How can I collaborate with social works of members of Opus Dei?

A selection of projects by members of Opus Dei in the fields of education, livelihood training, family enrichment, health services, and social assistance

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The social initiatives undertaken by members of Opus Dei in the Philippines span a wide range of fields — from agriculture and technical-vocational training, to health, family formation, civic education, higher learning and governance integrity programs.

This classification by theme is meant to serve as a user-friendly "menu", enabling individuals, families, parishes, educators, or civic groups to quickly identify the kind of work that matches their interests, expertise and location.

Those who wish to explore collaboration — by volunteering, referring beneficiaries, providing resources, partnering or simply learning more — detailed contact information is available on the complementary page entitled **Social Initiatives and Projects.**

Farm education scholarship programs and farmer support

Dagatan Family Farm School, Batangas, *since 1988*

Balete Family Farm School, Batangas, since 1990

Dingle Family Farm School, Iloilo, since 1996

Mayani, agritech social enterprise to provide fair market access, *since* 2019

Voc-tech schools with scholarship programs

Punlaan technical school for women, San Juan, *since 1975* Dualtech Training Center, Laguna, since 1982

Aniban Technical School for women, Laguna, *since 1986*

CITE Technical Institute, Cebu, since 1990

Banilad Center for Professional

<u>Development</u> for women, Cebu, *since*1992

Health and Feeding

Family Cooperation Health Services Foundation (Famcohsef) since 1991

<u>Philippine Foodbank</u> for undernourished communities, *since* 2017

Character, Civic and Theological Formation

Theological Centrum for priestly formation, *since 1985*

Campaign for Character Education Tenacity (CACHET) for public school youth, *since 1998*

Philippine Center for Civic Education and Democracy (PCCED) *since 2004*

Catalyst for Professional Development Services - training teachers for character education, since 2011

Family education and development

Education for the Upbringing of Children (EDUCHILD) with Gabay Pamilya and Pinoy Educhild for grassroots families, *since* 1976

Parents for Education Foundation (PAREF) *since 1976*

Asian Institute for Marriage & Family (AIMFam) *since 2017*

Governance and integrity initiatives

<u>Institute of Corporate Directors</u> (ICD) since 1999

Institute for Solidarity in Asia (ISA) since 2000

Elementary and High Schools with scholarship programs

PAREF Woodrose, Muntinlupa, *since* 1976

PAREF Southridge, Muntinlupa, *since* 1979

PAREF Rosefield, Quezon City, *since* 1992

PAREF Northfield, Antipolo, *since* 1992

PAREF Westbridge, Iloilo, since 1992

PAREF Southcrest, Cebu, since 1994

PAREF Rosevale, CDO, since 1995

PAREF Springdale, Cebu, since 1995

PAREF Preschool Labangon, Cebu, since 2022

PAREF Ridgefield Girl School, Iloilo, since 2023

Preschools with scholarship programs

PAREF Rosemont, Muntinlupa, *since* 1986

PAREF Ridgefield, Muntinlupa, *since* 1990

PAREF Rosehill, Antipolo, since 1990

PAREF Southdale, Cebu, since 2010

PAREF Ridgefield Preschool, Iloilo, since 2011

PAREF Northrim, Marikina, *since* 2017

Higher Education and Research

Center for Research and Communication (CRC) since 1967

University of Asia and the Pacific (UA&P) with scholarship programs since 1995

"A person or a society that does not react to suffering and injustice and makes no effort to alleviate them is still distant from the love of Christ's Heart. While Christians enjoy the fullest freedom in finding and applying various solutions to these problems, they should be united in having one and the same desire to serve mankind."

— St. Josemaria Escriva, Christ is Passing By, 167

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