# INSTILLING ETHICAL PRACTICES IN MULTI-GENERATIONAL LIBRARIES TOWARDS STRONGER ORGANIZATIONAL CULTURE

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#### **OBJECTIVE**

- HOW TO INSTILL CULTURE OF INTEGRITY, HOW TO INCULCATE COMMON ETHICAL VALUES IN INCREASINGLY BECOMING VARIED LIBRARY ORGANIZATION, HOW TO HAVE UNIFYING AND STRONG ORGANIZATIONAL STRUCTURE

- ETHICS IS IMPORTANT IN THE CONDUCT OF ONE'S DAILY LIFE AND RELEVANT TO THE ADVANCEMENT OF ONE'S CARBERGE IS ESSENTIAL SO THAT ONE CAN BE CONSIDERED AND BE CALLED A TRUE PROFESSIONAL - LEADER

#### **KEY WORDS**

#### 1. ETHICAL VALUES

Librarian - Personal through and upbringing (Values and Lifelong learning AND education (as explained in Ms David's lecture - Competency and (later further explained by and Communication Randolf)

-2. INSTILL - MULTI-GENERATIONAL LIBRARIES (Technological Advances (a) Choice of software/project b) choice of dealer/company) and c) Intellectual Property political & economic constraints)

- 3. VARIED LIBRARY ORGANIZATION, HOW
- TO HAVE UNIFYING
- & STRONG ORGANIZATIONAL STRUCTURE - Specially needed in the Philippines -No direction in the solutions of APO - Competition

#### **CODE OF ETHICS**

"The COE's generalized statements also offer another problem, particularly in the practice of modern librarianship, which in recent years has changed drastically due to technological advances, the accompanying legal issues, changing political pressures and economic constraints

 "The American Library Association Code of Ethics: A controversial History." Succession Planning and Implementation in Library (http://books.google.ph) -- 1.Technological Advances - Intellectual property infringements

reproduction of library resources vis-à-vis fair use for libraries

Acquistion of the IT facilities – Bidding, Government
Procurement, COA regulation, etc.

-2. Accompanying Legal Issues -Laws like professional librarian law (Rep. Act No. 9246, renewal of license, and now "controversial" CGS and legally of solution being considered By-Laws of PLAI and other Library Associations), **CPD** ((RepAct No. 10912) Compliance), fake news, freedom of information

- 3. changing political pressures
  - government appointments like NLP, NCCA, PRIORITY of the government, Philjeb (govt procurement) Free education, LEB
- 4. and economic constraints budget books (government requirements as to no. of copies) & personnel (attendance to seminars), creation consortiums vis-à-vis library association

#### **AMERICA - PHILIPPINES**

- USA "How to enforce the code on practitioners
- practicing librarians are not required to join ALA, the profession's governing body"
- PHILIPPINES ... LAW (PLAI),
   Education, License ("Will Power" to enforce the law); True motive of a professional

## LEARNING OBJECTIVE INSTRUCTIONAL DESIGN

 To revisit the library profession's code of ethics and connect and integrate it with the modern librarianship (Rep. Act No. 9246), and practice - Case studies (actual scenarios), (CPD (Rep Act No. 10912) & the Code of Ethics in the modern learning environment

#### CLARIFICATION - "Case Studies" - Instructional Design

- 1. ONE WHO HAVE MANAGED

  LIBRARIES 43 yrs (Academe & Court library)
- 2. LIBRARY EDUCATOR/PROFESSOR
- **3. PROFESSIONAL LIBRARIAN/**
- PRACTITIONER HANDS ON
- 4 ACTUAL PHILIPPINE LIBRARY ENVIRONMENT Actual Reality and the present condition

LAWS, RULES and REGULATIONS ARE **PROMULGATED** FOR NOBLE, AND GOOD IMPORTANT PURPOSES/REASONS. HOWEVER, THOSE WIE IMPLEMENT THEM MUST DO SO WITH "OPEN MIND" SO THAT THE PURPOSES THAT THEY ARE MADE MAY BE ACHIEVED

# Republic Act No. 9246 – Statement of Policy - Noble Objective – Nation Building

Essential role of librarianship as a profession in developing intellectual capacity of the citizenry thus making library service a regular component for national development.

through (1) honest, effective and credible licensure examination and regulatory measures. undertake programs and activities that would promote and nurture the (2) professional growth and well-being of competent, virtuous, productive and well-rounded librarians (law librarians experience/venue of seminars)

### MODERN LIBRARIANSHIP: SKILLS and Ethics

- Filipino Librarians
- Foreign Employment
- Educational Qualification Degrees (BLIS, Masters
  - and now Phd
- LAWS License, Cpd, etc

#### MODERN LIBRARIANSHIP

- 2. Continuing Professional

  Development
- Republic Act No. 10912 An Act
   Mandating and Strengthening the
   Continuing Professional Development
   Program for All Related Professions –
   Kirpatrick, Blooms, etc
- 3. Code of Ethics for Librarians Resolution No. 06 s. 2006

- (3) standards of practice and service shall be characterized by excellence, quality, and geared towards word-class global competitiveness (Standards for special librarians)

#### **OBJECTIVES**

- Rep Act No. 9246
- Integration of librarians under one national organization (how many library associations are there in the Philippines?)
- Consortiums vis-à-vis library associations

**Educational Qualifications** Licensure examination Other qualifications & experience such as trainings, seminars etc Knowledge in the use of the latest **Information technology** Networking including ASEAN integration

#### QUALIFICATIONS OF MODERN LIBRARIANS - Technical, MANAGEMENT AND OTHER SKILLS

- 1. Library and Information Science Qualification

  License Librarian?
- 2. Knowledge in the use of the latest
- Information technology
- 3. Networking

- TOO PARTICULAR OR STRICT IN
- COMPLYING WITH LIBRARY TECHNICAL SERVICES SUCH AS CATALOGING, CLASSIFICATION, ETC.

- LIBRARY SERVICES

#### Rep Act No. 9246

- Section 5
- 1. Selection and acquisition of multi-media sources of information...

• What about the textbooks of the printed publications?



#### **Section 5**

 2. Cataloguing and classification of knowledge or sources of information into relevant organized collections and creation of local databases for speedy access, retrieval or delivery of information

MARC Format – RDA – AACR 2.5?

## - NO CATALOGUE AND CLASSIFICATION

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- LIBRARY SERVICE

#### LIBRARIES @ THE MALLS



#### NO CLASSIFICATION NO.



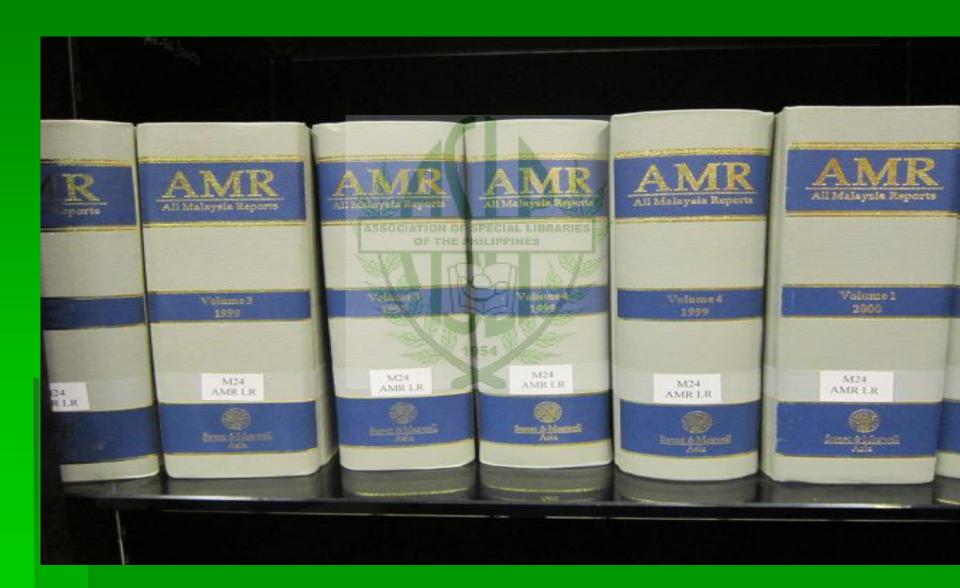
## Singapore — Orchard Library — Library in a Mall



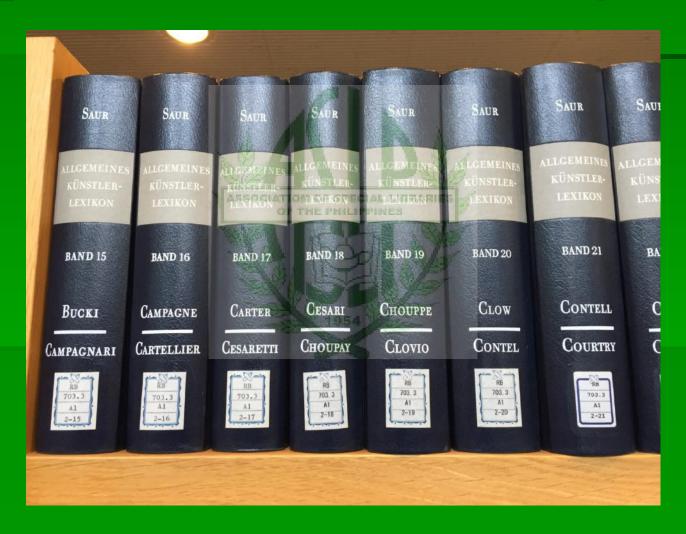
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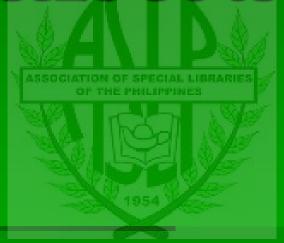
#### MALAYSIA – Supreme Court Library



### Japan - Keio University



#### - FACILITIES TO ACCESS



KOREAN NATIONAL ASSEMBLY LIBRARY -READ DAILY NEWSPAPER WITH A TOUCH OF A FINGER



#### KOREA NATIONAL LIBRARY-DAILY NEWSPAPERS MAY BE READ FROM THESE COMPUTERS



#### CIRCULATION





# BOOKS ARE PLACED ON THE BLUE BOX/CONTAINER



#### "BOOK DELIVERY"









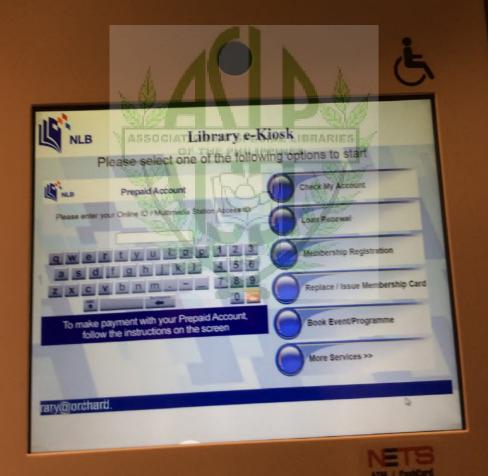




#### **OPAC**



## e-kiosk



Place your card here

#### Malaysia - National library



## SAMSUNG LIBRARY



## FOR ADULTS



#### FOR CHILDREN



#### FOR CHILDREN 5-9

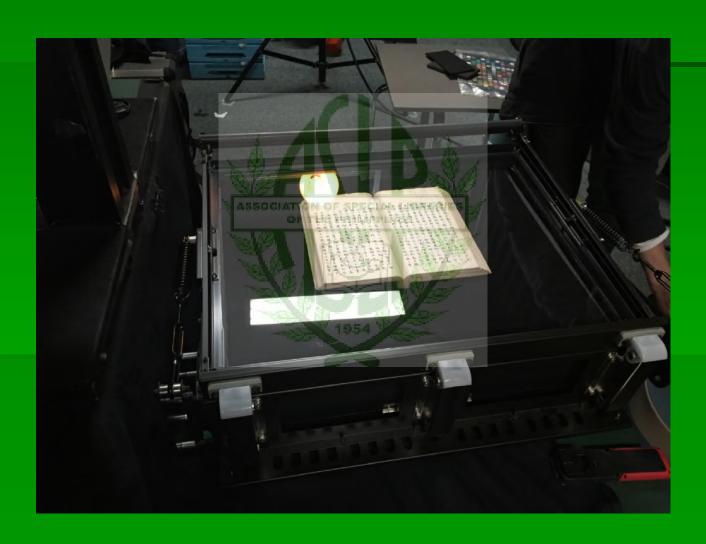


# SMU – Singapore Management University



## Japan - Keio University





# Keio University – Unique Computer



- Library and Information
   Science Qualification
- Philippines Degree Holders (BLIS, MLS) and License Librarian
- Asian Countries Not all/No licence
- Developed Countries No License

- PHIL.No. 1 - Is it still no.1 - Director of the NLP and a government university librarian



#### Japan - National Daet Library



#### National Daet Library - Basement 8



#### Korea National Library



## The National Digital Library of Kore









## Singapore National Library













#### MALAYSIA NATIONAL LIBRARY NEW BUILDING



# **Berlin State Library –National Library**







# SMU Law Library "Chairs to relax"





#### LIBRARIES @ THE MALLS



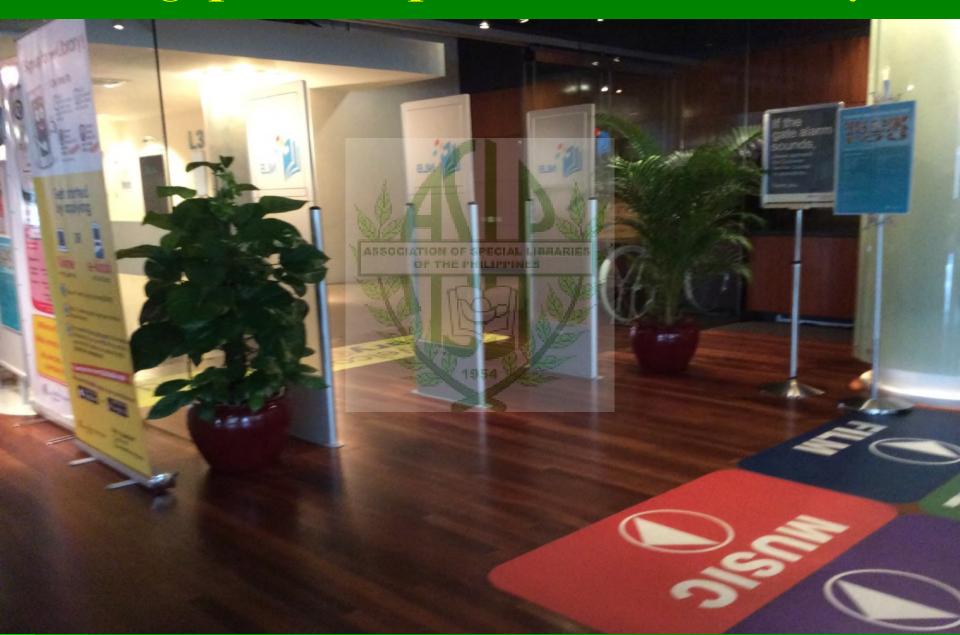








#### Singapore - Esplanade Mall Library







#### JICA, JAPAN







## Federal Foreign Office (May 22, 2012) — Auswärtiges Amt



#### "Complaints Board with Response"



#### UNIQUE BOOK END



#### EFFECTIVE/MEET GOALS

- GOOD LAWS
- PERFECT OBJECTIVES

- COMMUNICATIONS o LIBRARY AND LIBRARY ORGANIZATION

## MODERN LIBRARIANSHIP Types of Libraries

- Academic, Research libraries
- Special Libraries Agricultural, Law, Busines, Medical, etc.
- 3. Public Libraries
- 4. School Liraries
- 5. Other Libraries and Information Centers

#### **Management Skills**

Do professional/licensed librarians possess the management and professional skills?

- Discussed in previous lectures
- MAYBE.....

## Possible Reasons for Lack or Need for Improvement

1. Professors/Teachers of Library Science straight from college

Architects/ Doctors — 2 years experience

MBA – at least 1 year

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#### 2. Board Topnotcher

3. Library Service — Some Licensed Professional Librarians (RL) Selective Work they do like Computers Information technology — All Around experience

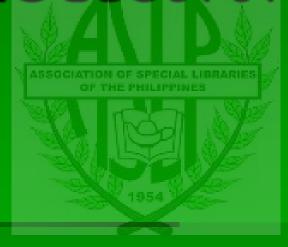
-4. Personal Dedication
Personal Attitude
Inner self or the
LIBRARIAN HERSELF

# Republic Act No. 10912 - Continuing Professional Development Program (CPD) - Policy

The Policy of the State to promote and upgrade the practice of professions in the country. Towards this end, the State shall institute measures that will continuously improve the competence of the professionals in accordance with the international standards of practice, thereby ensuring their contribution in uplifting the general welfare, economic growth and development of the nation.

#### CODE OF ETHICS FOR LIBRARIANS

- RESOLUTION NO. 6



## CODE OF ETHICS FOR LIBRARIANS

Resolution No. 06 S. 2006 PREAMBLE

Librarians, mindful of their role in the development of knowledge and culture and the enrichment of people's lives, seek the highest standards of ethical behavior in their relations with their schools, their clients/employers, the librarianship profession and colleagues, agencies and associations and the public

# mindful of their role highest standards of ethical behavior

- PRACTICE (DO) AND OBSERVE

## LIBRARY ORGANIZATION - PARTICIPATION

- 1. Officers Are they doing their responsibilities or they title only or FREE
- 2. Attendance to Seminars/ Conference
- Topic or Venue
- 3. Institutions Sponsored?

### 1. Librarians with the State, Society and Public

Librarians shall uphold the Constitution.....

Librarians shall promote literacy and education of the public by making the resources and services of the library known and accessible to its users.

ACCESSIBILITY - Property
Accountability A Remedy - Networking/Consortium

 Librarians shall uphold and promote the right to information as well as abide by the provisions of the intellectual property law. -

Falsificaton, etc - Report Turnitin

- Librarians shall be partners with the community they serve in inculcating nationalism .....
- OUTREACH

## 2. Librarians with Librarianship Profession

1. Librarians shall uphold the dignity and integrity of the profession

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SELLING GOODS DURING OFFICE HRS.

Research for a Fee

- 2. Librarians shall keep their reputation above reproach and shall so conduct themselves to gain public esteem and respect ..
  - Anti-Graft Use of funds/supplies of the institution and/or the library associaton
  - Morality "Loverary"
    - "rumor mongering" etc.
  - **REMEDY** Do remedial action to stop what is being done like in library assn.

 3. Librarians shall not assist in the unauthorized practice of librarianship.

- "lending of license" Academe
- Qualification ACCCREDITATION

- 3. Librarians shall treat each other with respect, courtesy, and sincerity and shall avoid maligning the reputation, competence, and capability of their colleagues. They shall not use any unfair means to gain professional advancement.
  - AWARDS
  - Crab mentality
  - Telling the Truth is NOT Maligning

#### FB - Power of Positivity

I respect those who tell the truth no matter how hard it is. Integrity is everything.

 4. Librarians shall strive to improve, enhance, and upgrade their professional knowledge, skills, and competencies through formal and informal means.

 FOR ALL AND NOT JUST FOR ONESELF - BARANGAYAN 5. Librarians shall endeavor to uphold the highest standards in the practice of the profession. They shall adopt and live by this motto: C A N I - Constant and Never-ending Improvement of the quality and standards of professional services.

6. Librarians shall adhere to the principles of due process and equality of opportunity in their relationship with fellow workers especially their colleagues.

Attendance to Seminars.
Scholarships etc. Hindi ikaw lang lagi - Hindi lang ang mga "Boss"

Fellow workers should include even the non-librarians – Seminars etc.

7. Librarians shall maintain membership, participate and cooperate in the endeavors of library association/s to enhance the effectiveness of the profession.

Participate and cooperate - FREE
Loyalty to the Profesion and not just
to An Association
Attendance – Not the place or
Association sponsor

 8. Librarians shall be vigilant in the protection of all library resources placed under their care.

Supplies

**Property ACCOUNTABILITY** 

 9. Librarians shall be entitled to a just and fair fee for consultancy and other professional services.

- 3. Librarians with the Suppliers, Publishers, Dealers, etc.
- 1. Librarians shall choose suppliers and publishers exclusively on the basis of the quality of goods, costs, and services.
- 2. Librarians shall refuse all personal gratuities. REFUSE vis a vis ASK TOO SAD TO HEAR THAT THIS IS STILL HAPPENING
- 3. Librarians shall never enter into business transactions prejudicial to the library, but unwisely favorable to their own interest

- 4 Librarians with the Clients and/or other Users of their Professional Services
- 1. Librarians shall provide courteous, prompt, adequate, skillful and accurate responses to all requests for assistance.

- Favoritism
- Assist according to position/"friendship etc.

 2. Librarians shall keep in confidence, information acquired in the course of professional service. They shall protect the client's right to privacy with respect to information sought or received and materials consulted, borrowed, or acquired through the library.

Court - Confidentiality

- 3. Librarians shall render impartial service to all library users regardless of their race, beliefs, age, gender, or social status.
- 4. Librarians shall refuse gifts or favors from clients and library suppliers for personal interest. They shall avoid using the library's resources to the detriment of services which the library render to its users.

## Recommendations

1. Communication

Librarians and different Library associations must

meet and work for the

Benefit and Improvement

of the profession

2. If IT IS ALMOST IMPOSSIBLE TO MERGE LIBRARY ORGANIZATIONS FOR THE HAVE SPECIAL NEEDS (?) THEY SHOULD WORK FOR THE PROFESSION AND NOT COMPETE.

PLAI Should take the lead by calendaring activities to avoid overlap or dates and topics

- 3. BE TRUTHFUL IN WORKING FOR THE PROFESSION AND NOT PERSONAL GLORY

 Officer of an Association must work and not just the title or the "benefit"  4. Enforceability - Make sure or work for the enforceability of laws, rules and regulations for the profession

Don't make it hard - CPD

## 5. Advocacy - Speak

Passive vs. Aggressive

Even though some know the solution or when they know something is wrong, they do not speak up

Different from quarrelsome

- Discernment "All Knowing"
- 5. Concern ASLP Free for CPD

