

UPCM PROFESSORIAL CHAIR ENDOWMENT

The University of the Philippines Board of Regents approved the establishment of the Lestrino C. Baquiran, M.D. Professorial Chair in Oncology at the UP College of Medicine on September 27, 2018. This is meant to honor his parents, Corazon S. Baquiran, M.D. and Linda Cachola (both deceased).

The Chair aims to supplement the teaching of new and evolving diagnoses and treatment of cancer. The award is for a term of three years subject to reappointment or selection of a new recipient.

The Dean's Office, headed by Dr. Charlotte Chiong and assisted by Associate Dean Dr. Liza Antonette Gonzales is undertaking the search. After selection, an inaugural lecture is planned. The donation to fully fund the Chair in perpetuity was coursed through the UPMASA Permanent Endowment Fund. Dr. Mariano Yogore III, PEF Chair managed the application and approval process.

