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# MESEKIU'S NEWS



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## PCC CE & KSG Summer Cultural Program Concludes



*PCC Dean of Continuing Education giving program overview of Summer Cultural program at KSG Assembly Hall*

On Friday, July 12, 2019 the students who participated in the Summer Cultural Program held a presentation at the Koror State Government (KSG) Assembly Hall. The presentation was an opportunity for the students to showcase the cultural skills that they learned while participating in the summer program. Present to enjoy the performances were KSG Office of the Governor Chief of Staff Joleen Ngoriakl, Speaker of 11<sup>th</sup> Koror State Legislature Alan Marbou, PCC Dean of Continuing Education Jefferson Thomas, and summer class instructors and parents.

The presentation opened with welcoming remarks from Chief of Staff Joleen Ngoriakl followed by a special remarks by Speaker Alan Marbou. PCC Dean of Continuing Education Jefferson Thomas gave an overview of the program by acknowledging how teaching the young people of Palau about their culture and traditions was an important endeavor that should be supported by the entire community. This idea was echoed in the remarks that followed from the culture class instructors.

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### PCC PRESIDENT TELLEI MEETS DR. JACQUELINE JACKSON & MINISTER FAUSTINA R. MARUGG



*l to r: Minister Faustina K. Rehuher-Marugg, PCC President Dr. Patrick U. Tellei, and Dr. Jacqueline Jackson*

During the 39<sup>th</sup> Belau Constitution Day reception on June 9<sup>th</sup> at the Palau Royal Resort, Dr. Tellei had an opportunity to meet Dr. Jacqueline Jackson, a New Leader of Tomorrow as recognized by the prestigious Crans Montana Forum in 2017.

Dr. Jackson's inclination toward global engagement in the field of education is one of the main contributing factor in her decision to visit Palau. She maintains special interest in cognitive skill development, international studies and cross-culture research. Hence, her schedule of activities included a meetings with Bilung Gloria G. Salii and Mechesil Belau, First Lady Debbie Remengesau and Palau Legacy Team, Minister Soalablai and MOE management team, and visits to museums.

Dr. Jackson is the Director of Global Education and Assistant Professor of Social Science at Clafin University. She holds a

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degree in Psychology from North Carolina Agricultural and Technology State University, Master's degrees in biological sciences from Tennessee State University and in sociocultural anthropology from the University of Illinois - Chicago. She is a graduate of Michigan State University's Educational Policy doctoral program and conducted her doctoral and post-doctoral research in Finland and Japan. She is the daughter of American activist, minister and politician Rev. Jesse Jackson. Dr. Jackson was here on the invitation of Republic of Palau First Lady Debbie Remengesau.

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The classes were designed to help students foster new skills and interests. The cultural classes taught the students about traditional chants, legends, and dances. The students also learned and practiced traditional skills, such as weaving baskets.

Instructors for the summer culture classes were Dilrengulbai Sariang Timulch, Luciana Shiro, Dilchur Ruluked, Jury Kebekol, Hermana Ramarui, David Taro, Elmer Rdiall, Albert N. Solaladaob, and Floriano Felix. PCC thanks all the instructors for giving their time to teach the students this summer!

**UH Medical Students Visits PCC**



*PCC President Dr. Patrick U. Tellei, Tyler Thorne, Maiya Smith, and Director of Computer Services Bruce Rimirch. Both Thorne and Smith are currently in their second year at John S. Burns School of Medicine at UH Manoa.*

**PCC MAP Training Ongoing**



The PCC Maintenance Assistance Program (MAP) training continued this summer with participants from Palau Public Utilities Corporation, Koror State Government, and Ministry of Education. The trainings focused on Air Conditioning repair, Automotive Vehicle maintenance, and Small Engine troubleshooting.

**Mesekiu Bai Undergoes Facelift**



PCC Thanks CTE lab school students, Maintenance, Rdiall Tellei, and Melemalt Tellei for installing new thatch roof at Mesekiu Bai using Nipa leaves. A Big Thank you and a job well done.

**FALL SEMESTER 2019**

**Pre-Registration Schedule**

*Early registration for FALL 2019 started on Wednesday, July 3, 2019. This is an opportunity for continuing students (from Spring & Summer 2019) to reserve their classes early. Once you pre-register, you will not return to campus until the first day of class on Monday, August 12<sup>th</sup>.*

- Step 1** *Pay tuition deposit of \$50.00 at the Business Office and get your clearance form.*
- Step 2** *Present your clearance form@ the Admissions & Records Office and pick-up your Registration Packet.*
- Step 3** *Go to Student Life Office and see your academic advisor for program planning.*
- Step 4** *Submit your completed registration worksheet to Admissions & Records Office.*
- Step 5** *Admissions & Records staff will process your registration worksheet and provide you with an official class schedule for Fall 2019.*

## BITS AND PIECES...

### Tan Siu Lin PCC Library

#### Hours of Operation

Monday to Thursday 7:30AM - 7PM

Friday 7:30AM - 5PM

Saturday 9AM - 6PM

Sunday CLOSED

For more information, call:  
488-3540.

#### AVAILABLE TO INTERESTED

##### READERS:

##### ACTION ASIA MAGAZINE



The best hiking, diving, biking, climbing, surfing, kiting and more in the pages of Action Asia magazine or on their website [www.actionasia.com](http://www.actionasia.com), along with tips on health and fitness, the latest gear and race reviews.

### Academic Calendar

**July 29 (M)**

Grades Due by 11:00 a.m.

**August 05 (M)**

Last Day for Change of Grades

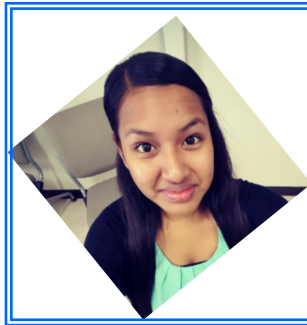
### News/Stories Wanted

*Mesekiu's News* welcomes stories/articles/announcements from students, faculty, and staff. Submission deadline is Wednesday at 4:30 p.m. in hard and/or electronic copies to [tchuziet@palau.edu](mailto:tchuziet@palau.edu) or [tchuziet@gmail.com](mailto:tchuziet@gmail.com).

Articles from MOC/PCC Alumni are also welcomed.

Please call 488-2470/2471 (extensions 251, 252, or 253) for more information.

## Newest Contributor to the PCC Endowment Fund



Marina Remeliik

Palau Community College would like to recognize our newest endowment fund contributor, Ms. Marina Remeliik. Ms. Remeliik is currently employed with the Peleliu State Government. Thank you Ms. Remeliik for your contribution to Palau's only institution of higher learning! Your donation will help sustain the future stability and programs of Palau Community College.

Save The Date!

## PALAU COMMUNITY COLLEGE

# MESEKIU

## WELCOMES ALL

## INTERESTED STUDENTS

## FALL SEMESTER

### NEW STUDENT ORIENTATION

August 01, 2019

### REGISTRATION

August 5-7, 2019

### PLACEMENT TESTING

July 29 - August 02, 2019

### FIRST DAY OF INSTRUCTION

August 12, 2019

#### SCHOOL OF ARTS & SCIENCES

Agricultural Science  
Community & Public Health  
Criminal Justice  
Education:  
Early Childhood Education  
Elementary Education  
Education: Secondary Education  
Education: Special Education  
Environmental/Marine Science  
Liberal Arts  
Library & Information Services  
Nursing  
Palauan Studies  
Science, Technology, Engineering & Mathematics Disciplines (STEM)

#### SCHOOL OF BUSINESS

Business Accounting  
Business Administration  
Information Technology  
Office Administration  
Tourism & Hospitality:  
Food & Beverages  
Hospitality Management  
Hotel Operations  
Tour Services

#### SCHOOL OF TECHNICAL EDUCATION

Air-Conditioning & Refrigeration Technology  
Automotive Mechanics Technology  
Construction Technology  
Electrical Technology  
General Electronics Technology  
Small Engine & Outboard Marine Technology



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## VACANCY ANNOUNCEMENT

- (1) Part Time Math Instructors/ Tutors (2)  
(PCC Upward Bound Program Office)  
depending on qualifications & hrs,  
salary ranges from \$600 - \$800 biweekly
- (2) Part Time English Instructors/ Tutors (2)  
(PCC Upward Bound Program Office)  
depending on qualifications & hrs,  
salary ranges from \$600 - \$800 biweekly
- (3) Part Time Science Instructors/ Tutors (2)  
(PCC Upward Bound Program Office)  
depending on qualifications & hrs,  
salary ranges from \$600 - \$800 biweekly
- (3) Part Time Computer Science Instructors/Tutors (2)  
(PCC Upward Bound Program Office)  
depending on qualifications & hrs,  
salary ranges from \$600 - \$800 biweekly
- (5) Part Time Foreign Language Instructors/Tutors (2) @  
BHS & BMS  
(PCC Upward Bound Program Office)  
depending on qualifications & hrs,  
salary ranges from \$600 - \$800 biweekly
- (3) Tourism & Hospitality Instructor  
(PCC Education and Training Department/  
Academic Affairs Division) depending on  
qualifications and work experience salary  
ranges from \$16,010 - \$28,280 per annum
- (4) Admissions Counselor (2)  
(PCC Student Services Division-Registrar)  
salary range: \$15,542 - \$27,600 per annum
- (4) Registration & Records Specialist  
(PCC Student Services Division-Registrar)  
salary range: \$14,259 - \$25,321 per annum
- (11) Social Science/Humanities-Instructor  
(PCC Education and Training Department/  
Academic Affairs Division) depending on  
qualifications and work experience  
salary range: \$16,010 - 28,280 per annum

For application forms and information, contact Harline Haruo at the PCC  
Human Resources Office at 488-2470/2471 extension 227, or e-mail:  
[hr@palau.edu](mailto:hr@palau.edu), or download forms at <http://pcc.palau.edu>.

**“PCC is an Equal Opportunity Employer.”**

## ALUMNI NOTES

### SUKRAD SBAL

ASSOCIATE OF APPLIED SCIENCE - GENERAL ELECTRONICS TECHNOLOGY

Sukrad Sbal graduated from Palau Community College in 2013 with an Associate of Applied Science degree in General Electronics. Mr. Sbal is currently employed at Ministry of Health.



## Celebrating Birthday in July 2019



Akilina Maech



Alex R. Ngiraingas



Amanda N. Ebas



Fredrick Ikertang



Grace Merong



Hilda Reklai



Husto Ulengchong



Lesley B. Adachi



Sesario Sewralur



Sonia Merii Elab



Tanya Ngirkuteling



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## PCC Endowment Fund

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OF OUR STUDENTS, OUR COLLEGE, AND OUR NATION

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Allotment Program, contact us NOW!

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## UH Dr. James Vernies Do- nates to PCC Library



PCC Library thanks Dr. James Veirnes for donating 3 books and 8 journal to the Micronesian-Pacific Collection. Thank Dr. Veirnes for the much needed publications.



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**ALUMNI NOTES** showcases MOC & PCC alumni who are positive role models and contribute to the quality of life in their local communities.

If you are that Alumna/Alumnus or know someone who is, please contact the PCC Development Office at telephone numbers 488-2470/2471 (extensions 251, 252, or 253).

We would like to feature you in future *Mesekiu's News* issues.

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