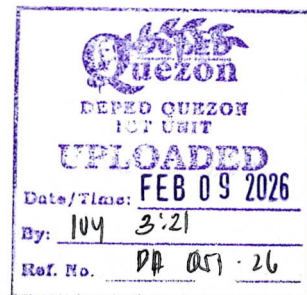




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BENITO & CATALINO YAP FOUNDATION INNOVATION AWARDS (BIA)

The Benito & Catalino Yap Foundation (BCYF) informs the public that the 8th iteration of the BBCYF Innovation Awards is now accepting nominations for innovations on government service, SMEs, education, technology, industry, and health sciences until February 16, 2026. In relation to this, interested participants are invited to submit nominations.

Please be advised that participation to the said activity should be **voluntary**, and other related costs which may be incurred by the applicants shall be on **personal expense**. They are also reminded to **strictly observe Time-On-Task Policy**, and **strict compliance to No Disruption of Classes Policy of the Department as stipulated in DepEd Order No. 09, s. 2005**.

For further details, please see attached document for reference.

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Benita & Catalino Yap Foundation

January 6, 2026

To whom it may concern,

Good day!

The Benita & Catalino Yap Foundation (BCYF) is proud to announce that the 8th iteration of the BCYF Innovation Awards (BIA) is now accepting nominations!

This award is a core component of BCYF's comprehensive social development program. It recognizes innovation in many aspects of life, which include but are not limited to, government service, SMEs, education, technology, industry, and health sciences.

The BIA is a BCYF project in partnership with Pilipinas Shell Petroleum Corporation, through their flagship enterprise development program: Shell LiveWIRE. The awardee shall receive Php 1,000,000 cash prize.

Moreover, this initiative of BCYF in promoting innovation has been recognized by the government, under Proclamation No. 172, when President Rodrigo Duterte declared the 3rd Week of February 2017 as "Philippine Innovation Week."

For your ready reference on the BCYF Innovation Awards 2026, attached herewith is the official briefier, along with other materials about Benita & Catalino Yap Foundation. It is our hope that you will be able to recommend an individual, group, or organization for nomination.

Please take note that the deadline for nominations is on February 16, 2026, while the BIA Awards Night will be on February 27, 2026 at Club Filipino, San Juan City.

If you have any questions or clarifications, you may reach out to me using the given details.
Thank you!

Very respectfully yours,
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