



# From Labs to Lives: Building R&D Capacities and Opportunities for Sustainable Recovery

PCIEERD 11<sup>th</sup> Anniversary

June 29, 2021 | 9:00 AM via Zoom and FB Live



## PROVISIONAL PROGRAMME

- 9:00-9:05 am **Opening Ceremonies**
- 9:05-9:20 am **Welcoming Remarks**  
**Dr. Enrico C. Paringit**, DOST-PCIEERD Executive Director
- 9:20-9:35 am **Message: “Human Resources for R&D in the Country”**  
**Dr. Rowena Cristina L. Guevara**, DOST Undersecretary for R&D
- 9:35-9:50 am **Inspirational Message: “Insights on Human Resources Development and Institution Building for S&T Innovation”**  
**Prof. Fortunato T. de la Peña**, DOST Secretary
- 9:50-10:05 am **Inspirational Message: “Challenges in R&D and International Research Cooperation in times of COVID-19 Pandemic and the New Normal”**  
**Mr. Osamu Kobayashi**, Director of International Affairs, Japan Science and Technology Agency
- 10:05-10:20 am **Discussion: “Insights on the Importance of Balik Scientist Program and other Human Resources and Institution Development Programs in Times of COVID-19 Pandemic and the New Normal”**  
**Dr. Chosel P. Lawagon**, Balik Scientist, Infrastructure Development Program (IDP) and Young Innovators Program (YIP) Mentor for University of Mindanao
- 10:20-10:35 am **Discussion: “Sustaining Human Resources for R&D in the New Normal: Importance, Contributions, and the Future of S&T Innovations in the Country”**  
**Dr. Ryan G. Banal**, Balik Scientist Grantee for Ateneo de Davao University and Mindanao State University-Iligan Institute of Technology
- 10:35-10:50 am **Discussion: “Importance of Infrastructure Development for Research Institutions in the Country”**  
**Dr. John Ryan Dizon**, Material Science Expert, Bataan Peninsula State University
- 10:50-11:00 am **Open Forum**  
**Dr. Lawrence A. Limjuco**, Moderator  
2020 Balik Scientist Grantee and Senior SRS, Ateneo de Davao University
- 11:00-11:30 am **Launch of New Human Resources Development Program**  
**Dr. Ruby Raterta**, Chief SRS, PCIEERD-HRIDD
- 11:30-11:50 am **Announcement of PCIEERD-DOST Outstanding Technical and Support Personnel Finalists and Loyalty Awards**
- 11:50-12:00 nn **Closing Message**  
**Engr. Ninaliza H. Escorial**, Officer-in-Charge, PCIEERD-ODED, and Chief SRS, PCIEERD-ITDD

**Ms. Dianne L. Tating**  
Master of Ceremonies