



Jose Emmanuel B. Sanchez

We're told to hold our breath underwater, but in the sea that was college, Jose sometimes forgot to come up for air — sometimes he may not have even wanted to. There is truly something exhilarating about letting go and losing yourself in the push and pull of things. Of course, there were highs, and there were lows; Jose kept himself afloat through it all. But now at the end of the sea is the vast ocean, a new adventure.

You can do it, Jose. I believe in you.
(M. Gaddi)



Maria Patricia D. Santos

For Pat, the urge to help a friend comes naturally. An altruist at heart, she is always ready to set aside whatever she is doing to give all that she can: her presence and time, all without asking for anything in return beyond an intimate moment shared with those closest to her. Though college may not have been easy with the countless times she has fallen asleep while studying, Pat has found herself a home in the vast network of friends she has helped throughout her stay. (M. Bartolome)