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CALL for PAPERS

DR. BENJAMIN S. PAZ PROFESSORIAL CHAIR IN SCIENCE

The **Dr. Benjamin S. Paz Professorial Chair in Science** is now open for application. It is dedicated to research in the fields of Biology, Chemistry, Physics, Environmental Science, Health, and related topics. The Chair was established from an endowment by Dr. Benjamin S. Paz, a physician-surgeon and a former member of the Board of Regents (2005-2009) of the Tarlac State University. The Dr. Benjamin S. Paz Professorial Chair in Science seeks to give due recognition to highly competent and dedicated faculty of the University for excellence in research. The Professorial Chair is research-based and the sole basis of the award is merit.

The candidate holder of the Professorial Chair must be a faculty member with the following qualifications:

- a. holds an academic rank of not lower than Assistant Professor;
- b. had presented a research paper in his/her field of specialization in a national or international conference within the last three years prior to the award; and,
- c. had published a research paper, either as sole or co-author, in an international journal or national journal, preferably a CHED-accredited journal, within the last three years prior to the award.

The following shall be the duties and responsibilities of the Chair holder:

- a. present his/her research before the TSU academic community at a facilitated Lecture Series for Professorial Chairs during the year of award;
- b. present (oral) his/her research in a national or international conference within two years after conferment of the award;
- c. publish his/her research in an international journal or CHED-accredited journal within two years after conferment of the award;
- d. submit a printed and electronic copy of his/her research in the prescribed format to the University Research Office, College where the Chair Occupant belongs, and University Library; and,
- e. comply with the above requirements to maintain his/her good standing in the academic community and continue to be entitled to all incentives and privileges pertaining to research .

Privileges of the Professorial Chair Occupant are as follows:

- a. receives a lump sum amount of fifty thousand pesos (PhP50,000.00) upon conferment of the award;
- b. receives a subsidy from the University for paper presentation in an international conference in accordance with existing guidelines; and,
- c. be entitled to all incentives for paper presentation and publication in accordance with pertinent provisions of the University Research Manual.

Evaluation of Research Paper shall follow the procedure below:

- a. candidate shall be evaluated based on his/her written paper following the criteria for evaluation of researches as stipulated in the University Research Manual; and,
- b. evaluation of research papers shall be done by the Committee on Professorial Chairs which shall be expanded for this purpose to include a Representative from TSUFPU, a specialist in the discipline, and two (2) reviewers not connected with TSU.

The requirements for application are the following:

- a. completed research in the prescribed format; the research output/invention should have never been published nor presented in any forum;
- b. curriculum vitae; and,
- c. documents to support claims.

The requirements may be submitted to the Office of the VP-REPD starting immediately.

For dissemination and guidance.


LOUELLA F. ONA, Ed.D.
 VP REPD

REPD for 2/3/14

Noted:

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