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# First Meeting: February 3rd Can Land Reform Succeed?

#### Speaker

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## Discussants

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General Ricarte, Nueva Ecija

AKIRA TAKAHASHI, Ph.D. Institute of Oriental Culture University of Tokyo

Moderator
DOMINADOR R. AYTONA
Former Senator
Congress of the Republic of the Philippines

# Second Meeting: February 10th The Educated Unemployed

#### Speaker

GEORGES PIRON, C.I.C.M.
Project Director
College Graduates Absorption Study
Fund for Assistance to Private Education
(FAPE)

#### Discussants

ELEANOR ELEQUIN, Ph.D.
Chairman, Graduate Studies
College of Education
University of the Philippines
JESUS M. MONTEMAYOR, Ph.D.
Agrarian Reform Institute
University of the Philippines
WALDO PERFECTO, Ph.D.
Consultant, FAPE

# Moderator

MERCEDES B. CONCEPCION, Ph.D. Dean, Population Institute University of the Philippines

# Third Meeting: February 17th Dilemma in National Integration: The Tasaday as a Case in Point

Panel discussion with slides

ROBERT B. FOX, Ph.D.
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Panamin Research Center

TEODORO A. LLAMZON, S.J., Ph.D.
President
Linguistic Society of the Philippines

WILLIAM HENRY SCOTT, Ph.D.
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ERIC S. CASIÑO, Ph.D. cand.
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# Fourth Meeting: February 24th Conflict in the "Land of Promise"

## Speaker

DAVID BARADAS, Ph.D.
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#### Discussants

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JAMES C. STEWART, Ph.D. cand. Fieldworker in Anthropology Province of Cotabato

# Moderator

Hon. MICHAEL MASTURA
Delegate, Province of Cotabato
Constitutional Convention

# Fifth Meeting: March 2nd Management for Development: New Rules for an Old Game?

#### Panel discussion

JOSE A. GATCHALIAN President United Laboratories, Inc.

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RAFAEL RODRIGUEZ Professor College of Business University of the Philippines

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CARLOS C. TORRES
Vice President
Private Development Corporation of the
Philippines (PDCP)

## Moderator

MARIA GONZALEZ-GOOLSBY Management Consultant Professor Graduate School of Business Ateneo de Manila

# Sixth Meeting: March 9th The Chinese in the Philippines: Facts and Fancies

Speaker

BERNARD C. GO Executive Secretary Pagkakaisa sa Pagunlad, Inc.

## Discussants

JENNY HUANG GO Principal Xavier Grade School San Juan, Rizal

TANG TACK
Secretary General
Federation of Filipino-Chinese Chambers
of Commerce

ANTONIO TAN, Ph.D. Associate Professor of Chinese Studies University of the Philippines

# Moderator

JOSEFA M. SANIEL, Ph.D. Professor and Secretary Asian Center University of the Philippines

# Seventh Meeting: March 16th The Constitutional Convention: A Midterm Assessment

# Speaker

JOSE V. ABUEVA, Ph.D. Secretary Constitutional Convention

#### Discussants

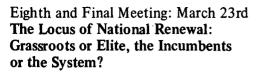
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# CAN LAND REFORM SUCCEED?

BASILIO N. DE LOS REYES February 3, 1972

Editor's note. For the complete text of this paper and the discussants' comments, see PSR 20(1-2): 79-100. The Nueva Ecija Land Reform Integrated Development Program (NELRIDP) was undertaken July 1970 as an intensified program to overcome problems and identify factors involved in more rapid implementation of land reform and increased agricultural production. After one and one-half years, it has an impressive record of achievement, but the following measures must still be taken or intensified: (1) increase available credit funds; (2) increase capable legal assistance; (3) increase technical manpower; (4) implement the continued training of field staff; (5) make reliable information available to all concerned – farmers, landowners, land-reform workers, and politicians.