

Scholarship, Education and Research (SER) Committee Report
CLSUIAAI Executive Committee Special Meeting (Virtual and in-person)
December 10, 2022

CLSUIAAI-Member-sponsored Scholarship in Partnership with ARO

- Five scholars are eligible to continue receiving their grants during the School Year 2022-23. Four scholars will receive their full grant of \$500 except one who is on his super-senior year taking less than 18 academic credits. These students are as follows:
 1. Ariel Antonio, BSABE4, \$200, Virays' Scholar.
 2. Franklin Gomez, BSCE4, \$500, Segura's Scholar
 3. Eunice Lumanday, BSABE4, \$500, Raniels' Scholar.
 4. Arjay Amparo, BSAB4, \$500, Cabacungans' Scholar
 5. Angelica Pugat, BSAB4, \$500, Cabacungans' Scholar
- Last year the grants were disbursed by CLSUIAAI directly and individually to the students. This year it was requested that the money be remitted to Dr. Jayson Marzan, ARO Director, then he would disburse the grants to students. After checking with the University, he agreed to proceed with this process.
- An amount of \$1,100 (4 students x \$250 + 1 student x \$100) was remitted to Dr. Marzan for disbursement to the above named students which amounted to 1/2 of their annual grant.
- A current donor/sponsor, Director Annie Arcinue added another sponsorship. However, her scholar was pre-selected by her under the AYOS (Adopt Your Own Scholar Initiative). The scholar, nevertheless, met the scholastic and financially needy requirements of the Program.
- A search for additional 6 new scholars was launched. There were more than 50 inquiries received. Nineteen applicants submitted introductory videos and were interviewed by ARO, and 6 applicants were highlighted.
- These 6 applicants were encouraged to submit the required application documents, reviewed, and finally approved by the SER Committee.
- A total of 7 newly approved scholars (6 selected through ARO screening process and one pre-selected) with their respective sponsors and grants are listed below:
 1. Jessa Mae G. Tampinco, 2nd Yr, BS Tourism Mgt, Mrs. Annette Segura, \$500 (2nd scholar)
 2. Jhoana Marie D. Corsino, 2nd Yr, BS Psychology, Mrs. Annette Segura, \$500 (3rd scholar)
 3. Elisa Micah A. Espiritu, 2nd Yr, BS Biology, LCDR (Ret) Leonora and Sam Bagalso, \$500
 4. Zayra S. Concepcion, 2nd Yr, BS Civil Engineering, Engr. Gerry and Leticia Galinato, \$500
 5. Cristina C. Miranda, 2nd Yr, BS Agriculture, Mr. Floro and Mrs. Zenaida Gutierrez, \$500
 6. Precious Aubrey Yvette Ancheta, 2nd Yr, BS Agriculture, Ms. Annie Arcinue, \$500 (2nd scholar)
 7. Norielyn G. Valerio, 4th Yr, BS Accountancy, Ms. Annie Arcinue, \$500 (1st scholar)
- Agreements between the 7 students and CLSUIAAI were electronically signed and completed using the DocuSign App Program coordinated by Director Johnny Raniel.
- After the Agreements were signed, an amount of \$1,750 (7 students x \$250) was remitted to Dr. Marzan for disbursement to the above named students which amounted to 1/2 of their annual grant.
- The current scholars of Drs. Edison and Nenita Cabacungan namely Angela Pugat and Arjay Amparo individually developed a video as a tribute to Dr. Ed Cabacungan who recently passed away. These videos were presented during Dr. Ed's funeral services.

CLSUIAAI General Scholarship in Partnership with CLSUAAI

- Four scholars are eligible to continue receiving their full scholarship grants (\$400 each) during the School Year 2022-23. These students are as follows:
 1. Mikkah Baytic, senior, BS Psychology
 2. Jemimah Olo, senior, BS Civil Engineering
 3. Angielyn Pesigan, senior, BS Agriculture
 4. Joel Collado, senior, BS Psychology
- A total amount of \$800 (4 students x \$200 each) was remitted to CLSUAAI for disbursement to students as noted above during the 1st semester. A brief pictorial report indicated that they recently disbursed the grants to the 4 scholars.
- It was also reported by CLSUAAI that Dr. Carlos Abon, Jr., Chair of the Scholarship Committee suffered a mild stroke but now undergoing therapy and recovering.
- Search for 3 new scholars for the School Year 2022-23 is currently underway. The Scholarship Committee is currently headed by OIC Chairman Director Redel Gutierrez. Report received recently from CLSUAAI indicated that they have scheduled interviews for various candidates on December 16, 2022.

Special Educational Projects

- **Joel Collado**
Joel is a senior pursuing BS Psychology at CLSU and a continuing scholar this year under the General Scholarship Program. His request for assistance was approved in the amount of \$125 to cover financial assistance to cover expenses as a selected delegate to represent the university to an international leadership program which was held in Phuket City, Thailand last August. The amount used was a special educational fund collected through voluntary contributions by interested officers and members of the association.
- **Jemimah Olo**
Jemimah is a senior pursuing BS in Civil Engineering and also our continuing scholar under the General Scholarship Program. She requested financial support for her On-the-Job Training Program last summer to gain actual civil engineering work which would enhance her technical knowledge and experience. However, she never submitted additional documents requested so her request is considered closed unless she requests for re-consideration.

Acknowledgments

- Thanks to Director Annie and VP Glo for coordinating the production of the tribute videos made by our scholars Angela Pugat and Arjay Amparo (Cabacungans' scholars) for presentation during Dr. Edison Cabacungan's funeral services.
- Thanks to Director Johnny Raniel for coordinating the signing of the agreements between the students and CLSUAAI outlining their responsibilities and commitments as scholars of the organization. Using the DocuSign App Program, it facilitated obtaining electronic signatures of all parties.
- Thanks to Treasurer Ohma and Secretary Rob for the expeditious release and remitting funds to our coordinators at CLSU (ARO and CLSUAAI) for disbursement to our scholars. The distribution of grants is very timely which would be considered as early Christmas gifts to our scholars.

ACTIONS NEEDED:

- EC approval of the 7 new scholars (see above) under the Member-sponsored Scholarship Program. Note: This is for formality only since they have already been approved by the SER Committee and funds have been released for their grants.
- VP Glo has recently requested to be a member of the Scholarship Committee. The EC does not need to approve this request but for information only. As Chair of the SER Committee, It would be a pleasure to include and welcome her in my Committee.

Submitted by:

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Chair, SER Committee