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Dear _____:

The Academic Libraries Book Acquisition Systems Association (ALBASA), Inc. will be holding its 50th Annual General Assembly, Book Fair and Seminar-Workshop with the theme: ***“From Tradition to Transformation: Libraries Shaping the Future Through Innovation and Resilience”*** on July 16-19, 2024 at Vivace Events Center, Cebu Ocean Park, SM Seaside Complex, Mambaling, Cebu City, with the following objectives.

- a) To explore methods and practical learning skill to make libraries better with technology, using digital tools and platforms to assist patrons in accessing, engaging with, and benefiting from library services in today's digital world;
- b) To identify strategies, and concepts on how librarians, support staff and other professionals stay motivated and perform well even when faced with challenges at work;
- c) To examine the evolving role of libraries in preserving cultural heritage, as well as innovative approaches and technologies that enable libraries to bridge the gap between tradition and innovation in the ever-changing landscape of education and information; and
- d) To provide innovative strategies and solutions aimed at meeting the essential needs of modern libraries, promoting a culture of experimentation, collaboration, and adaptability to improve services and the impact of libraries in the digital age.

In connection with this, may we request your Head Librarian or duly designated representative who is familiar with your institution's linkage with ALBASA, Inc. to attend the **Business Meeting** on July 16, 2024, and the **Book Fair, Seminar-Workshop, Fellowship Night, and Benchmarking** on July 17-19, 2024. Free seminar registration will be given to the following:

- 1 free delegate - reached the annual patronage quota
- 2 free delegates - reached 1M to 3M patronage
- 3 free delegates - reached 4M and up patronage

Fellowship Night will take place on July 17, 2024, from 5:00 pm to 9:00 pm, with the theme: **“GLITZ & GLAM: ALBASA@50”**. Ladies are asked to wear a black long gown and accessorized with gold. While the gentlemen are requested to wear a black suit.

All other delegates will be assessed a seminar registration fee as follows:

Participant	Early-bird Rate <i>(Payment must be deposited on or before 15 June 2024)</i>	Regular Rate <i>(Payment must be deposited from 16 June to 16 July 2024)</i>
ALBASA Member	P6,500.00	P7,000.00
<i>Inclusive of meals during the seminar on July 17-18, 2024 (lunch, am & pm snacks), lunch during the benchmarking tour on July 19, 2024, fellowship dinner, congress kit, and certificate.</i>		
Non-ALBASA Member		P7,000.00
<i>Inclusive of meals during the seminar on July 17-18, 2024 (lunch, am & pm snacks), congress kit, and certificate. Additionally, there will be a charge of P500.00 per person for the benchmarking tour and P1,000.00 per person for the fellowship night.</i>		

You may send ahead the payment to any of the following bank accounts:

BANK	ACCOUNT NAME	ACCOUNT NUMBER
BDO	Academic Libraries Book Acquisition Systems Association, Inc.	6100068752
CHINABANK	Academic Libraries Book Acquisition Systems Association, Inc.	175-102191-3
METROBANK	Academic Libraries Book Acquisition Systems Association, Inc.	216-7-21651685-7

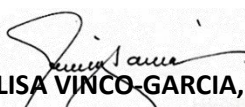
The registration link and QR code are attached for all participants, except the first delegate who will register onsite:

https://docs.google.com/forms/d/e/1FAIpQLSeaw-V7NtucxQE6G3xpaU7Q_ihSqU3YtrPmXEw1T7GnCUDgTQ/viewform

CPD units are being applied for this conference. For further information, please contact the ALBASA office at (032) 236-0375 or email albasainc@gmail.com Thank you for your continued commitment and support to our association.

May the organization continue its commitment to the members through your support. Thank you and God bless.

Respectfully yours,


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