



OFFICE OF THE DEAN

INFO-MEMORANDUM

FOR : UP LAW COMMUNITY  
FROM : Dean FCT  
RE : UP LAW LITERARY FOLIO  
DATE : 22 January 2021

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We are pleased to announce the launch of *Dito sa UP Law: Many Voices, One Community*, the first ever UP Law Literary Folio in the time of Covid19.

**PROFILE:** This online publication aims to capture the diverse experiences of the UP Law Community in the most challenging period in recent history, expressed in literary and art form. Apart from humanizing the harshness of academic life, the publication will reflect a different color to the public's perception of the life of the students, faculty and admin staff of the UP College of Law by providing a platform for creative talents that are usually glossed over as unrelated to academic endeavors.

**DESIGN:** The Folio will be a competition in the following categories:

A. Creative writing

- 1) essay , blog, prose, freestyle prose - English;
- 2) essay , blog, prose, freestyle prose - Filipino;
  
- 3) poetry - English;
- 4) poetry - Filipino;
  
- 5) short story, fiction, flash fiction, creative non-fiction - English;
- 6) short story, fiction, flash fiction, creative non-fiction - Filipino

B. Visual art

1. Painting/sketch/drawing without use of photography or graphic arts
2. Photography or Computer graphic art **or a mix of any 2D visual art**

Animations, sounds, videos, performances, and all art form that cannot be reproduced in printed form are excluded.

**THEME:** “After the Lockdown: Braving New Paths”  
“Matapos ang Lockdown: Panibagong Pagsulong”

**ELIGIBILITY:** Only the following are qualified to submit entries to the competition: students, faculty, REPS, and admin staff of the UP Law Complex. Alumni are excluded.

**COMPETITION RULES:**

1. All entries must be original creations and should not have before been published in any traditional or social media publication.
2. They must be submitted on or before **19 March 2021** via this web page: <https://law.upd.edu.ph/up-law-folio-2021/>
3. Entries to the visual art category may be required to be submitted physically upon notice.
4. Copyright to all winning entries jointly belong to the UP Law Complex and the authors/artists.
5. For creative writing: limited to 3,000 words maximum per entry.
6. For visual art: in 300 DPI minimum image resolution.
7. Any individual or group (co-authors or collaborators) may submit a **maximum of two (2) entries** only to the competition, i.e., two (2) literary works only; OR, two (2) visual work only; **OR**, one (1) literary work and one (1) visual work.

**DEADLINE:** All entries must be received by 12 Midnight **19 March 2021**

**WINNERS:**

There will be 5 finalists per category.

Prizes: First place per category – P20,000.00

Runner-up per category – P10,000.00

**PUBLICATION:** UP Law will publish the winning entries and finalists.

**JUDGING:** A panel of experts in literary work and the visual arts from the UPD will select the winners.

We are looking forward to your enthusiastic participation. Thank you very much

A handwritten signature in blue ink, appearing to read "Jim P. Gordon", followed by a horizontal line.