs. Francisca Delleva, Pasig City Social Work and Development Officer; and the wife of Pasig City Mayor Bobby Eusebio.

**ACTIVITIES IN 2017**

May 15-20, 2017

Aldersgate College with its partner institution AIMS College in Sri Lanka Organized the first PhD conference in Sustainable Development and practices held at Cinnamon Resort in Colombo. The aim of the conference is to share and identify practical, evidence-based solutions, that can support the government initiatives towards the adoption of sustainable practices in Sri Lanka. The event was inaugurated by Mr. Mohanlal Grero Minister of State Higher Education Sri Lanka. The conference was co-organized by Dr. Don Prasad (Vice-President of Aldersgate College) and Dr. Manchanayakke (Chairman of AIMS College). The event was attended by Development practitioners from academia, NGOs, government and the private sector are expected to share their research at the conference.
November 19 2017

The Aldersgate College Community Extension Program committee in collaboration with the College of Arts, Sciences and Education Community Extension Program (CASE-CEP) sponsored a literacy training and workshop with the theme, “Educating young minds, empowering the youths, enchanting the under privileged of the community.” This activity which aims to promote AC as a learning center for excellence in Nueva Vizcaya was held at the AC Audio-Visual room. The participants who were from Calao, Maasin and Darubba, Quezon, Nueva Vizcaya, were divided into four groups and were taught basic lessons on Mathematics, Science and English by student-teachers. Just like any other programs, recreational activities and fun games were injected to make the event more meaningful and enjoyable to the children.
ACTIVITIES IN 2018

January 07 2018

The Institute of Cultural Affairs (ICA) is a global community of non-profit organisations advancing human development worldwide formed a Philippines Chapter (ICAAPI) in collaboration with Aldersgate College. Through this chapter, Aldersgate College believes it will act as an association of individuals uplifting peoples and communities through participatory development to strengthen social and economic enterprises and promote peace, prosperity and global understanding. Dr Junifen the initiator of this Chapter is currently spearheading initiatives with various international firms from Japan and Taiwan in the area of hydroelectric plant development, Environmental Rehabilitation, Reforestation and Agroforestry for Neuva Vizchaya region. Currently ICAAPI is in talks with Polaris Malaysia owned by Mr Rajan a global renewable energy player to develop Solar development projects in the Philippines. From the experts’ panel in this Association, Aldersgate will capitalize in developing renewable energy undergraduate and postgraduate programs within the next two years.

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