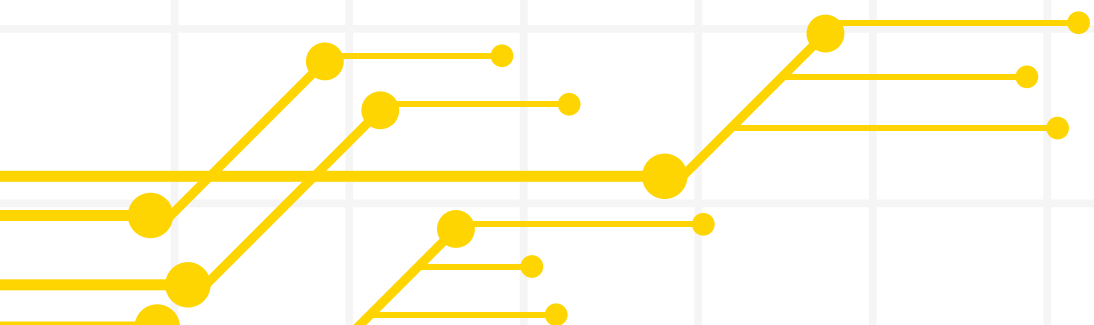
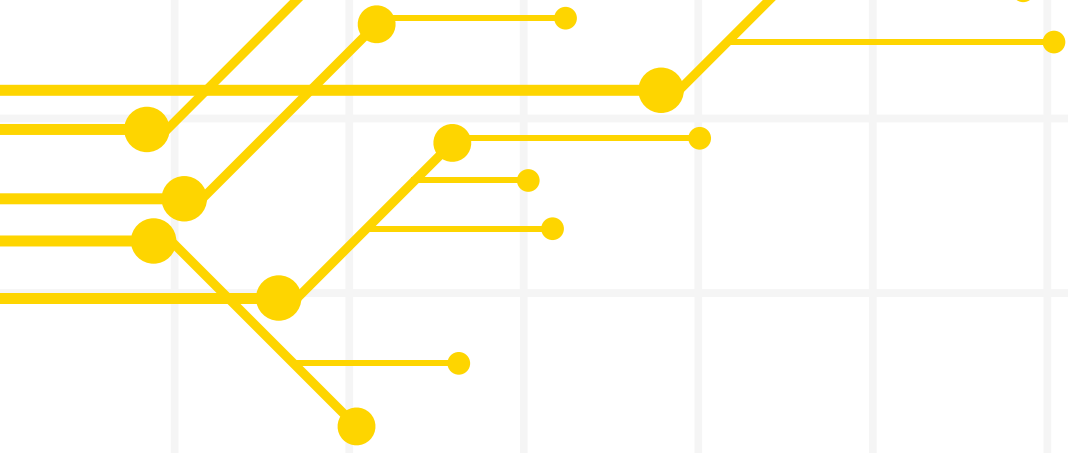


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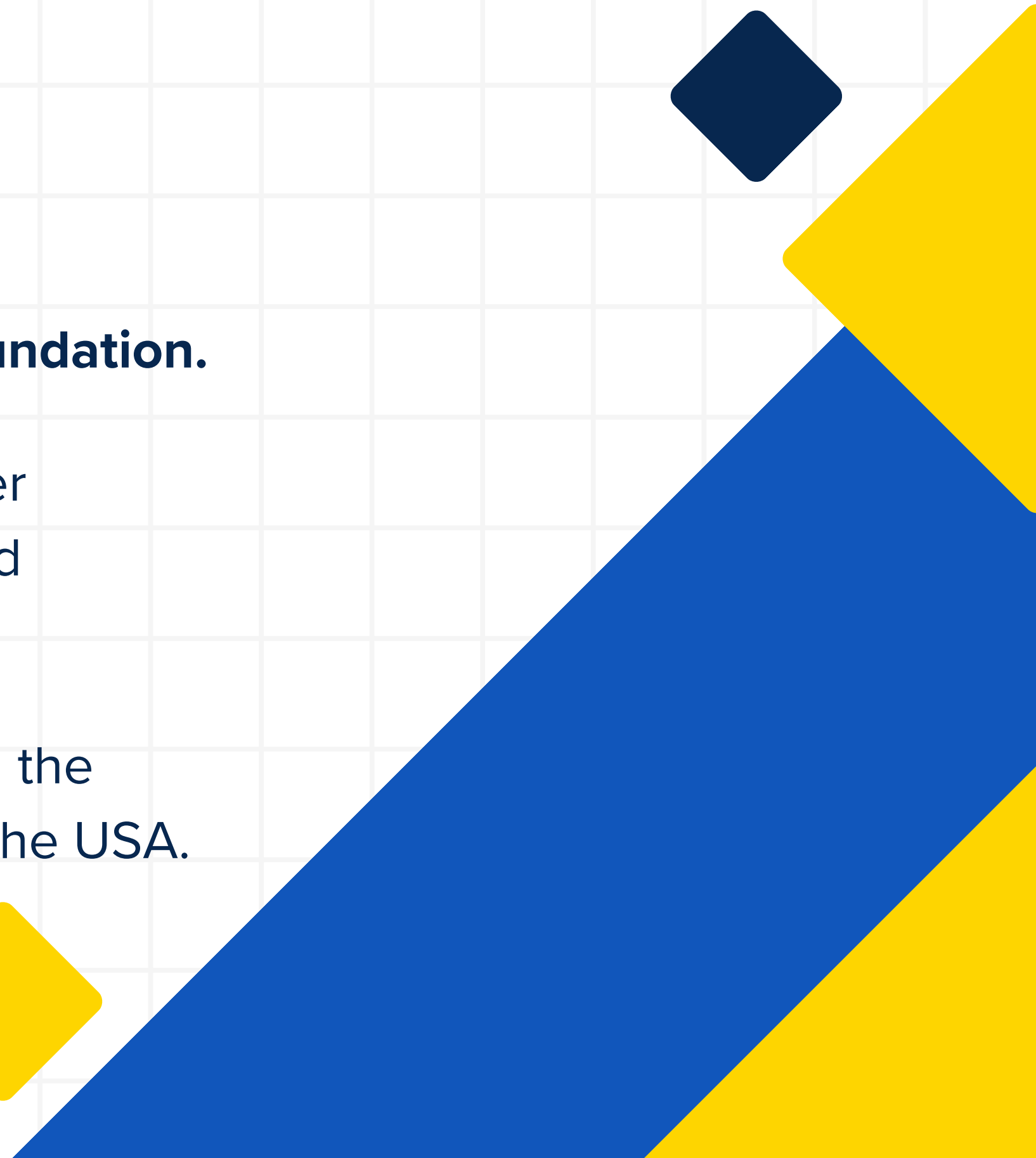
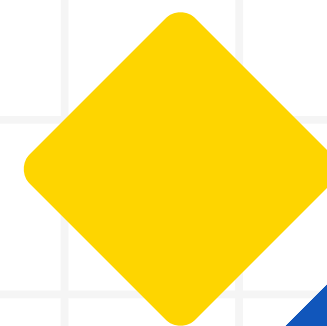
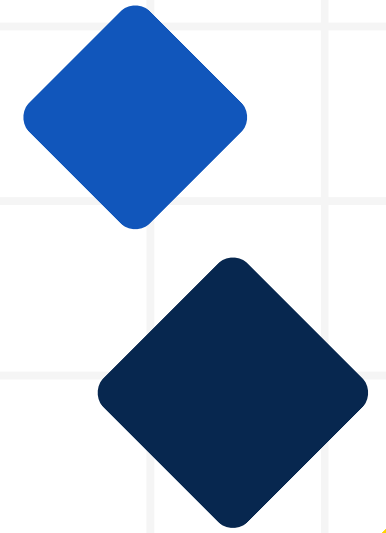


Introduction

2024 has been a transformative year for PhilDev Foundation.

We have continued to empower Filipino scholars, foster technopreneurship, and advance climate resilience and innovation through our various programs.

This report outlines our achievements, milestones, and the impact we have created across the Philippines and in the USA.



Education & Scholarships: Empowering the Next Generation

PhilDev Science and Engineering Scholarships (PSES)

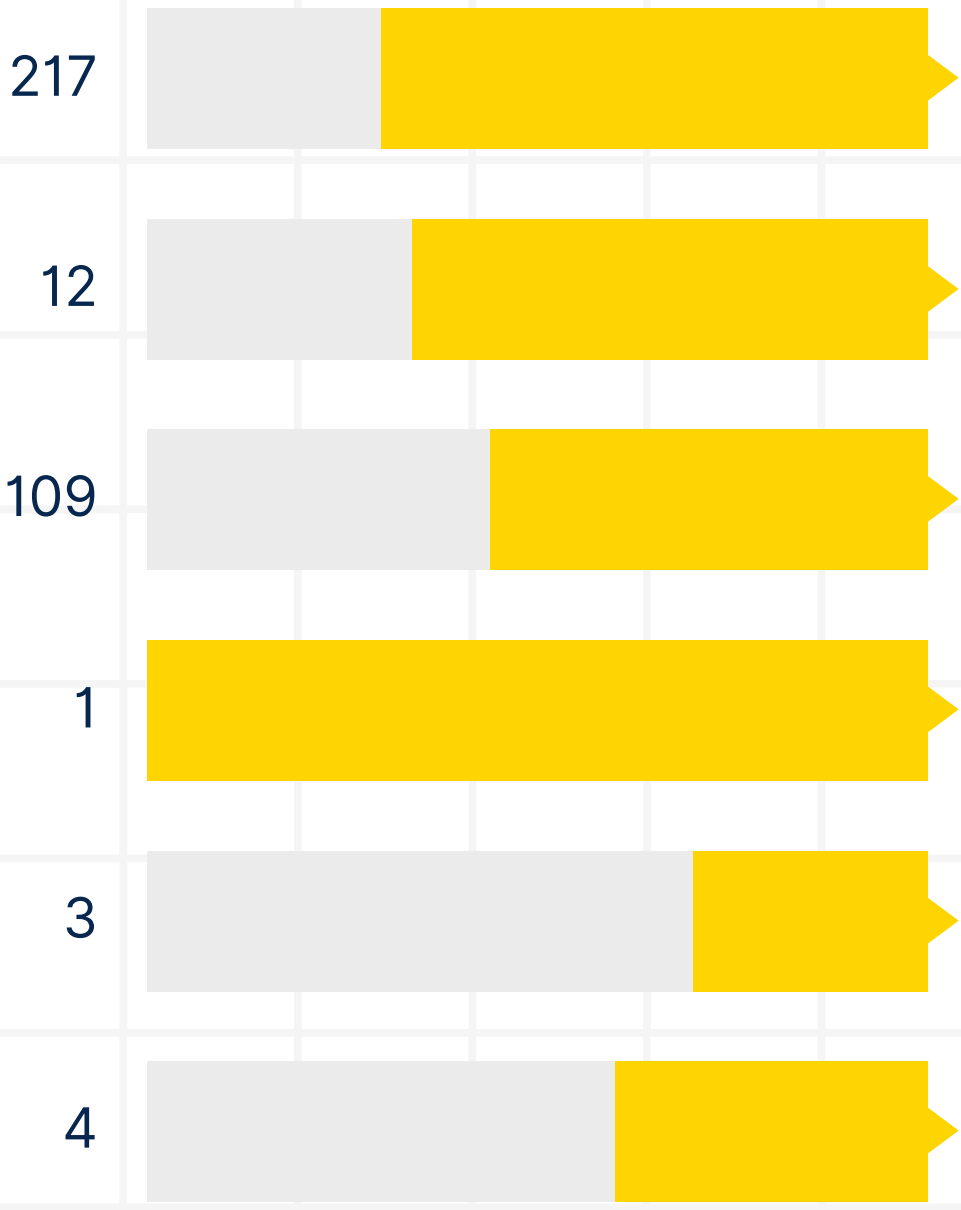
The PSES program remains at the core of PhilDev's mission to support and nurture the next generation of Filipino scientists and engineers.

- **332** scholars supported, with **271 graduates** as of 2024.
- **129 graduates** earned **Latin honors**, including 1 summa cum laude and 28 magna cum laude, and 100 cum laude
- **193 board exam passers**, with **16 placing in the top 10**
- Leadership Enhancement and Attitude Development (LEAD) Workshops equipped scholars with self-awareness and leadership skills.



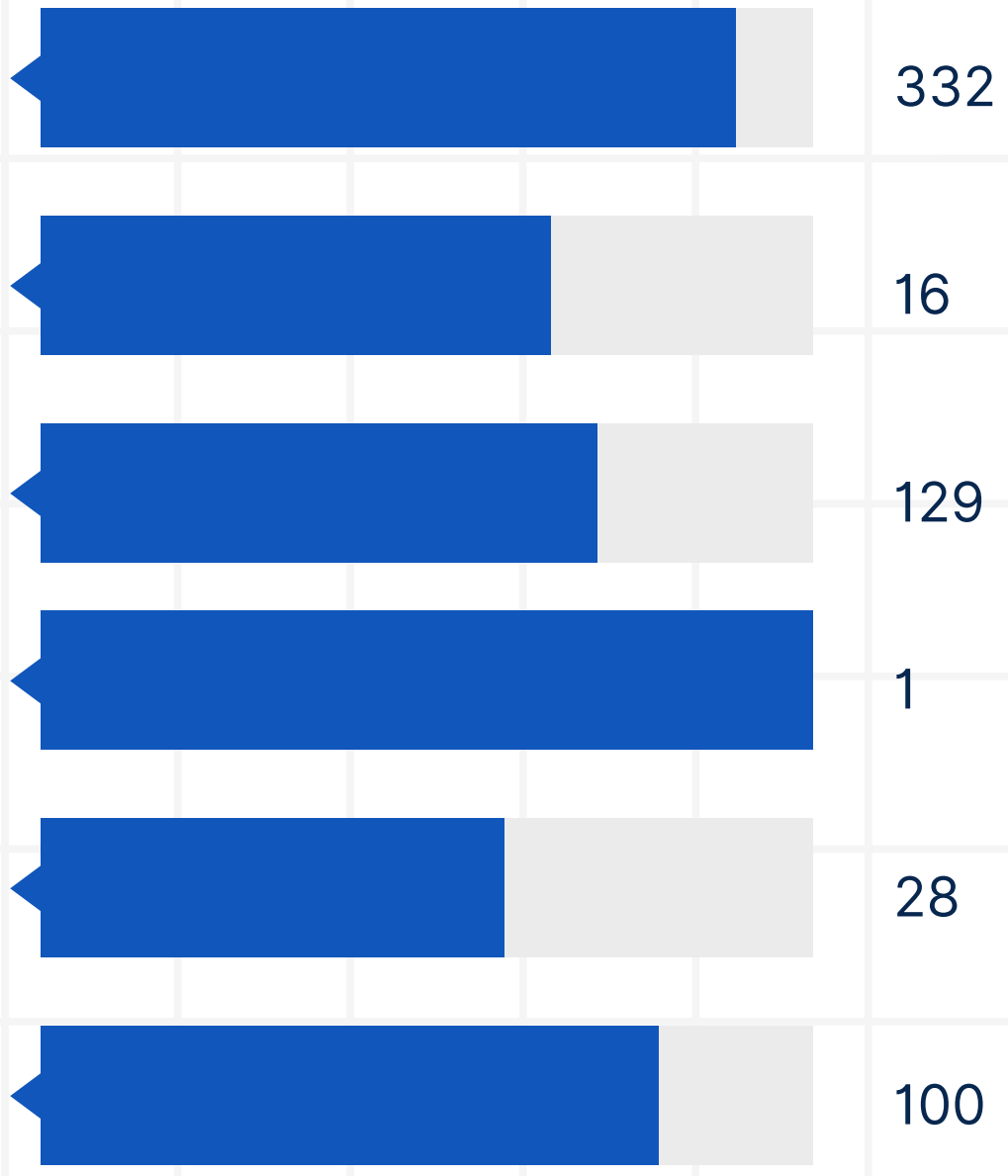
PSES Year-over-year comparison: 2023 and 2024


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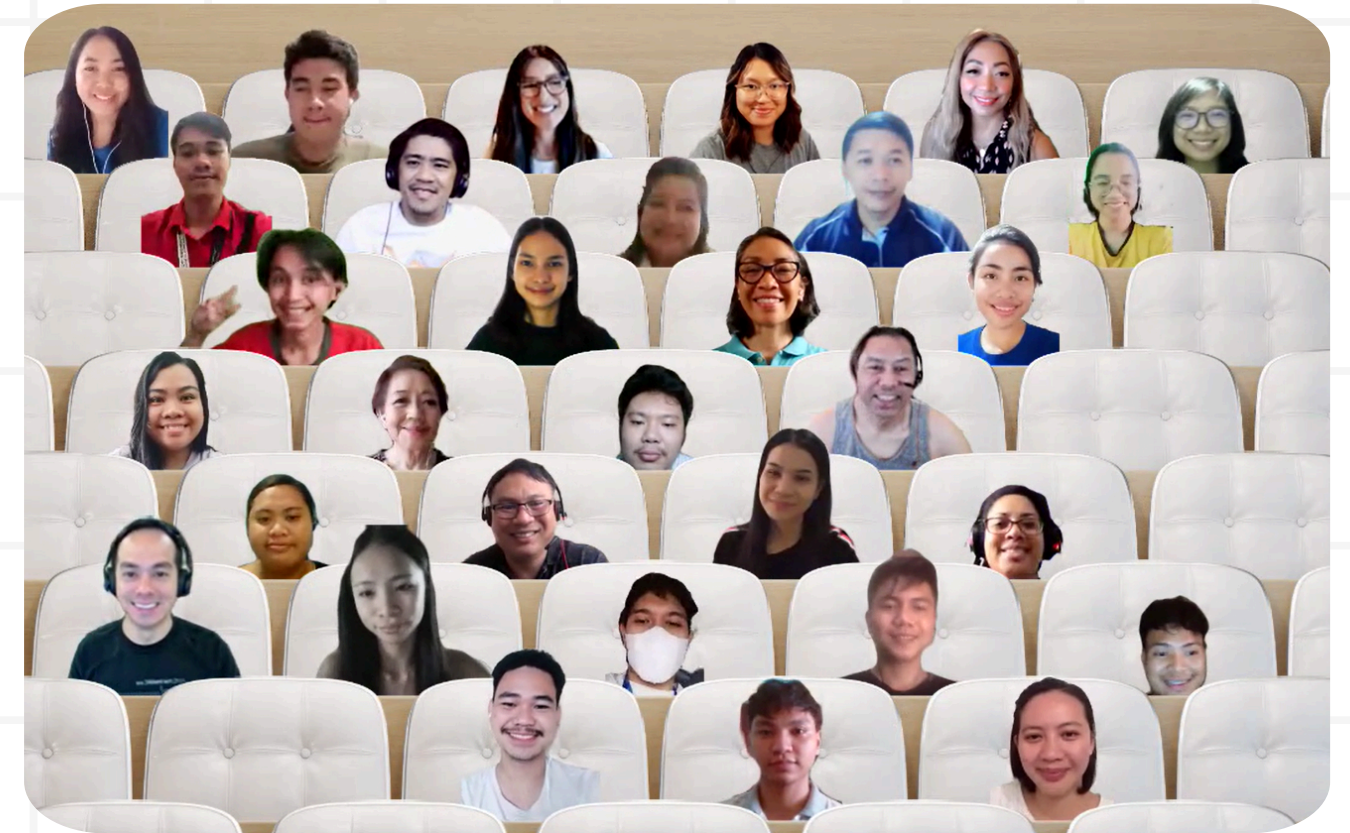
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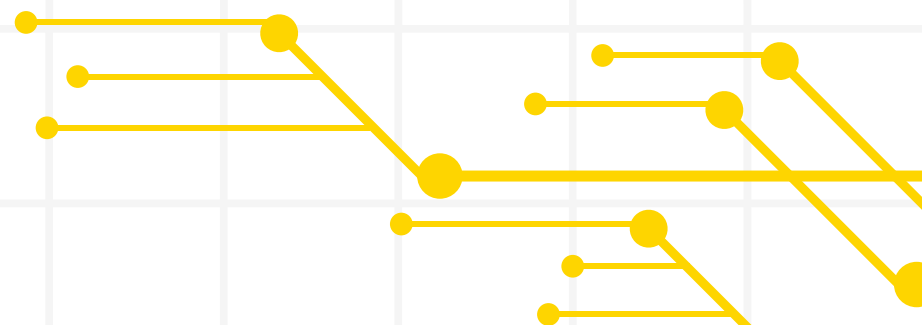
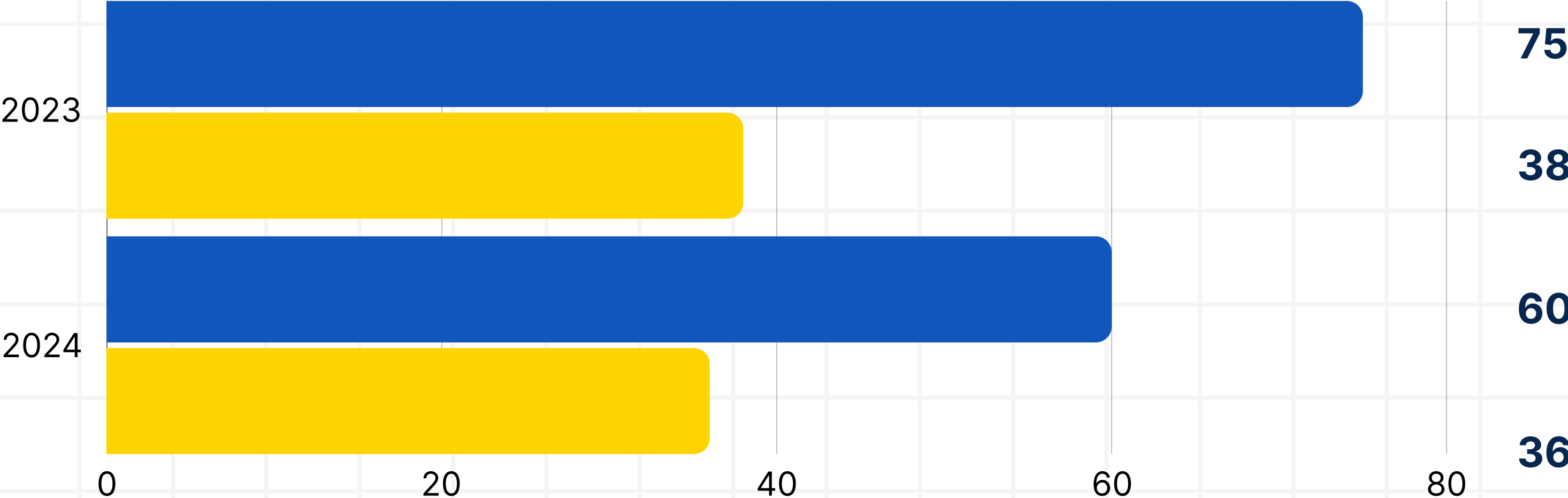
MULAT - Mentoring and Uplifting Leaders & Aspiring Trailblazers

- **MULAT** is a volunteer-driven mentorship program dedicated to guiding and inspiring the next generation of Filipino leaders. For **six (6) months**, professionals from diverse fields mentor PhilDev scholars, helping them navigate their academic journeys and prepare for their future careers.
- Mentors and mentees engage in virtual forums to discuss topics such as leadership, confidence, communication, technical skills, career preparation, and emotional well-being. These sessions foster personal and professional growth, equipping scholars with the skills and mindset needed to succeed.



MULAT Year-over-year comparison: 2023 and 2024

Scholars Mentors



Innovation & Technopreneurship: Advancing Filipino Ingenuity

Technopreneurship Center Empowerment for Universities (TechUP)

The TechUP program established technopreneurship centers to foster innovation in universities across the Philippines.

- **5 HEIs empowered**, including Mapúa University and Polytechnic University of the Philippines.
- **45 faculty members trained** through workshops on design thinking, impact management, and incubation.
- Engaged **1,135 students** directly through activities and inter-university challenges.



Young Banatao Learning Lab (YBLL)

This initiative inspired and trained young technopreneurs with a series of dynamic workshops and an Ideathon.

- **12 workshops** conducted, focusing on data science, machine learning, and innovation strategies.
- **5 prototypes developed** addressing agri-tech challenges.
- **28 scholars** inspired to pursue entrepreneurial careers.





Scholars Technopreneurship Training Program (STTP)

- PhilDev partnered with **DOST-SEI** to cultivate entrepreneurial skills among **97 scholars in Cagayan de Oro**.
- Workshops covered topics like business model development, pitching, and financial planning.
- Culminated in a Demo Day featuring innovative solutions **addressing societal challenges**.



Sustainability & Resilience: Building a Climate-Ready Future

KlimaHQ Partnership

- In collaboration with Komunidad, the KlimaHQ initiative enhanced disaster preparedness and climate resilience.
- **14 universities** engaged with climate data platforms for early warning systems.
- Daily weather risk reports and training sessions provided actionable insights for disaster risk reduction.

The logo for KlimaHQ, featuring the word "KlimaHQ" in a bold, sans-serif font. The "K" is a light teal color, while "limaHQ" is in a darker blue. The "Q" has a white dot in its center.

School-based Climate Action Center



Regional Innovation Training (RIT)

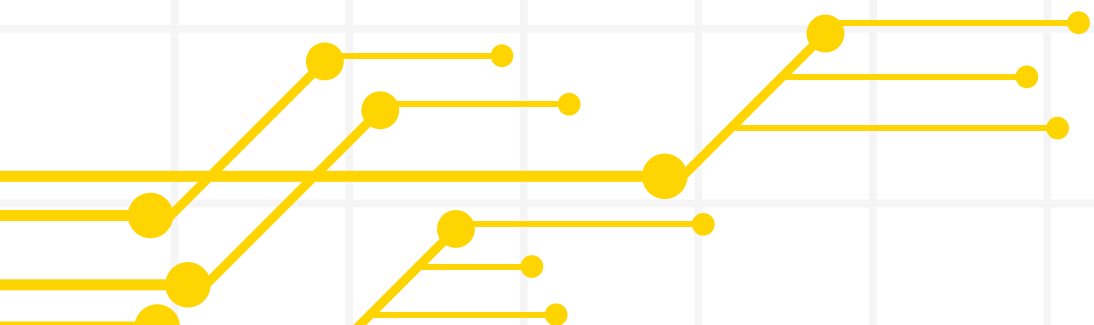
- Under the RAPID Growth Project, the RIT program capacitated **26 DTI regional officers** to implement innovation-driven solutions in agribusiness.
- Focused on design thinking, program facilitation, and industry collaboration.



Community Engagement & Events: Celebrating Filipino Excellence

PhilDev Gala and Awards

- PhilDev hosted its first dual Gala and Awards in **Manila** and **San Francisco**, celebrating Filipino excellence in science, technology, and entrepreneurship.
- **Manila Awardees:** Dr. Reynaldo B. Veal, Dr. Tirso A. Ronquillo, Dr. Edsel Maurice T. Salvana, Alice G. Eduardo, Atty. Lilia B. de Lima, Sen. Edgardo J. Angara, Sen. Ramon B. Magsaysay Jr., Nanette Medved-Po, and GCASH
- **USA Awardees:** Eric Toda, Sheila Coronel, Ayesha Vera-Yu, Eros Quesada Resmini Jr., and Susie Quesada





Looking Ahead: 2025 and Beyond

As we celebrate PhilDev's 15th anniversary this year, we honor the legacy our founders have built by continuing to inspire and empower young leaders, technopreneurs, and communities to pursue innovation & entrepreneurship as pathways to success.

At the same time, we look forward to creating greater impact through expansion in programs and development initiatives in the Philippines, and beyond!

- Launch the **SHE++ Empowerment Program**, targeting women in tech
- Develop more **strategic partnerships for sustainability and innovation**
- Launch **scholarship and mentoring programs** for the Fil-Am community of students and young leaders
- Mount a **series of innovation workshops** across North America

Acknowledgments

We extend our heartfelt gratitude to our partners, sponsors, and the broader PhilDev community. Together, we are shaping a brighter future for the Philippines—one innovator, one technopreneur, and one resilient community at a time.

Join us in 2025, as we celebrate 15 years of PhilDev service, and continue this journey of transformation!





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