

**A Seminar on Centrist Democracy and the
Roles of Sector Associations in the Political Landscape
N Hotel, Bulua Drive, Cagayan de Oro City
25 – 26 January 2013**

PROGRAM OF ACTIVITIES

Day 0: 24 January 2013, Thursday

Arrival of participants from CARAGA, Bukidnon, Zamboanga
Sibugay only

Day 1: 25 January 2013, Friday

- 8:30 – 9:00 Registration at the Secretariat
- 9:00 – 9:30 Program Preliminaries:
Invocation
Singing of the Philippine National Anthem
- Welcome and Opening Remarks:
MS. APRIL DE LA CRUZ
*Training Coordinator,
Centrist Democracy Political Institute (CDPI)*
- Introduction of Participants
Administrative Notes and Announcements
- 9:30 – 10:00 Local Political Platforms and Media Work
- 10:00 – 10:30 Workshop for Each Campaign Group
- 10:30 – 10:45 Coffee Break
- 10:45 – 11:45 Presentation of Workshop Output
- 11:45 – 12:15 Open Forum
MR. RODOLFO V. VICERRA
Executive Director, Centrist Democracy Political Institute (CDPI)
- 12:15 – 1:00 Lunch Break
- 1:00 – 1:30 Solidarity Message:
HON. RUFUS B. RODRIGUEZ
Representative, 2nd District of Cagayan de Oro City
- 1:30 – 2:45 The COMELEC Regulations on Campaigning
MR. RODERICO Y. DUMAUG JR.
*Founding Member, Centrist Democratic Movement of the
Philippines*
- 2:45 – 3:15 Questions and Answers
*Snacks will be served
- 3:15 – 5:30 Campaign Strategies and Campaign Management
DR. DIXON Q. YASAY
*Director, Xavier University Governance and Leadership Institute
(XUGLI)
Xavier University – Ateneo de Cagayan*
- 5:30 – 7:30 Surveys in Campaigning
DR. ISAIAS S. SEALZA
*Director, Research Institute for Mindanao Culture (RIMCU)
Dean, Graduate School of Xavier University – Ateneo de Cagayan*
- 7:30 – 8:30 Dinner (End of Day 1)

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Day 2: 26 January 2013, Saturday

- 6:00 – 8:00 Breakfast
Administrative Announcements
- 8:00 – 9:30 The COMELEC Regulations on Campaign Financing
MR. RODERICO Y. DUMAUG JR.
*Founding Member, Centrist Democratic Movement of the
Philippines*
- 9:30 – 10:00 Open Forum
- 10:00 – 10:15 Snacks will be served
- 10:15 – 11:30 How to prevent vote buying and fraud
DR. PIMENTEL
Member, Ehem!
- 11:30 – 11:45 Open Forum
- 11:45 – 12:15 The Role of the Sector Associations in the Campaign
DR. PETER KOEPPINGER
Representative to the Philippines, Konrad-Adenauer-Stiftung
- 12:15 – 12:45 Open Forum
- 12:45 – 1:30 Lunch Break
- 1:30 – 2:15 Financing of Campaigning, Relations between Party and
Candidate:
The Role of the Party in Campaigning Activities
SPEAKER FROM COMELEC
COMELEC Region X
- 2:15 – 2:45 Open Forum
- 2:45 – 3:00 Conclusion and Final Remarks
MR. JORDAN JAY ANTOLIN
*Founding Member, Centrist Democratic Movement of the
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