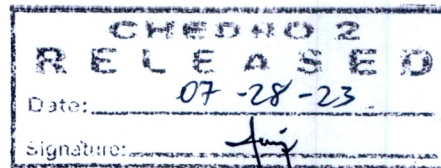




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OFFICE OF THE PRESIDENT
COMMISSION ON HIGHER EDUCATION
Region 02



REGIONAL MEMORANDUM

No. 208, Series of 2023

**FOR : ALL PRESIDENTS/ OFFICERS-IN-CHARGE/HEADS OF PUBLIC
AND PRIVATE HIGHER EDUCATION INSTITUTIONS IN REGION 02**

**SUBJECT : CALL FOR COLLABORATION OF ASIA OPEN RAN ACADEMY
(AORA)**

DATE : July 27, 2023

Attached is a copy of the memorandum issued by **DR. J. PROSPERO E. DE VERA III**, Chairperson, Commission on Higher Education, informing interested parties of the call for collaboration of Asia Open RAN Academy (AORA), an alliance of academic, government, and industry stakeholders in the Philippines and the broader Indo Pacific region that share a common objective to advance an open, interoperable, reliable, and secure Internet and vibrant digital ecosystem through increased cooperation, competition, and choice.

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Should there be concerns, interested parties may contact Ms. Antonette Torres at atorres@internationaldevelopmentgroup.com, tonitirona@gmail.com or mobile number +63 917 532 2167.

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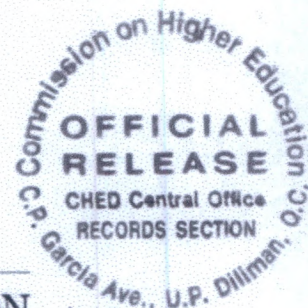
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MEMORANDUM FROM THE OFFICE OF THE CHAIRPERSON

**TO : PRESIDENTS/HEADS OF HIGHER EDUCATION INSTITUTIONS
CHED CENTRAL AND REGIONAL OFFICE DIRECTORS/
OFFICERS-IN-CHARGE**

SUBJECT: CALL FOR COLLABORATION OF ASIA OPEN RAN ACADEMY (AORA)

DATE : 12 July 2023

The Commission on Higher Education hereby informs interested parties of the call for collaboration of Asia Open RAN Academy (AORA), an alliance of academic, government, and industry stakeholders in the Philippines and the broader Indo-Pacific region that share a common objective to advance an open, interoperable, reliable, and secure Internet and vibrant digital ecosystem through increased cooperation, competition, and choice.

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Dissemination of this Memorandum is desired.

J. PROSPERO E. DE VERA III, DPA
Chairman