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Book donation program at Villasis, Pangasinan



The Association of Special Libraries of the Philippines, headed by ASLP President Brinerdine Alejandrino with ASLP Vice-President Edelliza C. Gallo and ASLP Secretary Myzel Marifosque endorsed the donated books at Villasis, Pangasinan Municipal Library.



These books were all gathered through the book-drive campaign held last March 9, 2015 at University of the Philippines, Diliman - National Center for Public Administration and Governance. The attendees of the event donated books in lieu with the usual registration fee rates given by the organizers.



Books donated were in different subjects, mostly on social sciences, to help the beneficiary library improve its collections of reference books.



The books were given to the Municipal Hall of Villasis, Pangasinan headed by the leadership of its Municipal Mayor Libradita G. Abrenica.

ASLP would like to thank all the donors and sponsors who helped made this event possible and successful.

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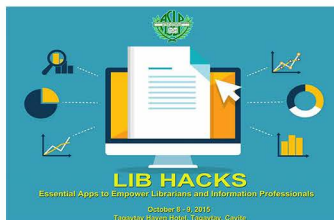
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Lib hacks : essential apps to empower Librarians and Information Professionals



The Association of Special Libraries of the Philippines (ASLP) conducted a seminar-workshop entitled “Lib Hacks : Essential Apps to Empower Librarians and Information Professionals” last October 8 - 9, 2015 at the Tagaytay Haven Hotel, Tagaytay, Cavite.

This is in line with ASLP's commitment to give its members relevant knowledge about information technology implications and applications in the library, the association gave another wave of IT related seminar with hands-on training.

ASLP invited speakers from Google Educators Group Philippines, one of them is the CEO of Kollab. ASLP explored and learned new possibilities in Library Management through the use of different apps available in the market. Invited also are expert librarians in different fields to emphasize the use and implications of these apps in Philippine Libraries.





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Philippine Librarians' Magic Ball : a red carpet event

The Philippine Librarians Association, Inc. in partnership with different library professional associations and organizations team-up to celebrate the country's first librarians' gala night.

The celebration is in line with the annual National Book Week celebration since its proclamation on November 19, 1936 through Proclamation 109 series of 1936 authored by President Manuel L. Quezon.

Participated by fourteen pairs of dashing and ravishing librarians from different professional and alumni associations. Prior to the red carpet event, the organizing team headed by Ms. Donna Labangon of PLAI scheduled series of practices to perfect the dance routine. It was not easy for the pairs to devote time and effort to these rehearsals so the group decided to hold it on the upcoming holidays of November.

ASLP's pair, Mr. Justin Harold A. Hingco, P.R.O. with Ms. Ma. Luisa R. Madlangbayan, Ex-Officio go partners for this momentous event. It is a bit unusual for the two executive board officers for they both had this as a first-time in their lives to represent an association in a cotillon.





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The dance number was perfectly coordinated and danced by the two participants that earned them the confidence of the dance instructors.



This event was also about honoring and reminiscing the fruits of the hardwork of the librarians' community to make a difference in the society. Attended by the most respected and prominent names in the field of librarianship, the gala night serves as a platform of inspiration to the new librarians in developing themselves and earn the same spot of respect as of these remarkable librarians.



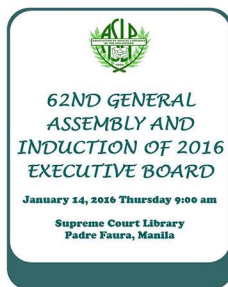
The night was concluded by spontaneous dances in different genres of music.



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Upcoming events :



“62nd ASLP General Assembly”

The Association of Special Libraries of the Philippines (ASLP) will celebrate its 62nd Anniversary on January 14, 2016, 8:00 A.M. at the Supreme Court Library, Ground Floor, New Supreme Court Building, Padre Faura, Manila.

We invite you to join us as we celebrate the annual General Assembly and induction of the 2016 ASLP Board. It is but once a year that we get to meet one another and discuss the future of our Association.

2016 ASLP EXECUTIVE BOARD

The following are the elected officers of the ASLP Executive Board for the term 2016

	BRIAN LLOYD B. DAYRIT School of Economics Library, UP Diliman	42 votes
	MERCEDITA B. SERVIDA Eugenio Lopez Foundation Lopez Museum and Library	39 votes
	RANDOLF D. MARIANO Thomas Jefferson Information Center at the U.S. Embassy in Manila	39 votes
	JUSTIN HAROLD A. HINGCO Office of the President of the Philippines - PCDSPO	35 votes
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