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Rodrigo Roa Duterte
President

Kalayaan 2019
Tapang ng Bayan, Malasakit sa Mamayanan

I join the Filipinos in the State of Qatar in celebrating the anniversary of the 121st proclamation of the Philippine Independence.

The strong efforts of the government to elevate the life of every Filipino is a fulfilment of the legacy of our forefathers, whose faith, valour and patriotism bequeathed us the blessings of freedom and independence.

The Kalayaan 2019 theme, “Tapang ng Bayan, Malasakit sa Mamayanan”, reminds us to embody the courage fuelled by compassion for each other as President Rodrigo Duterte has said that we should cherish and protect our independence.

After one hundred twenty one (121) years of Philippine Independence, the task of nation building continues. I wish to encourage all Filipinos in Qatar to support our government in its pursuit to create a strong Philippines by achieving a sustainable environment, a buoyant economy and enduring national security. Together, let us move forward and set aside our personal differences and individual interests. Let us stand as one nation to accomplish long lasting progress and realise our nation’s aspirations.

In this regard, the Philippine Embassy remains committed to promoting the welfare of the Filipinos in Qatar ensuring the delivery of good public service and enhancing relations with the host government by fostering cooperation in various fields. With these goals as its guiding principles, the Embassy will continue to faithfully abide by its mandate and duty to our country and fellow Filipinos.

Mabuhay ang Pilipinas!
Mabuhay ang Pilipino!
Philippine Embassy takes part in the ASEAN Food Festival.

- The Philippines was one of the leading rice-exporting countries of the Central Asian countries, as well as the Philippines, in the global market. These countries are known for their high-quality rice and excellent cooking skills. The Embassy played a vital role in promoting Philippine rice and cuisine, encouraging foreign countries to explore the variety of rice dishes available in the Philippines.

- The ASEAN Committee in Doha (ACD), in partnership with the Ministry of Commerce and Industry, organized the ASEAN Food Festival in Doha. The event aimed to promote ASEAN cuisine and foster cultural exchange among the ASEAN countries.

- The event featured various ASEAN cuisines and dishes, including Filipino, Thai, Vietnamese, Indonesian, and Malaysian dishes. Attendees were treated to a variety of traditional and modern dishes, offering a taste of the diverse ASEAN cultures.

- The festival was attended by representatives from various ASEAN countries, as well as local and international businesses interested in exploring and promoting ASEAN cuisine. The Embassy played a key role in organizing the event and ensuring its success.

- The ASEAN Food Festival highlighted the importance of cultural exchange and cooperation among ASEAN countries. It served as a platform for promoting ASEAN cuisine, fostering trade and investment opportunities, and strengthening diplomatic relations among the ASEAN member countries.

- The Embassy recognizes the significance of cultural events in promoting cultural exchange and cooperation among ASEAN countries. It plans to continue organizing similar events in the future to further promote ASEAN cuisine and culture.

- The event was held at the Doha Convention Centre, which is a state-of-the-art venue for hosting international conferences and events. The Embassy worked closely with the organizers to ensure the successful execution of the event.

- The ASEAN Food Festival was well-received by the attendees, who praised the diverse range of dishes and the opportunity to experience the rich culinary heritage of ASEAN countries. The event was a success, and the Embassy looks forward to organizing similar events in the future.

- The Philippines was one of the most economically diverse countries in the ASEAN region, with a growing middle class and a vibrant business sector. The Embassy recognized the importance of economic cooperation and trade with ASEAN countries in promoting economic growth and development.

- The Embassy continued to promote Philippine cuisine and culture, encouraging foreign countries to explore the variety of dishes available in the Philippines. It plans to continue organizing similar events in the future to further promote ASEAN cuisine and culture.
Megaworld International has been recognized for 11 years already in Qatar. In fact, the company has been listed among the top 10 companies in Qatar for the past 11 years, a testament to its consistent performance and commitment to excellence.

To acknowledge its past achievements and partnerships, Megaworld International will be holding an event on June 14 to celebrate its anniversary. The event will be highlighted with a showcase of Pinoy food, feature a bazaar, variety shows and giving away of prizes, among other activities.

Philippine real estate developer Megaworld thrives in Qatar market

Megaworld Corporation, one of the largest real estate developers in the Philippines, has been recognized as one of the most prominent developers in Qatar. With over 60 years of experience in the industry, Megaworld has built a name for itself in the Middle East region, with its projects in Qatar featuring some of the most iconic properties in the country.

Megaworld International has been in Qatar for over 10 years, during which time it has established a strong presence in the market. The company’s projects include office towers, hotels, residential developments, and mixed-use developments.

Megaworld’s successful venture in Qatar is a testament to its commitment to excellence and quality. The company has been recognized for its top-notch development and maintenance standards, along with its ability to deliver projects on time and within budget.

Megaworld is continuing to expand its footprint in Qatar and plans to continue its growth in the region. With its focus on quality and customer satisfaction, Megaworld is poised to remain a leader in the Qatar real estate market for years to come.

UP secures a place in the top 100 in the 2019 THE World University Rankings

The University of the Philippines, one of the top universities in Asia, has secured a place in the top 100 for the first time in the THE World University Rankings.

UP, founded in 1908, is the first university in Asia to be included in the top 100 rankings. The university has consistently ranked in the top 200 in the past three years, but this is the first time it has made it to the top 100.

The THE World University Rankings are based on metrics such as teaching, research, citations, industry income, and international outlook. UP’s inclusion in the top 100 is a testament to its excellence in these areas.

UP’s achievements in the rankings are a result of its commitment to high-quality education and research. The university has a strong emphasis on fostering innovation and excellence in all its programs.

UP is one of the top universities in the world, and its recognition in the THE World University Rankings is a validation of its efforts. The university continues to strive for excellence and is committed to providing a world-class education to its students.

The university’s success in the rankings is a significant achievement, and it is a source of pride for all Filipinos. UP’s ranking is a testament to the hard work and dedication of its faculty, staff, and students.

The university’s ranking is also a testament to the support and commitment of the government and the private sector. The government has been providing significant support to UP, and the private sector has been partnering with the university to facilitate its growth.

UP’s inclusion in the top 100 rankings is a significant milestone in the university’s history. It is a source of inspiration for other universities in the region and around the world.

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WITH a vision of helping Filipinos achieve a higher level of education, Philippine Institute-Integrated Qatar (PII-Q) began its operations in 2017 offering courses that enable its students to develop skills that help them take up new challenges.

PII-Q aims to shape the career of each student. Our focus is to help our kababayans reach their goals, improve their personal and professional skills, and equip them with the best available knowledge to achieve a brighter future,” said Annaliza Diet, founder and CEO of PII-Q.

PII-Q distinguishes itself from other education institutes for Filipinos in Qatar by being the first Filipino training centre to collaborate with Qatar government to engage in different voluntary activities such as caregiving courses, among others.

“We are also the first Filipino training centre that gives discount card that can be used in different establishments such as restaurants, beauty salons and more. This is called power card,” Diet added.

To date, PII-Q has 36 expert trainers and offers around 30 courses on each of its campuses. Among the courses it offers are Accountancy, Air Conditioning Technology, Automotive, Business Planning and Entrepreneurship, Caregiving, Cosmetology and Culinary Arts.

The extensive variety of short courses do not only offer necessary skills for Filipinos to thrive and further succeed in life but are also designed to be conveniently accessible to the students, especially the working ones.

Visit www.piiq-edu.com for complete list of courses and class information. For inquiries, contact PII-Q West Bay Campus at 3125 5598/ 50501495 or PII-Q Al Sadd Campus at 30603366/74000952.

PII-Q offers a variety of courses providing Filipinos with life skills.
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Happy 121st Philippines Independence Day

June 12, 2019

Record 7.1 million tourists visited Philippines

HE Philippines welcomed a record 7.1 million tourists in 2018 — a 9.0 percent increase from the previous year, according to the Philippine Statistics Authority (NSA) in its release on the release of the tourist profile for January 2019.

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The Department of Trade and Industry (DTI) is committed to attract more tourists to the Philippines where the country is the second fastest growing economy in the world and is expected to recover in the second half of 2018,” she said.

The Statistics Authority (NSA) and the National Economic and Development Authority (NEDA) are the main statistical agencies that compile and publish the official statistics in the Philippines. The NSA is the leading statistical and research agency of the Philippines.

Tourism is one of the main drivers of the country’s economic growth. In 2018, the travel and tourism industry accounted for 4.9 percent of the country’s GDP and generated 2.5 million jobs. The sector is expected to continue growing in the coming years.

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HE Philippines government remains firm in improving regulatory environment and is strengthening its public investment, thus affecting public investment. The government is focused on raising investments in human capital (people’s health, nutrition, education and skills) to speed up inclusive growth.

In the long term, the report says that the country’s total merchandise trade grew by 1.2 percent, reaching 71.1 million in February 2019. This growth was driven mainly by sources which grew by 2.8 percent, but tempered by the 0.5 percent decline in May 2019. This growth was driven mainly by sources which grew by 2.8 percent, but tempered by the 0.5 percent decline in May 2019.

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The Philippines is known for its beautiful beaches, coral reefs, and tropical islands, making it a popular destination for scuba diving, snorkeling, and sunbathing. The country also offers a variety of cultural experiences, including traditional dances, music, and festivals.

In addition to its natural attractions, the Philippines also has a rich history and culture, with cultural festivals and traditions celebrated throughout the year. The country is also known for its delicious cuisine, which includes a variety of seafood dishes, noodle soups, and desserts.

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Our aim was to create BPF Group of Companies that has been successfully operating in the Middle East and the international market for over 22 years. Qatar Tribune had an appointment with him to explore his vision of business, the evolving Qatar market, and how to implement his business philosophies successfully to become the first online U-Commerce Platform in Qatar.

What is the impact on the Filipino community by launching the ownership of Pinoy Ads Qatar, we are all set to introduce BPF Shopgate to the Filipino community by providing them with online business opportunities in a different online platform.

What made you decide to create online platform in Qatar?

To begin with, we are mainly focused on helping all Qatar-based online sellers to transform online. Also, we have introduced BPF Shopgate to the Filipino community by providing them with online business opportunities in a different online platform.

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From trend to mainstream: The world craves for Filipino cuisine

This year, Filipino food and chefs have been getting rave reviews and international recognition for their culinary technique, creativity and use of local ingredients. In 2019, Chef Jordy Navarra, one of the top culinary stars in the Philippines, was named among the world’s best chefs by Food & Wine magazine. The state-owned corporation launched its homegrown brands in the Philippines. “Now is an exciting time for Philippine food. Our local cuisine is becoming the world’s food of choice and people are wanting to try our local dishes,” said Suaco-Juan, IFEX Philippines chairman. Duty Free Philippines chief executive officer Vicente Pelagio added, “We cannot wait to show the world what premium 7 export products, dishes and ingredients can be found in Filipino food. Our local cuisine is becoming the world’s food of choice and people are wanting to try our local dishes.”

The complexity and diverse flavors of our homegrown dishes are now being unveiled to the global audience thanks to the leadership of first runner-up in the 2019 James Beard Awards, Chef Bad Saint. The restaurant, which is London-based and was founded by Chef James Oseland, received a special mention award for its food rave on Filipino food as one of the top food trends in 2019 with the food rave on Filipino-led eateries across the globe.

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She has been active in teaching as well as her personal experience working as a doting father to his two children, he currently heads the National Board of Directors of the Qatar Community Development Foundation. His other affiliations are the Institute of Hospitality-Qatar (WASAHQ) and the Bineran Bay and Al Saad. The courses include Arabic Proficiency, culinary, paralegal trainings and leadership trainings for Filipino leaders.

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Philippine destinations well-loved by international vloggers

Here is a growing number of international travel vloggers and YouTubers who visit the Philippines to explore its renowned tourist destinations, seeking adventure in some of the remote areas of the country, or to get to know more about the Filipino culture through its people, food and festivals. While some vloggers stay for a couple of weeks and move to another country, a number of them have fallen in love with the Philippines and its people and made the country their second home such as Canadian national Kyle Jennermann (Kulas or Becoming Filipino) who is currently based in Cagayan de Oro, and Fion Snow, a backpacker born and raised in Iceland, who now lives in Cebu. The documentaries and stories shared by these vloggers have become effective tools to promote the Philippines. They take their audience who hail from different parts of the world to places across the Southeast Asian country that even many locals, especially those in the capital, have never been before. Through their works, many have come to know that Boracay or El Nido, Patawan are not only what the Philippines can offer to the international tourists.

Here are some of the top destinations and activities in the Philippines often featured in the vlogs and have received rave reviews from tourists:

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Mount Pinatubo Hike

The active stratovolcanoes in the Zambales Mountains made it an international headlines in 1991 for its disastrous eruption. The effects of the eruption included the economic impact on the local economy and the loss of life. The recovery efforts were significant. The Mount Pinatubo Volcano is one of the active volcanoes in the world.

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PHILIPPINES’ WINNING MOMENTS

Filipino women dominate in 2018 Asian Games

The Philippines finished 18th overall in the medal tally of the 2018 Asian Game held in Jakarta and Palembang, Indonesia from August 18 to September 2, 2018. The country won 16 medals including four gold bagged by female athletes in weightlifting, golf (women individual and women team) and roller sports.

Hidilyn Diaz, a native of Zamboanga City, delivered the Philippines its first gold in the 2018 Asian Games when she won the women’s 55kg weightlifting event. She defied the adversities to plant the flag of the Philippines on her first attempt.

At the 2018 Asian Weightlifting Championships held in Hong Kong in April, Diaz once again brought glory to her country by capturing three silvers and one bronze in the women’s 55kg division.

Another Asian Games hero in 2018 was John Magsanoc, the country’s first black belt martial artist. In the women’s street combat, fencing and taekwondo event, he joined by Bisaya Pasiparan and Luis Kaye Go to secure the historic victory for the country.

Boxer Marlen Esparcia, a native of Cebu, competed for the Philippines in the women’s street board-boarding event. She brought home the bronze medal for the country in the Games that garnered her the right to be the flag bearer of the Philippines for the closing ceremony of the event.

US returns Balangiga Bells to the Filipino people

On December 11, 2018, the Balangiga Bells has been returned to the Philippines, after 117 years, by the US government. The four church bells were taken by the US Army from the Church of San Lorenzo in Mariveles, Batangas. Our national hero Dr. Carlos P. Garcia said that the return of the bells underlines the enduring friendship, partnership, and alliance between the two countries.

Meanwhile, Department of Tourism Secretary Bernadette Romulo-Puyat assured that the Balangiga Bells would be placed in a historical museum that will be present for the world and future generations to see.

Miss Philippines brings home country’s 4th Miss Universe Crown

Twenty-four year-old Catriona Gray vied her way back from all over the world to bring home the coveted Miss Universe 2018 coronation night held in Bangkok, Thailand in December 17, 2018. She is the first Filipino to win the crown after Diane Alexandria Perez in 1969, Marjorie Moran in 1973, and Susie Espino in 1980.

Gray who wins the hearts of the people across the world with her disarming smile and effortless, is an end and supporter of the Union of Young Filipinas which finances educational and professional programs of children in the slums of Manila. She is also a singer and actress. She started as a model as well as an aspiring black belt martial artist.

Better, more sustainable Bataan re-opened

Bataan, an island named after one of the world’s best islands, was closed for tourism since April 2018 for six months due to a landslide. The closure followed Philippine National Police (PNP) advice. Bataan was once known for its white sands and a beach area. At the same time, the effort of the Philippine government to restore the two islands was met with criticisms from local communities who feared for its stunning white beach and world-class sunsets.

A better and more sustainable Bataan was re-opened on October 26, 2018. It is expected to usher in a better and larger market for Bataan’s island jewel.

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The Awards acknowledge outstanding women who are pushing the frontiers of science, technology, engineering and mathematics. Dr. Romero was recognized for her research in quantum physics.

State-of-the-art packaging lab facility

The facility will provide opportunity for small and medium enterprises to avail of its services and help them improve on quality packaging, which will end up being more competitive and can further harness its potential and added value to its products.

The facility will also serve as an “exposing corrosion, abuse and counterfeiting” in the packaging industry. It will also serve as “the guardian of truth” alongside other journalists. She is the second woman Filipino to receive the title after former president Corazon Aquino in 1990.

Military personnel arrange the three Balangiga bells upon arrival at the Villamor Air Base in Pasay City, on Wednesday, 12 June, 2019.

Miss Philippines, Catriona Gray celebrates after lifting crowns in the Miss Universe pageant in Bangkok, Thailand | Tribune News Service / via AP Wire

Ground breaking of first simulation packaging testing lab facility | www.time.com

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