



Academe and Civil Society Coalition for Voters Empowerment

Unity Statement of the Academe and Civil Society Coalition for Voters Empowerment

On 9 May 2022, over 65 million voters will decide who shall lead the country out of the COVID-19 pandemic-induced crisis and into sustained growth.

It is therefore crucial that this choice be an informed one – that it be based on issues, platforms, and programs, rather than just on personalities and narrow interests. The need for voters to be informed, educated, and enlightened is more critical than ever.

Academe and Civil Society United

We, the undersigned leaders of our Colleges and Universities, have banded together to form this Coalition, along with the undersigned leaders of people's organizations, business associations, and media outfits, hereby pledge to take on this challenge.

Issues-based Public Forums and Debates

Thus, the Coalition, with the invaluable support of its partners, will hold a series of forums, culminating in a debate, to identify and thresh out the issues that affect the Filipino people, as well as elicit from the Presidential candidates what their positions are on these issues, and how they plan to address them.

In this, we stand in solidarity with the Filipino people as we strive to make the best decision possible for the nation's future.

