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**Date of Birth:** March 14, 1983

**Civil Status:** Single

**Citizenship:** Filipino

**Job Objectives:** A profession in the academe that involves teaching and research of gender historical studies

**Education:** Master of Arts (2009-present)  
Major in History-Thesis track  
Ateneo de Manila University

Bachelor of Arts (2007)  
Major in History  
Minor in Japanese Studies  
Office of Admission and Aid Scholar  
Ateneo de Manila University

**Co-Curricular Activities:** Course Representative (2006-2007), Sanggunian ng mga Mag-aaral ng Ateneo (Student Council)  
Finance & Marketing Committee (2006-2007), Ateneo Student Exchange Council  
Web Writer, Member (2003-2004), The Guidon

**Work Related Experience:** *Assistant Program Coordinator,  
The Nippon Foundation Fellowship for Asian Public Intellectuals  
Ateneo de Manila University (2010-Present)*

- Arranged the logistical needs for the Asian Public Intellectuals Philippine Partner Institution and its events
- Handled financial processes such as orders for checks and purchase requisitions
- Communicated with various professors, fellows, and staff of other institutions who are associated with the fellowships

*Teaching Assistant under Dr. Karl Ian Cheng Chua, History Department, Ateneo de Manila University (2010)*

- Assisted Dr. Cheng Chua in handling the class
- Conducted lectures about Asian History in the absence of Dr. Cheng Chua

*Graduate Assistant, History Department, Ateneo de Manila University (2009-2010)*

- Assisted in designing the collaterals, communications, and logistics for various lectures handled by the department.
- Substituted for various classes to handle small tasks such as film viewing and class activities in the teacher's absence

*Contributor, thepoc.net, Vibal Publishing (2008-2009)*

- Contributed articles to thepoc.net
- Created preliminary designs for the magazine

*Contributor, Manila Bulletin (2008)*

- Contributed an article for the Manila Bulletin's Youth section

*Technical Writer, S3 Technology Products, Lawson PSSC Inc. (2007-2009)*

- Certified to install and document Lawson's Technology Products such as their System Foundation software which utilized IBM Websphere.
- Analyzed support cases with valuable information that could be placed in the Lawson Knowledge Base.
- Created and published Knowledge Base articles on the Lawson Support site based on support cases filed by clients.
- Developed the process in analyzing the Zero Hit Report, a report that outlined the search queries done on the Lawson Knowledge Base.
- Studied and analyzed client's search trends and needs based on the Zero Hit Report in order to generate more content for the Knowledge Base.
- Communicated with Support Engineers regularly to ask frequent client concerns and problems with regards to the product.
- Received training in the US office for other Lawson add-in products such as Requisition Self-Service, a tool that allowed basic procurement of goods within a company using Lawson Software.
- Conducted training to new support engineers on how to promote cases in the Lawson Knowledge Base.

*Writer, Quick Jump (QJ.net) Inc. (2006-2007)*

- Wrote articles for various game news and reviews for the QJ.net website.
- Translated Japanese game news feeds from Japanese to English.

*Translator, Hero TV (2006)*

- Translated episodes of Yakitate!Japan from Japanese to English

*Tutor, Lado Tutorial (2003-2005)*

- Taught basic subjects to high school and grade school students

*Barista, Rustan's Coffee Corporation – Starbucks (2002-2003)*

- Underwent Barista training and served drinks for the establishment

## **Seminars & Conferences**

Presenter, 3rd JSA-ASEAN International Conference

(University of Malaya – MAJAS, February 2012)

*Welcoming Otaku: History and Transformations of Otaku in the Philippines*

Presenter, 2011 International Comic Arts Forum

(Center for Cartoon Studies, October 2011)

*The Warping of Japanese Youth Culture through English Fan Scanlations*

Presenter, 2010 Singapore Toy, Game, & Comic Convention

(National University of Singapore, December 2010)

*More than just Boys: A History of the Changing Images of Gender in Weekly Shōnen Jump.*

Presenter, 15<sup>th</sup> Graduate Student Philippine Studies Forum of Japan

(Osaka University, July 2010)

*The Pinoy in Kenkoy: A Hilarious Formation of National Identity from 1929-1941*

Participant, 19<sup>th</sup> International Association of the Historians of Asia

Convention (November 2006)

Participant, Ateneo and UA&P Asian Studies Convention

(February 2006)

Presenter, Ateneo and UA&P Asian Studies Convention

(February 2006)

*Looking at Changes: A Study of Women in Japan from 1897-1912 through Yoshitoshi's Fūzoku Sanjūniso*

## **Skills:**

I have a level 3 Japanese Proficiency exam certificate. I can read, write, and speak intermediate Japanese. I have great research skills with training in historical research particularly in Asian and Philippine social history and cultural studies. I am knowledgeable in web programming technologies, such as HTML, PHP, Flash, Java, and AJAX, and graphic design technologies such as Adobe Photoshop, Adobe Illustrator, and Adobe In-Design. I have been certified in installing and doing basic troubleshooting processes products such as IBM WebSphere, BouncyCastle, and Lawson S3 ERP software.

**Interests:**

In terms of research, my interests include gender, social history & memory, and Asian cultural studies. Personally, I enjoy reading books and comics, and traveling.

**References:**

Dr. Filomeno Aguilar, Jr.  
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