

UPSS Dean Presented Results of the Cost-Benefit Study of the Dual Training System
at the 42nd Philippine Business Conference

UP School of Statistics Dean and Professor Dr. Dennis S. Mapa presented the results of the Cost-Benefit Study of the Dual Training System (DTS) at the 42nd Philippine Business Conference (PBC) and Exposition of the Philippine Chamber of Commerce and Industry (PCCI) held last 13th October 2016. In his presentation he highlighted how the program can be valuable to DTS partner organizations and cited that results of the study will provide empirical evidence in identifying the critical constraints in running the country's DTS program. During the event, Dr. Mapa handed over the publication of the said study to the PCCI, headed by its President, Mr. George Barcelon, PCCI- Human Resources Development Foundation (PCCI-HRDF) President Dr. Alberto Fenix Jr., PBC Chairman Mr. Angelito Colona, and PCCI TVET Committee Chairman Mr. Antonio Sayo. The study is supported by The K to 12 Plus Project, the PCCI-HRDF, the Technical Education and Skills Development Authority (TESDA), The Federal Institute for Vocational Education and Training (BIBB) of Germany, and other German partners. The study serves as input to the proposed amendments in the DTS Law of 1994 and existing regulations of TESDA related to the DTS program.



Dr. Mapa turning over copies of the report to the PCCI represented by Philippine Business Conference Chair Mr. Angelito Colona, PCCI-HRDF President Dr. Alberto Fenix Jr., PCCI President Mr. George Barcelon (center) and PCCI TVET Committee Chairman Mr. Antonio Sayo (L – R).



Dr. Mapa presenting the results of the study