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present a lecture on

“Resilience Survive and Thrive”

by

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10:30 AM–Room 303

Abstract:

Resilience Survive and Thrive™ is a traditional tabletop card game that aims to teach its players lessons on balanced development and sustainability. Players are introduced to climate change concepts and extreme weather events such as storm surge, super typhoon, reclamation, and ocean acidification and their effects on society. Aside from the aforementioned, the game also strives to communicate operationalized means of avoiding such events, holding its players accountable for the level of development their communities will attain, as well as the possible disasters that they may face.

About the Speaker:

Dr. Laura T. David is a Physical Oceanographer and Professor at the University of the Philippines Marine Science Institute. She has a multi-disciplinary approach to her science, incorporating the study of ocean physical characteristics with its effects to productivity and diversity. This has contributed in making the study of physical oceanography significant in the Philippine setting and attractive to the next generation of marine scientists. Her work in ocean remote sensing has been recognized internationally, and she was invited to become a member of the UNESCO IOC-Coastal Ocean Observation Panel and later co-chair of the World Bank/GEF Coral Reef Targeted Research and Capacity Building Remote Sensing Working Group. She is an awardee of the Outstanding Young Scientists (OYS) and The Outstanding Women in the Nation's Service (TOWNS), a former L'Oreal National Fellow and a member of the NAST Task Force on Climate Change.



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