The Minor

The minor program in Development Management, offered by the Development Studies Program, involves the application of management principles and practices to the context of social development. This is offered in response to the increasing need for good managers working with social development institutions – managers who do not only have a mastery of development concepts but also management skills that will make them effective change agents. This is open to all undergraduate students of the Loyola Schools.

Required Courses and Electives

Students in the minor program are required to enrol for the following courses, obtaining grades not lower than C:

1. DS 130. Community Development & Social Change
2. DS 132. Project Management
3. Three Development Management electives.

Choose from among the following courses and other DS 135.xx options that may be made available in the future:

- Social Marketing
- Social Entrepreneurship
- Development Finance
- Organizational Management
- Cooperatives & Development
- Community Organization
- Seminar on Basic Management Concepts
- Strategic Leadership
- Microfinance
- Alternative Dispute Resolution Processes
- Development Communication
- Training Management
- Resource Mobilization
- Bridging Leadership
- Monitoring & Evaluation of Development Programs
- Corporate Social Responsibility
- Information and Communications Technologies for Development
- Fundamentals of Public Management
  (Department of Political Science)
- Accounting (John Gokongwei School of Management)
- Finance (John Gokongwei School of Management)

Note: At least two of the electives must not be part of a student's required major subjects as specified in their curriculum.

Faculty Members

The Development Studies Program takes pride in its Development Management teachers. All of them are development practitioners who share expertise and knowledge that have been honed through the years. Development Management teachers include:

- **Raul Socrates C. Banzuela**, A.B. Social Science (Ateneo de Manila University)
  - National Coordinator, Pambansang Kilusan ng mga Masa ng Magsasaka (PAKISAMA)

- **Rosette Gilda C. Librea**, Ph.D. Public Administration (UP-NCPAG)
  - Project Consultant, Ombudsman of the Philippines

- **Lua Pottier**, Masters in Health Care Management
  - National University Kyiv Mohyla Academy (UKMA)
  - School of Public Health, Kyiv, Ukraine & Certificate in Project Management (Project Management Training Package International Organization for Migration)
  - Lecturer, Health Sciences Program

- **Mariel Vincent A. Rapisura**, Masters in Social Entrepreneurship (Asian Institute of Management)
  - President & CEO, Social Enterprise Development Partnerships, Inc. (SEDPI)

- **Emilenn Kate D. Sacdalan**, Master of Science in International Community Economic Development (Southern New Hampshire University)
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- **Edwin M. Salonga**, M.P.A. (UP-Diliman)
  - President & CEO, SEDPI Capital Credit, Inc.

- **Elmer S. Soriano**, Ph.D., MDM (University of the East – Ramon Magsaysay Memorial Medical Center & AIM)
  - Program Associate, Harvard Graduate School of Education

- **Jonas George S. Soriano**, Masters in Social Entrepreneurship & Development (AIM)
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