

A BRIEF CURRICULUM VITAE
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Professor, Sociology & Social Services, California State University at East Bay
Director, Urban Studies Program, California State University at East Bay
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Courses Taught:

- Seminar in Urban & Regional Planning and Development
- Urban Planning
- Urban Sociology
- Human Ecology
- Social Demography
- Sociological Theory
- Principles of Sociology

Education:

Ph.D., Social Science: Major Specialization: Urban & Regional Planning;
Minor Specializations: Natural Resource Development
and Human Ecology, Michigan State University (1983-1986)
Ph.D. Level: Sociology, Florida State University (1982-1983)
B.A. and M.A., Sociology, Silliman University, Philippines (1977, 1980)

Fellowships and Awards:

- Cum Laude and University Honors: Silliman University, Philippines (1977)
- Graduate Fellow: Philippine Social Science Council (1978-1980)
- Scholar: Fulbright-Hays Scholarship, Florida State University (1982-1983) and Michigan State University (1983-1986)
- Awardee: The Urban Affairs Dissertation Award, Michigan State University, 1986
- Research Associate: Center for Southeast Asian Studies at U.C. Berkeley, 1993-1993
- Fellow: Sasakawa Fellowship, Japanese Studies Institute, San Diego State University, 1995
- Faculty of the Year Award: CSUEB Faculty and Student Mentoring Program/Freshman Year Partner's Project, 1996
- Outstanding Sillimanian (Urban Studies), 2005

Books on Urban and Regional Studies:

- American Urban and Regional Experience. Kendall/Hunt, 1996
- Perspectives on Urban Society: From Preindustrial to Postindustrial. Allyn & Bacon, 2006

Planning Consultancies (Pro Bono) in Tandem with Architect Manuel Almagro, Former Managing Principal of Notter and Finegold & Alexander, Architects and Planners, Washington D.C.:

- Dumaguete City Six-Year City Plan, 1987.
- Cabadbaran's Riverfront Development and Public Plaza Plan, 2006.
- Davao Oriental Provincial Development Plan, 2008.

Professional Presentations on Urban and Regional Studies:

- Overdevelopment and Underdevelopment in the Philippines, Silliman University Arts & Letters Forum, 1985.
- Growth Center Strategy: The Philippine Planning Experience. Urban Affairs Program, Michigan State University, 1986.
- Reconstructing Neighborhood and Region. Global Awareness Society Fifth Annual Conference, San Francisco, CA, 1996.
- New Urbanism in California. Western Social Science Association, Albuquerque, New Mexico, 1997.
- The University Town Approach to Urban Planning, Silliman University Arts and Letters Forum, 1998.
- The Role of Public Space in City Planning. Silliman University Honors Program, 1998.
- The City of Neighborliness: California Sociological Association, Berkeley, CA, 1999.
- Regionalism in Sociological Perspective. Urban Studies Forum, Berkeley, CA, 2002.
- From Polis to Ecumenopolis: The Evolution of Cities. Silliman University Great Ideas Lectureship, 2005.

Professional Memberships:

- American Planning Association
- American Sociological Association
- Japan Studies Association
- Western Social Science Association
- Alpha Kappa Delta (International Sociological Honor Society)