

CURRICULUM VITAE  
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A. PERSONAL DATA

Name : DIONISIO MARCELO MIRANDA  
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B. ACADEMIC BACKGROUND

St. Louis College, Baguio (1953-59)	Elementary, Salutatorian
Christ the King Seminary,  QC 1959-1965	AA, Valedictorian
Divine Word Seminary, Tagaytay 1966-1967	AB Philosophy
Divine Word Seminary, Tagaytay 1968-1969	MA, major in Philosophy minor in Soc. Sc.
Accademia Alfonsiana, Rome 1976-1978	STL in Moral Theology minor in Pastorals
Accademia Alfonsiana, Rome 1981-1984	STD in Moral Theology minor in Pastorals

C. EDUCATIONAL GROWTH

Studies in Guidance and Counseling Univ. of San Carlos, Cebu	(MA Guidance units) 1970
De la Salle Univ., Manila	(MA Guidance units) 1972
Ateneo de Manila Univ.	Summer Institute for Formators (Counseling) 1974

## Studies in Education

University of Santo Tomas	BSE units, 1969
University of San Carlos	BSE, BSEEd units, 1969-70
University of San Carlos	Strategic Planning, 2003
University of San Carlos	Corporate Governance 2003
St. Paul University Manila	PAASCU Workshop for Accreditors, 25-6 July 20007

## Studies in Language

Universita per Stranieri, Perugia, Italy 1976  
Deutschesprachkurs, Burg Feuerstein 1977  
Goethe Institut, Passau, Germany 1978  
IFCAD, Cours d'ete, Bruxelles, Belgium 1981

## Studies in Bioethics

Bioethics Training Courses, Baylor College of Medicine, Houston, Texas  
(1997, 2000)

## Travel Abroad

study, research, retreat work, consultations, etc. in Italy, Germany,  
Belgium, England, Paraguay, Argentina, Brazil, USA, American Samoa,  
Western Samoa, Fiji, Korea, Japan, Thailand, India, Indonesia, Australia.

## Scientific Field Trips & Collections

summer workcamp with Mangyans, Panaytayan, Mindoro 1967  
summer workcamp with farmers, San Jose, Bulacan 1968  
medical research, Divine Word University Hospital, Tacloban 1993

## Minor Publications

"Eclipse of God" in San Beda Review (Oct. 1969), 276-290; "Street  
Theologians" in Here and Now; "Prophets Outside Israel" in Philippine  
Priests' Forum; "La Vocacion es una llamada particular" in Adelante, etc.  
Contributions to "The Word ... in Other Words" for 2002, 2003, 2004, 2005,  
2006, 2007.

## Research Projects and Theses

Charles Sanders Peirce: "A Neglected Argument for the Reality of  
God" (MA thesis) June 1969  
Debated Issues in Moral Theology in the Decade after Vatican II (1965-75)  
(STL thesis) May 1978  
A Problematic Relationship (A Study of the Theological-Ethical Theme in  
the Writings of James M. Gustafson) (STD thesis) June 1984

#### Administrative Service in Academic Work:

Board of Trustees of DWC Legazpi, DWC Calapan, DWC San Jose 1988-1992, 2004-2005 / Board of Trustees of University of San Carlos (Cebu), 1987-1996, 2003-2009, 2010-present / Vice-Chair, Board of Trustees, University of San Carlos (Cebu) 2003-2006, Board of Trustees, Holy Name University (Tagbilaran) 2003-2006, 2008-present, Board of Directors of Bukal ng Tipan / BOT St. Jude Catholic School, DWEA (Divine Word Educational Association), Logos Publications Inc., Institute of Formation and Religious Studies (2005-2006), USC BOT Committee Chair on Catholicity 2003-2006, USC BOT Committee on Long-Range Planning 2007-present

#### Academic Honors:

Elementary salutatorian, HS valedictorian (St. Louis University, Baguio), AB magna cum laude (Christ the King Seminary, Quezon City), MA magna cum laude (Divine Word Seminary, Tagaytay), STL summa cum laude, and STD summa cum laude (Accademia Alfonsiana, Rome). Gintong Aklat Award 2004, Religious books Category, of the National Book Development Association of the Philippines, for Kaloob ni Kristo.

#### International / National Seminars / Conferences Attended

1. Asia-Pacific Congress on Inculturation / First International Conference on Indigenous Psychology and Culture, University of the Philippines, Quezon City / FABC FIRA II on Interreligious Dialogue at Bangkok. / Zonal conferences for Formation, JPIC, Missiology, etc. in various places (Bali, Ledalero, Cebu, Tagaytay, Mumbai, etc.) at various times / CBCP Workshop on Inculturation, Cagayan de Oro / "Bioethics Workshop facilitator at the Joint National Convention of the Philosophical Association of the Philippines and Philosophical Association of the Visayas and Mindanao, with the theme "The Future of Ethics" at the Holy Family Retreat House, Lahug, Cebu April 2-5, 2000 / Moderator at Fourth World Meeting of Families, Manila, 2003, etc. / First International Cross-Cultural Conference of Theological Ethicists, 8-11 July, 2006, Padova – International Panel on Hermeneutics and Sources of Christian Ethics / "Filipino Analogues for Evil," 67pp. Paper read at the Annual Convention of the Philosophical Association of the Philippines, 12 April 2007, Nasugbu, Batangas. "Ethics in Research, Revisiting the Questions," paper read at the International Conference on Research in Higher Educational Institutions." Cebu, October 24-27, 2007, "Ethical Issues" Engineering and Sustainable Development Conference, USC 2008, Engaging the Rational, Passional and Practical, Phavisminda Convention 2008, Association of South East Asian Catholic Colleges and Universities (ASEACCU) conference "Building a Culture of Life: Catholic Higher Education and the Challenges of Bioethics", Sydney, Australia, August 27-30 2009, International Federation of Catholic Universities (IFCU) General Assembly November 16-20, 2009, Rome, Italy, "In the Currents of History: From Trent to the Future" hosted by the Catholic Theological Ethics in the World Church, Trento, Italy July 23-27, 2010, Fourth China-ASEAN Education Cooperation, "China-ASEAN Culture

Coexisting, Vision Sharing Symposium”, Guizhou, China, August 16-19, 2011, Asia-Pacific SVD Administered University Presidents’ Meeting “Educational Apostolate in Higher Education Institutions as a Prophetic Dialogue, Kupang, Indonesia, January 23-26, 2012, COCOPEA Congress, UST, Manila, February 28-29, 2012, National Convention for Campus Ministry, Waterfront Hotel, Cebu City April 24-26, 2012, Association of Universities of Asia and the Pacific (AUAP) conference, Hanoi, Vietnam, May 3-4, 2012; German AFOS Foundation for Entrepreneurial Development Cooperation invited as speaker of the Expert Talk “Dev. Cooperation with the German Economy in Vocational Training on the Philippines, Bonn, Germany, July 6-11, 2012; 24<sup>th</sup> IFCU General Assembly “Teaching and Learning in a Catholic University, Educating and Training, Sao Paulo Brazil, July 23-27, 2012; National workshop on Estimating the Burden and Economic Cost of Dengue I the Philippines, Brandeis University, Feb 23, 2013, Waterfront Hotel Lahug. Catholic International Education Office Board Meeting (OIEC), April 25-28, 2013 Johannesburg, South Africa, Information and Sharing Session on Industry-Academe Cooperation in Dual Training sponsored by CCCI, December 3, 2013, Cebu City, 2014 Phil Higher Education Conference on “Crafting a Roadmap for a Competitive and Responsive Phil Higher Education Sector, Jan 23-24, 2014, Shangri-La Mactan Resort and Spa sponsored by Phil. Business for Education,

#### Lectures, talks, seminars

**Moral Theology:** cf. below (teaching experience); ICMS Vigan, DWST Tagaytay, LST Quezon City, MST Manila, UST Manila, SDB Paranaque, UP (Diliman), UP (Manila), Diocesan Synod of Boac, Marinduque, Clergy Renewal Courses (Pampanga), International Panel Speaker - First Cross Cultural Conventional of Moral Theologians (Padova, Italy) 2005

**Bioethics:** First Post-graduate Course on Bioethics (University of Santo Tomas) / College of Medicine and Surgery (University of Santo Tomas) / College of Nursing (University of Santo Tomas) / St. Paul's Hospital, (DWU, Tacloban) / Philippine Heart Center / Philippine Children’s Medical Center / Western Visayas Medical Center (Iloilo) / Philippine Kidney Institute / ORNAP - Operating Room Nurses Association of the Philippines and others.

**Ethics and RP Culture:** Philippine Normal College, Archdiocesan Catechetical Ministry Centers / San Beda College / UST Central Seminary / Maryhill School of Theology / East Asian Pastoral Institute / Loyola School of Theology of Ateneo de Manila University, Don Bosco Center of Studies, and others / Philosophical Association of the Philippines

**Ethics, RP Culture, RP Values and Religious Life:** Various religious orders, societies and congregations singly and together; Association of Women Formators of the Philippines (2004). Postulants of Tagaytay (2000-2007)

**Mission and Culture:** resource person for various orientation courses of MERO and SSpS Mission office for incoming, outgoing and returning missionaries. (1987-2007)

***Prelature of Infanta Lectures:*** CBCP: 2 Decades of Social Concerns (October 2006), Julio Labayen Center, Baler: Church Teaching on Land Reform and Social Issues (May 2007)

Inter-Provincial Assembly: Whither Formation?, February 26, 2014, Betania Retreat House

#### PMEH and K+12 ENGAGEMENTS

- St. Scholastica in Tacloban, Holy Spirit in Tagbilaran, PAFTE at CTU, faculty from different schools in Cebu sponsored by Vibal Publishing and Phoenix Publishing, Holy Name University in Tagbilaran Supervisors in Subic, SHS Ateneo de Cebu, USJ-R CAS faculty, 22 SAS schools
- was requested by CHED R7 to be one of the main reactors to the presentation of McConkey on the Australian AQ system.
- attended the Workshop on Higher Education organized by PBed and Cocopea at the ADB.
- CEAP Summit, USJR, Cebu City, February 20, 2012
- CHED Task Force on Quality Assurance
- National Association of CPAs in Education, Inc., Keynote on “Teaching Excellence and Sustainable Research: Key to Quality Accounting Education” – Costabella Beach Resort, May 23, 2012
- Philippine Society of Mechanical Engineers National Mechanical Engineering Educators Congress, Philippine Columbian Association, June 7-8, 2012

#### D. TEACHING EXPERIENCE

1969-70	Univ. of San Carlos, Boys' High.	Instructor
1973-74	Divine Word Seminary	Asst. Professor
1974-76	Immaculate Conception Sem, Vigan	Associate Professor
1979-80	Seminario San Rafael, Paraguay	Instructor
1984-99	Divine Word Seminary, Tagaytay	Professor
1986	Univ. of San Carlos, Cebu	Professor
1988	Fatuoaga Past. Center, Samoa	Visiting Faculty
1989	Univ. of San Carlos, Cebu	Guest Professor
1991/96/98	EAPI, Ateneo de Manila, QC	Guest Professor
1991	Cath. Theol. Union, Chicago USA	Scholar-in-Residence
1992	Fetuolemoana Center, Am. Samoa	Visiting Faculty
1994-95	Maryhill Sch. of Theology, QC	Visiting Faculty

1995-96	Loyola School of Theology, QC	Lecturer
1999-2000	Univ. Of Santo Tomas, Manila	Visiting Faculty
	Divine Word Seminary, Tagaytay	Professor
2001-02	Univ. Of Santo Tomas Manila	Visiting Faculty
	Maryhill School of Theology, QC	Visiting Faculty
	Loyola School of Theology, QC	Lecturer
2002-03	EAPI (Moral Issues in Asia-Pacific)	Professor
	Maryhill School of Theology	Visiting Faculty
	Loyola School of Theology	Lecturer
2003-04	Divine Word School of Theology	Professor
	Don Bosco Center of Studies	Visiting Faculty
	University of Santo Tomas	Visiting Faculty
	EAPI (Contemporary M. Issues)	Professor
2005	University of Santo Tomas	Visiting Faculty
	Maryhill School of Theology	Visiting Faculty
	EAPI (Contemporary M. Issues)	Professor
2006	EAPI contemporary M. Issues)	Professor
	Maryhill School of Theology	Visiting Faculty
	Divine Word Seminary	Consultant
2007	Maryhill School of Theology	Visiting Faculty
	EAPI (Soc. Doctrine of the Church, March)	Visiting Professor
	EAPI (Soc. Issues in ASPAC, October)	Visiting Professor
	EAPI (Contemporary Moral Issues, Nov.)	Visiting Professor
2012-present	Seminario Mayor de San Carlos Mabolo, Cebu City	Professor

#### E. OTHER EMPLOYMENT (non-teaching)

Counselor, Apostolate Director, Athletics Director at ICMS Vigan 1974-76  
Asst. Coordinator: Mindoro Catechetical Institute (1971)  
Parish Priest: Alto Parana, Paraguay (1980-82)  
Prefect of Students: USC (1969-70), ICMS (1974-76), SSR (1980),  
Prefect of Deacons: DWS (1985-91)  
Director, Second Novitiate: DWS (1992-1996)  
Provincial Councilor, Central Province (1987-1996)  
Rector, Divine Word Seminary 1996-1999  
Vice-Provincial, Phil. Central Province, 1999-2002, 2002-2005  
Director, Provincial Planning Office, 1999-2004  
Director, Missiological Education and Research Office, CTM 1999-2002  
SVD General Chapter participation (1981, 1988, 1994, 1999, 2000)  
Editor, Handbook for Superiors SVD (2002)  
Board Member, Logos Publications Inc., (2005-2006)  
Board Member, Institute of Formation and Religious Studies (2005-2006),  
Acting Provincial, Phil. Central Province, 2004-2005  
Special Projects, Confidential Archives (2005)

Consultant, Bukal ng Tipan Pastoral Center (CICM)  
SVD General Chapter Consultant (Nov 2005 – May 2006)  
SVD General Chapter Secretariat Coordinator (June 4-July 8 2006)  
PHC Provincial Consultant (2005 - 2007)  
PA for Planning and Development, USC (2007-08)  
University President (2008-present)  
CEAP Visayas representative (2010-present)

## F. MEDIA APPEARANCES

Radio interview with Sixto Brillantes on the EDSA revolution, BBC forum on gambling, Action Drilon on promoting moral values, etc. TV panel with Mel & Jay (on suicide), on Public Forum with Randy David (on cloning), with Salamat Po Doctor hosted by Pier Pastor (on stem cell research), etc., Straight from the Shoulders by Bobit Avila

## G. ADDITIONAL QUALIFICATIONS

- \* Served as resource person for theological issues (CBCP, PCP-II, PCM-II, NTCHS, Mission Congress I, NPCCR), revised NCDP of CBCP-ECCCE, CBCP Office on Bioethics). Participant – National Pastoral Consultation on Church Renewal 1991-2001.
- \* SVD congregational responsibilities and activities at local, national, inter-provincial and zonal levels (Vigan, Paraguay, Rome, Philippines, Indonesia, India, Australia and the Pacific, Execom and ASPAC committees for Formation, etc.).
- \* Lifetime member of the Southeast Asian Center for Bioethics (at UST). First president of the Bioethics Society of the Philippines, 2000-2002. Member, CBCP Office on Bioethics for two terms (2002-2006).
- \* Resource person and recollection master for religious assemblies and chapters (FMM, FMIJ, SSpS, OH, CICM-MJ, OAR, etc.). Spiritual Director for various women's congregations and clerical seminaries. Conflict Mediation for various groups, both secular and religious. Crisis Management Consultant for religious issues.

## H. PRESENT POSITIONS

Member, CBCP Office of Bioethics,  
Chair, Ethics Committee of Our Lady of Lourdes Hospital  
Member, Board of Trustees: University of San Carlos  
President, University of San Carlos  
Secretary, Cebu Schools Athletics Foundation, Inc.  
Member, CEAP National Tertiary Education Council for General Education and K12  
(February 2011-present)

CEAP representative to the Coordinating Council of Private Educational Association  
(Sept 2011-present)  
CEAP Trustee, October 2011-present  
President, University of San Carlos  
Board Member, Philippine Health Research Ethics Board (PHREB) 2012-2015  
Chairman, Industry-Academe Committee, Cebu Chamber of Commerce and Industry  
2012-present  
Involvement in National and Regional Competitiveness Councils

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## MAJOR SCHOLARLY / PROFESSIONAL PUBLICATIONS

### A. BOOKS

A PROBLEMATIC RELATIONSHIP (A Study of the Theological-Ethical Theme in the Writings of James M. Gustafson). Tagaytay Studies 4. Tagaytay: Divine Word Seminary 1986

PAGKAMAKATAO (Reflections on the Theological Virtues in the Philippine Context) Manila: Divine Word Publications, 1987

LOOB, The Filipino Within (A Preliminary Investigation into a Pre-theological Moral Anthropology). Manila: Divine Word Publications 1989

BUTING PINOY (Probe Essays on Value as Filipino). Manila: Logos Publications. 1992

PAGKAMAKABUHAY: On the Side of Life (Prolegomena for Bioethics from a Filipino-Christian Perspective). Manila: Logos Publications 1994.

KALOOB NI KRISTO (A Filipino Christian Account of Conscience) Manila: Logos Publications, 2003 [Gintong Aklat Award 2004, Religious books Category, of the National Book Development Association of the Philippines.]

### B. ARTICLES

"A Problematic Relationship: A Study of the Theological-Ethical Theme in the Writings of James M. Gustafson" 59-67 in DIWA IX, 2 (March) 1985.

"On Judging the 1986 Philippine Presidential Elections" 59-65 in DIWA XI, 1 (May) 1986.



"The Meaning of Budhi" 101-106 in DIWA XII, 2 (November) 1987.

"Guilt and Sin: An Exploratory Discussion" 1-18 in DIWA XIII, 1 (May) 1988.

"Kailan Ako May Pananagutan?" 109-120 in DIWA XIII, 2 (November) 1988.

"Sa Harap ng Mahiwagang Loob" 38-67 in FESTSCHRIFT: 25 Years Proclaiming the Word to the World. Divine Word Seminary 1989 (also DIWA for May / November 1989)

"Why be Moral?" 2-10 in DIWA XV, 1 (May) 1990.

"Hindi Kusang-Loob" 11-30 in DIWA XV, 1 (May) 1990.

"The Papal Encyclicals on Labor." 4-23 in DIWA XVI, 1 (May) 1991.

"A Daniw Theology of Revelation?" Theological Comment, pp. 113-130 in Leonardo Mercado (ed.) Filipino Religious Experience and Non-Biblical Revelation. Asia-Pacific Missiological Series, No. 3. Manila: Divine Word Publications 1992

"Inculturation and Moral Theology" 23-44 in The UST Journal of Theology XI (June) 1992

"Sickness and Its Causes." 65-78 in DIWA XVII, 2 (November) 1992.

"Fragments of a Method for Inculturation." 168-197 in East Asian Pastoral Review. Vol. 30 (1993) no. 2

"Outlines of a Method of Inculturation" 145-167 in East Asian Pastoral Review. Vol. 30 (1993) no. 2

"Inculturation and Moral Theology." 289-309 in Philippiniana Sacra XXVIII, 83 (1993)

"Social Justice, Health Care and the Poor", 17-29 in DIWA XIX, 1 (May) 1994.

"A Digest" (John Paul II's Veritatis Splendor), 51-57 in DIWA XIX, 1 (May) 1994.

"Ang Hirap sa Pinoy", pp. Teresita Obusan (ed) Roots of Filipino Spirituality. QC: Pamathalaan. 1998

"Fragments of a Method for Inculturation," 58-81 in DIWA XX, 2 (November) 1995.

"Outlines of a Method of Inculturation," p. 2-21, in DIWA XXI, 1 (May) 1996.

"Ang Kabuluhan ng Budhi" 81-92 in DIWA XXI, 2, November 1996.

“The Genesis of Conscience,” 49-59 in DIWA XXII, 2 November 1997

“The Nature of Conscience” 60-66 in DIWA XXII, 2 November 1997

“Human Experimentation and Research, A Subject’s Viewpoint.” 19-25 in Gomez, Fausto et al (eds.) Bioethics, The Journey Continues. Manila: UST (Department of Bioethics) 1997.

“Ethics”, p. 131-137 in Dictionary of Mission (Theology, History, Perspectives) eds. Mueller, Theo Sundermeier, Bevans and Bliese. NY: Orbis 1997

Introduction to Let Me Touch You, Poems by Sr. Jude Belmonte Paat, SPC, Manila: Aria Edition, Inc. 1997.

“The Filipino Conscience: Some Historical Indices” 8-16 in DIWA XXIII, 1 May 1998

“Hindi Maatim: Conscientious Objection in Health Care.” 33-52 in Conscience, Cooperation, Compassion (ed.) Fausto Gomez et al. Manila: UST Dept. of Bioethics. 1998.

“Jesus and the Culture of the Holy.” 90-98 in DIWA XXIII, 2 Nov. 1998.

“Towards an Ethics of Genetically Modified Organisms”, 108-126 in DIWA XXIV, 2, November 1999. Also pp. 131-155 in Gomez, F and Yu-Soliven, A (eds.) Justice, Patients’ Rights, Psychoethics. Forum In Bioethics 8. Manila: UST (Department of Bioethics) 2001

“End of Life Issues, Reactions from an Ethicist” pp. 42-46 in Gomez, F. and Yu-Soliven, A. (Eds.) Impact of High Technology on Health Care (Forum in Bioethics 6) Manila: UST (Department of Bioethics) 1999.

“The Morality of Gambling.” 21-33 in DIWA XXV, 1 May 2000.

“A Eugenic Theology for HGP?” 18-59 in DIWA XXVI, 1 (May) 2001. Also published in Emerging Theological Themes 2 (ed.) Fausto Gomez and Benedict Reyes. Manila: UST Faculty of Sacred Theology. 2002, pp. 175-224

“Ethical Issues Regarding Individuals with Transmissible Genetic Disease” in Gene Talk, eds. Marita Reyes, Lilian Lee and Adoracion Tanega. QC: Flora M. Pascasio Research Foundation, Inc. 2001.

“The Genetics of HGP: An Overview” in DIWA XXVI, 2 (November) 2001. Also published UST Faculty of Medicine and Surgery and Department of Bioethics.

“Towards an Ethics of Genetically Modified Organisms.” pp. 131-155 in *Justice, Patients’ Rights and Bioethics* (Forum in Bioethics 8) ed. F. Gomez and A. Yu-Soliven), Manila: UST Department of Bioethics 2001.

“Orienting Missionaries Departing, Arriving and Returning.” Pp. 29-39 in *Verbum SVD* 43:1 (2002)

“Filipino Catholics and Christian Moral Life,” in *Docete*, July-August 2002. Also pp. 2-12 in *DIWA XXVIII*,1 (May 2003).

“Embodiment, Sexuality, Theology and Morality,” in *East Asian Pastoral Review* 41/3 (2004), also in *DIWA XXIX*, 1 (May 2004).

Review of Osamu Takeuchi, *Conscience and Personality (A New Understanding of Conscience and its Inculturation in Japanese Moral Theology)*, Chiba: Kyoyusha 2003, pp. 296-302 in *EAPR* 42:3 (2005)

“What Will You Have Me Do For You?” (The Theological Ethics Agenda from an Asian Perspective). Pp. 176-184 in James Keenan (ed) *Catholic Theological Ethics in the world Church, The Plenary Papers from the First Cross-Cultural Conference on Theological Ethics*. New York: Continuum 2007.

Review of Beatrice Bruteau. *The Holy Thursday Revolution*. (NY: Orbis. 2005) in *EAPR* 2007 40/3 (2007). Pp. 282-293.

### C. RELATED ACADEMIC PUBLICATIONS

(Editor) *Handbook for Superiors SVD*, Rome: Society of the Divine Word; 2002

“Utalmoral” (Rudimentary Moral Discourse), Paper read at Pamanang-Bayan Symposium, UP (Manila) 2003

“Moral Theology in Context: A Case of Conscience,” Paper read at the “Consultation on Contextualization: Resources and Perspectives,” Sponsored by the Center for Contextualized Theology and Applied Ethics, University of Santo Tomas, Manila, Dec. 2-6, 2003

“University and Catholicity,” Concept paper submitted to the BOT of USC, submitted for publication to *DIWA* 2003

“Filipino Analogues for Evil,” 67pp. Paper read at the Annual Convention of the Philosophical Association of the Philippines, 12 April 2007, Nasugbu, Batangas.

*Rogate Ergo Asia*, June Issue. Interview with Fr. Miranda on religious leadership

“Ethics in Research, Revisiting the Questions,” paper read at the International Conference on Research in Higher Educational Institutions.” Cebu, October 24-27, 2007

Dennis Gonzalez, Dionisio Miranda SVD, Agnes Brazal, Carlos Ronquillo CSSR (eds). Mga Kataga sa Teyolohiya ng Pagpapakatao. Quezon: Dalubhasaang Teolohiko ng Maryhill. (In preparation).

#### D. SELECTED CITATIONS

Gorospe, Vitaliano. Review of Pagkamakatao in Philippine Studies 37:1 (1989), 121-122

Tesoro, Dindo Rei and Jose, Joselito Alviar. The Rise of Filipino Theology. Pasay: Paulines, 2004

Walet, Monica, “The Development of a Psycho-Moral and Self-Regulation Scale for Filipinos in the Workplace.” Pp. 357-380 in Ad Veritatem (Multidisciplinary Research Journal of the UST Graduate School) 4:2 (March 2005)

Internet citations under author’s name.

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Thesis Moderatorship

Andrew Recepcion, “Towards an Economy of Communion,” DWST, defended 1999

Maria Flora Fisico (Focolare), “Sin as Disunity and Reconciliation as Unity” DWST, defended 2002

Thesis Defense, MA at MST

Susan Balota, DC, What is Freedom? Defended 1995

Thesis Defense, STL at LST

Elizabeth Y-lan Nhu Tran, CND. Moral Discernment for Family Planning in the Context of the Vietnamese Church, defended Dec. 2001

PhD Comprehensives LST

Ana Maria Hilado: Social Justice in JPPII’s Thought, 2002

Thesis Defense, MA at LST

Chen Xiaofeng, OFM, Mortal Sin in the Light of the Fundamental Option, 2003

Thesis Defense, MA at DWST

Alan Garrido, Abortion and the Principle of Proportionality, June 2003

Thesis Defense (correspondence) MA at Melbourne College of Divinity  
Esmeraldo Reforeal, OCD, An Attempt to Filipinize the Concept of Open Space through  
the Concept and Experience of Loob, September 2003

Dissertation Review, STD at Accademia Alfonsiana, Rome  
Lancy Rodriguez, SVD, A Critique of Globalization in light of the Church's Social  
Teaching. 2006

Thesis Review, Licentiate, at UST  
Joseph Amaegwu, Dialog with Culture: A New Force for Evangelization in Nigeria  
(Igboland) (2006)

Thesis Review, M.A. at UST  
Arnulfo Alindayu, Communicating Christ thru Senakulo at Pio del Pilar, Makati (2006)

Dissertation Defense, PhD. At University of Santo Tomas  
Nguyen, Van Thuyet, Moral Implications of the Internet in the Formation of Young  
people in the light of Church Communication Documents and Confucianism's Teaching,  
Jan 25-26 2007

Thesis review – Licentiate / M.A. at UST  
Peter Bernard Quabla, Artificial Birth control, A Moral Evaluation of ABC in Africa (2007)

Thesis Moderator – M.A. at UST  
Joseph Yue Jin Long, Integrating Chinese Moral Values with Christian Moral Values /  
Points of Contact (2008)

Dissertation Review, STD at UST  
Mark Bui Quan Duc, CSsR, A Proposed Formation Program for the Redemptorist Lay  
Collaborators in Viet Nam (2007)

Thesis Moderator – STD at UST  
Ernesto Bendita: Ethical Dilemmas of the International Debt Issue (2007)

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DIONISIO MARCELO MIRANDA. The fifth of nine children of Fernando Beltran  
Miranda Sr. and Ester Quilala Marcelo, he was born April 8, 1947 in Baguio City. He is  
a religious missionary of the Society of the Divine Word, ordained a priest on June 23,  
1973.

After minor seminary at Christ the King (Quezon City) he received the MA Philosophy at  
the Divine Word Seminary, Tagaytay (1968-1969). His thesis was on Charles Sanders  
Peirce: "A Neglected Argument for the Reality of God" (magna cum laude). Other  
intellectual activities around this time included various studies: BSE at the University of

Santo Tomas (1969), MA Guidance at the Univ. of San Carlos, Cebu (1970) and DelaSalle University (1972), and Formation at the Ateneo de Manila University (1974).

Further studies at the Accademia Alfonsiana in Rome resulted in the STL (1976-1978), with a survey of “Debated Issues in Moral Theology in the decade after Vatican II (1965-75)” (summa cum laude). He received the STD in moral theology (1981-1984) at the same institution, defending the dissertation, “A Problematic Relationship (A Study of the Theological-Ethical Theme in the Writings of James M. Gustafson)” (summa cum laude).

He has used this theological training to teach at seminaries and schools like Immaculate Conception Major Seminary (Vigan) and Seminario de San Rafael (Asuncion, Paraguay), Maryhill School of Theology (Manila), Loyola School of Theology (Quezon City), Don Bosco Center of Studies (Paranaque), Fatuoauga Pastoral Center (Samoa) and East Asian Pastoral Institute (Quezon City), Catholic Theological Union (Chicago) and Fetuolemoana Center (American Samoa), University of San Carlos (Cebu) and Divine Word Seminary (Tagaytay).

Pastorally he has helped in the formation of catechists (Mindoro, Vigan), and served as parish priest at Hernandarias, Alto Parana, Paraguay (1980-82). Within the Philippine SVD he served as Prefect of Students, Program Director, Provincial Councillor, Seminary Rector, Planning Officer, Vice-Provincial Superior, and Provincial Superior.

For inculturation he has participated or given talks at Philippine Normal College, Archdiocesan Catechetical Ministry Centers, and the First International Conference on Indigenous Psychology and Culture (University of the Philippines). He underwent the Bioethics Training Course, Baylor College of Medicine, Houston, Texas and has also given talks in bioethics at various institutions: University of Santo Tomas, St. Paul's Hospital, (DWU, Tacloban), Philippine Heart Center.

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