

## COMMISSION ON HIGHER EDUCATION

## REGIONAL OFFICE III



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For

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ALL PRESIDENTS/HEADS/OFFICERS-IN-CHARGE OF HIGH

EDUCATION INSTITUTIONS (HEIS) IN REGION ILL

Subject

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**HACKFORGOV 2024 REGION 3 COMPETITION** 

Date

May 22, 2024

This Office endorses the subject undertaking "HackForGov 2024 Region 3 Competition", organized by the Cybersecurity Bureau — Philippine National Computer Emergency Response Team (CERT-PH), through the Department of Information and Communications Technology Region 3 — Zambales Provincial Office, on June 14, 2024, to be held at Subic Bay Exhibition and Convention Center, Olongapo City, with the theme, "Today's Generation, Tomorrow's Champion: Shaping the Future of Cybersecurity through Shared Responsibility."

This nationwide capture-the-flag (CTF) activity aims to accelerate the development of cyber-proficient students and inspire them to pursue careers in cybersecurity by engaging participants in real-world challenges. The event cultivates problem-solving skills essential for identifying and mitigating cybersecurity threats.

The competition is open to enrolled college students across diverse educational paths and programs aged 29 years old and below this year. The team should be comprised of four (4) members. To accommodate a broader range of participants, each participating HEIs has the flexibility to be represented by multiple teams, ensuring that each team adheres to the event's requirements and guidelines.

Interested participants may submit their Curriculum Vitae along with their letter of Intent through this link: <a href="https://bit.ly/register-h4g2023-r3">https://bit.ly/register-h4g2023-r3</a>. The application will be subject to further review and evaluation. For additional details and announcements, you may visit the CSB CERT-PH official Facebook page at <a href="https://www.facebook.com/Ncertgovph">https://www.facebook.com/Ncertgovph</a>.

Should there be any queries/clarifications and for further details about the event, please coordinate with the following:

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Participation is voluntary and subject to the approval of the HEI head.

Wide dissemination of this memorandum is desired.

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