



MATHEMATICAL SOCIETY OF THE PHILIPPINES



2010 MSP ANNUAL CONVENTION 20-21 May 2010, Cebu City

**“Strengthening Mathematics Research and Education
and Their Role in National Development”**

ANNOUNCEMENT and CALL for PAPERS

The Mathematical Society of the Philippines invites you to participate in its 2010 annual convention which will be held on 20-21 May 2010 at the Montebello Villa Hotel in Cebu City. On this occasion, the MSP celebrates its 37th year as the country’s largest professional organization dedicated to the promotion of mathematics and mathematics education. The 2010 MSP Annual Convention is hosted by the MSP Cebu Chapter.

Invited to give plenary talks are Dr Alnar Detalla (Central Mindanao University), Dr Jesper Jansson (Ochanomizu University), Prof San Ling (Nanyang Technological University), Dr Ester Ogena (DOST-Science Education Institute), Prof Agnes Paras (University of the Philippines) and Prof Paul Terwilliger (University of Wisconsin).

Researchers and educators in all areas of pure and applied mathematics, mathematics education, statistics and other related areas are invited to submit short papers for oral presentation during the convention. This convention is fully endorsed by the Commission on Higher Education (CHED).



Dates and Venue: The conference will be held on Thursday and Friday, 20-21 May 2010, at the Montebello Villa Hotel in Banilad, Cebu City.

Contributed Talks: Short (15-minute) contributed paper presentations will take place in five parallel sessions (mathematics education, algebra, analysis, graph theory and combinatorics, statistics and applied mathematics). If you wish to give a contributed talk, please send your title

and abstract to Dr. Arlene Pascasio <aapascasio@gmail.com> on or before **20 March 2010**. The program committee shall review requests for contributed talks. You will receive a notification of acceptance/non-acceptance on or before 20 April.

Registration: All participants are requested to pre-register on or before **7 May**. Accomplished registration forms should be sent to MSP together with proof of payment of the registration fee (i.e. photocopy or scanned image of bank deposit slip, postal money order slip, etc.). There are two ways to register:

- 1) Registration by mail or fax: Fill up the enclosed registration form and mail (along with proof of payment) to Dr. Arlene Pascasio, Department of Mathematics, De La Salle University, Taft Avenue, Manila. Tel/fax (02) 536-0270.
- 2) Registration by Email: Send the required registration information (along with a e-copy of proof of payment) to <aapascasio@gmail.com>.

Registration Fee: On or before 7 May: P3000 (MSP members) / P3300 (non-MSP members)
After 7 May: P3300 (MSP members) / P3500 (non-MSP members)

You will be considered registered only upon confirmation of payment of your conference fee.

Everyone is encouraged to register by 7 May since reservation for food and printing of the convention materials have to be done in advance. There is no assurance that those who register after this date will enjoy all the privileges of the participants who register early. *This pre-registration deadline (7 May) will be strictly enforced.*

Payment: Payment by postal money order should be addressed to the Mathematical Society of the Philippines, c/o Institute of Mathematics, College of Science, U.P. Diliman, Quezon City 1101. Alternatively, you can make a bank deposit to the following account:



Account Name: Mathematical Society of the Philippines
Account Number: 275-830391-0
Bank: Philippine National Bank, U.P. Campus Branch, Quezon City

Do not forget to submit a photocopy of proof of payment along with your registration form.

Submission of Abstracts: Those who wish to contribute papers are requested to send the title and abstract to Dr Arlene Pascasio at email address, mailing address or fax number indicated above. Abstracts (100-200 words) should be informative for proper evaluation by the program committee. Electronic submission (both LaTeX **and** pdf file) is preferred. (**Deadline: 20 March**)

For additional information, email Dr. Arlene Pascasio <aapascasio@gmail.com> (Convention Chair) or Dr. Lorna Almocera <lsalmocera@yahoo.com> (Convention Co-Chair). You can also visit our website for updates: <<http://www.mathsocietyphil.org>>.

REGISTRATION FORM
MSP 2010 Convention
20-21 May 2010, Cebu City

Name _____

MSP Member ____ Non-member ____

Affiliation (School/Institution/Company)

Mailing Address

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Date of Payment _____

I wish to give a contributed talk on *(please give the title)*