

# Calendar of Literary Events





# Notable Literary Events from December 2012 to December 2013

December 2012		
Date	Event	Participants   Winners
December 7	16th Writers Night	
December 7	12th Madrigal-Gonzalez Best First Book Award awarding ceremony	<i>Bugtong ng Buwan at Iba Pang Kuwento</i> by Will P. Ortiz
January 2013		
January 25	Student Media Office Comic Convention	
February 2013		
February 11–15	Brushes with Words and Chords 2013: A Collaboration of the Center for Creative Writing and Literary Studies with the Faculty of Arts and Letters, College of Architecture, College of Fine Arts and Design, Faculty of Medicine and College of Science and Conservatory of Music	
February 14	International Book Giving Day	
February 21	“Women Writers in Media Now” in Aliww Exhibit Opening	

<b>February 2013</b>		
February 23	Neal Imperial's <i>Silver Fish</i> , <i>Hook of Moon</i> Book Launch	
February 28	2013 Amelia Lapeña-Bonifacio Literary Awards	<p><b>Poetry</b>  <i>First Prize:</i> "Insects" by Gerardo Gabriel Quiroz Mantaring  <i>Second Prize:</i> "Eurydice, Rebooted and Other Poems" by Evangeline B. Gubat  <i>Third Prize:</i> "Film Scores, Noir and Nearly" by Andrew Albert Jao Ty  <i>Honorable Mention:</i> "Tripping in Isolation" by Maria Ysabel De La Cruz Caballes</p> <p><b>Short Story</b>  <i>First Prize:</i> "Transit" by Jaimee Faith J. Santos  <i>Second Prize:</i> "The Marching of the Ants" by Dominic Paul Chow Sy  <i>Third Prize:</i> "Dead Things" by Ernest Jean Angeles</p> <p><b>Creative Nonfiction</b>  <i>Third Prize:</i> "Into the World of a Home Not Lost" by Cyrene Joy L. Ela</p>
February 28	UP Press Book Launch: Ten New Titles	<p><i>Hoard of Thunder: Philippine Short Stories in English 1990 to 2008</i> Volumes I and II edited by Gémino H. Abad  <i>The Best of Philippine Speculative Fiction 2005–2010</i> edited by Dean Francis and Nikki Alfara  <i>The Foundation Course in College Chemistry</i> by Marcelita Coronel-Magno  <i>Science Philippines</i> Volumes I and II edited by Gisela P. Padilla-Concepcion  <i>Archeology and Emerging Kabikolan</i> by Andrea Malaya M. Ragrajo  <i>Filipino Crosscurrents</i> by Kale Bantigue Fajardo  <i>The Political Supreme Court</i> by Pacifico Agabin  <i>Supremo</i> by Domingo and Edna May Landicho</p>
<b>March 2013</b>		
March 1	The Space of Travel Writing and the Filipino Gaze: A Lecture by Dr. Carla Locatelli from University of Trento	

<b>March 2013</b>	
March 1	<p>28th DLSU Annual Awards for Literature</p> <p><b>Short Story</b>  <i>Third Place: "Buhusan"</i> by Jonnah Dayuta  <i>Honorable Mention: "How to Find Sunlight"</i> by Manuel Villa III</p> <p><b>Poetry</b>  <i>First Honorable Mention: "Ninety-Ten"</i> by Rachelle Cedillo  <i>Second Honorable Mention: "Birthday Gifts"</i> by Jeremy Yumul  <i>Third Honorable Mention: "Paintings of Still Life"</i> by Almira Joy Jota</p> <p><b>Tula</b>  <i>Special Award: "Balik-tanaw"</i> by Ma. Clarissa Flores</p> <p><i>Winner for Literary Arts Category: Romulo Baquiran Jr.</i></p>
March 8	5th Ani ng Dangal Awards
March 8	Virgilio S. Almario's Ang Romansa ng Pagsagip ng Osong Marso/The Rescue of the March Bear: A Romance Book Launch
March 9	Marcial P. Lichauco and Carlos L. Quirino's Mabuhay! Book Launch
March 12	Baboo Mondoñedo's Stepping Stones Book Relaunch
March 16	The Nomads Quarterly Magazine Launch
March 21	"The Spaces of Southeast Asian Studies" Inaugural Lecture by Professor Emeritus Resil Mojares at De La Salle-Manila
March 23	Lit & the Verve: Malate Literary Folio Tomo XXX Blg. 1 Book Launch
March 23	Writers' Group "Mga Agos ng Disyerto" Pays Tribute to Dr. Bienvenido Lumbera

<b>March 2013</b>	
March 31–April 8	<p>52nd National Writers Workshop</p> <p><b>Fellows</b> <i>English</i></p> <p>Thomas David Chavez, Ralph Semino Galan, Anna Maria Harper, Gabriela Alejandra Lee, Chairmaine Carreon, John Jack Wigley</p> <p><i>Filipino</i></p> <p>Richard Gappi Jim, Libiran Chuckberry Pascual, Rommel Rodriguez, Beverly Siy, Emmanuel Velasco</p>
<b>April 2013</b>	
April 12 to 16	73rd National Student Press Convention
April 21 to 27	<p>13th IVAS National Writers Workshop</p> <p><b>Fellows</b></p> <p><i>Fiction (English)</i></p> <p>Leon Cedric Tan, Michael Aaron Gomez</p> <p><i>Fiction (Filipino)</i></p> <p>Danilo Niño Calalang, Jay Jomar Quintos</p> <p><i>Fiction (Cebuano)</i></p> <p>Manuel Avenido Jr., Kareen Kristeen Bughaw</p> <p><i>Poetry (English)</i></p> <p>Stefani Patricia, Kelly Tran Roberto, Klemente Timonera</p>
April 21 to 27	<p>13th IVAS National Writers Workshop</p> <p><i>Poetry (Filipino)</i></p> <p>Rommel Roxas, John Elmar Templonuevo</p> <p><i>Poetry (Cebuano)</i></p> <p>Ma. Carmie Flor Ortego, Erik Enriquez Tuban</p> <p><i>Poetry (Hiligaynon)</i></p> <p>JP Anthony Cuñada, Winston Gallo, Nikos Primavera</p>
April 21 to 27	<p>Kritika 2013: National Workshop on Art and Cultural Criticism</p> <p><b>Fellows for Literature</b></p> <p>Ronn Andrew Angeles, Glenn Diaz, Wennielyn Fajilan</p>

<b>April 2013</b>	
April 23	"Reading Rocks, Copyright Rules!": 2013 World Book and Copyright Day
April 26	IYAS Anthology Book Launch
April 26 to 28	Angono Summer Writers Workshop
April 27	"Off the Ground": High Chair Book Launch
<b>May 2013</b>	
May 1 to 4	11th San Agustin Writers Workshop <b>Fellows</b> Fraire Acupan, Kate Justine Cabras, Mae Sheilou Conserva, Meryl Panuncio, Stephanie Grace Dela Cruz, Michael Angelou Centino, Nikos Primavera, Joseph Francis Jamora, Alfredo Miguel Maputol, Karla Marie Quimsing
May 4	National Comic Book Day
May 4	Rimpos Art-Literature Exhibit Opening
May 6	52nd Silliman Writers Workshop <i>Poetry</i> Nolin Adrian de Pedro, Corina Marie B. Arenas, Brylle Bautista Tabora, Lyde Gerard Villanueva, Trish Shishikura <i>Fiction</i> Rhea Politado, Sophia Marie Lee, Tracey de la Cruz, Patricia Verzo <i>Creative Nonfiction</i> Arnie Q. Mejia, Ana Felisa Lorenzo, Jennifer de la Rosa, Balboa Drama, Mario Mendez
May 20 to 24	20th Iligan Workshop <b>Luzon Play</b> Dominique Beatrice T. La Victoria (English) <i>Fiction</i> Laurence F. Roxas (English) <i>Poetry</i> Ma. Amparo N. Warren (English), Louise Vincent B. Amante (Filipino)

<b>May 2013</b>	
May 20 to 24	<p>20th Iligan Workshop</p> <p><b>Visayas Fiction</b> Nikos H. Primavera (English) <i>Poetry</i></p> <p>Ma. Carmie Flor I. Ortego (Waray)</p> <p><b>Mindanao Fiction</b> Edgar R. Eslit (Sebuano), Rolly Jude M. Ortega (English) <i>Poetry</i></p> <p>Amelia Catarata Bojo (Sebuano), Marc Josiah Pranza (English), Shem S. Linozon (Higaunon), Vera Mae F. Cabatana (English)</p>
May 25	Philippine PEN launches Two Voices and Global Filipino Crossing Borders
May 26 to June 1	<p>5th UST National Workshop on Arts and Criticism</p> <p><b>Fellows</b> Roy Tristan Agustin, Jay Jomar B. Buntos, Charmaine L. Carreon, Paul Castillo, Bernadette Irinco, Maria Karaan, Vivien V. Labastilla, Maria Pamela Peralejo Punzalan, Tito R. Quiling Jr., Annette Soriano, Angela L. Velasco, Cindy Velasquez</p>
May 28 to 29	Asian Festival of Children's Content 2013 (Singapore)
May 28 to 30	Albasa Book Fair
May 30 to 31	National Book Dev't Board's Little Lit Festival
May 31	Mini Komikon Night
<b>June 2013</b>	
Saturdays	Weekends With Sipat: Blank-Ticketed Workshops
June 30	<p>Write We Did Not Burn All Their Villages: Four Poets Read Their Work and Those of the Great Dead</p> <p>Featuring the works of: Taryn Schwillling Isaac Sullivan Francisco "Kokoy" Guevara Marc Escalona Gaba</p>



<b>July 2013</b>	
July 3	DLSU Publishing House launches Feorillo Demeterio III's Ferdinand Blumentritt and the Philippines: Insights and Lessons for Contemporary Philippine Studies
July 8 to 12	17th Philippine Academic Book Fair
July 14	Freelance Writers' Guild of the Philippines' Openbook Event "Truth Hurts"
July 16	30th National Children's Book Day
<b>July 2013</b>	
July 17	Child's Play: A Forum on Children's Literature hosted by UP Lingua Franca  UST Publishing House Launches Nikki Alfar's Now, Then, and Elsewhen  UP Press launches Urian Anthology 2000-2009: The Rise of the Philippine New Wave Indie Film  <b>Speakers: Bernadette Neri, Eugene Evasco, Heidi Emily Abad, Genaro Gojo-Cruz, Bebang Siy, Hubert Fucio, and Annie Lumbao from Ilustrador ng Kabataan (INK), Representatives from Kuwentista ng mga Tsikiting (KUTING)</b>
July 29	
<b>August 2013</b>	
August 13 to 15	7th Philippine Book, Information Science and Technology Conference and Fair
August 14	Kritika Kultura launches Double Issue (21 and 22)
August 17	KUTING Kwentuhan Series: Introduction to Writing for Children  Lecture by: Ms. Heidi Abad

<b>August 2013</b>	
August 23	<p>UP Press launches 12 New Titles</p> <p>Titles Include: <i>Tapping Ink, Tattooing Identities</i> by Anilyn V. Salvador-Amores, <i>Introduction to Statistics and Econometrics</i> Second Edition by Rolando A. Danao, <i>Mindanao on My Mind and Other Musings</i> by Nikki Rivera Gomez, <i>The Urian Anthology 2000–2009</i> edited by Nicanor G. Tiongson, <i>Islamic Far East</i> by Isaac Donoso, <i>Mga Tula</i> by Gelacio Guillermo, <i>Virtual Nation</i> by Sylvia L. Mayuga, <i>The Farthest Shore</i> edited by Dean Francis Alfara and Joseph Frederic F. Nacino, <i>Diaspora Ad Astra</i> edited by Emil Flores and Joseph Frederic F. Nacino, <i>Travelbook: Poems</i> by Shane Carreon, <i>Shockbox</i> by Kulas Talon, <i>Costly Wars, Elusive Peace</i> by Miriam Coronel Ferrer</p>
August 31	Anvil Publishing Inc. Launches Paz Verdades Santos' The Naga We Know Book Launch
<b>September</b>	
September 1	<p>Palanca Awards 2013</p> <p><b>Short Story (Cebuano)</b>  <i>First Place:</i> "Tubod" by Jona Branzuela Bering  <i>Second Place:</i> "Ang Batang Tamsi" by Richel G. Dorotan  <i>Third Place:</i> "Padre Botox" by Noel P. Tuazon</p> <p><b>Short Story (Hiligaynon)</b>  <i>First Place:</i> "Si Padre Olan Kag Ang Dios" by Peter Solis Nery  <i>Second Place:</i> "Ulubrahon" by Norman Tagudinay Darap  <i>Third Place:</i> "Torbiik" by Alice Tan Gonzales</p> <p><b>Short Story (Iluco)</b>  <i>First Place:</i> No winner  <i>Second Place:</i> "Bagnos Payegpeg" by Danilo B. Antalan  <i>Third Place:</i> "Ti Palmed Ni Katugangak" by Gorgonia B. Serrano</p> <p><b>Essay</b>  <i>First Place:</i> "The Krakauer Table" by Shakira Andrea C. Sison  <i>Second Place:</i> "Under My Invisible Umbrella" by Laurel Anne Fantauzzo  <i>Third Place:</i> "Voices from the Village" by Maria Neobie G. Gonzalez</p>

	<p style="text-align: center;"><b>September</b></p> <p><b>Kabataan Essay</b>  <i>First Place:</i> "Hymns of the Mountains, Dreams of the Stars" by Christian M. Lopez  <i>Second Place:</i> "Panacea" by Vicah Adrienne P. Villanueva  <i>Third Place:</i> "Manifesto of Literature" by Pauline Samantha B. Sagayo</p> <p><b>Tula</b>  <i>First Place:</i> "Manansala" by Enrique S. Villasis  <i>Second Place:</i> "Asal-Hayop" by Mark Anthony Angeles  <i>Third Place:</i> "Lobo sa Loob" by Kristian Sendon Cordero</p> <p><b>Tulang Pambata</b>  <i>First Place:</i> "Harana ng Kuliglig" by Eugene Y. Evasco  <i>Second Place:</i> "Family Tree ng Tumubo sa Anit" by April Jade I. Biglaen  <i>Third Place:</i> "Sisid" by Alvin Capili Ursua</p> <p><b>Maikling Kuwento</b>  <i>First Place:</i> "Bayanggudaw" by Lilia Quindoza Santiago  <i>Second Place:</i> "Pamamanhikan" by Bernadette Villanueva Neri  <i>Third Place:</i> "Ad Astra per Aspera" by Kristian Sendon Cordero</p> <p><b>Maikling Kuwentong Pambata</b>  <i>First Place:</i> "Ang Paglalakbay ni Pipoy Piso" by Maryrose Jairene C. Cruz  <i>Second Place:</i> "Ang Singing-Pari sa Pisara" by Eugene Y. Evasco and Chris Martinez  <i>Third Place:</i> "Salusalo Para Kay Kuya" by Lucky Virgo Joyce Tinio</p> <p><b>Nobela</b>  <i>Grand Prize:</i> Tatlong Gabi, Tatlong Araw ni Eros Sanchez Atalia</p> <p><b>Dulang Pampelikula</b>  <i>First Place:</i> No winner  <i>Second Place:</i> Kung Paano Maghiwalay by George A. de Jesus III  <i>Third Place:</i> The Revenge of the Comfort Woman by Patrick John R. Valencia</p>
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<b>September</b>	
	<p><b>Short Story for Children</b>  <i>First Place:</i> "Marvino's League of Superheroes" by Nadeth Rae E. Rival  <i>Second Place:</i> "The Magic Bahag" by Cheeno Marlo Sayuno  <i>Third Place:</i> "A Thousand Paper Cranes" by Patricia Marie Grace S. Gomez</p> <p><b>Full-Length Play</b>  <i>First Place:</i> End of the Gallows by Jay M. Crisostomo IV  <i>Second Place:</i> The Son of Ashes by Mario L. Mendez Jr.  <i>Third Place:</i> Collection by Floy C. Quintos</p> <p><b>One-Act Play</b>  <i>First Place:</i> Blue Eyes by Allan B. Lopez  <i>Second Place:</i> Debrief by Lystra Aranal  <i>Third Place:</i> Call of Duty by Danilo Nino Calalang</p> <p><b>Poetry</b>  <i>First Place:</i> Pastoral and Other Poems by Mikael de Lara Co  <i>Second Place:</i> Crown for Maria by Carlomar Arcangel Daoana  <i>Third Place:</i> Animal Experiments by Joy Anne Icayan</p> <p>Speakers: Carljoe Javier, Manix Abrera, Carlo Vergara</p>
September 3	<p>USTingan: A Round Table Discussion on the Graphic Novel, Graphic Fiction &amp; The Comics</p>
September 7	Aklatan: The First All-Filipino Book Festival
September 9 to 11	Asian Development Bank Book Fair
September 10 to 12	National Conference on Language and Literature
September 11 to 15	34th Philippine Book Fair
	<p>Organized by: Department of English and Comparative Literature of the University of the Philippines Diliman College English Teachers' Association  Council of Department Chairpersons of English In partnership with Primetrade Asia, Inc.</p>

<b>September</b>	
September 14 to 15	<p>The Varsitarian's 9th Creative Writing Workshop</p> <p><b>Fellows</b> Rommel Roxas, Hans Malgapu, Reinalyn Domasig, Patricia Villaraza Ephraim, Bie Micah Carando, Iza Gonzalez, Alpine Moldez, Katherine Cordero, Glenn Pernes, Irish Foia, Riiel Reyes</p> <p>Lecture by: May Tobias Papa</p>
September 21	<p>KUTING Kwentuhan Series: Writing Picture Books</p>
September 25	<p>2013 Maningning Miclat Poetry Awards</p> <p><b>Winners</b> <i>Poetry in Filipino:</i> Phillip Yerro Kimpo Jr. <i>Poetry in English:</i> Nolin Adrian de Pedro <i>Poetry in Chinese:</i> Chen Xiao Yan</p>
September 27	<p>Project Pasinaya: The Lorena Barros Hall Inauguration and Cultural Night</p>
September 27 to 29	<p>UK's The Script Factory Workshop</p> <p>Organized by: Cinemanila and the British Council</p>
<b>October 2013</b>	
October 13 to 19	<p>17th Graciano Lopez Jaena Community Journalism Workshop</p> <p><b>Fellows</b> Bernardino Balabo, Jefferson Caparas, Janess Ann Ellao, Ofelia Empian, Marvin David Ferraz, Charmaine Ivy Hernando, Ainjeliz Orong, Carla Padilla, Jessa Mardy Polonio, Rommel Rutor, Macey Salabit, John Rizle Saligumba, Seymour Sanchez, Divina Suson, Iza Darlene, Cay Luis, Adrian Hidalgo, Candeze Mongaya, Vince Alvic Nonato</p>
October 18 to 20	<p>2nd Filipino American International Book Festival</p>

October 24	<p data-bbox="189 142 212 1491">32nd National Book Awards</p> <p data-bbox="223 142 246 1491"><b>October 2013</b></p> <p data-bbox="258 142 281 1491"><b>Juan C. Laya Prize for Best Novel in a Philippine Language</b>  <i>Sa Kasunod ng 909</i> by Edgar Calabia Samar</p> <p data-bbox="292 142 315 1491"><b>Juan C. Laya Prize for Best Novel in a Foreign Language</b>  <i>Margosatubig: The Story of Salagunting</i> by Ma. Cecilia Locsin-Nava,  translated from Margosatubig (1946) by Ramon L. Muzones</p> <p data-bbox="327 142 350 1491"><b>Cirilo F. Bautista Prize for Best Book of Short Fiction in English</b>  <i>After the Body Displaces Water</i> by Daryll Delgado</p> <p data-bbox="361 142 384 1491"><b>Best Book of Nonfiction Prose in English</b>  <i>Hour Before Dawn: The Fall and Uncertain Rise of the Philippine Supreme Court</i> by Marites Dañgualan Vitug</p> <p data-bbox="396 142 419 1491"><b>Best Book of Nonfiction Prose in Filipino</b>  <i>Mga Angst ng Isang Di-mahapayang Gatang</i> by Resty Mendoza Ceña</p> <p data-bbox="430 142 453 1491"><b>Best Book of Nonfiction Prose in Kapampangan</b>  <i>Gále at Gósu: Para Karing Mal A Patulunan</i> by Crispin Nacpil Cadiang</p> <p data-bbox="464 142 487 1491"><b>Best Anthology in English</b>  <i>Hoard of Thunder: Philippine Short Stories in English, 1990 to 2008</i>, 2 volumes, edited by Gémimo H. Abad</p> <p data-bbox="499 142 522 1491"><b>Philippine Literary Arts Council Prize for Best Book of Poetry in English</b>  <i>Pictures as Poems &amp; Other (Re)Visions</i> by Marne Kilates</p> <p data-bbox="533 142 556 1491"><b>Best Book of Poetry in Filipino</b>  <i>Isa Lang ang Pangalan: Mga Tula</i> by Rebecca T. Añonuevo</p> <p data-bbox="568 142 591 1491"><b>Best Book of Poetry in Kapampangan</b>  <i>Kawatásan: Obrang Poeta Laureado</i> by Joel Pabustan Mallari</p> <p data-bbox="602 142 625 1491"><b>Isagani R. Cruz Prize for Best Book of Literary Criticism or Literary History in a Philippine Language</b>  <i>Halos Isang Buhay: Ang Manananggal sa Pagsusulat ng Nobela</i> by Edgar Calabia Samar</p> <p data-bbox="637 142 660 1491"><b>Best Graphic Novel in English</b>  <i>Trese 5: Midnight Tribunal</i> by Ferdinand Benedict G. Tan and Jonathan A. Baldisimo</p> <p data-bbox="671 142 694 1491"><b>Best Graphic Novel in Filipino</b>  <i>Zsasa Zaturannah sa Kalakhang Maynila #1</i> by Carlo Vergara</p>
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<p>October 26</p>		



<b>November 2013</b>		
October 28 to November 1	2013 Davao Writers Workshop	<p><b>Fellows</b>            Frank Lloyd de la Cruz, Vivialine Q. Salve, Glaiza P. Jimenea, Zakiyyah Sinarimbo, Jeffren Pancho, Miguel Prescilla Dorado, Jelly May Malatabon, Bianca Beatrice C. Adle, Abdul Jabbar A. Marohom, Christine Joy Salazar, Reah Izza T. Paglinawan, Stephanie Gonzaga, Siverlyn Maghinay-Camposano, Richard Moral Jr., Jon Kristoffer Pizarro</p> <p>Organized by De La Salle University Department of Literature, in cooperation with NBDB</p> <p>Organized by National Book Development Board, in partnership with the University of Santo Tomas Center for Creative Writing and Literary Studies, De La Salle University Department of Literature, Ateneo de Manila University Rizal Library, University of the Philippines Institute of Creative Writing, and the Filipinas Heritage Library-Ayala Museum</p> <p>Lecture by Zarah Gagatiga</p> <p>Organized by the Lopez Museum and Library, in partnership with High Chair Discussions by: Allan Popa, Vincenz Serrano, Mark Anthony Cayanan, and Adam David</p>
October 12	"Teaching in the City": A Storytelling Workshop for Teachers	Organized by De La Salle University Department of Literature, in cooperation with NBDB
October 13	"Text in the City": the 4th Philippine International Literary Festival	Organized by National Book Development Board, in partnership with the University of Santo Tomas Center for Creative Writing and Literary Studies, De La Salle University Department of Literature, Ateneo de Manila University Rizal Library, University of the Philippines Institute of Creative Writing, and the Filipinas Heritage Library-Ayala Museum
November 16	KUTING Kwentuhan Series: Reading Choices of Children and Young Adults	Lecture by Zarah Gagatiga
	"Why Read Poems" Forum	Organized by the Lopez Museum and Library, in partnership with High Chair Discussions by: Allan Popa, Vincenz Serrano, Mark Anthony Cayanan, and Adam David
	The 9th Annual Philippine Komiks Convention	
November 22	The Surge is Over: A Benefit Reading for Yolanda Relief Efforts	Hosted by Kritika Kultura

<b>November 2013</b>	
November 29	<p>Paglulunsad Book Launch, UP Press</p> <p><b>New Titles</b>  <i>Demons of the New Year: An Anthology of Horror Fiction from the Philippines</i> by Karl R. De Mesa, Joseph Frederic F. Nacino  <i>Horror: Filipino Fiction for Young Adults</i> by Dean Francis Alfar, Kenneth Yu  <i>Filipinas, Textos Cercanos: Poemas (Philippines, Closer Texts: Poems)</i> by Tomás Calvillo  <i>The Second World: Poems</i> by Rafael Antonio C. San Diego  <i>All Our Nameable Days: Poems Revisited</i> by Gémino H. Abad  <i>Ang Makina ni Mang Turing</i> by Ramon Guillermo  <i>The Other View: Last Posts: The Manila Times (2010–2012)</i> Volume III by Elmer A. Ordoñez  <i>Introduction to Philippine Politics: Local Politics, the State, Nation-building, and Democratization</i> by Maria Ela L. Atienza  <i>Agricultural Policy: Perspectives from the Philippines and Other Developing Countries</i> by Isabelita M. Pabuayon, Salvador P. Catelo, Agnes C. Rola, Tirso B. Paris Jr.</p>
November 30	<p>Tinda-tindahan Kuwento-kuwentuhan: Bullilit Lit for Yolanda PH Relief</p> <p>Organized by The Philippine Board on Books for Young People (PBBY), Kuwentista ng mga Tsikiting (KUTING), Ang Ilustrador ng Kabataan (Ang INK), and Adarna House</p>
<b>December 2013</b>	
December 3	<p>Likaw: LIRA Fellows Night 2013</p> <p><b>Fellows</b>  Franciel Breis, Anna Beth Calupas, Christian Paul Camposano, Earl Javier, Patrick Quintos, Marites Rogado, John Patrick Solano, John Anthony Teodosio</p>
December 3 to 4	<p>Philippine PEN (Poets, Playwrights, Essayists, and Novelists) 2013 Conference</p>
December 5 to 6	<p>Shakespeare in Asia: Manila 2013 International Conference</p>

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December 5 to 7	<p>Panitikang Pambata sa Edukasyong Multilingwal at Programang K-12: Ikaapat na Pambansang Kumperensiya sa Panitikang Pambata</p>
December 6	<p>Manguna sa Unang Pagbasa: A Conference on Writing, Illustrating, and Publishing for the Filipino Child</p>
December 7	<p>Writers Night 2013</p> <p>2nd Filipino Readers' Choice Awards</p> <p><b>Children's Picture Book</b>  Mga Saranggola sa Tag-Ulan (Kites in the Rain) by Eugene Evasco, Bernadette Solina-Wolf</p> <p>Chick Lit That Kind of Guy by Mina V. Esguerra</p> <p>Novel in English Woman in a Frame by Raissa Rivera Falgui</p> <p>Novel in Filipino Territorio de los Hombres</p> <p>Batch 6: Marcial Ortega by Vanessa</p> <p><b>Comics/Graphic Novels</b></p> <p>Trese 5: Midnight Tribunal by Budgette Tan and Kajo Baldisimo</p> <p>Short Story Anthology Mga Kuwento ni Lola Basyang (Volume 2) by Severino O. Reyes, Christine S. Bellen, Rebecca T. Anonuevo, and Felix Mago Miguel</p> <p>Essay Anthology Subversive Lives: A Family Memoir of the Marcos Years by Susan F. Quimpo and Nathan Gilbert</p> <p><b>Poetry Lita</b>  Poems on Women by the Cavite Young Writers Association</p>
December 13	<p>3rd Filipino Reader Convention</p> <p>13th Madrigal-Gonzalez Best First Book Award awarding ceremony</p> <p>17th Writers Night</p> <p><i>Body Haul</i> by Allan Pastrana</p>

December 14	<p data-bbox="189 142 212 1492">29th Gawad Ustetika</p> <p data-bbox="154 737 177 894" style="text-align: center;"><b>December 2013</b></p> <p data-bbox="189 798 212 850"><b>Essay</b></p> <p data-bbox="212 677 235 850"><i>Honorable Mention</i></p> <p data-bbox="235 347 258 850">"On the Woman's Anatomy" by Sophia Beatrice B. Lazo</p> <p data-bbox="258 677 281 850"><i>Honorable Mention</i></p> <p data-bbox="281 555 304 850">"Thread" by John Evan P. Orias</p> <p data-bbox="304 798 327 850"><b>Fiction</b></p> <p data-bbox="327 746 350 850"><i>Third Place</i></p> <p data-bbox="350 494 373 850">"Parlor Geis" by Karina D.R. Pe Benito</p> <p data-bbox="373 729 396 850"><i>Second Place</i></p> <p data-bbox="396 590 419 850">"Reply Slip" by Paul Castillo</p> <p data-bbox="419 755 441 850"><i>First Place</i></p> <p data-bbox="441 416 464 850">Katha "QWERTYUIOP" by Christian P. Mendoza</p> <p data-bbox="464 737 487 850"><i>Second Place</i></p> <p data-bbox="487 425 510 850">"Kuwentong Kuwentista" by Ryan Jamil V. Ario</p> <p data-bbox="510 755 533 850"><i>Third Place</i></p> <p data-bbox="533 572 556 850">"Langoy" by Christine Emano</p> <p data-bbox="556 711 579 850"><i>Special Citation</i></p> <p data-bbox="579 199 602 850">"Seis" by Rijel Immanuel Reyes, Special Citation "Seldang Babasagin" by Joshua Carlo T. Pile</p> <p data-bbox="602 789 625 850"><b>Poetry</b></p> <p data-bbox="625 737 648 850"><i>Second Place</i></p> <p data-bbox="648 269 671 850">"The Vanishing Sea" by Joshua Carlo T. Pile, First Place "Unresolved Geometries" by Jan Marvi F. Atienza</p> <p data-bbox="671 755 694 850"><i>Third Place</i></p> <p data-bbox="694 477 717 850">"Melancholia" by Maria Karen M. Valera</p> <p data-bbox="717 711 740 850"><i>Special Citation</i></p> <p data-bbox="740 217 763 850">"Borderline between Déjà Vu and Jamais Yu" by Hans Lawrence Malgapu</p> <p data-bbox="763 373 786 850"><i>Special Citation</i></p> <p data-bbox="786 373 809 850">"Taking the Moment of Inertia" by Rommel V. Roxas</p>
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**Sanaysay**

*First Place*

“Cuatro Aguas” by Rommel V. Roxas

*Second Place*

“Si St. Jude Thaddeus” by Hexene Giselle D. Daya

*Third Place*

“Pan de Coco” by Marie Giselle Dela Cruz

*Special Citation*

“Bilog” by Jansen Joel C. Romero

**One-Act Play/Dulang May Isang Yugto**

*First Place*

“Baraha” by Kris Joven Medalla

*Second Place*

“Sarung Bangi” by Christine E. Emano

*Third Place*

“Ang Kasalanan sa Kasalanan” by Danielle Joyce E. Factora

*First Place*

Tula “Katalik ng Palad” by Rommel Roxas

*Second Place*

“Paglayas at Iba Pang Tula” by Elaine Lazaro

*Third Place*

“Hulegway” by Paul Castillo

**Maikling Kwentong Pambata**

*First Place*

“Tahing Kamay ni Nanay” by Marie Giselle R. Dela Cruz

*Second Place*

“Ang Pagtupad sa Kahilingan ni Lucia” by Hope Jael S. Perez

*Third Place*

“Ang Nanay kong Tatay” by Christine E. Emano