



**ASEAN Regional Union of  
Psychological Societies**

# **61<sup>st</sup> PAP Convention and 8<sup>th</sup> ARUPS Congress**

Theme:

## **Futurescaping Psychology: Our Role in Attaining the Sustainable Development Goals**

**IC3 CONVENTION CENTER CEBU**

**September 24, 2025  
Preconvention Workshops**

**September 25-27, 2025  
Convention**

**PAP  
Convention** **24 CPD POINTS (RPM & RPsy)  
17 CPD POINTS (RGC)**

**Pre-Convention  
Workshops** **8 CPD POINTS (RPM & RPsy)**

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**The Psychological Association of the Philippines (PAP) Annual Convention brings together brilliant minds in psychology to exchange knowledge, innovations, and insights. This year's convention is truly special because we are privileged to be accompanied by the ASEAN Regional Union of Psychological Societies (ARUPS), transforming this into the international assembly of psychology professionals.**

At the heart of this year's theme, "Futurescaping Psychology: The Role of Psychology in Achieving the UN's Sustainable Development Goals (SDGs)," exemplifies psychology's powerful force that can help shape a better and more sustainable world. "Futurescaping" is about looking ahead, anticipating challenges, and taking strategic action to create a world where individuals and communities can thrive. Psychology plays a crucial role in this process because at the core of all global issues—whether it's poverty, education, mental health, or climate change—are human thoughts, emotions, and behaviors.

This convention challenges us to think beyond the present and actively shape the future of psychology as it intersects with the United Nations' 17 Sustainable Development Goals: (1) No Poverty; (2) Zero Hunger – Achieve food security, improve nutrition, and promote sustainable agriculture; (3) Good Health and Well-being – Ensure healthy lives and promote well-being for all at all ages; (4) Quality Education – Ensure inclusive and equitable quality education and promote lifelong learning opportunities; (5) Gender Equality – Achieve gender equality and empower all women and girls; (6) Clean Water and Sanitation – Ensure availability and sustainable management of water and sanitation for all; (7) Affordable and Clean Energy – Ensure access to affordable, reliable, sustainable, and modern energy; (8) Decent Work and Economic Growth – Promote inclusive and sustainable economic growth, employment, and decent work; (9) Industry, Innovation, and Infrastructure – Build resilient infrastructure, promote sustainable industrialization, and foster innovation; (10) Reduced Inequalities – Reduce inequality within and among countries; (11) Sustainable Cities and Communities – Make cities inclusive, safe, resilient, and sustainable; (12) Responsible Consumption and Production – Ensure sustainable consumption and production patterns; (13) Climate Action – Take urgent action to combat climate change and its impacts; (14) Life Below Water – Conserve and sustainably use oceans, seas, and marine resources; (15) Life on Land – Protect, restore, and promote sustainable use of terrestrial ecosystems, forests, and biodiversity; (16) Peace, Justice, and Strong Institutions – Promote peaceful and inclusive societies, justice for all, and accountable institutions; (17) Partnerships for the Goals – Strengthen global partnerships to support and achieve the SDGs.

Aligned with the ARUPS Congress, we are expanding the conversation beyond national borders, fostering international collaboration, and learning from diverse cultural perspectives. From addressing mental health disparities and fostering inclusive education to promoting environmental responsibility and peace-building, our goals can deliver meaningful changes in lives of people and society.

This regional partnership highlights the shared responsibility of psychologists across ASEAN to tackle global challenges together.



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## SPEAKER IN FOCUS



**Dr. Brigitte Khoury**

President-Elect  
International Union of Psychological Science



**Mr. Adrian Toh**

President  
ASEAN Regional Union of Psychological  
Societies (ARUPS)



**Debra M. Kawahara, PhD**

President  
American Psychological Association (APA)



**Dr. Arthur Evans**

Chief Executive Officer  
American Psychological Association (APA)



**Atty. Floranie Polo-Jacob**

2000-2001 President, Psychological Association of the Philippines  
Of Counsel, VBSP Law Offices



**Dr. Rose Marie Salazar-Clemeña**

1995 – 1996 President, Psychological Association of the Philippines  
2015 PRC Outstanding professional of the year in the Field of Psychology



**Dr. Grace H. Aguilung-Dalisay**

2024 PRC Outstanding Professional of the Year in the Field of Psychology  
President and CEO, Center for Educational Measurement

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Date:

**September 24, 2025:** PreConvention Workshops that promise to deepen knowledge and skills in specialized areas of psychology.

**September 25 to 27, 2025** Convention Proper



Venue: IEC Convention Center Cebu IEC 3, Pope John Paul II Avenue,  
23 Minore Park Cor, Cardinal Rosales Ave, Cebu City, 6000 Cebu



PRECONVENTION

PhP2,000 (Member in Good Standing)  
PhP3,500 (Non-Member)

CONVENTION

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PhP6,500 (Member in Good Standing)  
PhP9,000 (Non-Member)

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PhP7,500 (Member in Good Standing)  
PhP10,000 (Non-Member)

**Registration inclusion: convention proper, workshops, plenary sessions for both local and foreign speakers, meals during the event, and your certificate of attendance with CPD points.**

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Possible Hotels near the IC3 Convention Center



Program Flow



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## PROGRAM PROPER (tentative)

### **Pre-congress (convention) : September 24, 2025**

<b>12:00 pm – 01:00 pm</b>	Registration/Opening Ceremony
<b>01:00 pm – 04:00 pm</b>	Workshop 1 - 10

### **Convention Proper : September 25-27, 2025**

<b>Day 1</b>	
<b>07:00 – 09:00</b>	Registration/Opening Ceremony
<b>08:00 – 08:45</b>	Welcome Remarks Opening Address
<b>08:45 – 09:45</b>	Keynote Address 1
<b>09:45 – 12:00</b>	Plenary Session 1 Plenary Session 2
	Afternoon Session
<b>01:00 – 1:30</b>	PAP General Membership Meeting
<b>01:30 – 02:30</b>	Keynote Address 2
<b>02:30 – 04:45</b>	Plenary Session 3 Plenary Session 4
<b>06:00 – 09:00</b>	Fellowship Night (Cocktails)

<b>Day 2</b>	
<b>08:30 – 10:00</b>	Parallel Session A: Learning Sessions Organized Paper Symposia
<b>10:30 – 12:00</b>	Parallel Session B: Learning Sessions Organized Paper Symposia
<b>12:00 – 01:00</b>	Geographic Chapter Meetings
<b>01:00 – 02:30</b>	Parallel Session C: Learning Sessions Organized Paper Symposia
<b>02:40 – 04:10</b>	Parallel Session D: Learning Sessions Organized Paper Symposia
<b>04:30 – 06:00</b>	Parallel Session E: Learning Sessions Organized Paper Symposia
<b>08:00 – 06:00</b>	e-Poster Presentations

<b>Day 3</b>	
<b>07:30 – 09:00</b>	ARUPS / APA Learning Sessions
<b>08:00 – 09:00</b>	Special Interest Group Meetings
<b>08:30 – 10:00</b>	ARUPS / APA Learning Sessions
<b>09:00 – 10:00</b>	Specialty Division Meetings
<b>09:00 – 10:30</b>	CHED Psych Tech Panel Consultative Meeting
<b>09:00 – 11:00</b>	Organized Paper Symposia
<b>10:00 – 11:00</b>	Update Report on the Psych Law Revision
<b>11:00 – 12:00</b>	PRB of Psychology Lecture
<b>end of PAPCON-ARUPS Program</b>	

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# HOW TO REGISTER:

## PRECONVENTION WORKSHOPS:

1. Visit the <https://www.papcon.pap.ph>
2. Go to Preconvention page.
3. Click the REGISTER NOW button
4. Click LOCAL or FOREIGN plus I am registering for the pre-convention sessions.
5. Fill-out the registration form details.
6. Choose which workshop to join by clicking Choose Workshop button
7. Click Register and Pay.

## CONVENTION PROPER:

1. Visit the <https://www.papcon.pap.ph>
2. Click the REGISTER/PAY button located at the upper right corner.
3. Click LOCAL or FOREIGN.
4. Fill-out the registration form details.
5. Click your registration fee.
6. Click the Register and Pay button.
7. Choose your Payment method (Dragonpay)
8. Check your email you use to register and search with the subject: PAPCON ONLINE REGISTRATION and click the highlighted word to make payment.
9. Click select payment option
10. Check your email again to get the Payment instructions.

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### using check/cheque payment: or group registration

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3. Choose your REGISTRANT CATEGORY
4. Fill-out the registration form details.
5. Click your registration fee.
6. Click the Register and Pay button located below.
7. Choose your Payment method (Check Payment) (Note: Please provide a temporary details of your check)
8. Check your email you use to register and search with the subject: PAPCON ONLINE REGISTRATION.
9. Please read the email instructions on how to deposit your check.
10. Send a complete list of names if you are paying in bulk, **kindly download** the [group registration excel form](#).

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