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OP-C-P-127 MTJA. Atienza

On-site dna extraction method for the detection of Escherichia coli o157:h7 using a DNA-based nanobiosensor

PP-C-NP-107 AAT Ko

In vitro characterization of biofilms of extended-spectrum beta-lactamase (ESBL)-producing Klebsiella pneumoniae in different temperatures, pH, incubation times, and salinities

PP-C-NP-119 EKP Say

Growth and fatty acid production of Halophytophthora sp. S13005YL1-3.1 isolated from mangrove leaves

PP-C-P-109 FF Coronado

Biological treatment of industrial wastewater from semiconductor industry

OP-C-P-157 SJAB Orense

Development of loop-mediated isothermal amplification primers for Philippine acute hepatopancreatic necrosis disease causing *Vibrio parahaemolyticus* isolate

PP-C-P-178 JAL Pajar

Winning the Endgame: within-host interactions among three fungal parasites of Brontispa longissima

PP-C-P-139 GJM Sikat

Encapsulation and biofilm formation of mixed-microbial isolates for a bioaugmentation strategy applicable to waste water treatment of quick service restaurants (QSRS)

PP-C-P-146 CMT Perez

Detection of bacterial laminarinase activity for possible application in ethanol production from algal hydrolysate of brown algae *Sargassum* sp., using halotolerant yeast

PP-C-P-194 TO Zulaybar

Efficacy of actinobacteria againsts three methicillin-resistant *Staphylococcus aureus* isolated from Batangas and Laguna dairy animals suffering from mastitis

PP-C-NP-138 MSD Toledo

Characterization of actinomycetes isolated from surface microlayer of Laguna de Bay and two estuarine ecosystems (Albay Gulf and Lingayen Gulf) in Luzon, Philippines



NON-COMPETING

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PP-NC-P-140 PC Ingalla

Optimization of Microplate Alamar Blue Assay through Dose Response Approach for High-throughput Screening of Bioactive Compounds from Sponge-derived Marine Microorganisms against ESKAPE

PP-NC-P-143 ST Maldia

Screening of Sponge-Associated Marine Microorganisms for Antimicrobial Activity

PP-NC-P-173 MSEP Subejano

Isolation and Screening for Antibacterial Activity of Actinomycetes from a Gold Mine Tailings Embankment in Itogon, Benguet, Philippines

PP-NC-P-126 WP C Buhian

Anti-protozoal potential of leaf and stem ethanol extracts from Muntingia calabura L. against Entamoeba histolytica

PP-C-NP-132 HJA Sanchez

Isolation of Extended Spectrum Beta-Lactamase (ESBL) Klebsiella pneumoniae from four provincial hospitals in Luzon and detection of blaCTX-M, blaOXA, blaSHV, and blaTEM genes

PP-NC-P-229 RB Navarro

Antifungal Susceptibility Pattern of Cryptococcusneoformans isolated among Filipinos with HIV infection

PP-NC-NP-149 JEL Daquioag

Morphological, Biochemical, and Molecular Identification of Methicillin-Susceptible and Methicillin-Resistant Staphylococcus aureus from Computer Peripherals in 27 Public Computer Service Providers in UP Diliman

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PP-NC-P-113 CAC Justo

An update on the phylogeny of parabasalids in the Philippines

PP-C-NP-135 JJG Guerrero

Screening for secondary metabolites of microfungal endophytes found in Canarium ovatum Engl.

PP-NC-P-144 CM Brown

Isolation, morphological characterization, and screening of indole-3-acetic acid bacteria from the filamentous Cyanobacteria, *Nostoc* sp.

PP-NC-P-171 VM Aquino

Molecular detection and genetic diversity of banana bract mosaic virus (BBrMV) in the Philippines

PP-NC-NP-176 CFC Barbosa

Molecular characterization of mushroom bacilliform virus isolated from Agaricus sp. in Baguio City, Philippines

PP-NC-P-117 NR Bolo

Detection of Cryptosporidium oocysts from bivalve samples using direct fluorescence antibody test

PP-NC-P-116 JLJ Gacad

Antiseptic alcohol alters the antibiotic susceptibility of Proteus mirabilis

PP-NC-P-124 AV Hallare

Next Generation Sequencing revealed dominant fungal population in collected dust from selected public school classrooms in Metro Manila

PP-NC-P-129 LMM Dalmacio

Bacterial community profiling of collected dust from selected public school classrooms in Metro Manila using next generation sequencing

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PP-NC-P-170 TD Balangcod

Screening of antibacterial activity from indigenous ethnomedicinal plants from Mount Polis, Mountain Province, Philippines

PP-NC-P-123 WL Rivera

Broad-spectrum beta-lactamases in Salmonella species isolated from slaughtered swine

PP-NC-P-184 ET Pilapil

Isolation of two azo dye decolorizing bacteria from wastewater effluent of a manufacturing factory

PP-NC-P-158 PG Vital

Cultural and molecular detection of Salmonella spp. and Escherichia coli in fresh produce from various open air markets in Philippines

PP-NC-P-111 PDM Santos

Molecular detection of *Salmonella* Serogroup O:7 and Serotype Choleraesuis and Infantis in meat products from selected Metro Manila wet markets

PP-C-P-161 JP Chae

The shift in swine fecal microbiota in response to prebiotic lactulose, probiotic *Enterococcus* and synbiotic mixture supplementation of feeds

DAY 2 (22 July 2016)

OP-NC-NP-225 RB Eugenio

Isolation, screening and identification of erythromycin resistant bacterial isolates from Aedes aegypti L. fourth instar gut

PP-NC-NP-100 SA Basit

In vitro predation of bacteriophage against metallo-Beta lactamase producing *Pseudomonas aeruginosa* towards phage therapy model

PP-NC-NP-202 MF Lazo

Isolation and characterization of virulent bacteriophages against methicillin resistant Staphylococcus aureus (MRSA)

PP-NC-P-104 AC Juayang

Antibiotic susceptibility of Neisseria gonorrhoeae in Bacolod City, Philippines

PP-NC-NP-193 JLdA Maagma

Influence of oral supplementation with *Chlorella sorokiniana* powder on the development of isoproterenol-induced myocardial infarction in a mouse model

PP-NC-P-230 TKAA Villarmino

Sentinel surveillance for etiological diagnosis of bacterial meningitis in the Philippines, 2015

PP-NC-NP-234 LBRO dela Peña

Detection and molecular characterization of *Cryptosporidium* spp. in green mussels (*Perna viridis*) from Quezon City wet markets

PP-NC-P-192 MR Calapardo

Screening for protease activity of selected probiotic lactic acid bacteria from Philippine fermented food

PP-NC-P-115 DEV Adao

Subtype diversity of *Blastocystis* sp. isolates from human, animal, and water samples in the Philippines

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PP-NC-P-177 JGG Española

Molecular characterization of a mycovirus isolated from cultivated Lentinula sp. In Benguet, Philippines

PP-NC-P-228 JMP Rapanut

Effect of National External Quality Assurance Scheme (NEQAS) in the development of quality in diagnostic bacteriology

PP-NC-P-233 MR Santiago

ß-galactosidase and bile salt hydrolase activity of probiotics isolated from cocowater kefir

PP-NC-P-215 RG Gicana

Improved eDNA extraction and low nutrient culturing methods reveal unusual bacterial taxa in the culturable microbiota of bacterial wilt-conducive and non-conducive soils

PP-NC-P-155 PG Vital

Detection of class I and II integrons among *Escherichia coli* isolates from agricultural irrigation waters in Bulacan, Philippines

OP-C-P-130 LGA Samaniego

Microbial flora in ukay-ukay clothing from flea markets in Valencia City, Bukidnon, Philippines

PP-C-NP-133 ZS Elumba

Inhibition of Pseudomonas aeruginosa biofilm formation using aqueous extracts of selected Basidiomycetes

OP-C-P-114 G Milanez

Molecular identification of amoeba isolates in the waters of Lake Taal

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PP-NC-NP-165 RQ Baculi

Diversity of enzyme- producing alkaliphilic and alkalitolerant bacteria cultivated from serpentinization-driven high pH groundwater in Zambales, Philippines

PP-C-NP-150 L Bañez

Identification of endophytic fungi of mangrove species in Prieto Diaz, Sorsorgon, Philippines

PP-NC-P-141 EDLR Arguelles

Phenotypic characterization and screening for nitrogen fixing capabilities of soil algae isolated from local rice fields of Los Baños, Laguna (Philippines)

PP-NC-P-213 PS San Jose

Growth improvement of marine hydrocolloid algal source by using locally produced organic seaweed fertilizers

PP-C-P-142 JMK Parami

Microbial-derived plant growth regulator nanoformulations and their application in the production of high value crops

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PP-NC-P-214 PJL Geraldino

Development of nano anti-microorganism agents using glycolipid biosurfactants derived from macroalgal feedstock bioconversion

PP-NC-P-211 JB Torreda

Influence of supplementation with lactic acid bacteria isolated from cottage cheese (kesong puti) on the lipid profile of hypercholesterolemic rats

PP-NC-P-145 CMT Perez

Culture optimization studies of priority sponge-derived marine bacteria for the production of potential anti-proliferative compounds

PP-C-NP-137 ZS Elumba

Effects of *Ganoderma applanatum* aqueous extracts on the expression of quorum sensing-controlled phenotypes of *Pseudomonas aeruginosa*

PP-NC-P-153 GM Penuliar

Prevalence, antimicrobial susceptibility pattern, and risk factors for colonization and multidrug resistance in Staphylococcus aureus isolates from the senior citizens of the Golden Reception and Action Center for the Elderly and other Special Cases (GRACES)

PP-NC-P-231 A Sadiasa

Detection of bacterial meningitis infection from children diagnosed of severe to very severe pneumonia with mortality outcome

PP-NC-P-238 A De Cadiz

Antimicrobial activity and phytochemical screening of the methanolic crude extracts of *Aglaia* spp and *Dillenia* philippinensis

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PP-NC-P-209 MC Cruz

Detection of β-lactamase gene that is prevalent among ESBL and non-ESBL-producing *E. coli* clinical isolates

PP-NC-P-197 JD Saguibo

Application of probiotic starter in some common food: smoothie, tempeh, yogurt drink and white cheese

PP-NC-P-195 F Elegado

Ethanol fermentation performance of acid-tolerant Saccharomyces cerevisiae 5N1 in blackstrap molasses

PP-NC-P-203 AG Estopace

Antimicrobial activities of the pulp extracts of two lesser-studied coffee varieties, liberica and excelsa

PP-NC-P-236 MJ Celofas

Effect of metal ions on the secondary metabolite production of Truncatella-associated bacteria

PP-NC-P-122 C Fadriquela

Identification of fungal (molds) isolates from the main façade doors of Malate Church, Manila, Philippines

PP-NC-NP-166 RQ Baculi

Optimization of pH and carbon sources in the protease and amylase production of *Exiguobacterium aurantiacum* and *Oceanobacillus* on corrynchi from a hyperalkaline spring

PP-NC-P-154 VB Argayosa

Incidence of fecal streptococci in open shallow wells in Quezon City

PP-NC-P-220 GC Doblas

Luminescent bacteria isolated from *Oreochromis niloticus* L. as potential agrochemical bioindicator

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PP-NC-P-224 JJ Abello

Antibiotic resistance among isolated *Escherichia coli* and *Salmonella* species in contaminated fresh produce from selected open air markets and supermarkets in the Philippines

PP-NC-P-191 IA Papa

Actinobacteria as biocontrol agents against Ralstonia solanacearum in tomato

PP-NC-P-196 PJC Gabo

Enhancement of vermicompost using the biofertilizer Bio-N

PP-NC-NP-185 JEL Daquioag

Prevalence and risk factor analysis of *Campylobacter* spp. colonization among domesticated dogs (*Canis familiaris*) in San Jose del Monte, Bulacan

PP-C-NP-187 ACR de Guzman

Screening of antibacterial activity of Senna alata Pers., Lagerstroemia speciose Roxb. and Terminalia microcarpa Decne. ethanolic extracts against extended spectrum β -Lactamase (ESBL) - producing bacteria isolated from blood of patients from a tertiary care hospital in Quezon City

OP-NC-P-221 AAA Hamid

The mechanistic role of active site residues in non-stereospecific α-haloacid dehalogenase E (DehE)

PP-NC-P-232 RL Banhaw

Prevalence of Vibrio cholerae Ogawa biotype El Tor in the Philippines for 2015