



# Draft Program

## 2024 MCPI Annual Conference

### Celebrating 25 Years of Responsible and Inclusive Finance

August 15-16, 2024 | The Manila Hotel, One Rizal Park, Manila

#### Session Tracks:

**Responsible and Inclusive Finance**

**Environmental Performance Management**

**MFI Exchange**

*\* To be confirmed*

#### Pre-Conference Event: 14 August 2024, Wednesday (In-Person Only)

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[1 p.m. – 4 p.m.]	MCPI Annual Membership Meeting <i>(For MCPI Members Only)</i>
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#### Day 1: 15 August 2024, Thursday

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[8 a.m. – 9 a.m.]	Registration
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[9 a.m. – 10 a.m.]	<b>Opening Plenary</b> <i>Invocation</i>  <i>Welcome Remarks</i> <b>Mr. Gilbert S. Maramba</b> Chairperson, Microfinance Council of the Philippines, Inc.  <i>Keynote Message</i> <b>Dr. Jaime Aristotle B. Alip</b> Founder and Chairman Emeritus, CARD MRI  <i>Oath-taking of the MCPI Board of Trustees, 2024 – 2025</i>
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[10 a.m. – 10.15 a.m.]	Book Launch – <i>Covering Nanay: The Philippine Microinsurance Journey</i>
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[10.15 a.m. – 10.30 a.m.]	Coffee Break
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[10.30 a.m. – 12 p.m.]	<b>Plenary Session 1: Shaping Systems and Policies for Responsible and Inclusive Finance</b> <b>Atty. Charina De Vera-Yap</b> , Bangko Sentral ng Pilipinas <b>Atty. Rachel Gumtang-Remalante</b> , Securities and Exchange Commission <b>Assistant Secretary Santiago Lim</b> , Cooperative Development Authority * Facilitator: Eduardo Jimenez
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[12 p.m. – 1 p.m.]	Lunch Break
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[1 p.m. – 1.45 p.m.]	<b>Sponsor Session</b>
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[1.45 p.m. – 3.00 p.m.]	<b>Plenary Session 2: Digital Pathways to Financial Inclusion</b> Mr. Vice Catudio, Higala Technology, Inc. Ms. Ann Cuisia, Traxion Tech, Inc. Facilitator: Dr. Ma. Piedad Geron
[3.00 p.m. – 3.30 p.m.]	Coffee Break
[3.30 p.m. – 5 p.m.]	<b>Breakout Sessions</b>  <i>Strengthening Governance and Succession Planning in Financial Service Providers</i> Mr. Roberto Bascon, Jr., Consultant TBD, CARD Mr. Dexter Flores, Kasagana-Ka Credit and Savings Cooperative Facilitator: Fr. Jose Victor Lobrigo  <i>Developing Pathways to Environmental Performance Management</i> Ms. Parimita Mohanty, United Nations Environment Programme Mr. Dominic Fajardo, CreditAccess Philippines Financing Company Ms. Maria Nicole Baroy, Negros Women for Tomorrow Foundation, Inc. Facilitator: Ms. Anna Ria Manahan  <i>Addressing Challenges in Changing Technologies</i> MFI Exchange – Facilitated discussion and sharing on internal and external challenges with the introduction of new technologies Mr. Raffy Baladjay, RAFI Micro-Finance, Inc. Ms. Alice Cordero, Tulay Sa Pag-unlad, Inc. Mr. Peter Montalban, Taytay Sa Kauswagan, Inc. Facilitator: Ms. Marilyn Manila

**Day 2: 16 August 2024, Friday**

[9.00 a.m. – 10.30 a.m.]	<b>Plenary Session 3: The Role of Funders in Responsible and Inclusive Finance</b> Ms. Lynette Ortiz, Land Bank of the Philippines Mr. Robert Bastillo, Small Business Corporation Mr. Dennis Peña, Water.org Facilitator: Ms. Lalaine Joyas
[10.30 a.m. – 11 a.m.]	Coffee Break
[11 a.m. – 12.30 p.m.]	<b>Breakout Sessions</b>  <i>Pathways to Client Protection</i> Ms. Rochelle Tomas, Bangko Sentral ng Pilipinas Atty. Ben Joshua Baltazar, Credit Information Corporation Mr. Angelo Solarte, Microfinance Information Data Sharing, Inc. Facilitator: Mr. Allan Robert Sicat

***Emerging Financing Instruments and Models for Environmental Strategies***

Mr. Rey Guarin, Climate Smart Network \*

Ms. Maoi Arroyo, Ignite Impact Fund

Ms. Priya Thachadi, Villgro Philippines

Facilitator: Ms. Jesila Ledesma

***Managing an Intergenerational Workforce***

MFI Exchange – Facilitated discussion and sharing by MFIs on how manage a workforce coming from different generations

Ms. Divina Gracia Santos, Alalay Sa Kaunlaran Microfinance Social Dev't, Inc.

TBD, CARD

Facilitator: Ms. Jane Manucdoc

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[12.30 p.m. – 1.30 p.m.]

Lunch Break

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[1.30 p.m. – 3 p.m.]

**Breakout Sessions**

***Leveraging Partnerships for Responsible and Inclusive Growth***

Ms. Rodora Granada, Citi Philippines

Mr. Antonio Del Rosario, Coca-Cola Philippines \*

Ms. Mai Sangalang, Standard Chartered Bank

Facilitator: Ms. Maria Anna Ignacio

***Strengthening Cybersecurity in Financial Institutions***

GVX Consulting

***Compliance with Regulatory Requirements***

MFI Exchange: Facilitated discussion and sharing by MFIs on how to efficiently comply with regulatory requirements such as BIR, DOLE, MNRC and LGUs

Ms. Deserie Goto, Ahon Sa Hirap, Inc.

Atty. Maylanie Apawan, Kabalikat para sa Maunlad na Buhay, Inc.

Atty. Francis Ocampo, RAFI Micro-Finance, Inc.

Facilitator: Ms. Shiela Guanzon

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[3 p.m. – 3.30 p.m.]

Coffee Break

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[3.30 p.m. – 5 p.m.]

**Closing Plenary**

*Closing Remarks*

Secretary Ralph Recto \*

Department of Finance

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