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Name of	Summer Institute in the Natural Sciences and Mathematics
Extension/Public	(SINSM)
Service Service	(OIT (OIT)
(The name of the	
service being	
offered)	
Objective	The Summer Institute in the Natural Sciences and Mathematics (SINSM)
(Description of the	is an annual extension service of the College of Science that seeks to
service being	offer venues in which educators in the sciences and mathematics in the
provided; History of	Cordillera region, as well as nearby areas, are updated on current
service provision)	scientific issues. Since 1990, the SINSM has trained and updated
,	secondary and tertiary teachers on the latest developments in theory,
	applications and pedagogy. It has also provided refresher courses in the
	basic concepts in the fields of biology, mathematics, computer science,
	physics, chemistry, and geology.
Duration/Date	Three days, every April or May
Target	Secondary and tertiary teachers
Beneficiaries	
Cost of	PhP 2,000 to PhP 2,500 per participant
Participation	
Office in Charge	College of Science
	University of the Philippines Baguio
Office Profile	The College of Science was established in December 2002 when the
Degree granting or	University of the Philippines Baguio became the 7 th constituent university
non-degree	of the UP System. Evolving from the then Department of Natural
granting	Sciences and Mathematics, the College continues to take the lead in
Purpose of creation	upgrading science and mathematics education and research in Northern
Location in the	Luzon.
hierarchy	
(Background of the	The College is composed of three departments—the Department of
office providing the	Biology, Department of Mathematics and Computer Science, and the
service	Department of Physical Sciences. The Human Kinetics Program, which
i.e. Number of	takes care of the Physical Education and Sports programs of UP Baguio,
personnel	is also part of the College of Science.
and Key personnel	
providing the	The College offers four undergraduate programs, namely, BS Biology,
service)	BS Mathematics, BS Computer Science and BS Physics, as well as one
	graduate program, MS Mathematics. All these academic programs
	prepare students for a career in education, research, or post-graduate
	studies. These academic programs are regularly reviewed and upgraded
	to address the developments of the times. In 1998, the College of Science
	was designated by the Commission on Higher Education as Centers of
	Development in Biology, Mathematics and Physics.



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