

SUCNAAI *update*

Silliman University College of Nursing Alumni Association International, Inc.
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MISSION

The mission of SUCNAAI is to be a uniting force for overseas SUCN alumni who are committed to support the delivery of high-quality nursing education at Silliman University, and the development of nursing leaders who can make a difference in health at national and global levels.

VISION

The vision of SUCNAAI is to create a global community of SUCN alumni who are actively engaged in Silliman University's utilization of knowledge, competence and faith to improve the health of people at home and worldwide.

SUCNAAI Elects New Governing Body – 2017 - 2020

Last October 15, 2016, the Silliman University College of Nursing Alumni Association International, Inc. (SUCNAAI) inducted its new Executive Council and Governing Board for the 2017 to 2020 term at Knotts' Berry Farm Hotel in California. The newly elected officers were inducted by Atty. Grace Sumalpong, corporate secretary and member of the board of trustees of Silliman University.

President:	Milva Galicano Quial
Vice President:	Anabelle Cunanan Locsin
Recording Secretary:	Guadalupe Bernardez-Hicks
Corresponding Secretary:	Harlan Ragay
Treasurer:	Nelda Minor Hope

Members-at-large:

Rhoda Acuna	Leah Tuble Abellon
Bella Amor Citron	Maribel S. Cuaresma
Virgilia Cordero Dayrit	Rebecca Jabel
Betsy Jackson	Estrella Mercurio
Elizabeth Rodriguez	

SUCNAAI Membership

Annual Fee:	\$50.00
Lifetime Fee:	\$250.00
*Associate Fee (annual):	\$25.00
*Associate Lifetime Fee:	\$125.00

**spouses, significant other, families, and friends of SUCNAAI member*

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SUCNAAI is a nonprofit organization incorporated in the state of California. In 2013 the organization was federally certified as a 501(c)(3) and became a member of Silliman Alumni Association, Inc. (SAAI). Committed to the organization's mission and vision of delivering high-quality nursing education and leadership excellence, SUCNAAI continues to provide education and training through Balik Talent lectures, research initiatives, workshops and symposia at Silliman University, which are attended by the various nursing colleges locally and nationally. Here are some of the many SUCNAAI initiatives thus far:

- Dr. Kayla Fisher, MD, JD, DFAPA, Medical Director, California Patton State Hospital, Forensic Private Practitioner, Clinical Professor of Psychiatry, University of California, Riverside, and an adjunct clinical professor in Psychiatry at California Baptist University (CBU), provided a university general education integrative learning lecture series titled "Evaluating Perilous Belief" on November 28, 2016.
- The memorandum of understanding between CBU's Vice President for Global Initiatives Dr. Larry Linamen and Silliman University President Dr. Ben S. Malayang III, which aims to build a partnership that includes academic and educational exchange, research collaboration, and lectures and symposia, was signed on November 29, 2016. This partnership was formed through the initiative of the SUCNAAI under its Program of Leadership Excellence in Nursing (POLEN).

“Together we can make a difference”



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- During the 70th College of Nursing Week celebration in February 2017, faculty nurses from the California Baptist University, through SUCNAAI and SUCN under the POLEN program, provided another workshop and training on basic life support and donated two CPR mannequins.



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- Lastly, on May 2017, in partnership with CBU and the Dumaguete City and Negros Oriental Disaster Risk Reduction and Management offices, SUCNAAI and SUCN under the POLEN program conducted a seven-day IPE training program of “Leadership in Disaster & Emergency Management in the Worst Conditions”. This training program was concluded with an earthquake disaster simulation segment to the delight the interest of participants & onlookers alike. The participation of the City & Provincial Risk/Disaster Division personnel greatly enhanced the attempted realty-like simulation of the training situation.

