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2018 NATIONAL CONFERENCE AND CONVENTION OF THE PHILIPPINE ASSOCIATION FOR LANGUAGE TEACHING INC.

The Philippine Association for Language Teaching (PALT) Inc. will conduct its 2018 National Conference and Convention with the theme Language Education in the Philippines: Policies, Perspectives, Practices from May 2 to 4, 2018 at the University of San Jose-Recoletos, Cebu City.

The conference and convention aim to:

- 1. identify to the participant the latest policies from the Department of Education (DepEd) and the Commission on Higher Education (CHED) related to language teaching in the country;
- 2. discuss to them the latest pedagogical theories in language teaching that can help teachers on different grade levels meet the challenges and demands of their specific learning context;
- 3. showcase the best practices that teachers can employ in their individual learning environments to help them attain better student achievement and to address the issues that they are facing;
- 4. assess the current policies, perspectives, and practices in local classrooms and their effectiveness in helping students learn their target languages; and
- 5. highlight the challenges that may arise from these new policies, perspectives, and practices that language educators and policy makers may face in their classrooms and schools.

The target participants are the policy makers, program administrators, DepEd chief education supervisors, education program supervisors, district supervisors, school heads, department heads, and language educators and scholars from both public and private schools.

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