



Bulletin No. 2

(Revised as of July 21, 2011)

REGISTRATION FORM

Participants Information

Name			
Position/ Title		Office E-mail Address	
Office Name			
Office Address			
Telephone No.		Fax No.	
Mobile No.		E-mail-address	

Payment method

- I am enclosing a check in the amount of _____ as conference registration fee.
- I have remitted the amount of _____ to the PSA bank account on _____. Attached is a scanned copy of my deposit slip receipt.
- I am/will be paying in cash.

Registration instructions:

1. Complete the registration form.
2. Pay registration fee.

Payment by check

- Please make check payable to the **Philippine Statistical Association, Inc** and send to:

PSA Secretariat
 Philippine Statistical Association, Inc
 2/F, Rm 214, Philippine Social Science Center
 Commonwealth Ave., Diliman, Quezon City
 1101 Philippines

Payment through bank

- Please remit payment to:

Account name: Philippine Statistical Association, Inc
 Account number: 0702-1039-32
 Name of bank: Land Bank of the Philippines
 Branch: QC Circle Branch
 Bank address: PCA Bldg, Commonwealth Ave., Diliman, Quezon City

- Please send us a copy of your bank deposit slip / proof of deposit together with this registration form via telefax no. (632)456-1928 or e-mail it to psa.sec@gmail.com.

Cash Payments

- Cash payments are accepted at PSA offices and on-site registration payments will be accepted on the conference dates.

3. Cancellation of registration must be made in writing to the PSA Secretariat. Those who cancel before August 31 are entitled to 75% refund. There will be no refund beginning August 31.

4. Please confirm your attendance on or before August 31, 2011:

- Ms. Stephanie Rae C. Andres / Mr. Reynaldo B. Belluga, Jr
 PSA Secretariat, 2/F, Room 214 PSSC Bldg.,
 Commonwealth Avenue, Diliman, Quezon City
 Telephone No.: (632)920-6513 / Telefax No.: (632) 456-1928
 E-mail Address: psa.sec@gmail.com, psai.sec@gmail.com
 Website: www.philstat.org.ph
- For participants from Visayas and Mindanao :
 Ms. Lidz Losare
 PSA6 Secretariat, NSCB Region 6, Iloilo City
 Telephone No.: (033) 3200513
 E-mail address: nscb6@yahoo.com

5. Registration details

Registration rates

- Onsite/regular PhP2,400.00
- PSA Members/Students/ Employees of PSA Institutional Members PhP2,000.00
- Early bird rate (upon receipt of accomplished registration form and proof of payment not later than August 31) PhP2,000.00

Personal Concerns

- Dietary Restrictions Yes No
 If yes, please specify _____

- Optional Tour on September 27, 2011 from 1:00 pm – 5:00 pm (own account of participants)

- Iloilo City PhP500.00/pax (for a group of 10)
- Guimaras PhP500.00/pax (for a group of 12)
- Bacolod To be arranged (Registration Desk)
- Boracay To be arranged (Registration Desk)

The Philippine Statistical Association, Inc. (PSA) is honored to co-organize this two-day Conference with the Department of Tourism (DOT), an event that is highly significant as it promises to be mutually beneficial to both the statistical system and the tourism industry in the Philippines. The Conference coincides with the celebration of the World Tourism Day on September 27, 2011, and will also serve as a belated Anniversary celebration of the PSA which will have turned 59 years old by 24 September 2011.

In this Conference, researchers from the academe, national statistical agencies, local government units (LGUs), other government offices and the private sector will gather to discuss issues and share findings on the state of tourism statistics in the country, and to recommend actions to improve the ways by which statistics can support tourism development. Experts have been invited to present papers on issues in the generation of reliable tourism statistics, including statistical concerns in capturing the current state of tourism employment, tourism capabilities of local governments, impacts of tourism, public policy on tourism and other emerging developments such as agri-tourism, eco-tourism and medical tourism. The two-day Conference is open to both PSA and non-PSA members.

Conference Title/Theme: "Tourism and Statistics"

Objectives:

- (1) to provide a forum for producers and users of statistics to discuss relevant issues pertaining to the generation of good-quality tourism statistics; and
- (2) to serve as venue to celebrate World Tourism Day through Statistics.

Who May Attend:

All government officials/representatives from the national and local government units (LGUs), private sector officials and professionals involved in tourism, as well as statisticians, members of the academe, representatives of agencies and institutions allied to tourism, and all who are interested in tourism statistics.

Date and Venue:

September 26-27, 2011
 Sarabia Manor and Convention Center
 101 General Luna St., Iloilo City

Organizers:

- Philippine Statistical Association, Inc. *represented by:* Director Romeo S. Recide
 2/F Rm. 214, PSSC Bldg. Chair, Annual Conference Committee
 Commonwealth Ave., Diliman, Q.C. (Bureau of Agricultural Statistics)
- Department of Tourism *represented by:* Director Rolando A. Cañizal
 T.F. Valencia Circle Co-Chair, Annual Conference Committee
 T.M. Kalaw St., Rizal Park (Office of Tourism Planning, Research
 Manila and Information Management)
- PSA Regional Chapter No. 6 *represented by:* Professor Vicente T. Balinas
 Iloilo City Chair, Local Organizing Committee
 Chair, PSA Regional Chapter No. 6
 (University of the Philippines-Visayas)

Registration:

- **On site** – 8:00 a.m., 26 September 2011
Sarabia Manor Hotel and Convention Center
101 General Luna St., Iloilo City
- **E-mail** - psai.sec@gmail.com; psa.sec@gmail.com
- **Telephone** – (632-920-6513; telefax – (632-4561928)
(c/o Stephanie Rae C. Andres/Reynaldo B. Belluga, Jr.)
- **For Region 6 participants, you may inquire through the PSA6 Secretariat** c/o Miss Lidz Losare of the National Statistical Coordination Board Region 6 (telephone no. 033-3200513 or e-mail address nscb6@yahoo.com.)

Conference Fees: This will cover meals (cocktails, four snacks and two lunches), a conference kit (Souvenir program, CD of scientific papers, writing pad, other materials).

- Registration fee: PhP2,400.00/pax.
- Special rate: PhP2,000.00/pax. (for PSA individual members, employees of PSA Institutional members, students, and early registrants who will register and pay not later than August 31, 2011.)
- Paper presenters (one per paper) and discussants will be exempted from payment of Conference fees.

About the Conference:

- The two-day Conference will commence with an Opening Ceremonies at 9:00 o'clock a.m. on 26 September 2011, followed by a Plenary Session featuring prominent personalities of the Tourism Industry, Local Government Executives and officials of the Philippine Statistical System.
- Parallel paper presentations on different facets of tourism as reflected by available statistics and various issues related to the production, analysis, dissemination and utilization of tourism statistics will be held in simultaneous sessions at designated break-out rooms until 5:00 o'clock p.m.
- A Special Session on Statistics Education will likewise be conducted for the benefit of delegates from the academe and others who may be interested.
- Day 1 will end with a cocktail reception from 5:00 to 7:30 o'clock p.m. which will be tendered in honor of all participants and guests. The reception promises to be a special event which will be capped with a program and a cultural show.
- Day 2 of the Conference will start at 8:00 o'clock a.m. and will close with a forum to wrap up issues and recommendations raised during the paper presentations at the Closing Ceremonies. Soon after, the following organized tours at the personal expense of the Conference participants will be undertaken.
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Dietary restrictions and preferred choices under the item on Personal Preferences should be clearly indicated on the Revised Registration Form.

- Detailed program of activities will be released under Bulletin No. 3.

Accommodations/Rates:

HOTEL RATES IN ILOILO CITY

Name of Hotel	Type of Room	Room Rate (in pesos)	Others
1. Sarabia Manor Hotel and Convention Center Tel. no. (033) 337-8460 or 335-1021 to 32 local 6731	1. Executive Suite (Single/Twin)	3,750.00	with Breakfast Buffet with Breakfast Buffet with Breakfast Buffet with Breakfast Buffet
	2. Executive Room (Single/Twin)	2,885.00	
	3. Superior Room (Single/Twin)	2,200.00	
	4. Deluxe Room (Single/Twin)	1,800.00	
2. Hotel del Rio Tel no. (033) 3351171	1. Standard (good for 2)	2,800.00	with buffet breakfast with buffet breakfast with buffet breakfast with buffet breakfast
	2. Superior (good for 2)	3,400.00	
	3. De Luxe (good for 2, king size bed)	4,200.00	
	4. Family Room (good for 3, 1 single bed and 1 matrimonial bed)	4,900.00	
3. Iloilo Business Hotel Tel no. (033) 3207972	1. Standard (good for 2)	2,400.00	with buffet breakfast with buffet breakfast with buffet breakfast
	2. Superior (good for 2)	2,600.00	
	3. De Luxe (good for 2)	3,200.00	
4. Eon Centennial Plaza Hotel Tel no. (033) 3372277	1. Single	900.00	without breakfast without breakfast without breakfast without breakfast
	2. Double Occupancy	1,000.00	
	3. Matrimonial (1 queen size bed)	1,000.00	
	4. Twin Room (2 single separate beds)	1,000.00	
5. Days Hotel Tel no. (033) 3373297 (033) 3368801	1. Standard (double bed)	1,999.00	inclusive of breakfast for 2 inclusive of breakfast for 2 inclusive of breakfast for 2
	2. de Luxe old	1,999.00	
	new (double bed)	2,999.00	
6. Residence Hotel Tel no. (033) 3381091	1. Single	980.00	
	2. Double (good for 2)	1,200.00	
	3. Family Room (good for 4)	2,350.00	
7. Highway 21 Hotel Tel no. (033) 3351220	1. Single new wing	875.00	
	old wing	750.00	
	2. Double (good for 2) new wing	1,100.00	
	old wing	900.00	
	3. Family (good for 5)	1,700.00	
8. Century 21 Hotel Tel no. (033) 3358821	1. Single	825.00	
	2. Superior (1 matrimonial bed)	1,075.00	
	3. Standard (2 single beds)	1,100.00	
	4. De Luxe (3 single beds)	1,400.00	
9. The Grand Tower Suites Tel no. (033)3351806	1. Standard (twin/matrimonial)	1,200.00	
	2. Superior	1,600.00	
	3. de Luxe	2,500.00	

Airport Pick up

TRANSPORTATION SERVICES (AIRPORT TO ILOILO CITY)

- 1. Airport Shuttle Van P75 per person
- 2. Taxi (good for 4) P350
- 3. Van (good for 12) P500

Note: Rates subject to change