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DIVISION MEMORANDUM
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PARTICIPATION IN MINDANAO ART 2025

To: Education Program Supervisors
Public Schools District Supervisors
District Coordinating Principals
Secondary and Elementary School Heads
All Others Concerned

1. Herewith is the Regional Memorandum CLMD-2025-485, dated September 1, 2025, re: Participation in Mindanao Art 2025, which will be held from September 21 to October 4, 2025, in Davao City.
2. All SPA Implementing Schools are encouraged to send their participants to the above-mentioned activity.
3. Proper arrangements must likewise be made to ensure that teacher-participants will have their classes appropriately delegated and supervised in their absence.
4. Parent Consent shall be secured and to be submitted to the school head for the participating learners prior to the attendance of the said activity. Participation in this activity is voluntary, and no DepEd funds shall be utilized for this purpose.
5. All other details of this memorandum are found in the enclosures.
6. Immediate dissemination of this Memorandum to all concerned is hereby requested.


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REGIONAL MEMORANDUM

CLMD-2025-485

INVITATION TO MINDANAO ART 2025

To: Schools Division Superintendents

1. Relative to the invitation from Rey Mudjamid "Kublai" P. Millan, Mindanao Art President, this Office announces the **Mindanao Art 2025**, organized by Lawig-Diwa Inc., in partnership with the National Commission for Culture and the Arts (NCCA) from September 21 to October 4, 2025 in Davao City.

2. Participation of DepEd teachers to the activity is discretionary on the part of the Schools Division Superintendent, in adherence to the policy on "No Disruption of Classes" per DepEd Order No. 9, s. 2005 entitled: "Instituting Measures to Increase Engaged Time-on-Task and Ensuring Compliance Therewith". No Government funds shall only be used for this purpose.

3. Other details of the above information are in the enclosures.

4. Immediate dissemination of this Memorandum is desired.

REBONFAMIL R. BAGUIO

Director III
Officer-In-Charge
Office of the Regional Director

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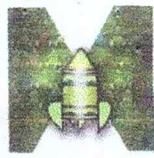
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MINDANAO ART 2025

August 18, 2025

ALLAN G. FARNAZO
Director IV
Department of Education
Regional Office 11
F. Torres St., Davao City

Dear Director Farnazo,

Maayong Adlaw!

It is our honor to invite the Department of Education – Region 11 to join Mindanao Art 2025, happening from September 21 to October 4, 2025, in Davao City. Organized by Lawig-Diwa Inc., in partnership with the NCCA and NCCA-NCAG, Mindanao Art has become the region's most significant art exhibition.

With the theme "**Leaping Beyond**," this year's fair calls on Mindanao creatives to aim for new heights—realizing their full potential, overcoming challenges, and expanding horizons.

An important component of the fair is MinArt Talks, a series of talks and workshops led by some of the country's most respected creatives. This year's speakers include acclaimed playwright and theatre director Dr. Steven Patrick Fernandez, curator, researcher, and dance director Prof. Leonardo Rey S. Cariño, Member of the Bangsamoro Parliament Datu Teng Mangansakan, and renowned artists Jun Impas, Daniel Sollesta, and Maria Magdamit.

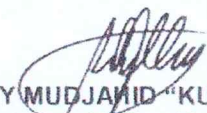
We are delighted to invite the students and teachers of the **SHS Arts and Design Program, the JHS Special Program in the Arts, MAPEH Art Teachers, School-based Art Clubs** to attend this talk on **September 22, 2025, at SM Lanang Cinema, from 8:00 AM to 12:00 noon**. We believe this will be a valuable opportunity for students and teachers—especially those in arts programs to broaden their perspectives by learning from some of the country's leading figures in the creative industries.

In addition, painting and sculpture workshops for the **Art Programs of both the Junior and Senior High School of Davao City National High School** are scheduled for **September 23, 2025**. With your approval, these will be held at the **DCNHS Conference Room and Gymnasium from 8:00 AM to 5:00 PM**. Guided by top-notch speakers, this activity promises to inspire creativity, strengthen skills, and make a lasting impact on your art program.

We sincerely hope you will join us in this endeavor. Should you have any questions about the activity, please feel free to reach us at mindanaoartfair@gmail.com.

We look forward to your positive response and to the opportunity of working with you on this meaningful event. Attached herewith is the Mindanao Art Talk rationale and program flow for your reference.

Daghan kaayong salamat!


REY MUDJAHID "KUBLAI" P. MILLAN
Mindanao Art President

DEPARTMENT OF EDUCATION - DIVISION OFFICE
Davao City
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Mindanao Art Talks 2025

22-23 September, 2025

SM Lanang Cinema/Davao City National High School, Davao City

Rationale

An integral part of Mindanao Art since the fair's inception, MinArt Talks features conversations, lectures, and workshops with some of the country's leading figures in the creative industries, given free to the Mindanao public, specially its own local artists. The goal of MinArt Talks is to elevate the practice and consumption of creative expressions in Mindanao, offering opportunities for Mindanawons to deepen their understanding and appreciation of the arts.

This year's MinArt Talks will span two days, held in two different locations in Davao City.

On the morning of the first day, celebrated filmmaker and international writer Datu Teng Mangansakan, award winning playwright and theatre director Dr Steven Fernandez, and curator and textile researcher Prof. Leonardo Cariño give their takes on the year's theme of 'Leaping Beyond' at the SM Lanang Cinema. Facilitated by Karlo Antonio Galay David, the panel discussion will explore how Mindanao's creatives can pursue new heights.

On the second day, acclaimed painter Jun Impas will give a lecture on still life painting at the Davao City National High School Conference Room. After a performance by General Santos City's Teatro Ambahanon, he will then oversee a workshop with participants responding in art to the performance at DCNHS Gymnasium. In the afternoon respected sculptors Daniel Sollesta and Maria Magdamit give lectures and oversee a workshop on sculpting with clay.

MinArt Talks will take place simultaneously with the art fair, which will run from 21 September to 1 October, 2025 at SM Lanang.

Participation

All the components of MinArt Talks are free and open to the public, although students, teachers, and non-teaching staff of the Department of Education Region XI have been especially invited and are given priority.

Participants taking part in all the workshops are expected to bring their own art materials.

List of Materials for Still Life Painting with Jun Impas

- Canvas Any size
- Oil Paints
- Brushers
- Turpentine and Linseed Oil
- Palette Boards etc.

The fair organizers will be providing clay for the sculpting workshop on the second day, but participants are expected to bring their own carving tools.

MinArt Talks Program Flow

Day 1

Morning (8am-12 Noon)
SM Cinema, SM Lanang, Davao City

Participants: Student and Teachers of SHS Arts and Design, SPA, MAPEH Teachers,
School-Based Art Clubs of DepEd Region XI

Leaping Beyond: How Mindanao's Creative Expressions can Reach New Heights
With Datu Teng Mangansakan, Steven Fernandez DFA, and Leonardo Cariño MA
Moderated by Karlo Antonio Galay David, MA

8am: Registration

9am: Opening Rituals

Introduction to the Talks and to the Speakers

Talk: Datu Teng Mangansakan

Talk: Prof. Leonardo Cariño, MA

Talk: Dr. Steven Fernandez, DFA

Panel Discussion

Open Forum

Final Remarks from Speakers

Day 2

Morning (8pm-12pm)
Davao City National High School Conference Room and Gymnasium,

Still Life Painting
With Jun Impas, feat. Teatro Ambahanon

Participants: Davao City National High School SHS Arts and Design and SPA Visual Arts

8am: Registration

9am: Introduction to Speaker

Talk: Jun Impas

Performance by Teatro Ambahanon

Workshop Proper

Afternoon (1pm-5pm)
Davao City National High School Conference Room and Gymnasium,

Sculpting with Clay
With Maria Magdamit and Daniel Sollesta

1pm: Registration

1:30pm: Introduction to Speakers

Talk: Maria Magdamit

Break

Talk: Daniel Sollesta

Workshop Proper