# Maria Ivy M. Guese

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#### **Profile**

Dynamic and results-driven professional with over 10 years of experience in education and customer service, specializing in computer programming and instructional design. Proven ability to manage multiple priorities while fostering a collaborative team environment. Adept at utilizing diverse programming languages including C++, Python, and JavaScript, complemented by strong organizational and problem-solving skills. Passionate about leveraging technology to enhance learning experiences and improve student outcomes. Seeking a full-time role that challenges skills and fosters professional growth in innovative, technology-driven projects. Committed to contributing expertise with minimal supervision, driving exceptional results through a proactive approach, and ensuring efficient achievement of organizational goals.

# **Professional Experience**

**Program Head** at Don Honorio Ventura State University November 2019 - January 2024

- Assisted the Dean in strategic planning and implementation of college initiatives aligned with the University's mission and objectives
- Coordinated faculty workload distribution, ensuring equitable subject allocation each semester
- Developed and managed semester schedules for rooms, classes, and instructors, optimizing resource utilization
- Conducted regular faculty evaluations and classroom observations to maintain high standards of instruction
- Fostered a positive learning environment by promoting orderly behavior and discipline among students and faculty
- Facilitated interdepartmental collaboration, coordinating with various university offices to complete assigned tasks
- Supported faculty in research initiatives and community service projects, aligning with university goals

# College Instructor at Don Honorio Ventura State University

June 2010 - January 2024

- Enhanced student comprehension through diverse teaching methods, including lectures, discussions, and group activities
- Collaborated on curriculum development, incorporating best practices for effective instruction
- Mentored new faculty members, promoting professional growth within the teaching community
- Designed course materials aligned with learning objectives while meeting diverse student needs

### Customer Consultant at Convergys / Concentrix

October 2006 - April 2010

- Enhanced customer satisfaction by efficiently resolving technical issues and providing exceptional support
- Streamlined client onboarding process with effective communication and timely follow-ups
- Consistently met or exceeded performance metrics, demonstrating strong commitment to customer success
- Provided empathetic support during challenging situations, increasing customer trust and loyalty

### Administrative Clerk at PGA Sompo Japan Insurance, Inc.

August 2006 - October 2006

- Enhanced office organization through regular maintenance of files, records, and supplies inventory
- Provided support for meetings by scheduling appointments and preparing materials
- Assisted in financial tasks, including checking Daily Time Records and preparing payroll
- Facilitated interdepartmental communication and managed incoming calls professionally

## **Educational Background**

Software Engineering Technician (Fast-Track)

Centennial College, August 2025

#### Post-Graduate Certificate in Project Management

Centennial College, August 2024

#### Master in Information Technology

Holy Angel University, November 2018

#### Bachelor of Science in Computer Science

University of the Assumption, April 2006

#### Skills

- Proficient in C++, Python, HTML, CSS, JavaScript, PHP, and SQL.
- Skilled in Microsoft Word, Excel, PowerPoint, Publisher, Project, and Google Workspace.
- Strong verbal and written communication skills, with a focus on conflict resolution and staff development.
- Experienced in delivering and teaching modules, curriculum development, online class discussions, and student performance evaluation.
- Competent in creating engaging course materials.
- Possessed a strong aptitude for self-directed learning, allowing me to quickly master new software applications and tools on my own.