

February 14, 2025

DR. PROSE IVY G. YEPES

University President
Visayas State University

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CHRISTIAN VIE P. BALDONADO

Dean, College of Nursing

Dear **Dr. Yepes** and **Dean Baldonado**:

I am writing to formally express my interest in the position of Associate Professor II position at the Faculty of Nursing. As a current faculty member, I am deeply committed to the University's vision of academic excellence and its mission to produce globally competitive graduates.

I was a part-time Clinical Instructor in this prestigious university from 2013-2016. I was hired as a regular employee in 2017 up to the present, became the Dean of the College of Nursing in 2018-2020. Under my deanship, the Revised BSN Program, the OBE-Nursing Education took and implemented successfully, the college was granted AACUP Level II Re-Accreditation, and passed in the first ISO Accreditation in 2020. The college likewise, acquired its Certificate of Program Compliance (COPC), when I was again Dean of the College of Nursing in 2022.

Prior to my employment at the VSU-College of Nursing, I was a full time Clinical Instructor at the Remedios T. Romualdez Medical Foundation, College of Nursing from 1994-2017. I was into School Nursing Practice at the Philippine Women's University in 1992-1994 and a staff nurse at Vallarta Medical Clinic in Manila, with assignment to the different areas of the hospital.

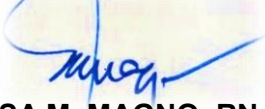
In my tenure at VSU since 2017, I have contributed to shaping the next generation of nurses by employing evidence-based teaching strategies, facilitating clinical exposure, and actively participating in curriculum development. I have also represented the university in various professional engagements, highlighting my commitment to enhancing the institution's academic reputation. My practical expertise, including nine years in community health nursing and coordination of health programs, complements my teaching responsibilities, offering students a well-rounded learning experience.

As an advocate for professional growth and research, I have actively pursued opportunities for professional development. I have delivered guest lectures, organized capacity-building seminars, and fostered collaborations that promote research and publication activities, benefiting both students and faculty. My proficiency in communication, collaboration, and leadership aligns with the demands of an Associate Professor II role.

Attached to this letter are my updated curriculum vitae, certificates of credentials, and other pertinent documents to support my application. I am excited about the prospect of continuing my journey with Visayas State University, contributing to its tradition of excellence in education and research.

Thank you for considering my application. I would be honored to discuss my qualifications further and explore how my skills and experiences can contribute to the university's goals. I look forward to your positive response.

Very respectfully yours,

A handwritten signature in blue ink, appearing to read 'J. Magno', is written over a faint, circular watermark or stamp.

JESUSA M. MAGNO, RN MAN