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Project Code:	QBGAS
Project Title:	Modernizing Government Regulations Program 2024 - 30th, 31st, & 32nd Basic Course on RIA, P3
Project Start:	Marc 1, 2024
Project End:	December 31, 2024
Revenue (as of June 6, 2024):	Not applicable
Client Organization:	Various LGUs

II. Project Team

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Supervising Fellow:	Ma. Theresa Agustin
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III. Project Details

Project Description:	The Modernizing Government Regulations (MGR) Program aims to contribute to the improvement of the competitiveness of the Philippines through regulatory governance reform by facilitating a conducive environment for business to develop and grow. Crucial to the success of the MGR Program is to strengthen the capability of government regulatory bodies on regulatory management and good regulatory practices (GRPs). It is with this goal in mind that the Capability Development Component of the MGR Program has been implemented.
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Project Objective:	For 2024, focus will be given on building the capability of Local Government Units (LGUs), the Legislative, and National Government Agencies (NGAs) on regulatory management and GRPs such as Regulatory Impact Assessment, Compliance Cost Assessment and Consultations. Specifically, the Capability Development Component of the MGR Program aims to 1) create a pool of practitioners at the local and national level on Regulatory Impact Assessment (RIA), Compliance Cost Assessment (CCA), and Consultations in the context of RIA with the capability to practice said methodologies; and 2) develop additional relevant materials on regulatory management and GRPs to support their implementation.
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Focus Area:	Policy Reform Agenda development, policy review, policy advocacy
Project Type:	Training
Project Beneficiary:	Public Sector
Regional Coverage:	Nationwide

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IV. Project Accomplishments

A. Key Activities Implemented

Activity		Date	Participant LGUs	Total Participants
1	30th Basic Course on Regulatory Impact Assessment	March 18-20 and 25, 2024	• Municipal Government of San Isidro, Isabela • Municipal Government of Moncada, Tarlac • Municipal Government of Concepcion, Romblon • Municipal Government of Praxedes, Cagayan • Municipal Government of Santa Fe, Nueva Vizcaya • Municipal Government of Goa, Camarines Sur • City Government of Trece Martires, Cavite	56
2	31st Basic Course on Regulatory Impact Assessment	May 27-28, 30-31, 2024	• Local Government Unit of Guiguinto, Bulacan • Provincial Local Government Unit of Northern Samar • Local Government Unit of Tagbilaran, Bohol • Local Government Unit of Narra, Palawan • Local Government Unit of Ormoc, Leyte	49
3	32nd Basic Course on Regulatory Impact Assessment	July 11-12, 15-16, 2024	• City Government of Koronadal • Municipal Government of Calauan • City Government of Butuan • Provincial Government of Davao Del Norte • City Government of Tagum	63

B. Major Outputs

- A total of three batches of Basic RIA training course were implemented. All activities were conducted through online modalities.
- Seventeen (14) LGUs participated
- A total of 168 participants were trained

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- Participants equipped with knowledge and skills on conducting regulatory impact assessment.
- Recognition of the value of regulatory reform and the good regulatory practices necessary to achieve it.
- Awareness and realization of the importance of assessing and developing regulations.

D. Lessons Learned

1. The calibration meeting between MGRP and PQTO played a crucial role in ensuring the smooth implementation of the project. During the meeting, both teams meticulously aligned their processes, strategies, and timelines to guarantee seamless coordination. This collaboration fostered a mutual understanding and facilitated the efficient execution of tasks, ultimately contributing to the project's success.
2. Additional task was given to PQTO-RIA team and this was the introduction of sending invitations. To streamline this process, the application of Yet Another Mail Merge (YAMM) was introduced and expertly demonstrated by a member from MGRP who had previously overseen the task. Given that YAMM was a new application for PQTO team members, additional guidance was sought through YouTube tutorials to deepen their understanding. This application proved to be incredibly beneficial, significantly simplifying the process of sending invitations and making it much more efficient.

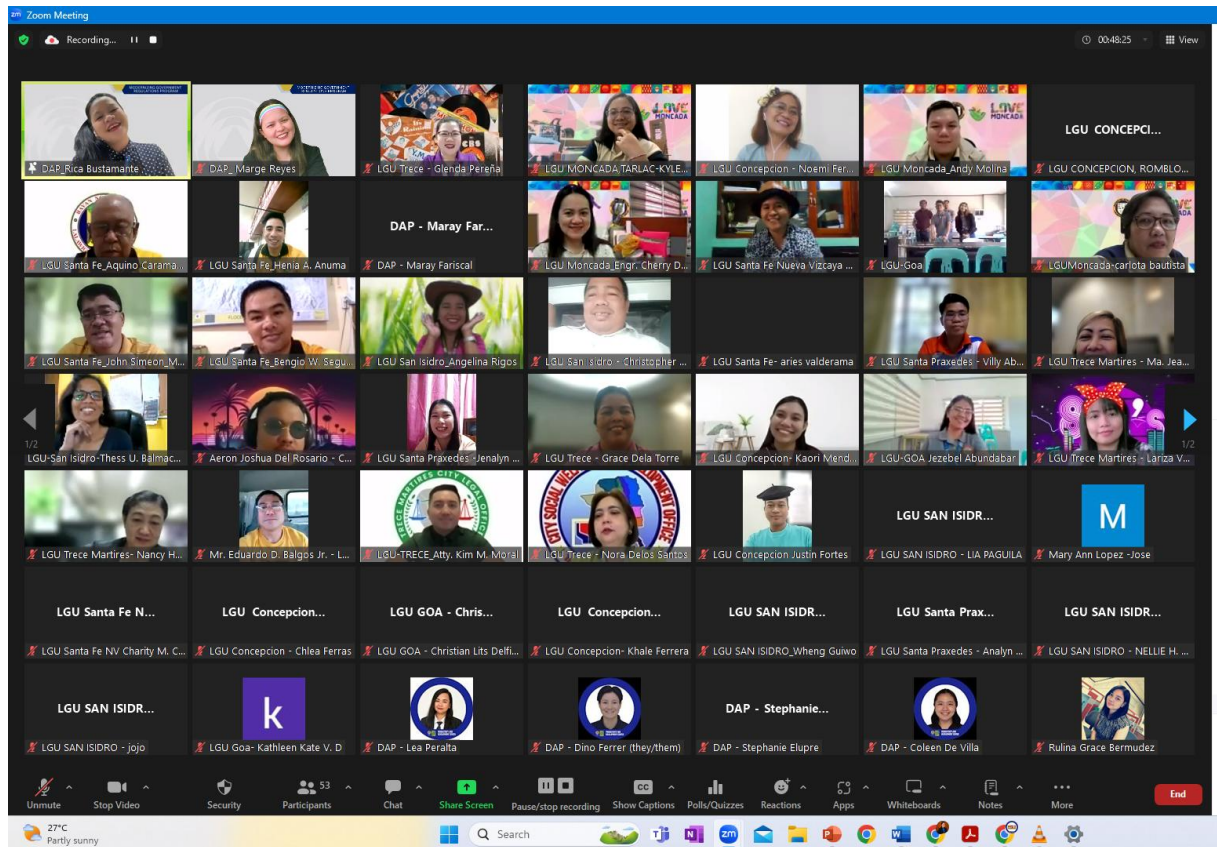
V. Attachments

- Photo documentation
- List of participants
- One Point Lesson

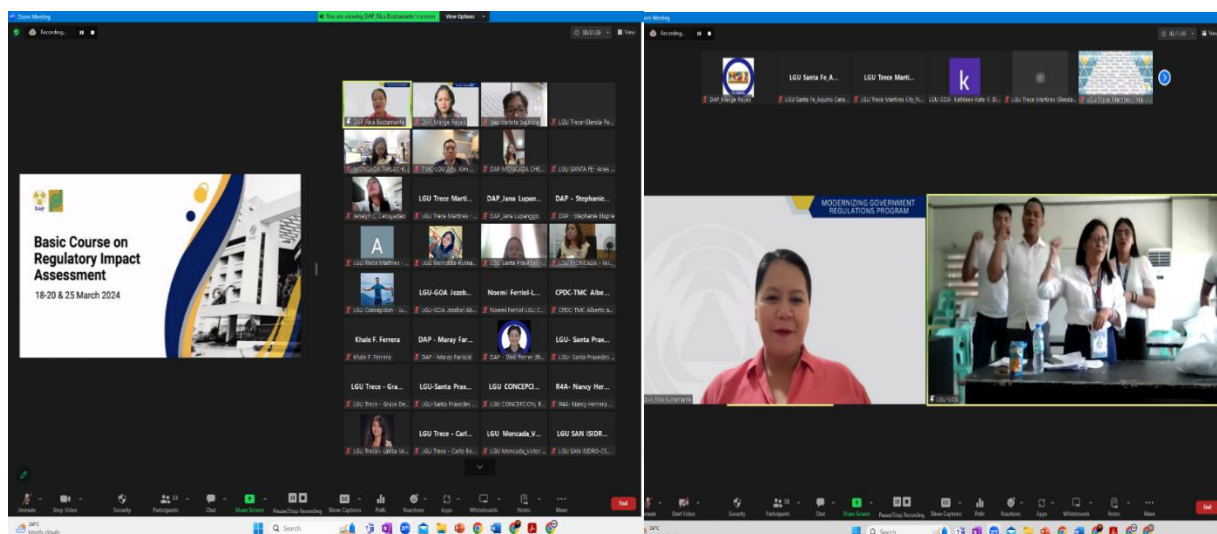
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ANNEX 1: Photo documentation

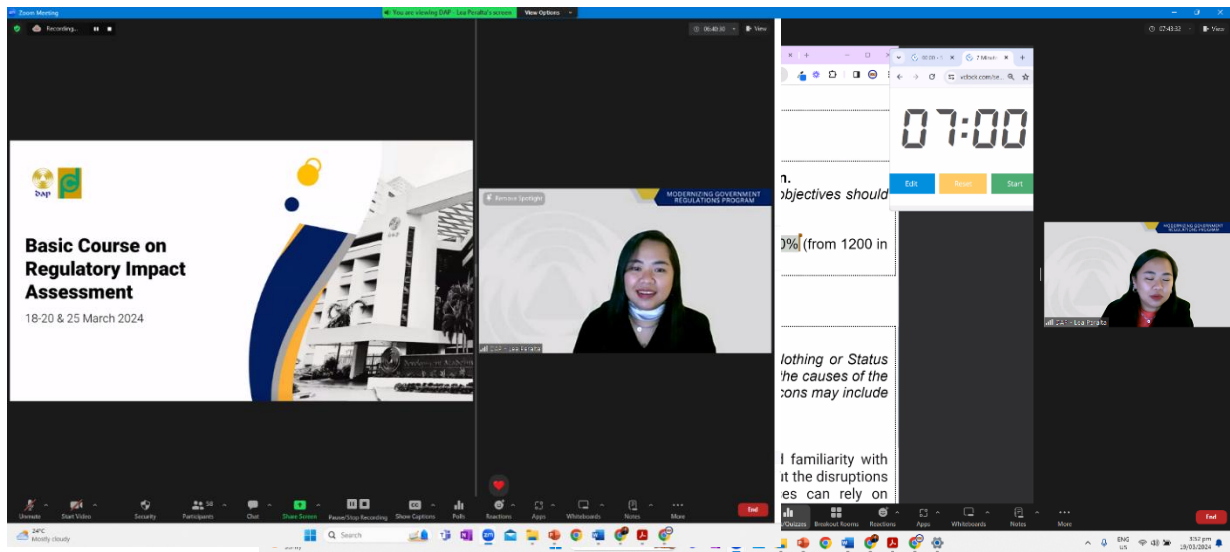


Participants and the project team of the 30th Basic Course on RIA held via Zoom on 18-20, 25 March 2024

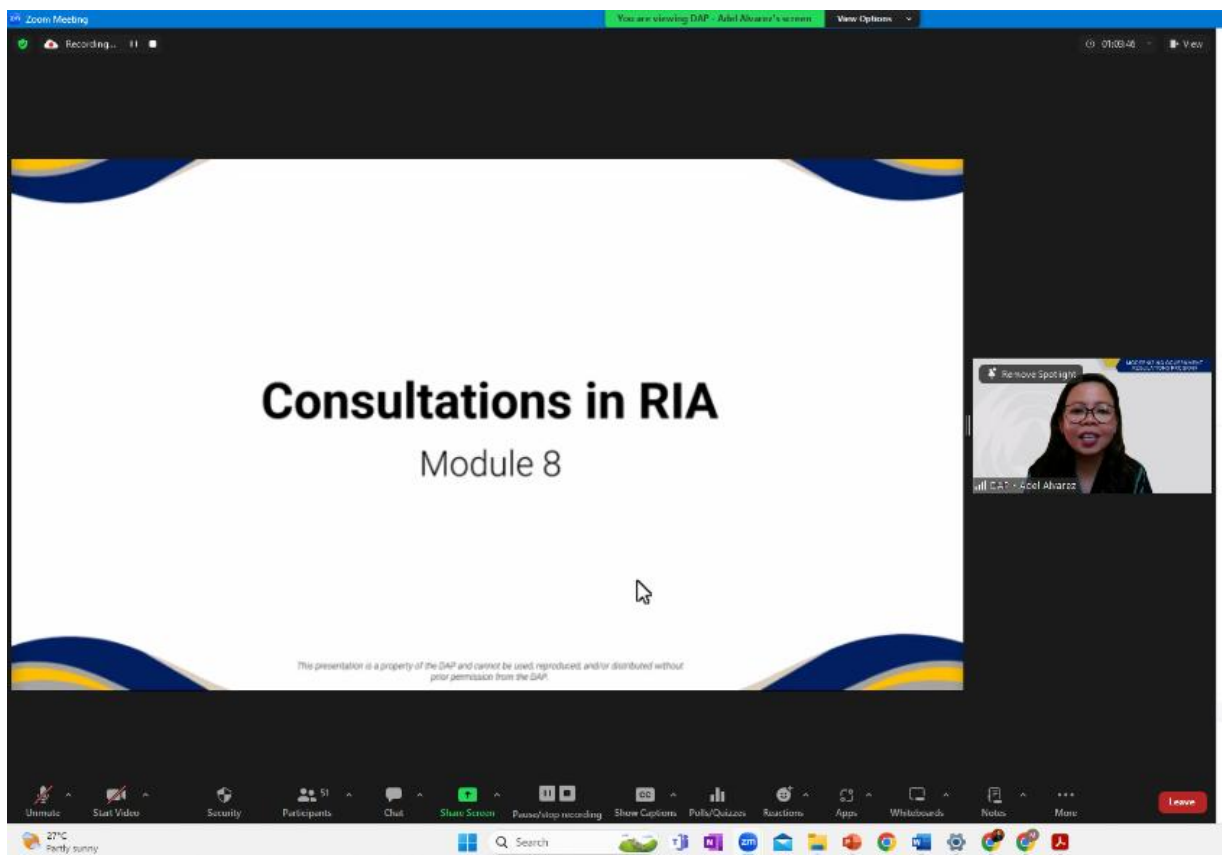


Ms. Rica Pilar T. Bustamante as the main facilitator during the opening program of the 30th Basic Course on RIA.

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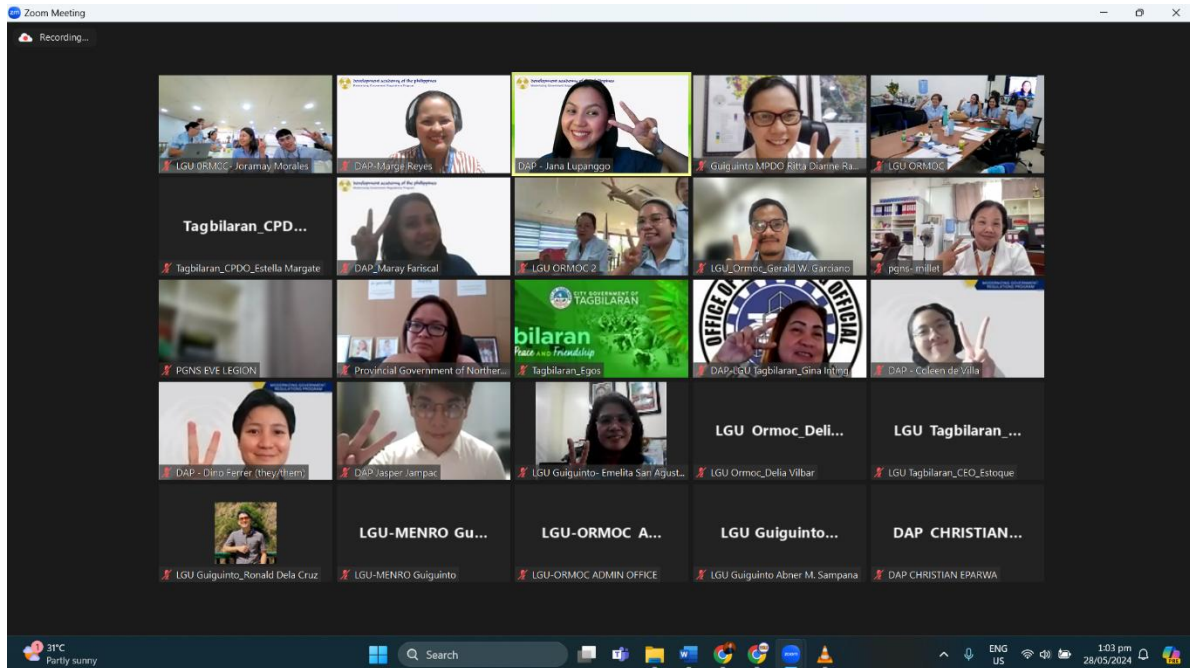


Ms. Lea S. Peralta is one of the resource persons during the 30th Basic Course on RIA held on 18-20, 25 March 2024

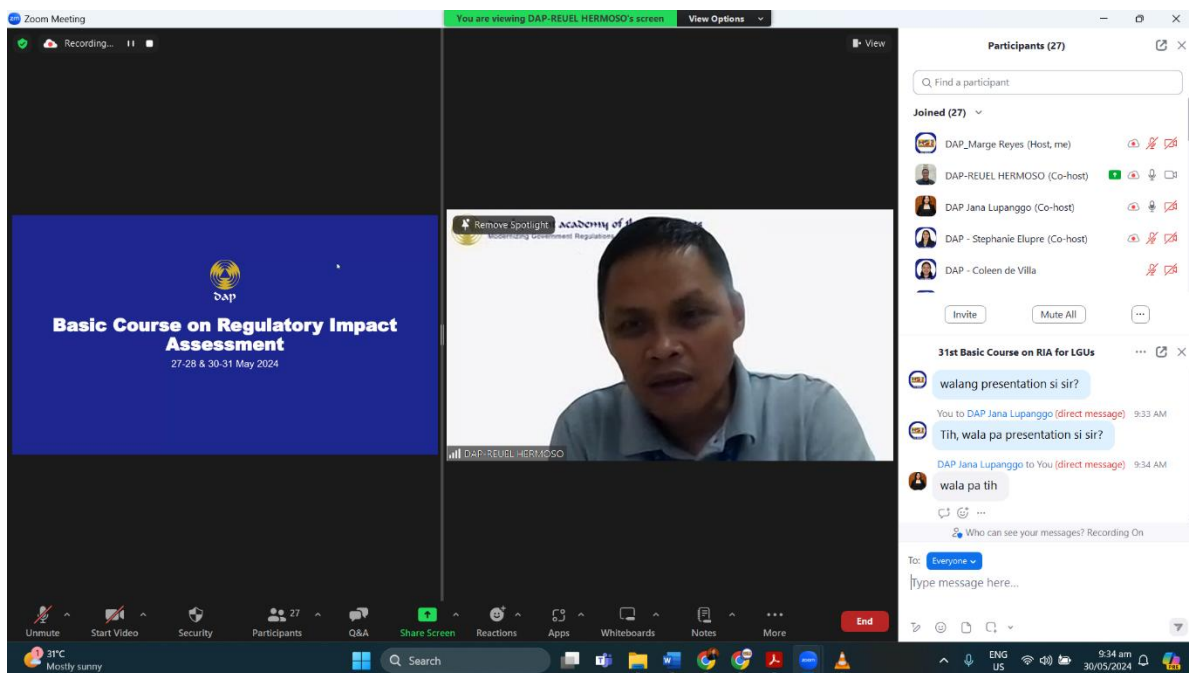


Ms. Adeline Alvarez as a resource person during the 30th Basic Course on RIA held via Zoom on 18-20, 25 March 2024

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Participants and the project team of the 31st Basic Course on RIA held via Zoom on 27-28 and 30-31 May 2024.

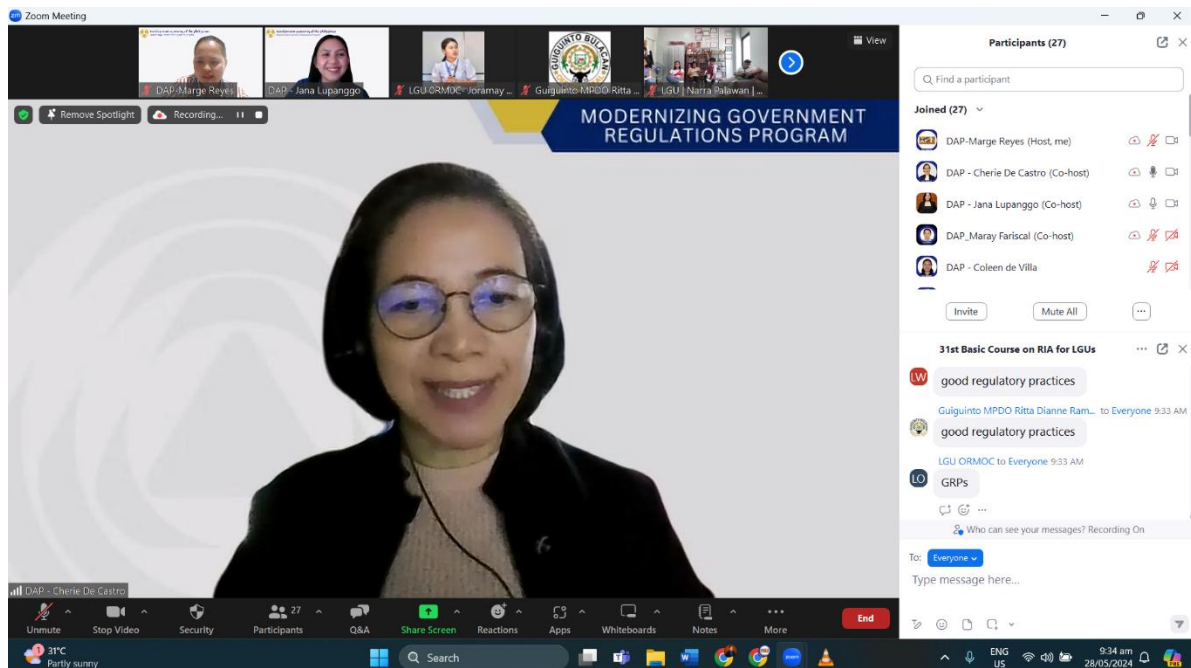


Mr. Reuel R. Hermoso is one of the resource persons during the 31st Basic Course on RIA held via Zoom on 27-28 and 30-31 May 2024.

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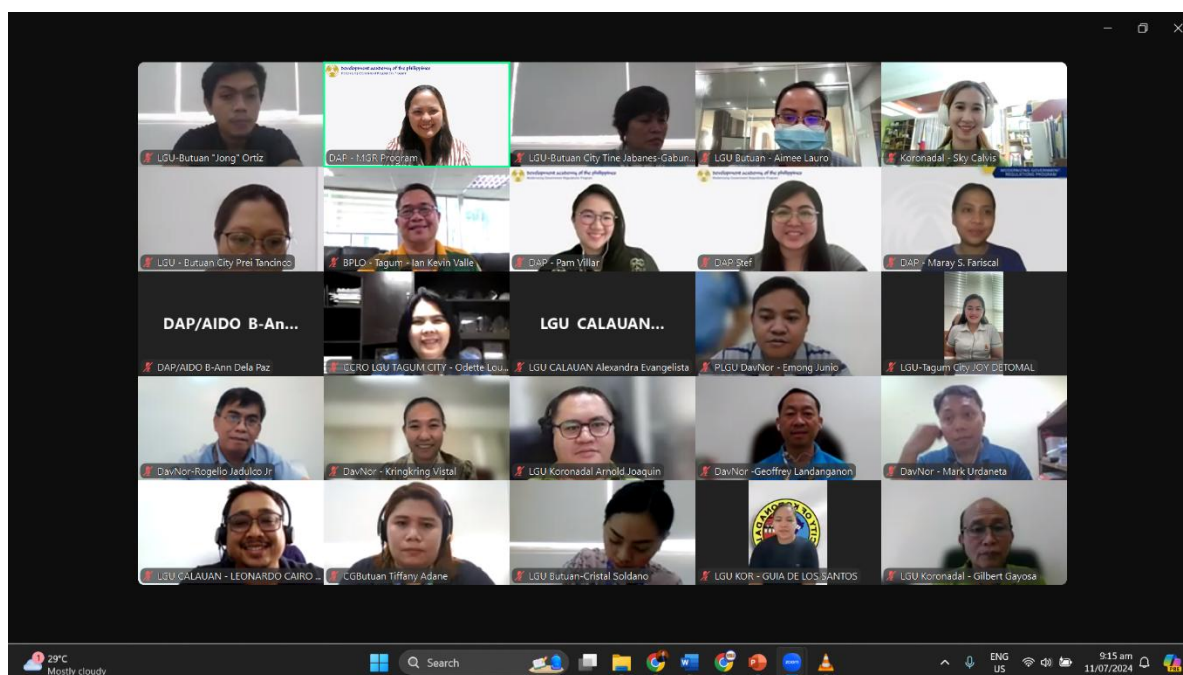
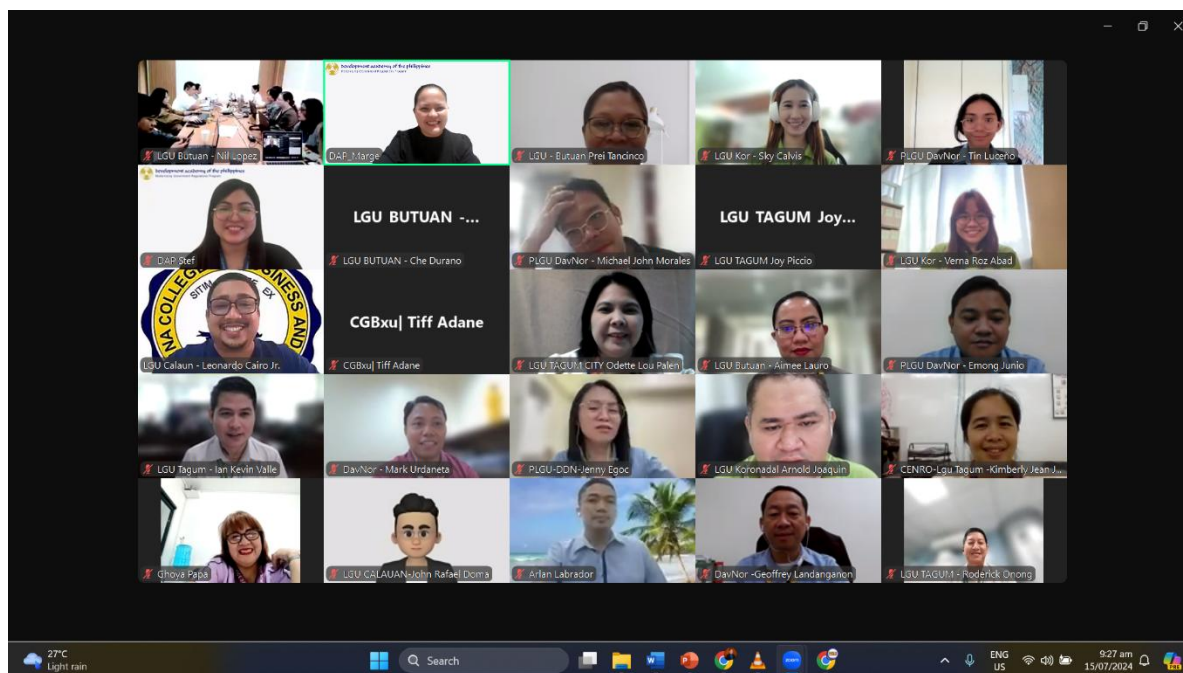


Ms. Joanah Ruth Lupanggo as the main facilitator during the opening program of the 30th Basic Course on RIA.



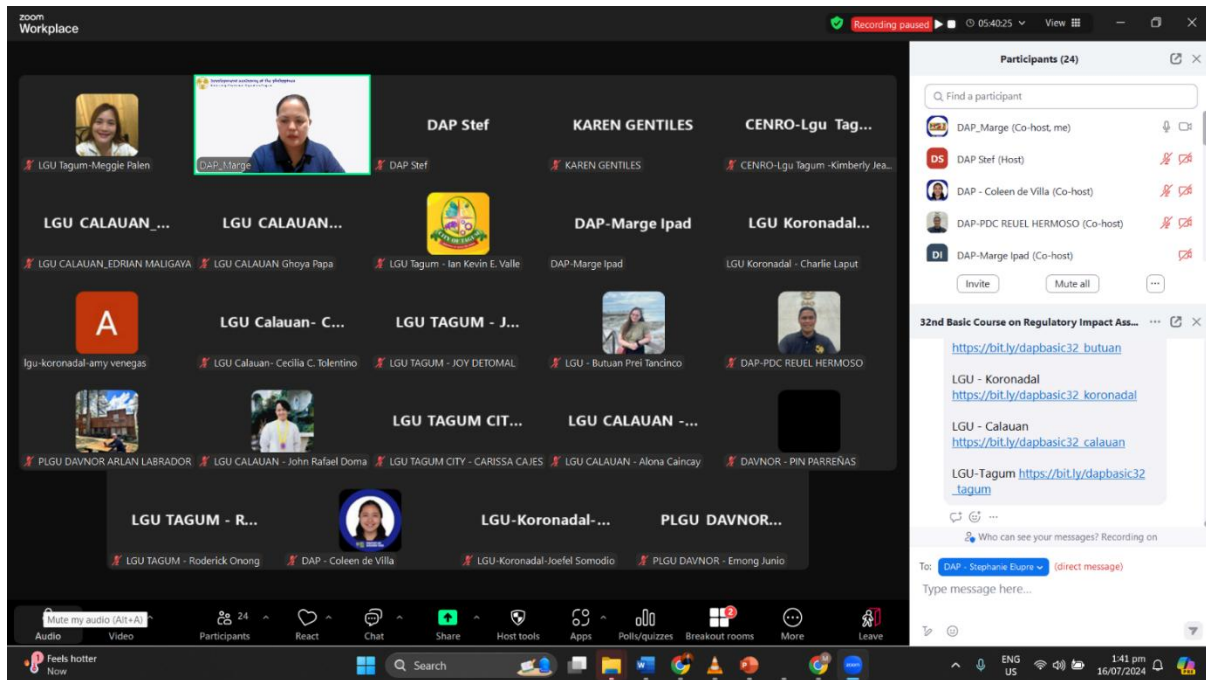
Mr. Rosario E. De Castro was one of the resource persons during the 31st Basic Course on RIA held on 27-28 and 30-31 May 2024.

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Participants and the project team of the 32nd Basic Course on RIA held via Zoom on 11-12, 15-16 July 2024.

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Ms. Ann Margaret Reyes as the main facilitator during the 27th Basic Course on RIA held on 11-12, 15-16 July 2024.