



Republic of the Philippines  
**Department of Education**  
NATIONAL CAPITAL REGION

August 14, 2023

**REGIONAL MEMORANDUM**

ORD No. 2023- 778

**To:** Schools Division Superintendent  
Public School Heads  
All Others Concerned

**INVITATION TO ALLOW DEPED PERSONNEL TO ATTEND  
THE 6<sup>TH</sup> ANNUAL NATIONAL CONVENTION OF ASSOCIATION  
OF GOVERNMENT INTERNAL AUDITORS, INC. (AGIA)**

1. Attached is a copy of the DepEd Memorandum DM-OUHROD-2023-1076 dated August 7, 2023 from Hon. Gloria Jumamil-Mercado, Undersecretary for Human Resource and Organizational Development, Department of Education, re: 6<sup>th</sup> Annual National Convention and Seminar of Association of Government Internal Auditors, Inc. (AGIA) on October 17-20, 2023 at Boracay New Coast, Malay, Aklan, for information and reference.
2. For inquiries, please email AGIA at [info.agia52@gmail.com](mailto:info.agia52@gmail.com) or visit their website at [www.agiaphil.org](http://www.agiaphil.org).
3. Immediate dissemination of this Memorandum is desired.

  
**WILFREDO E. CABRAL, CESO III**  
Regional Director

Encl.: As stated

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## Department of Education

OFFICE OF THE UNDERSECRETARY  
HUMAN RESOURCE AND ORGANIZATIONAL DEVELOPMENT

**MEMORANDUM**  
**DM-OUHROD-2023-1076**

**FOR :** Undersecretaries  
Assistant Secretaries  
Bureau Directors  
Regional Directors  
Schools Division Superintendents  
All Others Concerned

**FROM :**  **GLORIA JUMAMIL-MERCADO**  
*Undersecretary for Human Resource and Organizational Development*

**ATTY. REVSEE A. ESCOBEDO**  
*Undersecretary for Operations*

**SUBJECT :** INVITATION TO ALLOW DEPED PERSONNEL TO ATTEND THE  
**64<sup>TH</sup> ANNUAL NATIONAL CONVENTION OF ASSOCIATION OF  
GOVERNMENT INTERNAL AUDITORS, INC (AGIA)**

**DATE :** 07 August 2023

The **Association of Government Internal Auditors, Inc. (AGIA)** will hold its **64<sup>th</sup> Annual National Convention cum Seminar on October 17 – 20, 2023** at **Boracay New Coast, Malay, Aklan** with the theme "**AGIA: Anchor of Governance with Integrity and Accountability for Quality Public Service**".

*DepEd employees performing internal auditing, accounting, property management, budgeting, treasury, risk management, and allied functions may opt to attend the said activity. The use of DepEd funds shall be subject to the approval of their respective approving authorities. The same is also contingent upon its availability, and adherence to the usual accounting and auditing rules and regulations.*

Should you have further inquiries, please email AGIA at [info.agia52@gmail.com](mailto:info.agia52@gmail.com) or visit their website at [www.agiaphil.org](http://www.agiaphil.org).

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15 June 2023

USEC. GLORIA JJUMAMIL-MERCADO  
Undersecretary  
Human Resource and Organizational Development  
DedEd Complex, Meralco Avenue  
Pasig City 1604



Dear Usec. Jumamil-Mercado:

The Association of Government Internal Auditors, Inc. (AGIA) would like to invite you, and your staff to its upcoming **64<sup>th</sup> Annual National Convention cum Seminar on October 17 - 20, 2023, at Boracay New Coast, Malay Aklan** with the **Theme: "AGIA: Anchor of Governance with Integrity and Accountability for Quality Public Service."**

Distinguished speakers were invited to discuss topics of great interest to public servants that will provide new insights and learnings to the participants, and to share industry best practices to address common challenges inherent to their respective work. Technical sessions, plenary discussions with open-forum, and knowledge-sharing on current trends in good governance will highlight the four-day affair.

The Convention is a suitable venue for your employees performing internal auditing, accounting, property management, budgeting, treasury, risk management, and allied functions to network with colleagues and benchmark with best practices in the government.

**The said convention will be conducted Hybrid (a combination of Face-to-Face and online) with registration fee per participant of Ten Thousand Five Hundred Pesos (P10,500.00) for Live-out and Fifteen Thousand Pesos (P15,000.00) for Live-In** to cover for the convention kit, meals during the sessions, and hotel accommodation, as applicable. On the other hand, the registration fee for Online participants is **Four Thousand Five Hundred Pesos (P4,500)**. (Please see attached indicative program and seminar fee inclusions).

We can only accommodate **500** live-in participants hence, it shall be on a **first-pay, first-serve basis**. Please register **ONLINE** via <https://tinyurl.com/AGIA2023Convention> or visit our website **www.agiaphil.org** for other information on the event.

As AGIA's token of appreciation for supporting the Convention, the first fifty (50) face to face registrants who paid by July 30, 2023 and on-line participants shall be entitled to one (1) **FREE** virtual training/seminar of the participant's choice from among the list of published trainings for the 1<sup>st</sup> Quarter of 2024, subject to availability of slots.

Thank you for your continuous support and see you all in Boracay.

Very truly yours,

**HIDELIZ MARIE A. LARANANG, MBA, CICA**  
2023 Convention Chairperson

**MARISSA N. FABRICANTE, CICA**  
President

**2023 AGIA ANNUAL CONVENTION CUM SEMINAR**  
**Boracay New Coast, Malay Aklan**  
**OCTOBER 17 - 20, 2023**

*Theme: AGIA: Anchor of Governance with Integrity and Accountability  
for Quality Public Service*

**INDICATIVE PROGRAM OF ACTIVITIES**

<b>DAY 1 – OCTOBER 17, 2023 (TUESDAY)</b>	
9:00 - Onwards	Registration of Participants
2:00 – 2:10	Invocation
2:11 – 2:15	Welcome Preliminaries (with cultural dance)
2:16 -2:20	Welcome Remarks
2:21 – 2:30	Venue Orientation and House Rules
2:30 – 2:45	Coffee Break
2:46 – 3:15	Aklan Tourism
3:16 – 4:20	<b>Technical Session 1: Governance and Integrity</b>
4:20 – 4:30	Open Forum
4:31 – 5:00	Launching of the Special Edition News Letter (AO 70)
5:01 – 5:30	Announcements
5:30 – 7:00	Dinner
<b>DAY 2 – OCTOBER 18, 2023 (WEDNESDAY)</b>	
8:00 – 8:30	Attendance/Log-in
8:31 – 9:15	Opening Ceremony
9:16 – 9:30	Opening Remarks by the Convention Chairperson
9:21 – 9:35	<b>Welcome Address by the City Mayor</b>
9:36 – 10:00	President's Report
10:01 – 10:30	<b>Keynote Address</b>
10:31 – 10:40	Coffee Break/ Wheel of Blessings/ Games
10:41 – 12:00	<b>Technical Session 2: Navigating the Complexities of Risks after the COVID</b>
12:01 – 1:00	Lunch Break
1:01 – 1:15	Ice Breaker/ Raffles/ Games
1:16 – 2:35	<b>Technical Session 3: In Focus: AGIA Audit Benchmarking: Internal Audit and Risk Management: Separate or Together</b>
2:36 – 2:45	Coffee Break
2:46 – 4:05	<b>Technical Session 4: Maximizing Efficiency and Productivity in the Workplace</b>
4:06 – 5:20	<b>Technical Session 5: Shaping Internal Auditors in the Future</b>
5:21 – 5:30	Presentation of the Newly Elected Board of Directors
5:31 – 5:35	Announcements
5:36 – 7:00	Dinner