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## ANNOUNCEMENT

**FOR : HEADS OF CONSTITUTIONAL BODIES, DEPARTMENTS, BUREAUS AND AGENCIES OF THE NATIONAL GOVERNMENT, LOCAL GOVERNMENT UNITS, GOVERNMENT-OWNED OR CONTROLLED CORPORATIONS WITH ORIGINAL CHARTERS, AND STATE UNIVERSITIES AND COLLEGES**

**SUBJECT : Development Policy Research Month**

The **Philippine Institute for Development Studies (PIDS)** is spearheading the celebration of the **Development Policy Research Month (DPRM)** this **September** in accordance with Proclamation No. 247, s. 2002. The celebration serves as a platform to promote and draw nationwide awareness of the importance of policy research in nation building.

This year's theme, "*Navigating the New Globalization: Local Actions for Global Challenges*" or in Filipino "*Paglayag sa Bagong Globalisasyon: Lokal na Pagkilos sa mga Pandaigdigang Hamon*", aims to enlighten stakeholders on the various challenges that come along with globalization, notably the issues of rising protectionism, worsening inequality trends, worldwide economic restructuring, widening polarization, and proliferation of disinformation.

To promote public awareness in the observance of the event, all government agencies are enjoined to undertake the following activities/initiatives:

1. Display of banner/streamer within the agency's premises containing this year's DPRM theme. Sample design of the streamer may be downloaded from this link: <http://bit.ly/dprm2019>;
2. Feature announcements, infographics, and promotional videos on DPRM and its theme in the agency's respective websites and social media accounts; and,
3. Organize activities or events that may be relevant to the theme or to policy research (agencies may email the details of their activity to Ms. Neille Gwen dela Cruz at [NdelaCruz@mail.pids.gov.ph](mailto:NdelaCruz@mail.pids.gov.ph) for inclusion in the List of Activities/Events for the 2019 DPRM Celebration).

For details and downloading of DPRM materials and videos, please visit:

- [dprm.pids.gov.ph](http://dprm.pids.gov.ph)
- [appc.pids.gov.ph](http://appc.pids.gov.ph)
- [www.facebook.com/PIDS.PH](https://www.facebook.com/PIDS.PH)
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For more information, agencies may coordinate with **Ms. Neille Gwen dela Cruz** at telephone no. (632) 877-4019 local 4019 or email at [NdelaCruz@mail.pids.gov.ph](mailto:NdelaCruz@mail.pids.gov.ph).

  
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