The Central Colleges of the Philippines-English CENTER:

Programs and Challenges in Enhancing English Skills Among College Students

Rationale

The CCP- English Center is an avenue specially designed to provide consistent and nondiscriminatory trainings/workshops throughout the semester.

It offers various programs / activities to enhance the English speaking skills of the students of Central Colleges of the Philippines.

OBJECTIVES

(1) Provide intensive English programs to assist students in attaining proficiency in English; (2) Initiate trainings and seminars to prepare the interpersonal competencies of the students as work-ready graduates; (3) Build an English-speaking environment to encourage the students to use English.

Programs and Challenges

Limited English Proficient students

-students who are not fluent in English because it is not their first language

PROGRAM

- one-on-on tutorials
- Coaching sessions
- Free sessions
- Video lectures
- Accent training
- English movie therapy

PREPARING OJT

English for Specific Purposes

- *English for Hoteliers
- *English for Commerce
- *English for Engineering and Architecture
- *English for International Workplace

For GRADUATING STUDENTS

-Crash Course

"Successful Job Search Strategies: Application Letter and Interview"

Mock-Interview follows

-Personality Development Program (PDP)-Communication Development Program (CDP)

Classroom Environment

Faculty Development Program

<u>English in the Classroom: Strategies in</u> <u>Building an English Supportive</u> <u>Environment</u>

