

EXPERT'S PROFILE

Name of Grantee : Mr. Alex S. Lagman

Area of Expertise : Pesticide Regulation, Pest Management and Plant Regulation, Environmental Monitoring

Inclusive Date of Contract as BSP Awardee : November 2019 – January 2020
40 days (Short-Term engagement)

Host Institution : Fertilizer and Pesticide Authority

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EDUCATIONAL BACKGROUND

- BS Agriculture, Ateneo de Davao University, Philippines, 1985
with license as County Agricultural Inspector Biologist of the State of California

Professional Experiences

Environmental Scientist (2008 - present)

Department of Pesticide Regulation, Central Regional Office, Clovis, CA, USA

Pesticide Use Specialist (2007-2008)

Department of Pesticide Regulation, Central Regional Office, Fresno, CA, USA

Scientific Aide (2007-2008)

Department of Pesticide Regulation, Central Regional Office, Fresno, CA, USA

Seasonal Agricultural Aide (2007)

Fresno County Department of Agriculture, Fresno, CA, USA

Area Sales Manager – Mindanao (1998-2004)

Biostadt Marketing Philippines Inc, Crop Protection Chemicals, Pasig City, Philippines

Agricultural Biologist/ Inspector (1995-1997)

San Benito County Department of Agriculture, Hollister, CA, USA

Pest Detection Specialist (1990-1995)

Alameda County Department of Agriculture, Hayward, CA, USA

To Be Accomplished as a BSP Awardee (Deliverables):

- Review the current policies and regulations of FPA to harmonize with the current international standard Provide technical expertise and guidance in the establishment of BISU Regional GIA and Remote Sensing (Geo-Spatial) Laboratory

- Inspect agricultural farms and review the farming practices in the Philippines specifically on mango and coconut, to eradicate cecid fly and cocolisap
- Train FPA field personnel on surveillance and establishment of more applicable field monitoring and inspection system for agrichemicals
- Prepare a proposal for pest and disease management and control strategies for mango and coconut
- Assist the FPA management in coming up with appropriate strategies to address the relevance on food safety and other technical issues on agrichemical regulations