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**DEPARTMENT OF SCIENCE AND TECHNOLOGY**



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**MEMORANDUM**

**FOR :** All Heads of DOST Attached Agencies and Regional Offices

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**FROM :** **ROWENA CRISTINA L. GUEVARA, Ph.D.**  
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**SUBJECT :** **CY 2021 DOST Call Conference**

**DATE :** 5 March 2021

The Department of Science and Technology is organizing a series of call conferences in preparation for the CY 2023 Call for Proposals for the DOST and Council Grants-in-Aid Program which will open in May 2021. The Call Conference aims to discuss with prospective researchers the R&D areas that will be covered in the call for proposals as well as the provisions in the M&E protocol, among others.

We encourage you to attend the Nationwide Call Conference to be held on **8 March 2021** via videoconferencing. The Nationwide Call Conference shall provide an overview of the CY 2023 DOST Call for Proposals. Likewise, following the Nationwide Call Conference a Regional Cluster Call Conference is scheduled as follows:

12 March 2021	MINDANAO CLUSTER
19 March 2021	VISAYAS CLUSTER
23 March 2021	SOUTH LUZON + NCR CLUSTER
29 March 2021	NORTH LUZON CLUSTER

The said Conference shall provide an avenue for the DOST Councils namely, the Philippine Council for Agriculture, Aquatic and Natural Resources Research and Development (PCAARRD), Philippine Council for Health Research and Development (PCHRD), Philippine Council for Industry, Energy and Emerging Technology Research and Development (PCIEERD), and the National Research Council of the Philippines (NRCP) to present in detail their respective priority areas. This is also an opportunity for prospective researchers to discuss their research proposals with the Council representatives.

For confirmation of attendance, kindly fill out the Google forms at <https://forms.gle/JV7Wdas88XdZxmwW9>. The meeting link shall be given once the details are finalized. You may coordinate with Misses Anna Dominique Z. Sasil or Krizza Dale O. Ajero at (02) 8837 7532 or (02) 8837 2071 to 82 local 2031 or email at [gia.help@gmail.com](mailto:gia.help@gmail.com), for further inquiries. Thank you.