



International Christian Maritime Association (ICMA) Manila Activities September 24th – October 2nd, 2016

Day 1 – Saturday 24th September 2016

AHOY Training Course	ICMA Executive Committee
<p><i>Objectives:</i></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • <i>Welcoming of participants</i> • <i>Getting to know each other's</i> • <i>General orientation</i> 	
<p>..... Arrival participants 14.00H: to 1700H – Registration 18.30H: Dinner Hotel 19.30H: Getting to know each other's / Expectations / Presentation of the AHOY Training Course / General orientation</p>	<p>Arrival of Executive Committee Members???</p>

Day 2 – Sunday 25th September 2016

AHOY Training Course	ICMA Executive Committee
<p>Objectives:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • <i>Participation to the concluding activity of 21th National Seafarer’s Day (NSD) celebration.</i> • <i>Visit one or these churches that generally are visited by the seafarers before departing and or upon returning</i> 	
<p>07.00H: Breakfast</p> <p>07.30H: Departure for the 21st National Seafarers’ Sunday concluding celebration Cuneta Astrodome - Pasig</p> <p>08.30H: Celebration of the Eucharist and other activities</p> <p>..... Lunch out</p> <p>14.00H: Departure by group for:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> - The Minor Basilica of the Black Nazarene, Quiapo –<i>There is also a nearby Mosque</i> - National Shrine of Our Mother of Perpetual Help, or more popularly, “Baclaran Church” - The Shrine of Mary, Queen of Peace, Our Lady of EDSA, or more popularly, the EDSA Shrine – <i>The center of the historical site of the “1986 Edsa Revolution”</i> - Santo Niño de Tondo Parish <i>The old Manila business center</i> <p>19.00H: Dinner Hotel</p> <p>..... Free evening</p>	<p>Arrival of Executive Committee Members</p>

Day 3 – Monday 26th September 2016

AHOY Training Course	ICMA Executive Committee
<p>Objectives:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • <i>Official opening of the course in the presence of the Executive Committee members of ICMA, local civil authorities and others</i> • <i>Introduction to the Filipino history, values and culture</i> • <i>Presentation of the ICMA ministry in the Philippines</i> • <i>A unique aspect of the Pilipino seafarer's life: "utility men"</i> 	<p>Dr. Francis Gealogo, History, Ateneo de Manila University Dr. Ricardo Jose, Kasaysayan, UP Dr. Francis Gealogo, History, Ateneo de Manila University</p>
<p>07.30H: Breakfast 08.00H: Ecumenical prayer 08.30H: Official opening of the AHOY Training Course</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Revd Richard Kilgour, General Secretary of ICMA • Doctor Conrado Oca, President of AMOSUP • AOS Bishop Promoter of the Philippines • Local civil authorities • Sponsors??? • Others..... <p>10.00H: Coffee break</p>	<p>07.30H: Breakfast 08.00H: Ecumenical prayer 08.30H: Official opening of the AHOY Training Course</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Revd Richard Kilgour, General Secretary of ICMA • Doctor Conrado Oca, President of AMOSUP • AOS Bishop Promoter of the Philippines • Local civil authorities • Sponsors??? • Others..... <p>10.00H: Coffee break</p>
<p>10.30H: History of RP + open forum By <i>Dr. Ricardo Jose, Kasaysayan, UP</i> or <i>Dr. Francis Gealogo, History, Ateneo de Manila University</i> 11.30H: Short break 11.45H: Filipino values and culture + open forum By <i>Dr. Clemen Aquino, Sociology, UP, or Prof. Stella Go, De La Salle University</i></p>	<p>10.30H: ExCom Meeting</p>
<p>13.00H: Lunch Hotel</p>	<p>13.00H: Lunch Hotel</p>
<p>14.30H: ICMA in the Philippines: the ICMA members organizations in the Philippines will present their ministry (AOS-RP, MtS, Sailor's Society)</p>	<p>14.30H: ExCom Meeting</p>
<p>16.00H: Coffee break</p>	<p>16.00H: Coffee break</p>
<p>16.30H: Panel discussion:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Manila's "utility men" Agency and social adulthood through servitude? + open forum by <i>Roderick Galam</i> • Southampton University or CIRC 	<p>16.30H: ExCom Meeting</p>

18.00H: Departure for AOS-Manila Office and Stella Maris- Pius XII

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Day 4 – Tuesday 27th September 2016

AHOY Training Course	ICMA Executive Committee	AGM – Consultative Forum
<p>Objectives:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • <i>Introduction to popular religiosity and beliefs and the Filipino Catholicism, religiosity and beliefs and other religious denominations within the Philippines</i> • <i>Learning from a direct experience from a Filipino Deacon in the seafarers ministry</i> • <i>Deepening the presentation with a panel discussion hearing directly from the beneficiaries of our ministry the Filipino seafarers</i> • <i>Immersion in the Filipino culture: traditional dances and songs</i> 		
<p>07.30H: Breakfast 08.30H: Ecumenical prayer</p>	<p>07.30H: Breakfast 08.30H: Ecumenical prayer</p>	<p>Arrival of Representatives attending the AGM and Consultative Forum</p>
<p>09.00H: Filipino Catholic religiosity and beliefs: faith and popular devotions By <i>H.E. Bishop Socrates Villegas, Archbishop of Dagupan and President of the Catholic Bishop's Conference of the Philippines (CBCP)</i></p>	<p>09.00H: ExCom Meeting</p>	
<p>10.00H: Coffee break</p>	<p>10.00H: Coffee break</p>	
<p>10.30H: Continuation Filipino Catholic religiosity and beliefs & open forum 11.15H: Short break 11.30H: Presentation of the Filipino National Churches: Philippine Independent Church or Aglipayan Church, National Council of Churches in the Philippines (NCCP), Iglesia ni Cristo. By <i>Dr. Manuel Sapitula, University of the Philippines</i></p>	<p>10.30H ExCom Meeting</p>	
<p>12.30H: Lunch Hotel</p>	<p>12.30H: Lunch Hotel</p>	
<p>14.30H: How effectively ministers to Filipino seafarers + open forum. By <i>Deacon Albert Dacanay former AOS chaplain in Toronto and AOS National Director – Canada</i></p>	<p>14.30H: ExCom Meeting</p>	
<p>16.00H: Coffee break</p>	<p>16.00H: Coffee break</p>	
<p>16.30H: Panel discussion: The voice of Filipino seafarers: Three Filipino seafarers in dialogue with the participants maximum of 15 minutes each, followed by open forum.</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • What a Seafarer Center around the world and the staff should be able to offer upon welcoming Filipino seafarers? 	<p>16.30H: ExCom Meeting</p>	

<p>18.30H: Transfer to Stella Maris-Ermita 19.00H: Dinner Stella Maris- Ermita 20.00H: Presentation: Filipino cultural night / meeting the seafarers/ karaoke</p>	<p>18.30H: Transfer to Stella Maris-Ermita 19.00H: Dinner Stella Maris- Ermita 20.00H: Presentation: Filipino cultural night / meeting the seafarers/ karaoke</p>	
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Day 5 – Wednesday: 28 September 2016

AHOY Training Course	ICMA Executive Committee	AGM – Consultative Forum
Objectives: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • <i>Situationer and analysis of the Filipino seafarers</i> • <i>ICMA Consultative Forum.....</i> 		
07.30H: Breakfast 08.30H: Ecumenical prayer	07.30H: Breakfast 08.30H: Ecumenical prayer	07.30H: Breakfast 08.30H: Ecumenical prayer
09.00H: Philippines: people of the sea – Statistics, issues, international and national standards, future trends by <i>Fr. Graziano Battistella Director of the Scalabrini Migration Center (SMC)</i>	09.00H: ExCom Meeting with the heads of ICMA member's society	09.00H: ExCom Meeting with the heads of ICMA member's society
10.30H: Coffee break	10.30H: Coffee break	10.30H: Coffee break
11.00H ????????	11.00H: Annual General Meeting (AGM)	11.00H: Annual General Meeting (AGM)
12.30H: Lunch Hotel 13.30H: ICMA Consultative Forum 15.30H: Coffee break 16.00H: ICMA Consultative Forum 17.30H: Departure for the Cruise dinner 18.00H: Cruise dinner - Manila Bay	12.30H: Lunch 13.30H: ICMA Consultative Forum 15.30H: Coffee break 16.00H: ICMA Consultative Forum 17.30H: Departure for the Cruise dinner 18.00H: Cruise dinner - Manila Bay	12.30H: Lunch 13.30H: ICMA Consultative Forum 15.30H: Coffee break 16.00H: ICMA Consultative Forum 17.30H: Departure for the Cruise dinner 18.00H: Cruise dinner - Manila Bay

Day 6 – Thursday: 29 September 2016

AHOY Training Course	ICMA Executive Committee	AGM – Consultative Forum
<p>Objectives:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • <i>Visit and dialogue with AMOSUP, the largest Filipino seafarer’s union in the world</i> • <i>Panel discussion with a group of maritime students</i> • <i>Visit to “Kalaw” (as it’s known by the seafarers) where around 1,000 of them gather daily seeking employment</i> • <i>Visit to Pagoda boarding house, with capacity of around 400 seafarers</i> • <i>Interaction with the seafarers resident at the Scalabrini Center for People on the Move (SCPM) in New Manila</i> 		
<p>07.30H: Breakfast</p> <p>08.00H: Departure for AMOSUP</p> <p>08.30H: Ecumenical prayer</p> <p>09.00H: AMOSUP presentation:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • History of AMOSUP • AMOSUP today and tomorrow <p>10.30H: Break</p> <p>11.00H: Panel discussion: with a group of maritime students with sailing experience in international waters/ open forum</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> - When fully pledged seafarer, what services / facilities... you would like to avail of from a Center for Seafarers? - How about the center’s personnel / chaplain: what do you expect? <p>12.30H: Lunch at AMOSUP</p> <p>13.30H: Departure for: Visit to Luneta Park “Kalaw” as it’s known by the seafarers / meeting the seafarers</p> <p>16.30H: Departure for the visit to Pagoda boarding house and Scalabrini Center for People on the Move (SCPM) in New Manila</p> <p>18.30H: Dinner SCPM and presentation of AOS-Manila</p>	<p>Departure members of ExCom</p>	<p>Departure of Representatives attending the AGM and Consultative Forum</p>

Day 7 – Friday: 30 September 2016

AHOY Training Course

Objectives:

To know more about the Philippines government institutions that are dealing with the recruitment, deployment and welfare of seafarers:

- Dialogue/ open forum with the Administrator of the Overseas Workers Welfare Administration (OWWA) an attached agency of the Department of Labor and Employment (DOLE). OWWA is the lead government agency tasked to protect and promote the welfare and well-being of Overseas Filipino Workers (OFWs) and their dependents.*
- Dialogue / open forum with Administrator of the Philippine Overseas Employment Administration (POEA), the government agency that promotes and monitor the overseas employment of Filipino workers.*
- Dialogue / open forum with the Honorable Labor Secretary of the Department of Labor and Employment (DOLE) is the national government agency mandated to formulate and implement policies and programs, and serve as the policy-advisory arm of the Executive Branch in the field of labor and employment.*
- Dialogue / open forum with the Administrator of the Philippines' Maritime Industry Authority (MARINA) the government agency under the Department of Transportation and Communications, responsible for integrating the development, promotion and regulation of the maritime industry in the Philippines.*

07.30H: Breakfast

08.30H: Ecumenical prayer

09.00H: Welfare concerns & open forum with the Administrator of Overseas Workers Welfare (OWWA).

10.00H: Coffee break

10.30H: Legislation concerns & open forum with the Administrator of the Philippine Overseas Employment Administration (POEA).

11.30H: Short break

11.45H: Open forum with the Honorable Labor Secretary of the Department of Labor and Employment (DOLE).

12.30H: Lunch Hotel

14.30H: Issues and concerns & open forum with Administrator of the Philippines' Maritime Industry Authority (MARINA).

16.00H: Coffee break

16.30H: **The role of seafarer's wives in the Filipino families** + open forum (SWAPI/CDO/AOS-Manila)

19.00H: Dinner Hotel

Day 8 – Saturday: 1 October 2016

AHOY Training Course

Objectives:

- *Workshop to assess and evaluate the AHOY Training Course*
- *Visit to historical places*
- *Closing dinner and awarding of the Certificate*

07.30H: Breakfast

08.30H: Ecumenical prayer

09.00H: Workshops groups: what I have learned in these days...

- What could be successful in the work with Filipino seafarers?
- What are the challenges? Innovations?
- Evaluation of the course

10.30H: Break

11.00H: Reporting in the Plenary Assembly

12.30H: Lunch Hotel

- Visit to historical sites in Intramuros (Spanish for "within the walls"): Manila Cathedral, Saint Augustine Church (UNESCO World Heritage Site) and Museum, Fort Santiago.

19.00H: Closing Dinner Hotel and awarding of the Certificate

Day 9 – Sunday: 2 October 2016

AHOY Training Course

07.30H: Breakfast

Check out

Departure.....

Dr. Manuel Victor J. Sapitula: is an Assistant Professor from the Department of Sociology of the University of the Philippines. He got his Bachelor's Degree and Master's Degree, both in Sociology from the same university and was awarded his PhD in Sociology from the National University of Singapore. He is also an incoming board member of the Philippine Sociological Society.

Archbishop Socrates B. Villegas: *is the Archbishop of Lingayen Dagupan and the current President of the Catholic Bishops' Conference of the Philippines (CBCP). He was past Chairman of the Episcopal Commission for Catechesis and Catholic Education of the CBCP and formerly a member of the Pontifical Council for the Family of the Holy See. In the secular field, he was one of the Ten Outstanding Young Men of the Philippines (TOYM) in the year 2000 and a Catholic Authors Awardee in 1994. The Bataan Peninsula State University conferred upon him a Doctor of Humanities degree honoris cause in recognition of his work for the Province of Bataan. He authored nine books of homilies and spiritual meditations.*