

REGIONAL INVENTION CONTEST AND EXHIBIT &  
NATIONAL INVENTION CONTEST AND EXHIBIT

# R N ICE

BRIEFER



Department of Science and Technology  
**TECHNOLOGY APPLICATION AND  
PROMOTION INSTITUTE**



The **Regional Invention Contest and Exhibit (RICE)** is a nationwide activity which recognizes the indispensability of the Filipino inventors for national economic development. The regional contest serves as the qualifying round for the national contest.

The **National Invention Contest and Exhibit (NICE)**, on the other hand, is a biennial activity which showcases the Filipino's innovative creativity.

## CATEGORIES

***Tuklas Award*** is given to the most outstanding invention with demonstrable qualities and potential for widespread commercialization.

***Outstanding Utility Model*** is given to outstanding new model of implements or tools or of any industrial product.

***Outstanding Industrial Design*** is given to outstanding new, original, and ornamental design for an article of manufacture.

***Likha Award*** reflects the potential of a research into a relevant, commercially viable technology.

***Sibol Award*** is given to the most outstanding invention or creative research for both high school and college students.

For more information, please contact:

**RODELIA R. PADILLA**

Technology Information and Promotion Division  
8372071 loc. 2153 and 2162 | [tapi.dost@yahoo.com](mailto:tapi.dost@yahoo.com)