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PERSONAL PROFILE

34 years old, Male, Single, Filipino

LANGUAGES

Filipino and English

EDUCATION

2007 Dalhousie University Halifax Nova Scotia, Canada
Certificate in University Teaching and Learning
Centre for Learning and Teaching

2002 – present Dalhousie University Halifax Nova Scotia, Canada
Doctor of Philosophy in Sociology

2001– 2002 University of the Philippines (UP) Diliman, Quezon City
Doctor of Philosophy in Sociology (Coursework completed)

1995 - 1999 University of the Philippines (UP) Diliman, Quezon City
Masters of Arts in Sociology

1991 – 1995 University of Santo Tomas (UST) España, Manila
Bachelor of Arts in Sociology

1987 - 1991 Binangonan Catholic High School Binangonan, Rizal
Secondary Education

1981 – 1987 Binangonan Elementary School Binangonan, Rizal
Primary Education

PROFESSIONAL EXPERIENCE

2007 – 2008 Dalhousie University Halifax, Nova Scotia, Canada

Lecturer

- Designed and taught the course *Culture, Society and International student* as an Arts and Social Science Course (ASSC) for international and domestic students.
- Taught special topic, SOSA 3186: Youth and Society: International Perspectives.

Research assistant

2003 – 2004; 2006 – 2007

Project: *The Equity and Technology Project* funded by the Social Sciences Humanities Research Council (SSHRC) Initiatives under the New Economy (INE). This project was led by Dr. E. Dianne Looker, primary investigator. I worked under the supervision of Dr. Victor Thiessen, co-investigator.

Tasks: Documentation, literature review, design of survey questionnaire, data analysis, writing of preliminary reports

2004; 2006 – 2007

Project: *University Experiences and Outcomes of International and Domestic Students* funded by the Social Sciences Humanities Research Council (SSHRC) standard grants. This project was led by Dr. Paul Grayson, primary investigator. I worked under the supervision of Dr. Victor Thiessen, co-investigator.

Tasks: Organized & facilitated focus groups, qualitative analysis, wrote qualitative reports

Teaching assistant

2002 – 2004; 2006 – 2007

Course assisted: SOSA 1000: Culture and Society under Dr. Robin Oakley and Dr. Peter Clark, large class between 150 – 300 students

Tasks: Head teaching assistant, designed exams, invigilated major exams, computed grades & gave guest lectures

Research Associate

1997 - 2002 Social Research Center, UST España, Manila

2002 – 2004 (on study leave)

2005 – 2006 (Field research based in the Philippines)

2006 – 2008 (on study leave)

Specialization: Sociology of Youth, Sociology of Development, Rural Sociology, Qualitative Research and Sociology of Information and Communication Technologies. Presents research papers both in the academe and community. Published research reports.

Asst. Prof. 3, faculty member

1995 – 2002 University of Santo Tomas España, Manila

2002 – 2004 (on study leave)

2005 – 2006 (Field research based in the Philippines)

2006 – 2009 (on study leave)

Taught the following courses: Rural-Urban Sociology, Social Research Methods, Qualitative Methodology, Social Issues and Problems, Sociology of Development, Social Change, Community Organizing and Leadership

Media Research Office Section-head, Research Consultant

1999 - 2002 Educational Technology Center, UST España, Manila

Initiated media research training for faculty and students and applies media research methods and tools to effectively monitor the center's production and training programs. Also facilitated the regular programming of the Tomasian Cable TV (TOMCAT).

Project Director and Coordinator

1995 - 1998 Center for Learning and Teaching Styles Pasig City, Phils.

Concept analyst, module designer and organizer of national seminar-workshops and leadership training of educators and corporate personnel.

Community Service Coordinator and Volunteer

1994 - 1998 Faculty of Arts and Letters, UST España, Manila.

Coordinated activities in different adopted communities and organized and facilitated student volunteers.

TRAINING & CONFERENCES

<i>Name of conference</i>	<i>Organizer/ Venue</i>	<i>Date</i>	<i>Title of the paper presented</i>
World Social Science Forum (WSSF)	International Social Science Council (ISSC)/ Bergen, Norway	May 10-12, 2009	<i>Research poster presenter</i> "Value Formation of Inactive Filipino Youth"
Philippine Sociological Society Annual Conference	Philippine Sociological Society at Philippine Social Science Center (PSSC), Quezon City, Philippines	October 17-18, 2008	<i>Participant</i>
Centre for Learning and Teaching (Dalhousie University) Workshop series	Centre for Learning and Teaching (Dalhousie University)	March 5, 2008	<i>Presenter</i> "Teaching Diversity to a Diverse Class"
Introduction to STATA	Atlantic Research Data Centre (ARDC)	January 12, 2008	<i>Participant</i>
Invited guest lecture	AIESEC (St. Mary's University)	November 15, 2007	<i>Lecturer</i> "Introduction to Cultural Competence"
Invited guest lecture	Horton High School (Wolfville, Nova Scotia)	November 16, 2007	<i>Lecturer</i> "Introduction to Cultural Competence"
Invited guest lecture	SOSA 4000 class under Dr. Jim Stolzman	October 26, 2007	<i>Lecturer</i> "My joy as a Filipino sociologist"
Conference on <i>Life Course Transitions of Children and Youth</i>	Atlantic Research Data Centre (ARDC)	October 11-12, 2007	<i>Paper presenter</i> "The effects of religious participation and multiple risks on youth engagements: A Philippine-based analysis"

Teaching Professional Days	Center for Learning and Teaching	September 13, 2007	<i>Presenter</i> "A certificate that bonds and bridges"
Integrated Learning Online Workshops	University Computing and Information Services, Dalhousie University *Blackboard Learning System (BLS) Fundamentals *Classroom Performance System *Course Genie	May 24, June 6 & 12, 2007	<i>Participant</i>
11 th Dalhousie Conference on University Teaching and Learning	Center for Learning and Teaching, Dalhousie University	May 3-4, 2007	<i>Participant</i>
Invited guest lecture	SOSA 1000: Culture and Society under Dr. Robin Oakley	February 27 & March 1, 2007	<i>Lecturer</i> "Introduction to the sociology of youth"
Invited guest lecture	SOSA 4012: Social Justice under Dr. Margaret Dechman	February 9, 2007	<i>Lecturer</i> "Poverty and Education: The Case of the Philippines"
International Sociological Association World Congress – Research Committee 34 – Sociology of Youth	International Sociological Association/ Durban, South Africa	July 23-29, 2006	<i>Paper presenter</i> "Marginalized youth in the Philippines: Are they truly 'idle'?"
The Canadian Sociology and Anthropology Association 2005 Annual Meeting (Congress of the Humanities and Social Sciences)	Canadian Sociology and Anthropology Association/ York University Canada	May 30–June 2, 2006	<i>Paper presenter</i> "An exploratory view of "idle youth" in the Philippines" "Generation and youth: Theoretical distinctions"
Qualitative Data Analysis Workshops (Orientation; Series A – Transana & Atlas-Ti; Series B – Transana & Atlas-Ti)	Nova Scotia Health Research Fund (NSHRF)	May 15, 26 & June 19, 2006	<i>Participant</i>
10 th Dalhousie Conference on University Teaching and Learning	Center for Learning and Teaching, Dalhousie University	May 2-4, 2006	<i>Participant</i>
Academic presentation of field research experience (Philippines)	University of Philippines' Population Institute & University of Santo Tomas - Social Research Center, España, Manila.	February 22, 2006	<i>Paper presenter</i> "Perspectives from the field: Researching youth transitions in the Philippines"
Paper presented at the <i>Third General Assembly of Faculty Advisers of Student Organizations</i>	University of Santo Tomas, España, Manila.	December 14, 2005	<i>Paper presenter</i> "Transmission of cultural capital and intergenerational perspective"

The 7 th International Conference on Asian Youth Issues	RC 34 –Sociology of Youth International Sociological Association/ Macau, China	December 6-7, 2005	<i>Paper Presenter</i> “Interacting Social Dynamics in Young People’s Social Exclusion” <i>Co-paper presenter</i> “Linking Social Research to Policy Initiatives: The Case of the National Youth Commission – Report on the Situation of Youth in the Philippines
Paper presented at the University of Santo Tomas - <i>Social Research Center’s Brown-bag Series</i>	University of Santo Tomas, España, Manila, Philippines.	September 22, 2005	<i>Paper presenter</i> “Thinking and doing Sociology: A personal reflection”
The Anthropology of Crisis: Annual Conference	Ugnayang Pang-Aghamtao, Inc. (UGAT) (<i>Anthropology Association of the Philippines</i>)	October 20-22, 2005	<i>Paper presenter</i> “Pagbabalik-tanaw sa Pag-aaral at Pangarap na Kurso ng mga Kabataan sa Isla ng Talim: Isang Etnograpiya” (Educational & Occupational Aspirations of Youth in Talim Island: A Reflection on Ethnography)
Paper presented at the Seminar on Qualitative Research	Aklan State University, Banga, Aklan, Philippines	October 17, 2005	<i>Paper presenter</i> “A qualitative glance: Doing youth ethnography and why it matters”
Presentation: Regional Analysis of the Young Adult Fertility and Sexuality Survey (YAFSS)	Population Institute - University of the Philippines/ Bohol, Philippines	August 18-20, 2005	<i>Observer/facilitator</i>
History Student Society Conference	University of Santo Tomas, Manila, Philippines	July 13, 2005	<i>Presenter</i> “Growing-up Pinoy: A Socio-historical Analysis”
Summer Pastoral Conferences of the Dominican Student Brothers	Dominican Studentate Pastoral Formation Program/ Quezon City, Philippines	April 26, 2005	<i>Presenter</i> “Sociology , Culture, Method and Interpretation”
Salinas Memorial Lectures	Aquinas University/ Legaspi City, Philippines	February 9, 2005	<i>Paper presenter</i> “‘ISTAMBAY’: An exploratory view of ‘idle youth’ in the Philippines”
International Youth Conference	Colombo, Sri Lanka	October 25-30, 2004	<i>Paper presenter</i> “Rethinking Youth Transitions: Directions for Future Research in Developing Societies”
Correspondence Analysis Training workshop	Dalhousie University	June 7-11, 2004	<i>Participant</i>
The Canadian Sociology and Anthropology Association 2004 Annual Meeting_(Congress of the Humanities and Social Sciences)	Canadian Sociology and Anthropology Association/ University of Manitoba	June 3-6, 2004	<i>Paper presenter</i> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ▪ “Doing Graduate Work in Canada: Preliminary Observations on the International Students’ Experience at Dalhousie University” ▪ “Texting as Style: Preliminary Observations on Cellular Phone Use

			<p>among Filipino College Students “</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ▪ “Correlating Time of Residency and Human Capital Skills of Immigrant Youth in Canada: A Preliminary Analysis” ▪ “Two Theoretical Perspectives on ‘Youth Work’ in the Philippines”
The Canadian Sociology and Anthropology Association 2003 Annual Meeting (Congress of the Humanities and Social Sciences)	Canadian Sociology and Anthropology Association/ Dalhousie University Canada	June 1-4, 2003	<p><i>Paper presenter</i></p> <p>“Occupational Aspirations of Filipino Youth at the Edge of the Millennium: Gender, locality, education, social class and its influences on work choices”</p>
Fifth National Social Science Congress	Philippine Social Science Council/ Philippine Social Science Center, Diliman, Quezon City, Philippines	May 15-17, 2003	<p><i>Paper presenter</i></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ▪ “Agenda for Youth Research in the Philippines: Reflection and Challenges” ▪ “Ethnography of Young People in the Island of Talim: An Inquiry into Their Social Consciousness - Life’s Views, Aspirations and Dreams” (presented in Filipino)

PUBLICATIONS

Journals

Batan, C. M. (2009 - Forthcoming). *An exploratory view of ‘idle youth’ in the Philippines*. UNITAS.

Batan, C. M. (2007). Two Theoretical Perspectives on "Youth Work" in the Philippines. UNITAS, 80 (2), June 2007.

Batan, C. M. (2004). Rethinking Youth Transition: Directions for Future Research in Developing Societies. *Res Socialis: Journal of UST Social Research Center*, 1(2), 106-118.

Batan, C. M. (2004). Occupational aspirations of Filipino youth at the edge of the millennium: Gender, locality, education and social class and its influences on work choices. UNITAS, 77 (4), 505-506. ISSN 0041-7149.

Batan, C. M. (2004). Of strengths and tensions: A dialogue of ideas between the classics and Philippine sociology. UNITAS, 77 (2), 163-186. ISSN 0041-7149.

Batan, C.M. (June, 2001) *Education of the Filipino Rural Young in the Age of Information: Cases Drawn From Sociological Experience*. UNITAS. Quarterly Scholarly Journal of the University of Santo Tomas. Volume 74 No. 2. Pp. 211-222.

Batan, C.M. (January, 2001). *The Making of the Tomasian Cable TV*. Media.byte. Official Journal on Information Technology by the University of Santo Tomas. Volume I. No. 1.

Batan, C.M. (September, 1999) *Understanding the Audience*. The Ed Tech Journal. Educational Technology Center, University of Santo Tomas. Volume I. No. 1.

Books

Batan, C.M. (2009) Forthcoming. *Batong-bahay: Naratibo ng kahirapan at tagumpay ng isang karaniwang pamilyang Pilipino* (Stone house: A Filipino family's narrative of poverty and success) to be published in Filipino by the University of Santo Tomas Publishing House, Manila Philippines. [A creative non-fiction about his family.]

Batan, C.M. (2000) *TALIM: Mga Kuwento ng Sampung Kabataan* (TALIM: Lifestories of Ten Young People) published in Filipino by the Social Research Center, UST. [An advocacy book for rural youths with illustrations. Based on the MA thesis in Sociology, UP Diliman, Quezon City.]

Book chapter

Batan, C. M. (2005). Texting as style: Preliminary observation on cellular phone use among Filipino college students. In G. Holm & H. Helve (Eds.), *Contemporary Youth Research: Local Expressions and Global Connections*: Ashgate Publishing Company.

Conference proceedings

Batan, C. M. (Forthcoming) *Charting the Directions of Youth Transition Research in the Philippines: Proceedings of the International Youth Conference*. Colombo, Sri Lanka.

Batan, C. M., & Picadizo-Mechilina, M. V. D. (2005, December 5-9). (Forthcoming) *Linking Social Research to Policy Initiatives: The Case of the National Youth Commission - Report on the Situation of Youth in the Philippines*. Paper presented at the 7th International Conference on Asian Youth Issues, Education and Youth Affairs Bureau, Macau, China. (Proceeding)

Batan, C. M. (2005, December 5-9). (Forthcoming) *Interacting social dynamics in young people's social exclusion*. Paper presented at the 7th International Conference on Asian Youth Issues, Educational and Youth Affairs Bureau, Macau, China. (Proceeding)

Book reviewed

White, R., & Wyn, J. (2008). Youth and Social Change. In *Youth and Society: Exploring the Social Dynamics of Youth Experience* (2nd ed.). Melbourne: Oxford University Press.

AWARDS

NAME OF AWARD	YEAR
International Social Science Council (ISSC) Scholarship Award to attend the World Social Science Forum (WSSF) at Bergen, Norway	2009
Silver Series Research Award – Office of Research and Development, UST <i>(University research award)</i>	2008
<i>Outstanding Alumnus</i> , Binangonan Catholic College (formerly Binangonan Catholic High School), Binangonan, Rizal	2007
International Sociological Association (ISA) <i>Conference Travel Grant Recipient</i> , XVI ISA World Congress of Sociology at Durban, South Africa, 23-29 July 2006	2006
International Development Research Center Doctoral Research Award (IDRA) – International Development Research Center, Ottawa, Canada <i>(International award)</i>	2005
Silver Series Research Award – Office of Research and Development, UST <i>(University research award)</i>	2005
Faculty of Graduate Studies Scholarship Grant, Dalhousie University (Canada) <i>(International award)</i>	2004-2006
Government of Canada Award (GOC), Canadian Department of Foreign Affairs and International Trade, Federal Government of Canada <i>(International award)</i>	2002-2004
Silver Series Research Award – Office of Research and Development, UST <i>(University research award)</i>	2003
Silver Series Research Award – Office of Research and Development, UST <i>(University research award)</i>	2001
Award of Distinction (Municipality of Binangonan, Rizal) <i>(Community distinction award)</i>	2000
Lourdes Lontoc-Cruz Award (Best Thesis Award), UP Center for Women Studies Foundation <i>(Research award)</i>	1999
Certificate of Merit, University of the Philippines <i>(Academic award)</i>	1998
<i>Ten Outstanding Students of the Philippines</i> (TOSP) (National award)	1995
University of Santo Tomas Awards <i>Magna Cum Laude – AB Sociology</i> <i>Santo Tomas Aquinas Award (for exceptionally outstanding performance)</i> <i>Quezon Leadership Award (for leadership)</i> <i>Rector's Award (for academic excellence – class valedictorian)</i> <i>Benavides Award (for community leadership)</i> <i>Pope Leo XIII Communitarian Award (for best student organization)</i>	1995
<i>Valedictorian</i> with various leadership and literary awards Binangonan Catholic High School	1991
<i>Valedictorian</i> with various leadership and literary awards Binangonan Elementary School	1987

PROFESSIONAL MEMBERSHIPS

International

2002-present International Sociological Association (ISA)

**Board member; International Bulletin on Youth Research (IBYR) Newsletter editor – Research Committee 34 Sociology of Youth*

**Member, Research Committee 22, Sociology of Religion*

**Member, Research Committee 53, Sociology of Children*

2002-present Canadian Sociology and Anthropology Association

Student member

2002-present Sociology and Anthropology Student Association (SOSA),
Dalhousie University

Member

2003-2006 Canadian Centre for Policy Alternatives – Nova Scotia (CCPA-NS)

Steering Committee-member

National (Philippine-based)

1997 – 2002/2005-2007/2008-2009 Philippine Sociological Society

Assistant Secretary and Board of Director/Member/Board member

2005-2006 Ugnayang Pang-Agham Tao, Inc. (UGAT)
(Anthropology Association of the Philippines)

Member

2005-2006 Philippine Population Association

Member

2005-present Thomasian Scholars Alumni Association, Inc.

Member

1990 - 2000 Lingkod-Tao Kalikasan

Member

1991 – 1997 PUNLA: Kabataan Para sa Kalikasan

Founder-organizer and President

1993 - 1995 UST Sociological Society, *President*

ADDITIONAL PROFESSIONAL ACTIVITIES

Regularly attends symposia, forum and seminars of the Canadian Sociology and Anthropology Association (CSAA), Philippine Social Science Council (PSSC), Philippine Sociological Society (PSS), University of the Philippines, University of Santo Tomas and non-governmental organizations.

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