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# Palau Community College

## MESEKIU'S NEWS



Friday, December 21, 2018

Weekly Newsletter

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### PCC Faculty Attended Distance Education Training



*Inset: Associate Professor Yaoch and faculty during DE Training*

On December 19-20, 2018 Palau Community College faculty underwent a two-day training in PCC Assembly Hall. The training began with a welcoming remarks from Dean of Academic Affairs Robert Ramarui followed by Associate Dean Marianne Temaungil's presentation on Distance Learning Manual.

Information Technology Associate Professor Johvanna Yaoch gave an overview of PCC Online Course site on how to access, create and edit course while also navigate using different taps provided. On hand to share real life experience using PCC Online Course site were Associate Professor of Criminal Justice Samantha Bells and Associate Professor of Science Gamberlyn Ngrimeriil.

Faculty also participated in group activities led by Instructional Media Specialist Crystal Nacionales. The focus of activities are to familiarize faculty on "steps to design a course to be offered online". PCC Academic Affairs would like to thank all faculty who participated in this two-day Distance Education Training. Dean Ramarui reiterated that "it goes to show that faculty are dedicated to utilizing other means of instructional delivery methods to assist our students succeed. Academic Affairs wish you all faculty and their families the joys and happiness of the Holiday Season.

### Ngara-Seseb Donates to PCC



*Airai Ngara-Seseb women's group with PCC President Dr. Patrick U. Tellei*

On December 13, 2018, Ngara-Seseb from Ordodel in Airai State donated to Palau Community College Cafeteria.

The women's group from Airai has been supporting the college every year by donating to PCC cafeteria with much needed food crops such as tapioca, coconut, and various garden vegetables.

Ngara-Seseb of Ordodel in Airai members are Kerungil Augustine - President, Simako Teriong - Vice President, Marygold Yobech - Secretary and members Mengior Emesiochl, Sadaria Adelbai, Sabeth Ngruchelbad, Mercy Y. Subediang, Usiab Tesei, Janet Techur, Proy Daisang Rekemsik, Susan Caleb, Tumakreng Benjamin, Martina Olkeriil, Casey Ngotel, and Paulina Remengsau. PCC extends its sincere gratitude to Ngara-Seseb for their generous donations.



**Merry Christmas, Palau!**

FROM THE PCC BOARD OF TRUSTEES, PRESIDENT,  
ADMINISTRATION, FACULTY, STAFF, AND STUDENTS

*Palau Community College is an accessible public educational institution helping to meet the technical, academic, cultural, social, and economic needs of students and communities by promoting learning opportunities and developing personal excellence.*

## UB Workshop on Study-Skill/Habits



*Inset below: Instructor/Counselor Deidre Yamanguchi delivers information on Study-Skill/Habits*

On Friday, December 14, 2018 PCC Instructor/Counselor Deidre Yamanguchi was the guest speaker for the Upward Bound program's monthly student workshop. Speaking to a gathering of students in the PCC Assembly Hall, Yamanguchi who is herself an alumni of the Upward Bound program, shared with the students the importance of learning proper study skills and habits. Yamanguchi's presentation identified easy step-by-step methods that students can incorporate into their daily study routine both in and out of the classroom which can help them improve their study habits and knowledge retention tendencies. She stressed that such skills are very important, especially for Upward Bound students who are required to continue on to college after high school. "You are very lucky to be in the Upward Bound program where you get the added support to help you through your high school years and on to your college of choice one day. Take full advantage of it," she added.

***SPRING 2019  
APPROACHES!***

***Continuing Student Registration***  
***Dec 17-28, 2018***

***New Student Registration***  
***Jan 7-8, 2019***

***Late Registration***  
***Jan 10, 2019***

## End-Of-Semester Faculty Meeting

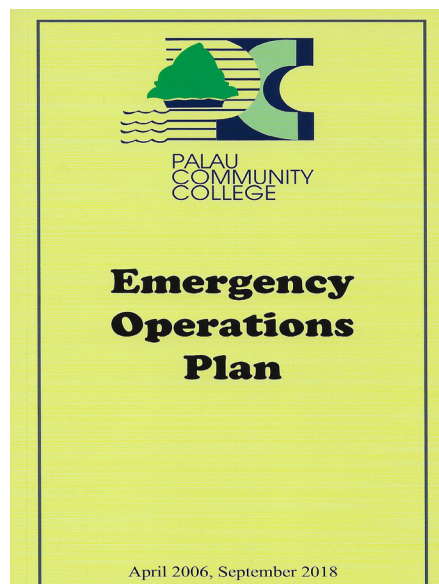


On Monday, December 17, 2018 Palau Community College faculty met with Dean of Academic Affairs Robert Ramarui and Associate Dean of Academic Affairs Marianne Temaungil for their last meeting of the year 2018.

The meeting covered Course Assessment calendar, semester report, program and department reviews, and student learning support such as instructional supplies and materials.

A special presentation on Budget Preparation was conducted by Accountant/Business Supervisor Debbie Ngiraibai to provide information to help faculty participate in the budget formation process.

## PCC EOP Available Online!



**FOR EFFECTIVE PREPARATION AND RESPONSE TO EMERGENCIES, EACH EMPLOYEE AND STUDENT MUST HAVE A COPY OF THE EOP.**

***PLEASE SEE YOUR SUPERVISOR, INSTRUCTOR OR VISIT PRESIDENT'S OFFICE IF YOU HAVE NOT BEEN ISSUED ONE.***



## 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:

#### MOTHER EARTH NEWS



*MOTHER EARTH NEWS* is the guide to living — as one reader stated — “with little money and abundant happiness.” Every issue is an invaluable guide to leading a more sustainable life, covering ideas from fighting rising energy costs and protecting the environment to avoiding unnecessary spending on processed food. You’ll find tips for slashing heating bills; growing fresh, natural produce at home; and more. *MOTHER EARTH NEWS* helps you cut costs without sacrificing modern luxuries.

#### Academic Calendar

#### December 10-21 (M-F)

Placement Testing for Spring 2019

#### News/Stories Wanted

*Mezekiu'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.

## PCC Receive Endowment Donation



Dr. Yimnang Golbuu

Palau Community College would like to recognize endowment fund donor, Dr. Yimnang Golbuu. Dr. Golbuu is currently an Executive Director of Palau International Coral Reef Center. Thank you Dr. Golbuu 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  
SPRING SEMESTER 2019



### APPLICATION FOR ADMISSIONS

**NOW OPEN!!**

#### REGISTRATION

December 17 -28, 2018  
January 8-10, 2019

#### PLACEMENT TESTING

December 10-21, 2018

### FIRST DAY OF INSTRUCTION

January 14, 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

For more information regarding enrollment, please contact Admissions & Registrar Office at 488-2470/2471 ext. 274. Working hours are 8:00 am to 5:00 pm from Monday to Friday.



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## ANNOUNCEMENT



# Appreciation Day to All Bi-Weekly Allotment Donors to PCC Endowment Fund End-of-the-Year- Get-Together is Friday December 28, 2018

**11:30 A.M. @  
PCC Mesekiu Bai**

## ALUMNI NOTES

### WRIDON NGIRALMAU

ASSOCIATE OF APPLIED SCIENCE - ELECTRICAL  
TECHNOLOGY

Wridon Ngiralmu is a graduate of Palau Community College in 2012 with Associate of Applied Science in Electrical Technology. He currently works at Palau Public Utilities Corporation.



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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.

## VACANCY ANNOUNCEMENT

- (1) Math Instructor/ Tutor (2)  
(PCC Upward Bound Program Office)  
depending on qualifications & hrs,  
salary ranges from \$100 - \$200 biweekly
- (2) Foreign Language Instructor/ Tutor (2)  
(PCC Upward Bound Program Office)  
depending on qualifications & hrs,  
salary ranges from \$100 - \$200 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) Construction Technology Instructor  
depending on qualifications & work experience  
salary range: \$16,010 - \$28,280 per annum
- (5) Community and Public Health Instructor  
depending on qualifications & work experience  
salary range: \$18,009 - \$31,810 per annum
- (6) Financial Aid Counselor  
(Student Services - Office of Financial Aid)  
salary range: \$12,049 - \$20,607 per annum
- (7) Federal Work-Study Coordinator  
(Student Services - Office of Financial Aid)  
salary range: \$12,049 - \$20,607 per annum
- (8) Maintenance Technicians (4)  
(Administration Department - Physical Plant)  
salary range: \$8,155 - \$13,948 per annum
- (9) Student Activities Specialist (2)  
(Student Life - Recreation)  
salary range: \$8,155 - \$13,948 per annum
- (10) Counselor  
(PCC Student Services Division)  
salary range: \$12,653 - \$19,479 per annum
- (11) Accounting Technician (Purchase Order Technician)  
(Administration Department - Business Office)  
salary range: \$9,913 - \$16,954 per annum
- (12) Researcher/ Food Technologist  
(Cooperative Research & Extension Office)  
salary range: \$30,000 per annum

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

"PCC is an Equal Opportunity Employer."

## PCC Endowment Fund

### INVEST IN THE FUTURE OF OUR STUDENTS, OUR COLLEGE, AND OUR NATION

### To SUPPORT, CONTACT US TODAY!

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e-mail: [tellei@palau.edu](mailto:tellei@palau.edu)

If you want to join the Bi-Weekly  
Allotment Program, contact us NOW!

### FIND PCC ONLINE FOR MORE INFORMATION



<http://www.palau.edu>



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## Celebrating Birthdays

Kristy Olkeriil	Dec	25
Marie A. Nabeyama	Dec	27
Hellen Imanuel	Dec	29
Denae K. Johnny	Dec	30



**HAPPY BIRTHDAY!**

## Academic Affairs - Faculty Corner

### Fall 2018 Semester Report

**Dec 31, 2018**

### Program/Department Reviews

**School of Business, STEM, and CPH**

**Jan 31, 2019**

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