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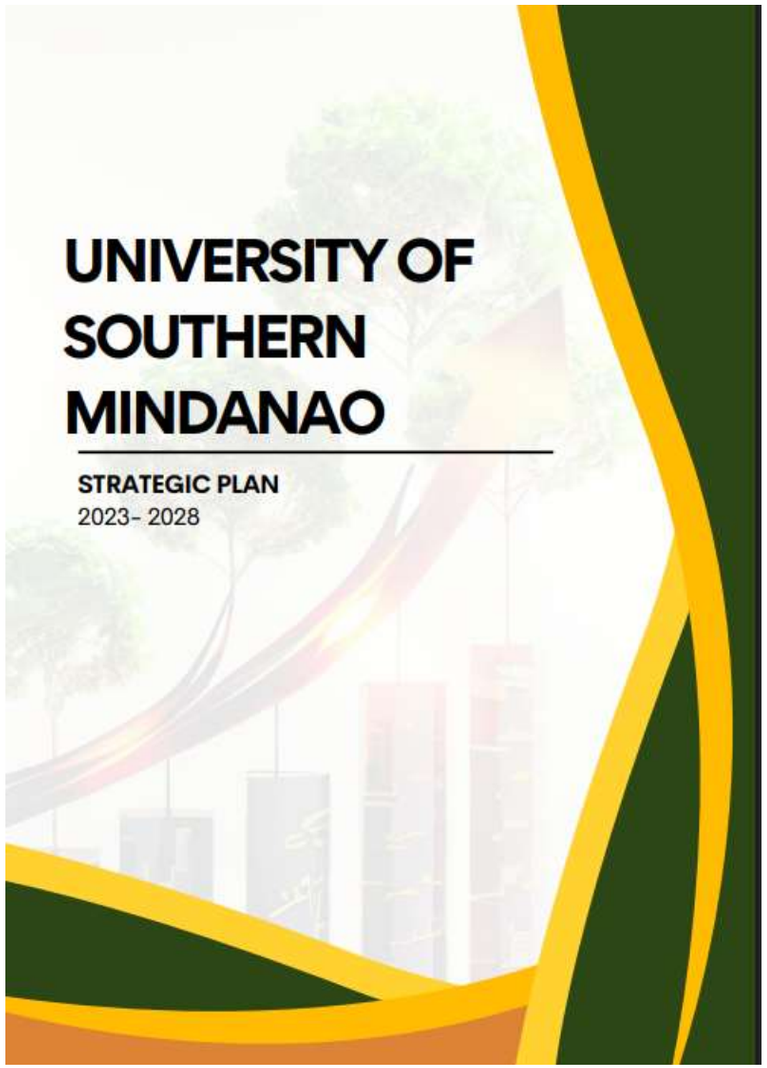


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AREA VI

EXTENSION AND COMMUNITY INVOLVEMENT

S.1. There is a strategy for involving the community, government and private agencies in the Extension Program.



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BOARD OF REGENTS

AN EXCERPT FROM THE MINUTES OF THE 152nd REGULAR MEETING OF THE USM GOVERNING BOARD ON 16 JUNE 2023 AT THE CHED-HEDC BUILDING, DILIMAN, QUEZON CITY AND VIA ZOOM TELECONFERENCE

Resolution No. 16
Series of 2023

2023-2028 USM STRATEGIC PLAN

WHEREAS, the role of higher education institutions is crucial in keeping up with the changes in the educational landscape influenced by internationalization standards;

WHEREAS, significant changes include international student mobility, research collaborations, relationship between higher education institutions and governments, and the international expansion of universities;

WHEREAS, the Administrative Council of the university, in the crafting of the Strategic Plan, considered internal and external forces to come up with realistic strategies and programs;

WHEREAS, the 2023-2028 USM Strategic Plan contains performance commitments aligned with government targets to facilitate monitoring and grant of benefits, and in compliance with conditions in the grant of assistance and increase in budget;

NOW, THEREFORE, the USM Governing Board, upon deliberating on the matter and on a motion made, duly seconded and unanimously carried, the body has –

RESOLVED, as it is hereby resolved, to approve of the 2023-2028 USM Strategic Plan.

APPROVED

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CERTIFIED TRUE AND CORRECT:

JENNIFER E. SINCO
Board Secretary V

ATTESTED BY:

FRANCISCO GIL N. GARCIA, PhD
Vice-Chair, USM Board of Regents
SUC President IV

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LAKSNI E. CATUBAY
Board Secretary I
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STRATEGIC GOAL 3

TRANSFORM LIVES OF PARTNER-BENEFICIARIES IN THE SERVICE AREAS OF USM

USM seeks to engage communities to achieve sustainable outcomes, equitable decision-making processes, and deepen relationships and trust between the university and communities. USM recognizes the needs and aspirations of the community to help make better public decisions. USM works with and listens to communities to build long-term relationships and develop meaningful solutions to complex issues.

This strategy sees the importance of citizen empowerment by capacitating USM constituents, implementing community engagements, strengthening partnerships, and engaging community outreach programs.

USM designs community engagement as a meaningful way of integrating community service in teaching and learning. It enriches learning experience, teaches civic responsibility, and strengthens communities. This gives faculty, staff and students experiential opportunities to learn in real world contexts and develop skills of community engagement, while affording community partners opportunities to address significant needs.

Competence of faculty, staff, and students in community engagement

The following objectives support Competence of faculty, staff, and students in community engagement:

TO CAPACITATE FACULTY, STAFF, AND STUDENTS ON COMMUNITY ENGAGEMENT

- Number of faculty, staff and students participating in community engagement or capability-building activities
- Number of faculty and staff who submitted extension outputs

TO SUPPORT DISSEMINATION OF EXTENSION PROJECTS

- Percentage of request for funding support evaluated.



USM envisions improved social responsibility and citizenship skills and aims for greater inter-cultural understanding.

Community engagement provides satisfaction towards the students' quality of learning and inflicts stronger commitment. This brings new energy, enthusiasm and perspectives for both the advocates and the community.

Community Engagements

The following objectives supports Community Engagements:

- To implement need-based community engagements
- To promote transfer and utilization of R and D outputs

TO IMPLEMENT NEED-BASED COMMUNITY ENGAGEMENTS

- Number of community engagement projects approved
- Number of faculty, staff & students involved in community engagements
- Percentage of community engagement completed and reported
- Number of completed community engagement assessed
- Number of communities served
- Number of interest groups served

TO PROMOTE TRANSFER AND UTILIZATION OF R AND D OUTPUTS





- Number of R and D outputs identified and assessed for dissemination
- Number of IEC materials developed and disseminated
- Number of clients served

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USM develops many forms of partnerships in order to achieve its objectives. USM appreciates sustained and systematic collaboration with partner agencies.

The promotion of strategies to keep partners together with the forefront of extending assistance to others is taken into account and sees to it that sustainable development is at hand.



Linkages/partnerships with government and non-government organizations

TO STRENGTHEN PARTNERSHIPS WITH GOVERNMENT AND NON-GOVERNMENT ORGANIZATIONS

The following objective supports Linkages/partnerships with government and non-government organizations:

- Number of existing partnerships sustained
- Number of new partnerships/collaborations forged

USM provides professional services to marginalized communities. USM works together with other people and builds communities of solidarity through actual community work and concrete developmental projects. This becomes beneficial not only by providing the advocates a strong academic foundation but also by developing self-confidence, leadership qualities and commitment towards the community.

Community Outreach

The following objective supports Linkages/partnerships with government and non-government organizations:

TO ENGAGE IN COMMUNITY OUTREACH PROGRAMS

- Number of community outreach conducted
- Number of community outreach participated in community outreached program
- Number of community outreach beneficiaries
- Number of donor-partners in community outreach programs
- Number of volunteers involved in community outreach