Davao Oriental State University Ensures Elected Representation in the University's Highest Governing Body

Davao Oriental State University (DOrSU) upholds Sustainable Development Goal (SDG) 16: Peace, Justice, and Strong Institutions by promoting inclusive governance and participatory decision-making. The University ensures representation of key stakeholder groups in its highest governing body, including students (undergraduate and graduate), faculty, and non-faculty employees. Through their elected representatives, these sectors are given a voice in university policies, institutional decisions, and matters affecting the university community, reinforcing transparency, accountability, and democratic governance.

The University Student Council (USC)

The University Student Council (USC) of Davao Oriental State University (DOrSU) is a constitution that governs the whole student population of DOrSU which includes the students of the extension campuses as well. This organization aspires to bestow programs, projects, and activities that are aligned with the University's vision of Excellence, Innovation, and Inclusion.



Last August 14, 2025, Ms. Naxes Jee T. Cablinda, the university student council president, sealed the deal of duty in the oath-taking ceremony for the 2nd quarter Board of Regents meeting that was held at CHED Central Office, Diliman, Quezon City, this serves as the starting point for a purposeful journey of leadership and service.

Carrying the name of Davao Oriental State University with pride, Ms. Cablinda raised her hand and held her head high with the promise of serving and leading with purpose and determination. Along with this promise of duty is the hope for a smooth sail of the university student council president's term in serving the students.

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The DORSU Faculty Union

Davao Oriental State University (DOrSU) promotes inclusive and participatory governance through the DOrSU Faculty Union, which provides an institutional mechanism for faculty representation and collective engagement. The elected Faculty Union leadership represents faculty interests and provides a voice in institutional decision-making.

Davao Oriental State University (DOrSU) convened its Faculty Union (FU) and university General Assembly on Friday, October 3, 2025, at the University Gymnasium, highlighted by the oath-taking ceremony of the FU newly elected officers who will steer the union toward strengthened faculty welfare and institutional development.

Dr. Genelyn C. Lim serves as the President of the DOrSU Faculty Union and represents the faculty sector as the Faculty Regent in the University's Board of Regents.





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Administrative and Support Staff Services Organization (ASSSO)

Davao Oriental State University (DOrSU) promotes inclusive and participatory governance through the Administrative and Support Staff Services Organization (ASSSO), which represents the interests and welfare of non-faculty employees. Through its elected officers, the organization provides administrative and support staff with a collective voice in institutional discussions, employee welfare initiatives, and organizational development.

Davao Oriental State University (DOrSU) University Registrar Grace Antipolo has been elected President of the Administrative and Support Staff Services Organization (ASSSO) and they have taken oath, April 21, 2025.





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