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21-23 September 2020
21-23 de Septiembre del 2020
Ika-21-23 ng Setyembre 2020

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Universidad de Alicante,
San Vicente del Raspeig, España

Theme: Philippine Studies Across Borders, Across Disciplines:
Collaborations, Interventions, Linkages

Extended deadlines. See below.

Philippine Studies as an academic field has expanded considerably in the last three decades, with regular conferences of Filipinists convened both in the Philippines and in the United States, Europe, and Australia. The initiative for institutionalizing regular periodic conferences in Philippine Studies has been undertaken by Filipino, American, European, and Australian academics with the aim of bringing together all scholars working on all aspects of Philippine studies in the various disciplines – in the social sciences and the
humanities – gathering many foreign *Filipinists* and Filipino academics to present, share, and discuss with one another studies on Philippine society and culture.

A fruitful increase in collaborations and linkages among these scholars, enriched by the participation of academics from Japan, Australia, Southeast Asia, and Africa has at the same time expanded to multidisciplinary and interdisciplinary engagements. As in the past ICOPHIL conferences, which have been held alternately in the Philippines and elsewhere every four (4) years, ICOPHIL 11 aims to be the most inclusive international gathering in the field of Philippine Studies, transcending boundaries between/among academic disciplines and geographic regions.

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- Grupo de investigación HUMANISMO-EUROPA (UA)  
- Proyecto del Ministerio de Ciencia, Innovación y Universidades (Ref.: PGC2018-098126-B-100)
SUGGESTED THEMES FOR INDIVIDUAL AND PANEL PRESENTATIONS
AND ROUNDTABLE DISCUSSIONS

Spain’s Golden Century (*El Siglo de Oro*)
The Philippines and the World: Entangled Histories
Five Hundred Years of Spain and the Philippines (1521-2021)
The Philippines in the Context of the 21st Century
Rethinking the Nation: Language, Culture, and Social Change
Philippine Literature in Filipino and Vernacular Languages, Spanish, and English
Filipino as a World Language
Islam in the Philippines
The Jawi Script in the Philippines
Mindanao and Peace-building in Southeast Asia
Anthropology and Ethnography of the Filipino Peoples
The Geopolitics of the West Philippine Sea/South China Sea
Identities from the Margins: Women, LGBTQ+, IPs, and IDPs
Media, Press Freedom, and the Future of Democracy
Fundamentalisms and Ideological Shifts in the 21st Century
Climate Change and Ecology in the Philippine Archipelago
The Future is Asian. For the Philippines as well?
Diaspora and Citizenship
**Performing Arts, Rituals, Digital Humanities, Literature of the Voice**
**Tangible and Intangible Cultural Heritage**
**Food History and Culinary Literacy**

**Conference Languages:** English, Filipino, and Spanish

SUBMISSIONS AND REVIEW

All abstract proposals (250 – 300 words) should be submitted in doc or docx format to:

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**NEW DATES TO REMEMBER**

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<tr>
<td>15 December 2019</td>
<td>Deadline for submission of paper and panel abstracts and proposals for roundtable discussions (RTDs)</td>
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<td><strong>Extended to 31 January 2020</strong></td>
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<td>1 March 2020</td>
<td>Start of notification of acceptance of paper and panel abstracts and proposals for RTDs</td>
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<td>Early bird registration</td>
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<td>May 31, 2020</td>
<td>Registration deadline for paper presenters and roundtable discussants. Please note that presentations and RTDs will be included in the program when payment of conference registration is received in full on or before the deadline.</td>
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<td>31 July 2020</td>
<td>Deadline for submission of full papers. Papers will be considered for publication in <em>Filipinas: Journal of the Philippine Studies Association</em> and the Universidad de Alicante.</td>
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<td>21-23 September 2020</td>
<td>Conference</td>
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<td>Lakbay-Aral en Alicante (post-conference optional activity)</td>
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**REGISTRATION**

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<td>Early Bird Rate (1 March – 30 June 2020)</td>
<td>PhP 7,000 or US$135 or €120*</td>
<td>US$180 or €162*</td>
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<td>Regular Rate (1 July – onsite at the start of the conference on 21 September 2020)</td>
<td>PhP 7,850 or US$150 or €130*</td>
<td>US$200 or €180*</td>
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<td>Student with proof of current enrolment</td>
<td>US$75 or €65*</td>
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* For payment made from outside the Philippines via PayPal or bank deposit, please add US$5 or €4.50 for remittance charges.

Payments may be made either through the following or on-site at the start of the conference:

- **Philippine National Bank**
  Account name: Philippine Studies Association, Inc.
  Account number: 108670009522
  Bank address: #3 Apacible Street, UP Campus, Diliman, Quezon City
  SWIFT CODE: PNBPHM1L

- **PayPal**
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Concepto: ICOPHIL11_Apellidos_Nombre

Scans of deposit receipt/proof of payment should be emailed to philstudiesassociation@gmail.com or presented upon registration at the conference.

Participants are expected to fund their own registration fee, travel, and travel accommodations. Paper presenters and participants are urged to seek institutional funding.

Other pertinent information regarding lodging facilities and travel to and from the conference venue will be available online beginning 1 January 2020 at:

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