



Sekiguchi Global Research Association
Sustainable Shared Growth Seminar #21
“Sustaining the Growth and Gains of
Research Development Extension”
January 6-7, 2017
Benguet State University
Philippines

In line with its vision of achieving KKK or Kahusayan (Efficiency), Katarungan (Equity), Kalikasan (Environment), SGRA, in cooperation with Dr. Jane Toribio, of the Department of Agrarian Reform and her team in Benguet, is holding this seminar as part of Dr. Toribio’s research and advocacy on sustainable agriculture. Under the new seminar format, there will be presentations and a round table discussion on the first day, followed by a field visit on the second day. Interested parties, please e-mail: sgraphil@gmail.com

Day 1 (January 6, 2017)

- 8:00–9:00 Registration and Billeting
- 9:01–9:30 Preliminaries and Opening Program
 Invocation, Singing of the National Anthem,
 Introduction of Participants and Guests,
 Welcome Remarks, Intermission
- 9:30–9:45 Coffee Break
- 9:45–10:15 Organic Farming Practices and Experiences
 in Benguet Province By: Engr. Jeffrey Sotero
 Municipal Agriculturist, Tublay Local Government
- 10:15–10:45 The Strawberry Industry in Benguet Province
 By: Municipal Agriculturist Felicitas Ticbaen
 La Trinidad Local Government
- 10:45–11:15 Disaster and Risk Reduction and Management
 Experience in Kapangan, Benguet
 By: Hon. Manny Fermin, Engr. Winston Palaez and
 Engr. Erick Abangley (Kapangan Local Government)
- 11:15–11:45 Rewarding the Upland People for Environmental Services
 By: Chief Administrative Officer Adela Damaso
 Department of Agrarian Reform – Apayao
- 11:45–12:00 Interactions/Q&A
- 12:00–1:30 Lunch Break
- 1:30–Onwards Round Table Discussions
 Moderator: Dr. Max Maquito

Day 2 (January 7, 2017) AGRI-TOURISM TREK

- 8:00AM....Courtesy Call (Mayor R. Salda)/Capitol Gov. Pacalso
- 8:30AM... Bahong (Flower Garden and Farms)
- 10:00AM... Benguet APTC passing through Strawberry Fields
- 12:00NN... Master’s Garden (Tentative)
- 2:00PM....City Tour or La Preza