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BIOGRAPHY

Arthur P. Tugade is a lawyer and businessman from Cagayan, Cagayan Valley. He is the current Secretary of the Department of Transportation after being appointed by President Rodrigo Duterte. Tugade attended law school at the San Beda College of Law and graduated *magna cum laude* in 1971. He completed his post-graduate studies at the National University of Singapore under the NUS-Stanford Executive Program in 1985.

CAREER

Secretary Tugade engaged in private law practice before joining government service. He was a partner at Bengzon, Verano, Tugade and Escolin Law Office. He also pursued a career in global logistics, information technology, tourism and consumer products business serving as chairman and president of several firms, including Transnational Diversified Group, Yusen Air and Sea Services, TDG Asia Corporation, Harmony Organic Farms, and Easycall Communications.

Secretary Tugade assumed office as the 18th Secretary of the Department of Transportation on June 30, 2016. He previously held the position of President and Chief Executive Officer of Clark Development Corporation, an attached agency of the government-owned Bases Conversion and Development Authority under President Benigno Aquino III.



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BIOGRAPHY

Eddie V. Monreal is a former station manager of the Cathay Pacific Airlines from the Bicol Region. He is the current General Manager of the Manila International Airport Authority after being appointed as General Manager in 2016. He finished elementary at the Daraga Elementary School and attended high school at the Divine Word College, Legaspi City. And he graduated with a Bachelor of Science Degree in Industrial Engineering at the Adamson University in 1978.

CAREER

General Manager Monreal assumed office as the General Manager of the Manila International Airport Authority in July 2016. He is a former station manager of a Hong Kong-based airline company, Cathay Pacific Airlines. He started working at the airport in 1978 and was recruited in 1982 by Cathay Pacific as a Traffic Officer. He was appointed as Station Manager in 1996 and retired in 2015. He was a former Chairman of the Airline Operators Council from 1998 until 2001 then 2010, Vice-Chairman from 2006 until 2009 and 2002 until 2005.

Before his appointment as General Manager, he was a consultant of the Manila International Airport Authority (MIAA) airport operations.

General Manager Monreal cemented his reputation as an airport guru in South East Asia and celebrated four decades in the aviation industry in 2018.



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BIOGRAPHY

Jesus Melchor V. Quitain is a lawyer from Davao City. He is the current Undersecretary of the Office of the President since 2016. He graduated from the San Beda College of Law in 1970. And he was awarded as an Outstanding Alumnus in the field of education.

CAREER

Undersecretary Quitain engaged in private law practice since 1971 representing a diverse clientele including banks, schools, hotels, malls, manufacturers, retail and trading companies. He also served in the academe as Dean of the College of Law of University of Mindanao. He joined the government in 2001 when President Duterte, then the Mayor of the Davao City, appointed him as City Legal Officer. He likewise served the City of Davao as an elected official when he was City Councilor of the First District in 2010.

Prior to his appointment in 2016 as Undersecretary the Office of the President, Undersecretary Quitain was the City Administrator of Davao City. He was also the Former Resident Ombudsman of Davao City and was awarded as Outstanding Resident Ombudsman of the Philippines for 2008. He was the first National President of the Association of Resident Ombudsman in Government Agencies (AROGA) and Former President of the Rotary Club of South Davao.



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BIOGRAPHY

Carlos G. Dominguez is the current Secretary of the Department of Finance after being appointed by President Rodrigo Roa Duterte. He completed his Master's Degree in Business Administration from Ateneo de Manila University and attended the Executive Management Program at the Stanford University.

CAREER

Carlos "Sonny" Dominguez has over 40 years of vast experience and an outstanding track record of achievements at the helm of various organizations in the public and private sectors. His expertise was borne out of his experiences as a shareholder, board chairman and being a member of over a dozen corporations across multi-industries such as power, agriculture, mining, banking, hospitality, real estate, and investment.

As the Secretary of Finance, he also serves as Chairman of the Land Bank of the Philippines, a government-owned and controlled corporation primarily tasked with spurring economic development in the countryside through the delivery of innovative financial services in rural areas. He also chairs, among others, the Philippine Deposit Insurance Corporation, and is a member of the Monetary Board.

He also served as Secretary of the Departments of Natural Resources and of Agriculture during the Presidency of Corazon Aquino.

He was also the President of leading Philippine corporations such as Philippine Airlines (PAL), the Philippine Associated Smelting and Refining Corporation, and the former Bank of the Philippine Islands Agricultural and Development Bank. He also served as Chairman of the Board of Republic Planters Bank and RCBC Capital Corporation.

Under his leadership, the Department of Finance (DOF) was able to draft and introduce to the Congress the first series of its proposed tax reform packages as the Tax Reform for Acceleration and Inclusion (TRAIN) Act less than 90 days from the time he assumed the Cabinet portfolio in July 2016. President Duterte signed into law the TRAIN Act (Republic Act No. 10963) on December 19, 2017. On his watch, the Philippines' key revenue agencies - the Bureaus of Internal Revenue (BIR) and of Customs (BOC) continue to achieve strong revenue growth rates. It was also under his leadership that the BIR was able to secure its largest tax settlement ever – amounting to about \$600 million – from a single taxpayer in Philippine history.





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BIOGRAPHY

Bernadette Fatima T. Romulo-Puyat (born May 14, 1969) is the current Secretary of the Department of Tourism after being appointed by President Rodrigo Duterte in 2018. She attended the University of the Philippines and pursued an undergraduate and a Masters degree in Economics.

CAREER

Secretary Romulo-Puyat was a former lecturer at the UP School of Economics (1994-2006). She also worked as an Economic Consultant at the Housing and Urban Development Coordination Council (HUDCC) from 2001 to 2002 and the Presidential Management Staff (2005-2006), and was Deputy Cabinet Secretary at the Office of the President in 2006.

She was appointed as Undersecretary at the Department of Agriculture from 2007 to 2018 where she was designated to handle Special Concerns, Administration and Finance and Agribusiness and Marketing.

Secretary Romulo-Puyat assumed office as the Secretary of the Department of Tourism on May 14, 2018.



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BIOGRAPHY

Menardo I. Guevarra is the current Secretary of the Department of Justice. He took up graduate studies in Economics at the University of the Philippines after obtaining his A.B. degree, Major in Political Science, as *magna cum laude* from Ateneo de Manila in 1974. Secretary Guevarra was immediately recruited by the National Economic and Development Authority (NEDA), and was sent on scholarship to the University of the Philippines for graduate studies in Economics. He worked as a staff economist at NEDA until 1983, and then transferred to the Central Bank's Department of Economic Research to work as Bank Economist. While working full-time in these government institutions, he took up Law in the evening at the Ateneo School of Law in Makati.

CAREER

Prior to his current appointment on 05 April 2018 as the Secretary of the Department of Justice, Secretary Guevarra was Deputy Executive Secretary for Legal Affairs (DESLA) at the Office of the President, and he placed second in the 1985 bar examinations. His first job as a lawyer was with the technical staff of the 1986 Constitutional Commission. He later joined a well-known law firm in Makati and formed his own law partnership in 1990. Until April 2015 Secretary Guevarra was in-active private law practice and faculty member of the Ateneo School of Law. He returned to government service through his appointment as Member of the 2010 Philippine Truth Commission, Deputy Executive Secretary for legal affairs at the Office of the President in May 2015, and Commissioner, Philippine Competition Commission, in February 2016.



DG JIM C. SYDIONGCO

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BIOGRAPHY

Jim C. Sydiongco is the current Director General of the Civil Aviation Authority of the Philippines. Capt. Sydiongco earned his Bachelor of Arts in Philosophy at the University of Sto. Tomas Central Seminary in 1970. Capt. Sydiongco was a former college professor at the Divine Word University and Holy Infant College.

He joined and graduated from the Philippine Airlines Aviation School Class '72 as an Airline Captain with international operations experience, flying wide body aircraft.

CAREER

Captain Jim C. Sydiongco was appointed as the Director General of the Civil Aviation Authority of the Philippines on 10 October 2016. Prior to his appointment, he was the Deputy Director General for Operations of the CAAP from 1 July 2016 to 9 October 2016.

He was formerly the Vice President of low-cost carrier Cebu Pacific Air, Chief Pilot of flag carrier Philippine Airlines (PAL) and Senior Safety Officer of EVA Air.

He was employed for about twenty (20) years with PAL and over fifteen (15) years with EVA Airways and five (5) years with Cebu Pacific Air as part of its senior management.

He holds an Aviation Safety Certificate from the University of Southern California and a practitioner in aircraft incident/accident prevention and investigation, and an individual member of the International Society of Air Safety (ISASI/ASIASASI).

He is a Human Factor Specialist in operations safety audit/flight data monitoring and management/fatigue counter measures and crew resource management.



MR. LEONCIO DAKILA S. NAKPIL

Private Sector

BIOGRAPHY

Leoncio Dakila S. Nakpil is a current member of the Manila International Airport Authority (MIAA) Board of Directors. He attended elementary and high school at the Aquinas School. He took a degree and graduated at the University of Sto. Tomas in 1975.

CAREER

Mr. Nakpil was a former Chairman of the Airline Operator's Council, the first to be elected as Chairman for four consecutive years. He was also a former Sub-Committee Chairman - Security Committee the Airline Operators' Council, a *Permanent Member for the Airlines of the Airport Intelligence Coordinating Council*, *Senior Member of the Airport Security Council (ASC MIAA)*, Security Coordinator of the NAIA, and an Aviation Security Consultant of the PNP Aviation Security Group. In 2003, he was a committee member of the National Security Agency-NICA. In 2004, he became a permanent representative to the National Civil Aviation Security Program. He also became a Permanent Representative to the ASEAN AOC Secretariat. In 1998 until 2009, Nakpil was a Senior Station Security Officer of the GulfAir Philippines and a year later, he became the Regional Security Manager of the GulfAir Asia & Pacific.

Along with his membership at the Manila International Airport Authority (MIAA) Board of Directors, Nakpil is also a Concurrent Chairman of the ASEAN Airline Operators' Council since 2010, Vice Chairman, Philippine National Police Aviation of the Security Group Advisory Council, and a present member of the Office of the Transportation Security, TSF and Risk Assessment Team since 2015.



MR. LEONARDO P. LOPEZ

Private Sector

BIOGRAPHY

Leonardo P. Lopez is from Cagayan de Oro City. He finished elementary and secondary education in public schools in Cagayan de Oro. In June 1963, he joined the Philippine Air Force Flying School and graduated as military pilot on May 2, 1965.

Being unable to graduate at the University of the Philippines due to lack of ROTC units, he applied his commission ship in lieu of ROTC and eventually graduated from the State University on May 30, 1965 with a degree of Bachelor of Science in Geology. In 1978, he was conferred Master in Management degree at the Asian Institute of Management. He took up Command and General Staff Course at the Air University in Alabama USA in 1982.

He was also a graduate of National Defense College of the Philippines with a degree of Master in National Security Administration and a graduate of Applied Geodesy and Photogrammetric at the University of the Philippines. He also took up Photo interpretation at Huntingdon England topping the course.

CAREER

Mr. Lopez held key positions in the Philippine Air Force include Chief of Personnel; Chief of Education and Training; Deputy Commander 205" Helicopter Wing and Vice Commander, 2 Air Division. Silver Wing medal, two (2) military Commendation medals and nine (9) other medals, decorations and badges. He was promoted to Brigadier General in October 1995 while serving as Wing Commander of 100 Training where he remained until his retirement in November 1997. He served as Philippine Senate Sgt-At-Arms from February 1998 until April 2002 when he tendered his voluntary resignation.

ALTERNATE MEMBERS



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Giovanni Zinampán López graduated cum laude from St. Paul University, Tuguegarao with a degree in Bachelor of Science in Accountancy. He passed the CPA Board Examination in 2000. After which, he took up law and graduated from San Beda College of Law before being admitted to the Philippine Bar in 2007.

CAREER

In the early years of his career, Mr. López served as a Professor at St. Paul University of Tuguegarao where he taught Cost Accounting, Advance Accounting and Management Accounting. Currently, Mr. López is the Undersecretary of Finance, Assistant Secretary for Procurement and Project Implementation, and the Chief of Staff of the Office of the Secretary of the Department of Transportation. Simultaneously, Mr. López is the Officer-In-Charge, Director of the Toll Regulatory Board. Prior to this, he served as the Director for Legal Service of the Department of Transportation.



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BIOGRAPHY

Mark Dennis Y.C. Joven is the Undersecretary for the International Finance Group of the Philippine Department of Finance. He earned his Master of Laws degree from Harvard Law School (Tax Concentration) and his Bachelor of Laws cum laude from the UP College of Law. At the UP College of Law, he earned various accolades including the Juliana Ricalde Prize in Taxation and Dean's Medal for Academic Excellence. He earned his Bachelor of Business Administration and Accountancy degree cum laude from the UP College of Business Administration, and placed first in the 2001 CPA Board Exams.

CAREER

Prior to public service, Undersecretary Joven was active in tax practice for 15 years. A CPA-Lawyer, his services have been highly sought after in the areas of estate planning, corporate reorganizations, cross-border transactions, and tax advocacy. He has also been active in the academe for more than a decade as a faculty member of the UP College of Law and UP College of Business Administration. He has taught various subjects including Wills and Estates, Income Taxation, Business Taxation, Credit Transactions and Financial Accounting

He is licensed to practice law in the Philippines and in the State of New York. He is an active member of the Philippine Bar Association, American Bar Association, International Fiscal Association, New York County Lawyers' Association, Integrated Bar of the Philippines and Philippine Institute of Certified Public Accountants. He was formerly Assistant Secretary of the Revenue Operations Group (ROG) of DOF, the office exercising general supervision over internal revenue and customs operations.



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Atty. Paola Sherina A. Alvarez is currently the Assistant Secretary for International Finance and Special Projects and the official Spokesperson and Head of Communications at the Department of Finance. She earned her Juris Doctor of Law from Ateneo De Manila University and Bachelor of Arts degree in International Studies Major in European Studies from De La Salle University Manila.

CAREER

As an Assistant Secretary, she handles sustainable and climate finance, as well as disaster risk finance. She also manages special projects, such as the Inter-Agency Task Force on Marawi Rehabilitation and the Inter-Agency Task Force on Infectious Diseases (IATF-COVID-19). She sits as the Secretary of Finance's alternate in different international platforms, such as the ASEAN DRFI-TWG, APEC, SEADRIF, and the Coalition of Finance Ministers for Climate Action.

As the Head of Communications, she provides the overall direction and guidance on the content of the communication materials published across digital and traditional platforms.



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Reynaldo I. Ching is a lawyer by profession and has been with the Department of Tourism since 1988. He currently heads the Administration and Finance sector of the DOT as the OIC Undersecretary since 2018. He graduated Bachelor of Science in Mechanical Engineering at Far Eastern University (1976-1981). He finished Bachelor of Laws at the University of the East in 1991 and passed the Bar Examination in September 1993. He also holds a Career Service Executive Eligibility.

CAREER

Atty. Ching started working in the DOT in 1988 as a Legal Aide and became a Legal Assistant II in 1989. From then, he rose from the ranks and held different positions including Attorney IV, Attorney V, Assistant Division Chief, Division Chief and Director, until he became the OIC of the Department's Legal Affairs Service. Prior to his appointment as Assistant Secretary and OIC-Undersecretary, Atty. Reynaldo Ching was the Director for the Legal Affairs Service and advised the Secretary on matters relating to legal affairs. He also has served OIC of the Administrative Service; OIC of the General Services Division; and OIC-Undersecretary for the Administration and Special Concerns sector, for one year prior to his appointment as Assistant Secretary of the Administration and Finance. Concurrent with these, Atty. Ching also represents the Department of Tourism (DOT) in other external agencies and institutional partners of the Department such as the Clark International Airport Corporation, Manila International Airport Authority, Davao International Airport Authority, and Mactan-Cebu International Airport Authority.

With extensive professional experience pertaining to administration, finance, procurement, he is also assigned as the Permanent Contact Person of the Anti-Red Tape Technical Working Group & Secretariat, Hearing Officer for DOT's administrative cases, the ISO Facilitator of Quality Management System Core Team as well as the Chairperson of DOT Bids and Awards Committee, DOT Program on Awards and Incentives for Service Excellence (PRAISE) Committee, Human Resource Merit Promotion & Selection Board, and Committee on Inventory Taking & Appraisal of Property (CITAP). As its Lead ISO Facilitator, Atty. Ching is responsible for overseeing the implementation of the Quality Management System (QMS) in the Department. Since its first ISO Certification in 2017, the DOT managed to get re-certified and was able to expand both the scope and coverage of its certification.



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Nicholas Felix L. Ty graduated cum laude from the University of the Philippines School of Economics with a degree in Business Economics. After which, he took up law and graduated from the UP College of Law before being admitted to the Philippine Bar in 2004. Aside from his graduate diploma in European Union Studies from the European Union Institute in Japan, he also holds a Master's Degree in International Economic and Business Law, which was conferred upon him by the Kyushu University Faculty of Law, under the auspices of the Young Leaders' Program, a scholarship sponsored by the Japanese government.

CAREER

Nicky Ty, as he is more commonly known, is the Assistant Secretary-in-Charge of the Inter-Agency Council Against Trafficking under the Department of Justice, where he is also in-charge of various matters such as the Legal Service and the Department Legislative Liaison. Prior to this, he served as the Director of the UP Law Center Institute of Government and Law Reform, while concurrently teaching at the UP College of Law as an Assistant Professor. He was also a Partner of the MOSVELDTT Law Offices, which he co-founded.



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Noah N. Nocon graduated from University of the Philippines in Los Baños with a degree in Bachelor of Science in Agricultural Economics.

CAREER

Noah Nocon has 20 years of experience in business management having occupied managerial positions in various companies. He was the Communications Manager of the Philippine Red Cross. Mr. Nocon was also a faculty member of the College of Business Administration and Accountancy of the Colegio De San Juan De Letran.