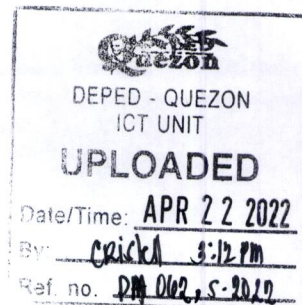




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In reference to the communication from the Department of Information and Communications Technology (DICT), this Advisory is issued for the information of all Public Schools District Supervisors, Secondary School Heads, Secondary Schools Teachers, and Senior High School Students.

**Startup Conference: Shaping Up the Future of Youths Through Startups**

The Department of Information and Communications Technology (DICT) - Region IV invites the senior high school students to the DICT Startup Conference: Shaping Up the Future of Youths Through Startups on April 28-29, 2022 at 1:00-5:00 pm via Zoom.

This event aims to provide the participants a glimpse of the startup community and successful startup founders and analyze the startup industry and identify possible opportunities. Interested participants may register through this link: <https://bit.ly/DICTR4StartupConRegistration>. Participation shall be on voluntary basis and is subject to no-disruption-of-classes policy as stipulated in DepEd Order No. 9, s.2005 entitled Instituting Measures to Increase Engaged Time-on-Task and ensuring compliance herewith. Participants are also advised to strictly follow and observe the IATF guidelines on safety and health protocols.

Kindly see the attached communication for further information.

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**ELIAS A. ALICAYA, JR.**  
Officer in Charge  
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Dear **Mr. Alicaya**:

*Greetings from the Department of Information and Communications Technology (DICT) Regions IV-A and IV-B!*

The DICT, as one of the lead agencies in the implementation of the Philippine Startup Development Program (PSDP), is mandated to foster an environment where innovation is given opportunities to be designed, tested, and turned into actual products. In order to fulfill its role in the PSDP, DICT is implementing the **Digital Startup Development and Acceleration Program (DSDAP)**. The overall goal of the program is to establish a strong Philippine Startup Ecosystem by providing support that will enrich and strengthen the competitive advantage of Filipino startups.

In line with this, we are pleased to invite your respective schools and students to participate in the **DICT Startup Conference: Shaping Up the Future of Youths Through Startups** to be held on **April 28-29, 2022, from 1:00-5:00 pm**. The Startup Conference is a two-days half-day event for Senior High School and College students. It is a free event that will feature talks on the startup world that will provide participants a glimpse of the startup community and successful startup founders, especially in **Regions IV-A and IV-B**. Government Agencies will also be featured to share their programs in supporting Startups. This activity will help these students to analyze the startup industry and identify possible opportunities. It will also provide an opportunity for participants to acquire valuable insights, tips, recommendations, suggestions, and advice from industry experts. This activity will also help them increase networks and learn from different experiences.

The event is free and open to all **senior high school and college students residing in NCR, CALABARZON, and MIMAROPA** who will receive an e-certificate after the activity. Interested participants may register through this link: <https://bit.ly/DICTR4StartupConRegistration>. The activity program and zoom meeting link will be provided once you register.

Should you have further questions, please contact **Ms. April Rose H. Clemeno** through her email address ([aprilrose.hernandez@dict.gov.ph](mailto:aprilrose.hernandez@dict.gov.ph)) or mobile numbers **09694091349 / 09163329340**.

We look forward to your favorable response regarding our invitation.

Very truly yours,

  
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