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Attn: Librarians /Library Staff /I.T. Administrators/ I.T. Staff/ Archivists /Curators /Records Officers/ Information Professionals/Library Workers

Dear _____:

The Philippine Librarians Association, Inc. (PLAI) will be holding our **PLAI Online Congress 2021** on **November 23-26, 2021** amidst the health pandemic still plaguing our country. Inspired by last year's outcome where almost 3,000 attendees turned out in our first-ever online congress, we are pursuing this activity with our perennial partners, the National Library of the Philippines and the National Commission for Culture and the Arts (NCCA) through the National Committee on Libraries and Information Services (NCLIS).

Our commitment to PLAI's mission of building, nurturing and promoting all libraries in the country, and fostering professional growth and performance of our members remains steadfast despite the COVID-19 pandemic. In response to the challenges brought about by this pandemic, the PLAI will be holding its second **FREE Online Congress** on **November 23-26, 2021**, with the theme "**Outcomes. Outreach. Outstanding**". Further, the objectives of the congress are as follows:

- Demonstrate library value, relevance and achievements through outcome-based library programs in the new normal environment.
- Illustrate impact/outcomes of new library services and innovations including outreach activities as an integral part of promoting the library profession and creating an impact to the libraries' community.
- Showcase best practices on outcomes, outreach and outstanding programs among libraries and librarians.

In line with this, we are inviting you to attend this year's FREE Online National Congress. There will be plenary sessions, international sessions, and parallel sessions to discuss topics relevant to the theme and to the profession. The Program will be conducted online with live virtual interactive sessions to be implemented via Zoom video conferencing.

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Thank you very much and we look forward to seeing you at the Congress!

Yours truly,


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