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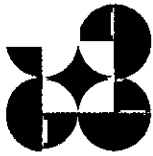
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Notwithstanding, the said cancellation, the Call for Proposals under the **DOST- Science for Change Program (S4CP)** will proceed as scheduled. We enjoin all researchers, HEIs/RDIs, and private companies to submit proposals that are aligned with the priority areas on the specified dates. The deadline for submission of proposals is on 15 April 2020. For full details of the call please visit this link <http://www.dost.gov.ph/knowledge-resources/downloads/category/119-science-for-change-program-s4cp.html>

Thank you very much.

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DOST Councils	Submission Dates
National Research Council of the Philippines (NRCP)	01 April 2020 – 1 May 2020
Philippine Council for Health Research and Development (PCHRD)	01 April 2020 – 1 May 2020
Philippine Council for Industry, Energy, and Emerging Technology Research and Development (PCIEERD)	4 May 2020 – 29 May 2020
Philippine Council for Agriculture, Aquatic, and Natural Resources Research and Development (PCAARRD)	1 June 2020 – 3 July 2020

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	Priority areas
1	National Integrated Basic Research Agenda <ul style="list-style-type: none"> - Water Security - Food and Nutrition Security - Health Sufficiency - Clean Energy - Sustainable Communities - Inclusive Nation Building
2	Health <ul style="list-style-type: none"> - Mental Health - Functional Foods - Disaster Risk Reduction and Climate Change Adaptation in Health - Dengue and Other Arboviruses\Biomedical Engineering and Health Technologies - OMIC Technologies for Health - Diagnostics - ICT for Health
3	Industry, Energy and Emerging Technology <ul style="list-style-type: none"> - Integrated Program for Cleaner and Revitalized Environment (I-CARE) Program - Agro-industrial Program - Natural Products Program - Textile Programs - Advanced Materials, nanotechnology, and Photonics - ICT Sector - Emerging Technologies - Metals and Engineering - Mining and Minerals - Food Sector - Creative Industry Sector
4	Agriculture, Aquatic, Natural Resources <ul style="list-style-type: none"> - Priority Agricultural Crops - Smart Farming - Biodiversity - Policy Studies - Technology Transfer