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**TEACHSTEM SCHOLARSHIP PROGRAM**

Attached is a letter dated May 25, 2023 of Graciela E. Mendoza, Head-Scholarships and Community Gokongwei Brothers Foundation, regarding the request for Scholarship Program Orientation and Promotion for TEACHSTEM SCHOLARSHIP PROGRAM on June 19-23, 2023 via online.

Participation of public and private schools shall be subject to the **no disruption of classes policy** stipulated in DepEd Order No. 9, s. 2005 titled *Instituting Measures to Increase Engaged Time-on-Task and Ensuring Compliance Therewith*.

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May 25, 2023

**MR. WILFREDO E. CABRAL**  
**REGIONAL DIRECTOR**  
**NATIONAL CAPITAL REGION**

Re: **Gokongwei Brothers Foundation's**  
**REQUEST FOR SCHOLARSHIP PROGRAM ORIENTATION AND PROMOTION - TEACHSTEM**  
**SCHOLARSHIP PROGRAM**

Greetings from Gokongwei Brothers Foundation (GBF),

From 2019 up to the present, GBF has supported more than 244 college students and 133 public school teachers in the country through its **TEACHSTEM SCHOLARSHIP PROGRAM**. This scholarship program for undergraduate and graduate education students aims to develop and strengthen the quality of educators who will be STEM champions in their communities and to equip future learners to contribute to nation-building.

We are targeting to secure at least 100 scholar applications (undergraduate and graduate) from your region.

In line with this, *we would like to request for an endorsement* so that we may be able to conduct an ONLINE orientation to the schools and institutions in your region on the week of **June 19 to 23, 2023**. We would also be glad to conduct an orientation to your office, if necessary.

We would like to invite the following:

1. Undergraduate students taking up Education courses specializing in STEM, General Education, and Technical Vocational Teacher Education;
2. Graduate students taking up Master of Arts/Science in Education majoring in STEM, Special Education, Non-Formal Education, and Technical Vocational Education;
3. Faculty members teaching either in the K-12 or undergraduate programs who have yet to take or finish their master's degree; it can be from your institution, but we would appreciate if you can also invite K-12 teachers from the schools within the proximity of your institution.
4. Members of the Admissions or Scholarships Office of the University;
5. Representatives from senior high schools or elementary schools who may benefit from our scholarship program.

We understand that your office has many important priorities and commitments, and we are grateful for your willingness to consider our request. We will appreciate it if you can confirm by **June 9, 2023 (Friday)**.

You may also visit our website at [www.gokongweibrothersfoundation.org](http://www.gokongweibrothersfoundation.org) for more details on the scholarship programs or reach us through the following contact details:

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Thank you very much and we look forward to working closely with your office in uplifting education in the Philippines.

Sincerely,

*(original signed)*

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