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IN TEACHING

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Dear amazing educator,

The Fourth Industrial Revolution is upon us and it poses great challenges to educators, school leaders, and school communities. As we survey the current education field, we take time to ponder essential questions and to reflect on the challenges and opportunities that rapid changes in the modern and digital society bring into our classrooms. We ask ourselves:

- *What qualities do teachers and students need in order to thrive in the rapidly changing future?*
- *What is the role of collaboration in engaging innovations not just in education but in the real world?*
- *How can teachers prepare students for a future that is so exciting and challenging, yet also full of uncertainty?*

We invite you to seek your personal answers to these questions in the **Frontiers and Innovations in Teaching (FIT) Conference 2019**, a leading 21st century education conference organized by Xavier School-San Juan, a Catholic and Jesuit K-12 school, on **April 10 – 12, 2019 (Wednesday to Friday) at Xavier School, San Juan City, Metro Manila.**

The theme of the conference, “**Thrive with Your Tribe: Developing 21st Century Innovations within a Culture of Collaboration,**” focuses on the essential role of creating a culture of collaboration in schools and other learning communities that would make 21st century innovations possible. Together with other amazing and forward-looking educators, let us listen to the most inspiring and eye-opening presentations from internationally recognized and leading 21st education experts and speakers. Learn from thoughtfully designed idea and workshop sessions about 21st century pedagogy and explore emerging technology that support the development of 21st century skills. We will also continue to highlight innovations and stories of success in 21st century education through the highly-rated and popular segments of the conference, **Experts’ Podium, Meet the Expert, Maker Camps, and Student Roundtable Discussions.**



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The deadline for registration is on April 1, 2019. Late Registrants and Walk-ins may not be assured of a slot; hence, we encourage you to register early.

For further details, interested participants may visit our FB page (FIT: Frontiers and Innovations in Teaching Conference) or call: 723-0481 to 95 at loc. 451 (Ms. Shan Hilario), local 463 (Mrs. Jessica Demegillo). You may also email your queries to : jessicademegillo@xs.edu.ph or krishanmhilario@xs.edu.ph

Together, let us envision the schools of tomorrow whose teachers and students will not only survive the Fourth Industrial Revolution, but as one community and society, flourish in a time of constant change! Let us ***thrive with our tribe!***

Sincerely,

Mrs. Jessica J. Demegillo
FIT Conference 2019 Coordinator

Noted by:

Fr. Aristotle C. Dy, SJ, Ph.D.
School President
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QUICK CONFERENCE BACKGROUNDER

<p>Participants:</p> <p>For the past five years, the conference has welcomed the following participants from all over the Philippines with a few coming from neighboring SEA countries:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none">• K-12 Teachers (All subjects!)• Tech Coordinators/ Specialists/ Trainers• Principals/ Academic Heads• Librarian/ Instructional Media Specialists• BEED and BSE Students• Teacher Ed Institutions• Higher Ed Faculty and Administrators• EdTech/ Publishing• Company Leaders/ Staff	<p>Trending Topics:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none">• 21st Century Learning• Technology tools for collaboration• Ed Tech and digital learning integration• BYOD, 1:1, Mobile Learning• Flipped Learning• Blended Learning• STEM / STEAM• MakerSpace• Coding and Robotics• Ed Tech Coaching• Digital Citizenship• Computer Education Curriculum• Technology Leadership
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PLENARY SESSIONS

KEYNOTE

Plenary sessions headlined by notable international and local keynote speakers whose leadership and expertise focus on 21st century education, student-centered learning environments, and digital learning, among others

EXPERTS PODIUM

Four 15-minute presentations that put the spotlight on teachers and school leaders as they describe the innovations they have put in place in their school environment and how these have made an impact in their community

BREAKOUT SESSIONS

MEET THE EXPERTS

Intimate sessions that give participants the opportunity to closely and actively interact with prominent education leaders and experts on topics related to 21st century learning and teaching



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IDEA SESSIONS

75-minute interactive lectures and discussions that ignite curiosity and active participation among the audience while equipping participants with essential concepts on fostering 21st century learning and teaching in the classroom, innovative leadership, and technology infrastructure

STUDENT ROUNDTABLE

15 minute student showcase of innovative authentic and real-life projects

WORKSHOP SESSIONS

90-minute hands-on exploratory sessions on various digital tools, topics or skills that will allow participants to learn by doing

PLAYGROUND SESSIONS

40-minute sessions dedicated to giving the participants a closer experience with emerging technologies and digital tools for the 21st century learning environment

MAKER CAMP

Two full hours that aim to immerse the participants in design-thinking and makerspace activities to let them see firsthand how these two concepts can be applied in school settings and also to give the participants a chance to personally dig into their own wellspring of creativity to produce original creations

The registration fees are:

Payment Description	Amount
Undergraduate Students/ Public School Teachers	P 3,500.00**
Early Registrants (Individual)* Payment made on or before Jan 31, 2019	P 5,500.00**
Early Registrants (Group - at least 5 members)* Payment made on or before Jan 31, 2019	P 5,000.00**
Regular Registrants Payment made on or before April 1, 2019	P 6,500.00**
Group Registrants (Group - at least 5 members) Payment made on or before April 1, 2019	P 6,000.00**
April 1 - 9, 2019/ Walk-in registrants	P 7,000.00**

*Early registrants will be given priority to sign up for breakout sessions.

**includes orientation kit, snacks and lunch meals for the 3 conference days