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## FIRST INTERNATIONAL CONFERENCE ON GENDER, ADULT LITERACY, AND ACTIVE CITIZENSHIP FOR SOCIAL TRANSFORMATION OF THE UNIVERSITY OF SANTO TOMAS

The University of Santos Tomas, in partnership with the University of the East Anglia, United Kingdom, will conduct the First International Conference on Gender, Adult Literacy, and Active Citizenship for Social Transformation (GALACST) with the theme, Literacies, Gender Equality, and Active Citizenship as Pathways to Empowerment and Social Transformation, from November 20 to 22, 2019 at the Thomas Aquinas Research Complex (TARC), University of Santo Tomas, España, Manila.

The conference will revolve around the following themes:

- 1. Transformative approaches in addressing gender inequalities, health and wellbeing and labour market;
- 2. Cultural, linguistic and other indigenous knowledge resources for social transformation; and
- 3. Sustainable livelihoods, food security, and environment-friendly farming.

It aims to engage participants in exploring how literacies, gender equality, and global citizenship can play key roles in the achievement of the Sustainable Development Goals.

The members of the academic community, practitioners, and policymakers are invited to attend.

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

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