



PSD Hosts the 12th Annual AFE-Q Event

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The Association of Filipino Educators in Qatar (AFE-Q) commemorated its 12th anniversary with the theme ***'Stronger Together, Wiser Forever,'*** electing new members for its board of officers and providing a venue for fellowship on October 16 at the Edgar V. Bondoc Gymnasium.

In his opening remarks, the Outgoing President **Michaelino A. Saratan** reflected on the purpose of the gathering and emphasized the importance of work-life balance in maintaining a healthy life. He stated,

"We all know that life and work come from every direction, but today, work stops and fun begins."

Further, **Dr. Lorina Villanueva** hosted the election of the AFE-Q's new officers for the 2026-2028 term, one of the assembly's key highlights.

Below is the list of the newly elected officials:

Position	Elected Officer
President	Ms. Jocelyn Fajardo
Vice President Internal	Ms. Vilma Suico
Vice President External	Dr. Precioso Tano
Secretary Internal	Ms. Judileine Dabin
Secretary External	Ms. Sherilyn Apruebo
Treasurer Internal	Sir Jojo Calague
Treasurer External	Dr. Rowena Sagayadoro
Auditor	Ms. Arlene A. Aboga
Public Relations Officer	Mr. Jamil Dimaano Mr. Peter Jay Corros Ms. Bernadette Ramos Ms. Grace Alicamen
Business Manager	Ms. Sheila Barde Ms. Anna Jane Pepito Ms. Heraldine Managuey Ms. Charmaine Manibo

To wrap up the event, the newly elected president, **Ms. Jocelyn G. Fajardo**, delivered her vote of thanks, expressing her gratitude for the participants' collaboration and commitment. As she closed the event, she shared...

"Seeing you all here is the greatest reward. Your commitment and your presence give ultimate meaning to life and the significance of this event."

An event held annually by AFE-Q, the assembly aims to provide educators the opportunity to reinforce unity, celebrate milestones, and strengthen their collective commitment to excellence.

