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Dear Doctor Santiago:

Greetings!

The Philippine College of Surgeons – Committee on Surgical Research thru Sub-Committee on Innovation and Technology (including Robotics) is proud to present the first ever PCS Innovation event **entitled "Innovation in November: The PCS Roadshow" to be held on November 17, 2024 (Sunday)**, 8am to 4pm at the Roma Salon in the Manila Hotel, Rizal Park, Ermita, Manila.

Highlights:

Talks on How to start your Start Up, Building your Prototype, How to protect your Ideas, Securing Funding Innovation Booths featuring local and international companies Round table discussion by Venture Capital on "State of Medical Start-ups in the Philippines"

We are humbly inviting you and the members of the Philippine Hospital Association to attend the event as we seek to strengthen and interlink the different stakeholders and drivers for innovation in the country. We recognize your organization holds a crucial role in shaping the national healthcare system.

We would be honored if you can grace us in this event.

Please feel free to communicate with our Committee Secretary Gayle Marquez thru 0917-6200280 should you have any queries or concerns.

Sincerely,

FOR: SUB-COMMITTEE ON INNOVATION AND TECHNOLOGY (including Robotics)

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