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**UNNUMBERED MEMORANDUM**

**TO:** All District Supervisors  
School Heads/ TICs  
All Others Concerned

**SUBJECT:** UP FILIPINIANA DANCE GROUP NATIONWIDE AUDITIONS 2017

**Date:** March 15, 2017

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1. Enclosed is a letter of invitation from the **UP Filipiniana Dance Group** led by **Mr. Peter P. Alcedo**, *Artistic Director, UP Filipiniana Dance Group* urging the qualified applicants to join the **Annual Nationwide Auditions 2017 on March 27-30, 2017** at the **College of Human Kinetics, UP Dilliman in Quezon City**.
  2. For profound details and information, please see attached communication of the said activity.
  3. For your guidance and information

**SALUSTIANO T. JIMENEZ, CESO VI**  
*OIC-Office of the Assistant Regional Director*  
*Concurrent OIC, Schools Division Superintendent*

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# U.P. FILIPINIANA DANCE GROUP

College of Human Kinetics  
University of the Philippines  
Diliman, Quezon City

*rc: 2/6/17*

February 28, 2017

**MR. SALUSTIANO T. JIMENEZ**  
**Assistant Regional Director**  
Department of Education – Negros Oriental  
Negros Oriental, Philippines

Greetings!

The UP Filipiniana Dance Group is the official folk dance group of the University of the Philippines-Diliman. It was established in 1935 by Francisca Reyes-Aquino, Mother of Philippine Folk Dance and National Artist for Dance and has since been directed by some of the best dance practitioners and teachers in the Philippines.

In its 80 years of existence, the group has successfully represented the university and the country in various national and international festivals and competitions in which it has received various performance awards and recognitions. Furthermore, UPFDG was the training ground for numerous, prominent names in the Philippine dance industry and academe.

To date, we, the UP Filipiniana Dance Group continue this tradition of excellence through its mission of furthering and replenishing our Philippine cultural dance knowledge-base through research; cultivating, promoting and representing our folk and ethnic dances and rituals by participating in international festivals and by performing to an even larger audience in the university and across the country; and producing able, well-equipped and versatile dance artists through rigorous and effective cross-training in jazz, modern and contemporary dance classes.

In line with this, we are glad to announce that we will be having our annual, nationwide auditions on **March 27-30, 2017** at the **University of the Philippines, Diliman Campus**. And we are requesting your good office to help us disseminate this announcement and encourage all who are interested to come and join the auditions.

The audition is open to all who are eligible to enter, transfer, or continue tertiary education whether or not they have taken the UP College Admission Test (UPCAT). A minimum UPG of 2.800 (for UPCAT takers) or a GWA/GPA of 85% or higher (for non-UPCAT takers) is required for application.

All interested and eligible applicants are required to register online through the group's official Facebook page at <http://www.facebook.com/UPFilipiniana> from February 23 to March 25, 2017. After which a confirmation e-mail will be sent containing specific details and an application form which has to be fully accomplished, printed and submitted in person at least one hour before the audition starts.

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Transportation, accommodation and other personal expenses will be shouldered by the applicant.

The results of the auditions will be announced at least one month after the audition date; it is advised that the applicants make the necessary arrangements. The new members of the UP Filipiniana Dance Group will be admitted to the University of the Philippines-Diliman through the Varsity Athletic Admission System (VAAS) in the First Semester of the Academic Year 2017-2018. They are however expected to report immediately after the confirmation of their membership. Membership only guarantees admission to the university; no scholarship is given through VAAS. However, members can apply for grants from any scholarship programs in the university.

We are looking forward to your support in our endeavor of giving equal opportunity to all aspiring members in representing the multitude and unique cultures, political delineations and facets of our country.

Please accept our heartfelt gratitude for taking the time to consider this invitation.


Attach herewith is a copy of our poster which you may reproduce, post and/or distribute to all schools, organizations or dance studios that may be interested.


Mabuhay ang sayaw at kulturang Pilipino!

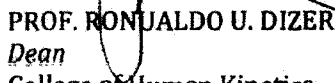
Sincerely,

  
MR. PETER D. ALCEDO, JR.  
Artistic Director  
UP Filipiniana Dance Group

Noted by:

  
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Faculty Adviser  
UP Filipiniana Dance Group

  
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## NATIONWIDE AUDITIONS 2017

Open to all **ELIGIBLE High School graduates and transferees\***  
who are trained in Folk and Jazz dance.

Be part of an internationally-acclaimed Philippine folk dance group and get  
to study in the country's premiere state university.

Auditions will be on **March 27-30, 2017**  
at the **College of Human Kinetics,**  
**University of the Philippines, Diliman**

Please Visit  
**[www.facebook.com/UPFilipiniana](http://www.facebook.com/UPFilipiniana)**  
and look for the registration link

**Online registration is REQUIRED**

\* **UPCAT Grade of at least 2.800 or**  
**High School GWA/GPA of 85% or higher**

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