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**INVITATION TO THE 10TH DEVELOPMENTAL SOCIAL ENTERPRISE AWARDS**

The **Benita and Catalino Yap Foundation**, in partnership with RMN Networks, will launch the 10th iteration of the Developmental Social Enterprise Awards on **April 14, 2026**, at **9:00 AM** via Zoom Meeting.

The official communication is attached to this advisory for reference.

Wide dissemination of this Advisory is hereby enjoined.

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*10<sup>th</sup>*

**DEVELOPMENTAL  
SOCIAL ENTERPRISE  
AWARDS**

**2026**

**BRIEFER**



# DEVELOPMENTAL SOCIAL ENTERPRISE AWARD

## FOREWORD

Welcome to the Developmental Social Enterprise Award!

This Briefing Kit provides a succinct explanation of our process. We look forward to your support and participation in the DSEA.

For questions, kindly email us at [bcyf.dsea@gmail.com](mailto:bcyf.dsea@gmail.com)



## DEVELOPMENTAL SOCIAL ENTERPRISE AWARD



The **Developmental Social Enterprise Awards (DSEA)** recognizes developing, impactful, and viable organizations whose operations integrate the cost of their social objectives. The Awardee/s have businesses or organizations that have a culture centered on human value, development, and may range from cottage up to medium-sized enterprises with a maximum asset cap of PhP 100 million.

### CRITERIA

1. The Developmental Social Entrepreneur must have a prior commitment to a particular social objective that has consistently existed over the life of the business, particularly the immediate last 5 years (this must include the start-up period).
2. The Social Objective must be integrated in its cost of doing business or cost of goods/services.
3. Social Objective must be significant, consistent and well-defined.
4. The Social Objective's results must be measurable.
5. The DSE must be profitable for at least two (2) years.
6. The DSE has a sustainable and continuous source of cash flow and is profitable after interest and taxes.
7. The DSE must have CSR as part of its Social Enterprise definition

Nominations can be for an individual, team/group, organization, business or, not-for-profit-owned business.

### DOCUMENTATION

1. Submitted nomination forms and supports must be under oath and notarized.
2. Financials must be audited by a CPA.
3. Organizations/businesses must be registered/operating in good order for at least 2 years with all statutory bodies e.g. SEC, DOLE, Mayor's/Barangay Office, etc.
4. A 5-minute (minimum) or longer video must be submitted summarizing the reasons why the individual or organization believe they should be considered for the DSEA.



# DEVELOPMENTAL SOCIAL ENTERPRISE AWARD AWARDEES



2015

## **NANETTE ANTEQUISA | ECOWEB**

ECOWEB defines its purpose to provide genuine alternative development that is ecologically sustainable, socially just, economically equitable, and politically participatory. It promotes respect for human rights and human dignity, nurture spiritual, moral, intellectual, and cultural lives, identity and heritage of individuals, communities and people, all of which are the key factors in gearing towards total development.



2016

## **ANYA LIM | ANTHILL FABRIC**

ANTHILL Fabric strives to keep their Philippine weaving traditions alive and provides sustainable livelihood for their partner communities. It works to sustain the intergenerational heritage of weaving and other handcrafting skills.



2017

## **NANETTE MEDVED | HOPE IN A BOTTLE**

HOPE, the Philippines' first certified B Corp, is an impact organization that has consistently been 'Best for the World.' 100% of its profits go towards improving public school infrastructure, increasing livelihood opportunities, and enabling efforts that conserve our environment. Business for Good!



2018

## **JOJI PANTOJA | COFFEE FOR PEACE**

Coffee for Peace is a social enterprise that works with indigenous people and rural poor in the Philippines to promote economic empowerment, peace and reconciliation, and environmental stewardship. They provide training to indigenous communities in conflict-ridden areas in Mindanao, the Cordillera region, and others.



2019

## **BRYAN MCCLELLAND | BAMBIKE**

Bambike is a socio-ecological enterprise that hand-makes bamboo bicycles with fair-trade labor and sustainable building practices.



2021

## **POCHOLO ESPINA | SIP PH**

SIP is a Filipino enterprise that champions waste management solutions for the people and the planet. It work towards a world where everything has value and almost nothing becomes waste.



2023

## **MARK GERSAVA | BAMBUHAY**

Bambuhay aims to solve the problems of plastic pollution, poverty and deforestation. They started training the poor farmers in Carranglan to be bamboo farmers and harvestors to create an alternative sustainable livelihood to stop the slash-and-burn and charcoal making activities.



2024

## **ROMA PADUA | PHILIA**

PHILIA is an impact driven organization (Social Enterprise) that acts as the market-conduit of Filipino smallholder farmers especially of Coffee, Cacao, Coconut, Cane and other agricultural products.



2025

## **DR. BENAMINA PEREYRA | HAPPY HOMES HOUSING COOPERATIVE**

Happy Homes Housing Cooperative (HHHC) is part of the larger OneHappyChild Community, a movement dedicated to building inclusive, lifelong support systems for individuals with neurodevelopmental disabilities such as autism, intellectual disability, and related lifelong conditions.



2025

## **ILLAC ANGELO DIAZ | LITER OF LIGHT**

Liter of Light is a Filipino-born global grassroots movement that empowers the people most affected by climate change with affordable, sustainable solar lights that are built within the community. We teach women cooperatives, youth, and traditional artisans to assemble solar lights, mobile charging systems, and street lights.



# DEVELOPMENTAL SOCIAL ENTERPRISE AWARD

## FREQUENTLY ASKED QUESTIONS (FAQs)

### Who may nominate?

Anyone can nominate. Self-nomination is also encouraged.

### Who or what can be nominated?

The Award recognizes businesses or organizations that have a culture centered on human value, development, and may range from cottage up to medium-sized enterprises with a maximum asset cap of PhP 100 million.

### All nominations and other supports submitted should be notarized.

### How can I submit a nomination?

Nominations can be submitted through the online nomination submission system (online nomination form or email), at the BCYF Innovation Awards Facebook page, through our Media Partners, e.g. RMN Networks.

Nominations may be emailed to:

**[bcyf.dsea@gmail.com](mailto:bcyf.dsea@gmail.com)**

Nominations may also be mailed to:

BCYF-SABRE

Saint Mutien College

Don Cornelio Subd., McArthur Highway

Dau, Mabalacat City, Pampanga 2010

**DEADLINE OF NOMINATIONS: JUNE 30, 2026**

**FACE-TO-FACE SCREENING: JULY 14, 2026 AT CLUB FILIPINO, SAN JUAN CITY**

**AWARDS NIGHT: JULY 31, 2026**

### Is there a cost to the nomination?

There is no cost involved for nominations.

### If I have won, been a finalist, or were previously nominated in the DSEA (or any of the other BCYF Awards i.e. BIA, CSRYA, and S4HH) in a previous year, can I still nominate myself/my team/my organization/business in this year's award?

All previous nominees can reapply and be considered nominees and all previous finalists are considered as semi-finalists for the current award.

### If an organization/business has won an Award already under another award-giving body, can I still nominate that organization/business in the DSEA?

Yes, as long as it meets the requirements set by the DSEA Permanent Committee.

### What will happen to the requirements/materials submitted to the BCYF Secretariat (BCYF-SABRE) after the Awards period?

The BCYF DSEA own the rights to all materials/requirements that will be submitted. They will not be returned. They may also be disposed of.



## DEVELOPMENTAL SOCIAL ENTERPRISE AWARD

### THE AWARD PROCESS

The following flowchart details the award process which all nominees in the Developmental Social Enterprise Award, as well as other recognition programs of BCYF, must undergo.

**1**

The DSEA Committee will accept and review submitted nominations. This committee receives nominations, or add its own nominees.

**2**

From this, the DSEA Committee will interview the nominees then decide who will be the Finalists, and recommend who will be the Awardee/s.

**3**

The BCYF Board of Trustees will review the recommendation from the DSEA Committee, and decide who shall be the Awardee/s.



# DEVELOPMENTAL SOCIAL ENTERPRISE AWARD

## DSEA NOMINATION FORM

### CONTACT INFORMATION

Name :

Address :

Telephone :

Mobile :

Email :

Website :

How did you find out about the BCYF DSEA? :

### SOCIAL ENTERPRISE INFORMATION

Social Enterprise Name :

Date Started :

Select the relevant cause(s) that your social enterprise seeks to address: (Tick all that apply)

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| <input type="checkbox"/> Specific Community         | <input type="checkbox"/> Disadvantaged Men                     |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Animal Welfare             | <input type="checkbox"/> Disadvantaged Women                   |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Environment                | <input type="checkbox"/> Disadvantaged Children                |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Family Support             | <input type="checkbox"/> Youth                                 |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Disability                 | <input type="checkbox"/> Homelessness                          |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Diversity                  | <input type="checkbox"/> Prisoners/Persons Deprived of Liberty |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Mental Health              | <input type="checkbox"/> Unemployment                          |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Migrants, Refugees, Asylum | <input type="checkbox"/> Addiction                             |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Education                  | <input type="checkbox"/> Other (please describe)               |



# DEVELOPMENTAL SOCIAL ENTERPRISE AWARD

## DSEA NOMINATION FORM

### OVERVIEW OF THE ORGANIZATION AND ITS ACTIVITIES

Note: Imagine you are describing your social enterprise to someone unfamiliar with your field of work etc. Try to answer who, what, where and why.

Please describe your Social Enterprise and its overall goal (250 words max)

[Large empty text area for describing the social enterprise and its activities]

By signing my name below, I certify that I have read the BCYF Developmental Social Enterprise Award guidelines and that the above information in this form is true and correct as to the best of my knowledge.

Full Name and Signature

Date

Verified by:

DSEA PERMANENT SCREENING COMMITTEE