

Republic of the Philippines QUEZON CITY COUNCIL Quezon City 21<sup>st</sup> City Council

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## RESOLUTION NO. SP- 7937, S-2019

A RESOLUTION COMMENDING THE UNIVERSITY OF THE PHILIPPINES (UP) FOR BEING AMONG THE TOP TEN UNIVERSITIES WITH THE HIGHEST CITATIONS FOR CLINICAL AND PRE-CLINICAL HEALTH IN THE 2019 TIMES HIGHER EDUCATION (THE) WORLD UNIVERSITY RANKINGS.

Introduced by Councilors RAM V. MEDALLA, DOROTHY A. DELARMENTE, M.D., WINSTON "Winnie" T. CASTELO and IVY L. LAGMAN.

WHEREAS, the Times Higher Education (THE) World University Rankings is the most prestigious university ranking of the performance of higher-education institutions (HEIs) worldwide;

WHEREAS, among the criteria for assessing HEIs are (1) teaching or the learning environment, (2) research or the volume, income, and reputation of publications, (3) citation scores or the frequency of a university's research projects being cited in other research outputs, (4) international outlook or the capacity to attract students, faculty, and researchers worldwide, and (5) industry income or the ability to extend research, innovations, and services to organizations such as the government, non-government organizations, and the private sector;

WHEREAS, in terms of "citation scores", the University of the Philippines (UP) garnered a score of 98.8 for citations in clinical and pre-clinical health researches ranking seventh (7<sup>th</sup>) in the said area, thus, reflecting the impact or influence of its medical research projects;

WHEREAS, in the overall rating, UP ranked 95<sup>th</sup> in the Asia University Rankings, and 500 to 600<sup>th</sup> worldwide;

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WHEREAS, it is fitting and proper to recognize and commend the excellence of UP, its administration, students, and faculty, for bringing honor to the country by being among the top-ranked universities globally and ensuring quality and relevant education for the public.

## NOW, THEREFORE,

BE IT RESOLVED BY THE CITY COUNCIL OF QUEZON CITY IN REGULAR SESSION ASSEMBLED, to commend, as it does hereby commend, the University of the Philippines (UP) for being among the Top Ten Universities with the highest citations for clinical and preclinical health in the 2019 Times Higher Education (THE) World University Rankings.

RESOLVED, FURTHER, that a copy of this Resolution be forwarded to the President of the University of the Philippines for their information.

ADOPTED: August 27, 2019.

DTTO ice Mayor killing Office

ATTESTED:

Atty. JOHN THOMAS S. ALFEROS III City Government Dept. Head III

## **CERTIFICATION**

This is to certify that this Resolution was APPROVED by the City Council on Second Reading on August 27, 2019 and was CONFIRMED on September 9, 2019.

Atty. JOHN THOMAS S. ALFEROS III City Government Dept. Head III