

2019 UPAAA Awardees

1. Brod WILFRIDO “ Dido” and HEALTH CARE LEADERSHIP- awarded in HC Leadership 2009, his earlier email to our loop. Brod plastic procedures for the entire reconstructive microsurgery for forearm implantation in St. Louis. recognized him at that time . His platinum contribution and service PEACE , MSPF-GK Proj, & to our was MO Chapter Pres hosting the Nat'l AGC & was UPMASA's Natl President in 1991-93. Among many other recognitions, he has been awarded by UPMASA 2018 for Meritorious Service, and this year, 2019 for Lifetime Achievement. PEACE in 2018 also awarded him a similar latest award.



FELICIANO '66 - PLASTIC SURGERY nominated by Brod Seb Kho, similarly who had announced and detailed it in Dido had performed 2 pioneering state of MO in 1993, its first penile replantation and first successful The PMA of Greater St Louis had outstanding dedication, leadership, to UPCM-Learning Ctr-PGH, UPMASA, country are also well known to all. He

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2. Sis CONSTANCIA” Connie “ NEPHROLOGY and WOMEN’S Susan Echiverri’79 . A Peds School, through the years, she and all-around medical/ as Pres of PPSA, 2002-03, Pres of for 5 yrs, and Nat'l treasurer of a professional lady of many “ UPMASA Nat'l President (1987-89) UPCM UPAAA President (1986-88). She was the first Filipino to be an officer, as Secretary, of the AMNJ - Academy of Medicine of New Jersey. In 2004, she was the first Filipina to receive the NJ Woman of Achievement Award, by the NJ Federation of Women’s Club and Douglas College. In 2015, she was awarded by the Soc of Foreign Consuls as Honoree representing the Phil during the Int'l Women’s Day as Distinguished Filipino Women of NY. In 2016 , she was awarded one of the Influential Women of the Tri-State Area, by the Pan-Am Concerned Citizens Action League. She is also a recipient of Malacanang’s Pamana ng Pilipino in 2004.



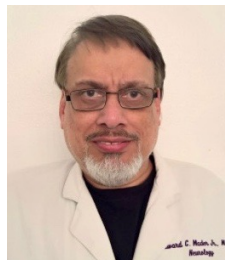
SOMERA -UY 67 -PEDIATRIC EMPOWERMENT- nominated by Sis Emeritus Prof of Rutgers NJ Med was a multi-awarded medical educator, professional/social /community leader, Phil Societies of NJ, Nat'l Sec of APPA, PEACE for 3 yrs, among others. She is Firsts” she was the first female and 4th while simultaneously the first female-

3. Brod ROY GUINTO '72 A-COMMUNITY SERVICE- As a TCVS SUNY Downstate MC for his continuing services & Phil. missions in the past 10 the Aguman Kapampangan, a He is also an active high ranking RIZAL-NE and previous UPMASA Natl UPMASA last year (Humanitarian award) recently



SURGICAL MISSIONS and nominated by Sis Fely Santiago '72B . specialist , he has been recognized support to the UPMASA-Ugnayan years , w/ 2 co-mission services in the Seattle-based regional Phil-Am group. officer, Grand Knight, of the Knights of NJNYCT Ch President 2011-13. The (Community Service) and PEACE USA recognized him.

4. Brod EDWARD “Bong” and MEDICAL EDUCATION- similarly awarded in the 2017 academician, for 17 years, an Orleans, Program Dir for Clinical EEG and Epilepsy monitoring uni. he also teaches community



MADER, '87. NEUROPHYSIOLOGY nominated by Brod Alexander Sy' '86, Med. Ed. category. He is an Assoc. Prof of Neuro, LSU, New Neurophysio Training and Co-Dir of the Active in curriculum and course devt., health care workers and student

volunteers. Realizing the power of online outreach, he is very innovative in virtual Med Ed: https://www.medschool.lsuhschool.edu/epilepsy_center/faculty_detail.aspx?name=mader_edward He also replied to Neuro-related questions from lay people on Quora: <https://www.quora.com/profile/Edward-Claro-Mader>, a few years ago, using Morpheus as his avatar. His science-related answers are filed in 4 blog sites that he created: <https://www.quora.com/profile/Edward-Claro-Mader/blogs>. He has been awarded in the past, including Editors Certificate for Journal Review from Elsevier, Best Doctors in LA 2015-16, Quora Knowledge Prize Winner 2016, Top Writer 2015.

5. Brod DENNIS LABAYEN, EMPOWERMENT and HUMAN classmate Brod Sam Sevandal, he did summer work relocating w/ PANAMIN. He w/ spouse/ in the UP CCHP right after and practice of Botika sa Baryo/ of Rural Reconstruction he and establishing the



'72B- COMMUNITY DEVELOPMENT- nominated by Jr., '72B. In second year med school, indigenous people in Davao Oriental , classmate Sis Lorna Silvestre worked graduation, developing the concept Baranggay. At the IIRR- Int'l Institute provided leadership in developing interdisciplinary approach of medical

and all paramedical community practice. He worked in the Outreach International (outreach-international.org) Kansas City, MO , from 1982 to retirement in 2017, from its Phil sector and later to its int'l HQ. He held several top positions that include Chief Field Officer and Director of Field Operations in Asia and Africa (1994-99), For the past 50 years, his expertise was in the practice, training and operations of the concept of Participatory Human Devt, with cooperative education, in the Phil and the world. It taught the community affected by poverty to be involved, to identify, organize, facilitate and act on solutions to their problems. This strategy preceded Yale and Harvard's, becoming policies in field operations in the Philippines, across Asia, Latin America, the Caribbean and Africa. All his extensive world-wide travel-working years, he provided senior leadership, training, consultancy and services with Plan In'tl countries. He has received awards and citations; Community Service, UPMAS, 1997; Distinguished Service, Outreach In'tl, 1994 and an Honorary Doctorate in the Humanities and Lit, Graceland Univ, Lamini, IO, 2016. An office room in the new Outreach In'tl building was named in his honor; the plaque read, "Labayen Field Operations Suite", just prior to his recent retirement.
