



2006 National Biotech Week
"Securing the Philippines' Niche in the Global Bio-enterprise"
Program of Activities



July 2 - Sun	July 3- Mon	July 4- Tues	July 5- Wed	July 6- Thurs	July 7 - Fri
MORNING					
	Venue: DA-BSWM Elliptical Road cor Visayas Ave., Quezon City 9-11 am Opening Program <i>Special Guest:</i> Dr. Hector Quemada, USAID/International Bio- Business Consultant & Faculty, Western Michigan University Launching of Special Initiatives Ribbon-cutting for Technology Exhibit & Trade Fair Press Conference	Venue: DA-BSWM 9 am -12 nn Entrepreneurship Fair -features Commercial Success Stories, Business Opportunities <i>Focus: Agri-biotech/natural products/ingredients</i> Venue: NPAL Conference Hall, DA- BPI, Visayas Ave., Quezon City 8am – 12nn Technology Symposium on Natural Ingredients and Products –sponsored by DA, UP Institute of Chemistry in cooperation with UP Natural Science Research Institute	Venue: UP NISMED, Diliman, Quezon City 9am-5pm DNA Forensics - in cooperation with UP DNA Lab and Biotech Coalition of the Philippines	Venue: DA-BSWM 9 am - 12 nn Entrepreneurship Fair – PCASTRD-DOST in cooperation with Licensing Executives Society <i>Focus: Intellectual Property Rights and Business Strategy</i>	Venue: DA-BSWM 9 am - 3:30 pm Stakeholders' Forum Panel Discussion: How Do We Secure the Philippines' Niche(s) in the Global Bio- enterprise?) with Media Forum (by videoconferencing At Benguet State University and Davao City
AFTERNOON					
2:30-3:30 pm Biotechnology Quiz (on radio) - in cooperation with DZMM Bago Yan Ah!, and Department of Education	Venue: DA-BSWM 1-5 pm Technology Showcase - Film showing & information forum on bio-technologies: 100% Makapuno, Pre-screening of newborn, Quiz portion	Venue: DA-BSWM 1-5 pm Entrepreneurship Fair -features Commercial Success Stories, Business Opportunities, Regulatory Requirements <i>Focus: Health/Industrial/Environmental biotechnologies</i>	DNA Forensics Venue: UP Visayas 1-5pm National Symposium on Fisheries and Aquatic Biotechnology - sponsored by DA with DOST-PCASTRD & PCAMRD as co- sponsors	Venue: DA-BSWM 2-5 pm Premiere Video Showing & Forum on DNA Forensics , – PCASTRD- DOST in cooperation with Free Legal Assistance Group <i>Special Guest:</i> Mr. Robert Fitchett Deputy Head of Mission, British Embassy	Venue: DA-BSWM 3:30-4:30pm Culminating Program <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ● Launching of Private-Public Partnerships ● Awarding <i>Special Guest:</i> Hon. Luis Villafuerte Representative, 2 nd district of Camarines Sur and Vice- Chair, S&T Committee House of Representatives Congress of the Philippines
Week-long Biotechnology Technology Exhibit & Trade Fair Venue: DA-BSWM					