

UERMMMC ALUMNI FOUNDATION USA, INC.  
LIBRARY COMMITTEE REPORT  
July 2010

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- I. Books donated to UERMMMC Medical Library on December 21, 2010 are as follows:
  - A. Lehninger, Principles of Biochemistry, 5th ed.
  - B. Harrison's Principle of Internal Medicine, 17<sup>th</sup> ed. 2008
  - C. Clinical Oriented Anatomy, 6th ed. 2009
  - D. Rhoades, Rodney and Tanner, Medical Physiology, 3rd ed.
  - E. Robbins and Cotran Pathologic Basis

These books were hand delivered to Dean Alfaretta Tan-Reyes and Dr. Agnes Arilla Alba, Chairman of the College of Medicine Library Committee. Acknowledgement letter for receipt of these books was submitted to Dr. Gilo.
- II. During the December 2009 visit of Dr. Pasatiempo, she met with the College of Medicine Library Committee Chairman, Dr. Agnes Arilla-Alba (also the AFUSA Library Committee Liaison) to discuss the policies and procedures of AFUSA's Library Committee. They also went through the questionnaire for the Library Survey (discussed on Item V).
- III. Dr. Orson Battad attended the scheduled Library committee meeting headed by Dr. Rene Punsalan (Chairman of the Library Committee for UERMMMC) on Feb. 16, 2010 at UERMMMC. Library Committee heads from the College of Medicine (Dr. Agnes Arilla-Alba); College of Physical Therapy, and the Graduate School were also in attendance. Dr. Battad reports that the committee pointed out two areas where the alumni can help in the improvement of the library; namely: 1). contribute to the subscription/renewal of their current electronic subscription; and 2). help finance the library with a faster/bigger internet server that will be able to sustain a high volume of users. He also reported that UERMMMC lost the "Cyber Library" sponsored for free to UERM by Pfizer Laboratories.
- IV. Dr. Vic Oyek also visited the Library in January 2010 and donated 2 books and some journals. This was acknowledged by the Librarian, Julie Noces-Gasmen. Dr. Oyek

also reports that the present library will be moved to the top floor (plus annex) of the new College of Nursing building according to the Master Plan presented by UERMMMCI Vice-Chairman Wilson Young.

- V. AFUSA's Library Survey was conducted from February to May 31, 2010 through the efforts of our young alumni member, Dr. Michael Mendoza '06 and in coordination with the College of Medicine Library Committee Chairman, Dr. Agnes Arilla-Alba. This was an electronic survey using SurveyMonkey (<http://www.surveymonkey.com>). Results will be presented during the AFUSA meeting on July 1, 2010 at Newport Beach, CA.

Respectfully Submitted by:

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Chairman, Library Committee