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HUBS

Higher Education Institutions as Catalysts for Sustainable Local Development and Stronger Local Democracies

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Philippines Context



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- Universities traditionally have 3 major functional pillars: Training, Research and Extension
- Higher education institutions number about 3000 nationwide; or an average of about 30 schools per province
- On an annual basis, HEIs produce almost half a million graduates
- HEI is run by 130,118 instructors/professors; or about 1,600 teaching staff per province



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- It is estimated that there are about 30,000 active CSOs nationwide. In each province or region, there is at least one local network of CSOs.
- A number of these CSOs are involved in policy advocacy, community mobilization, socio-economic activities, disaster response, gender, environment, capacity building, health and education among others.



Philippines Context

- Local Poverty and Inequality still persist while corruption remains unchecked in a number of provinces;
- Patronage Politics and Elite Control, plus big Private armies still are observed in at least 20 provinces nationwide;
- Ordinary folks have limited participation in governance and lacked Access to social, economic and environmental benefits and services;
- A number of Local Governments lacked the capacities to promote, protect and fulfill the human rights of their constituencies.





What is a G-HUBS?



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HOST UNIVERSITY BRIDGING SOLUTIONS



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.....a collective platform for advancing Democratic Governance led by Universities working together with CSOs & other local institutions to....

Harness Knowledge & Expertise,
Up-Scale Initiatives & Best Practices, and
Build Capacities & Networks, to
Strengthen Governance & Democracy
for Sustainable Local Development



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5 Key Principles:

- **Access** allows the maximum benefits of goods, services and resources;
- **Integrity** defines the parameters for a transparent and accountable administration of public finance and services;
- **Justice** reiterates the rule of law fairly and equally across all sectors;
- **Human Rights** sets the norms & standards for policies, programs & practices; and
- **Democracy** provides platforms for equality, voice, participation and empowerment

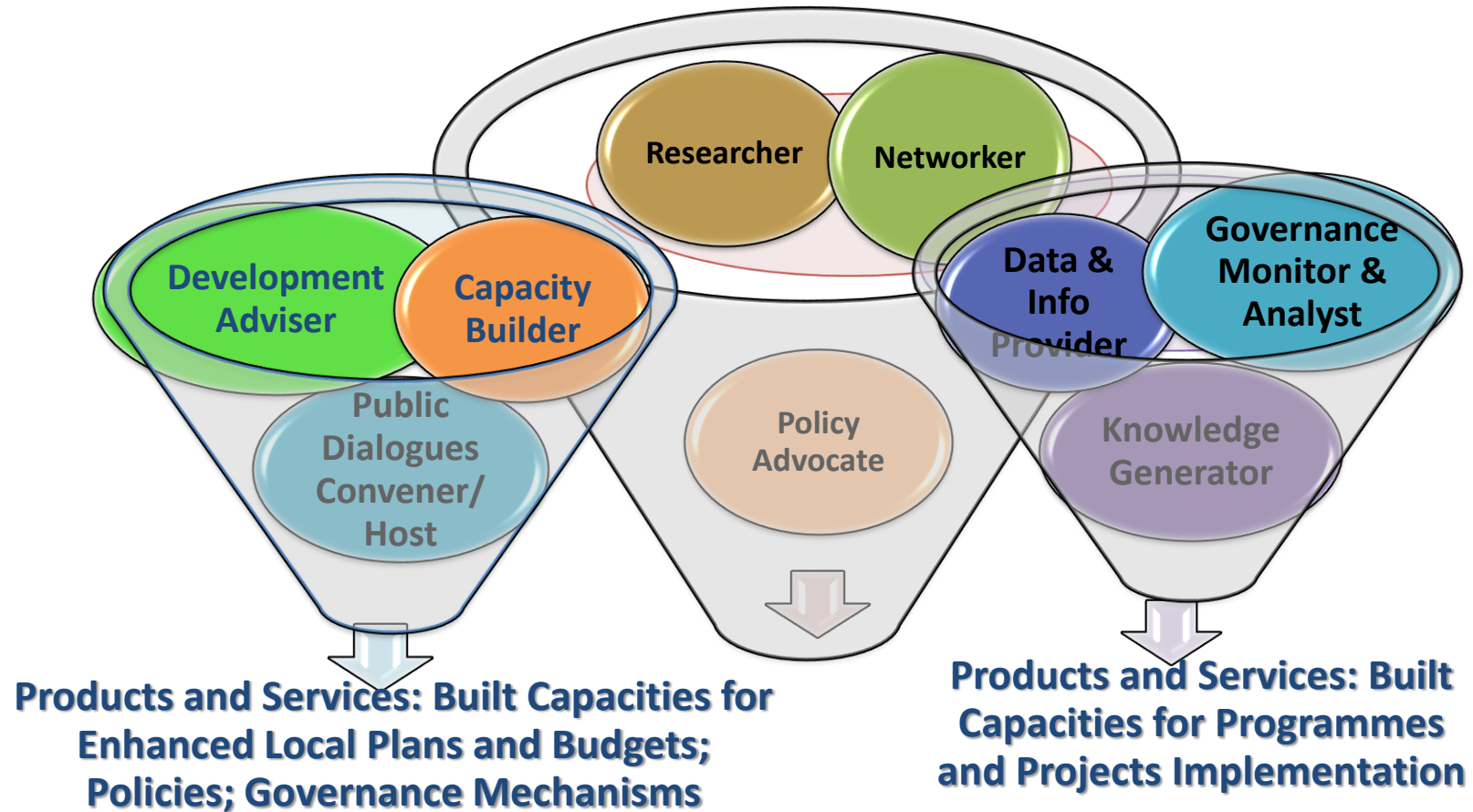


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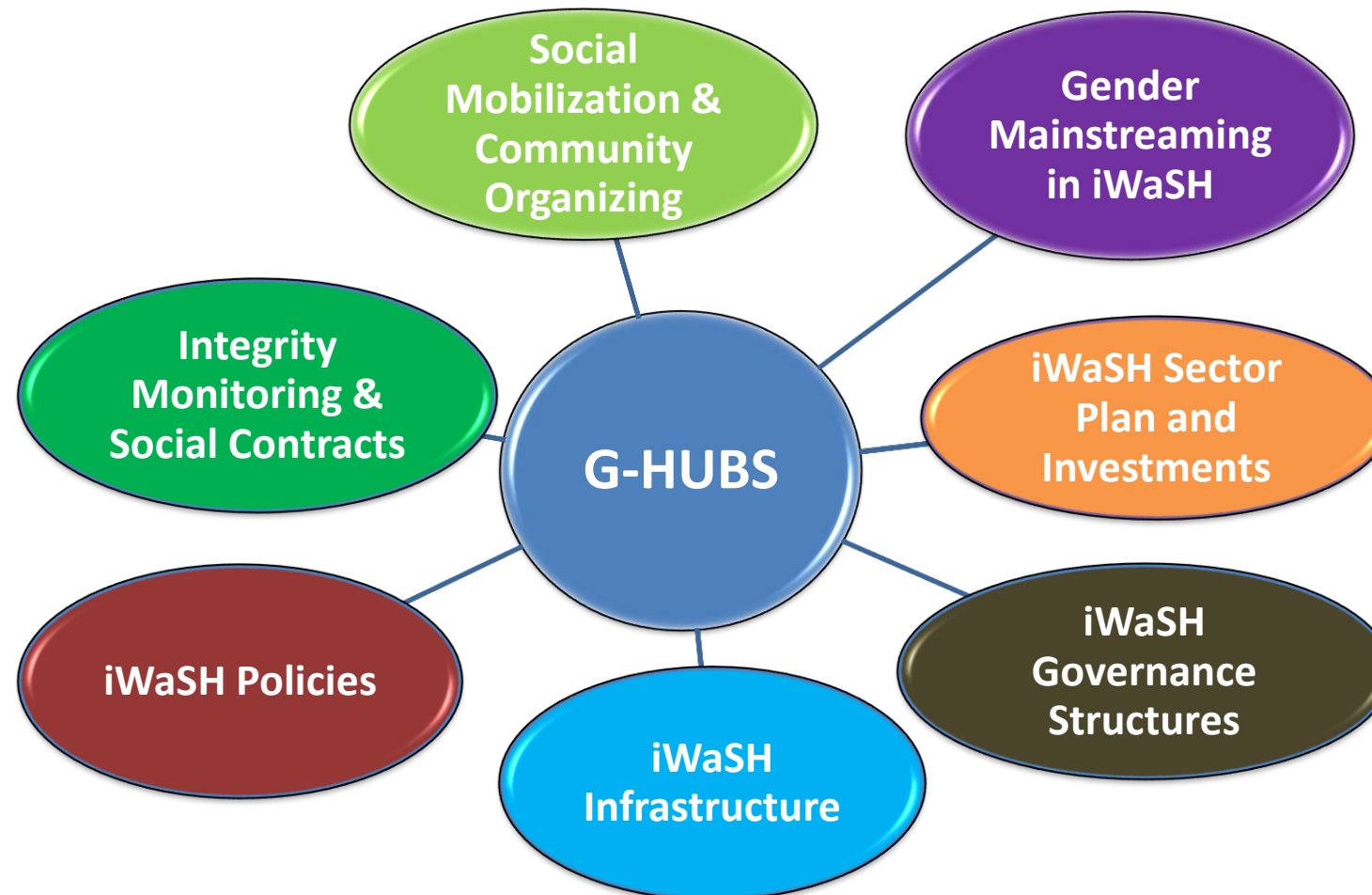
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MULTIPLE ROLES:



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Host a variety of PROGRAMS – e.g. iWASH





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REFORM AGENDA FOR MEETING THE SDGS





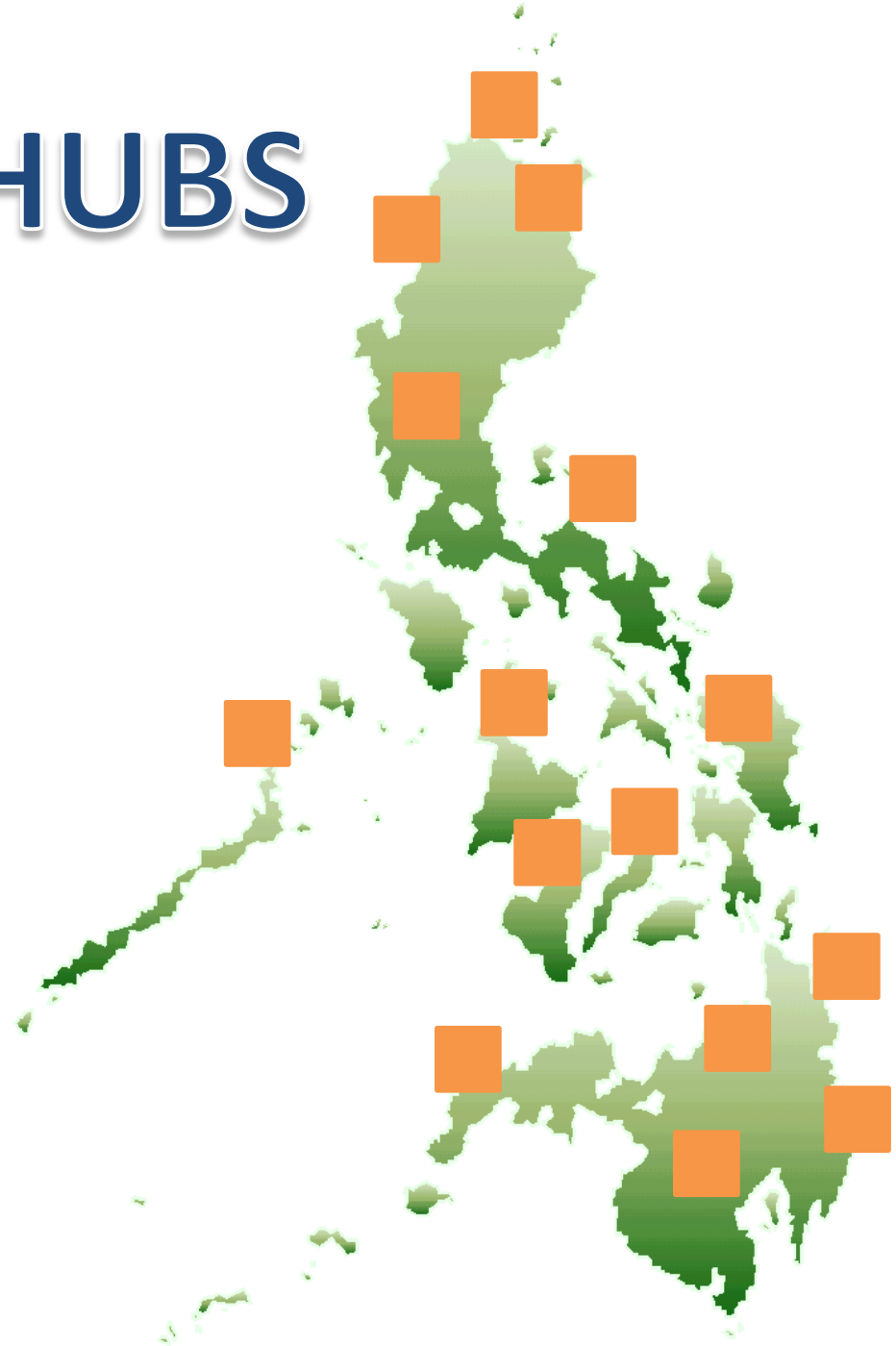
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COVERAGE:

G-HUBS are present in all the Regions of the Philippines:
Covering 30 Provinces; 23 Cities;
and 200 Municipalities





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IWAG

Integrity Watch for Accountable Governance

Citizen Participation in
Water Governance Projects

Photo from Kristine Fullante/UNDP



Integrity Watch for Accountable Governance (IWAG)





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CPaG

Citizens Participating in Governance

**Citizen Monitoring for the
DepEd-UNDP Computerization Project**

Photo from Naga City People's Council

Context of the Initiative

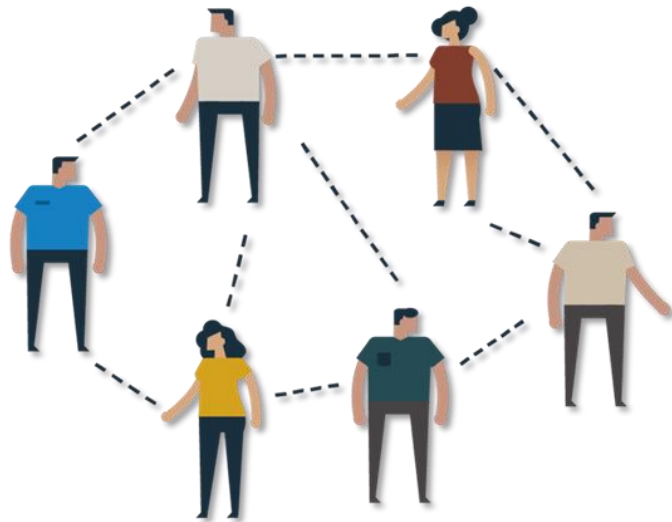


- On 29 March 2016, DepED and UNDP signed agreement to deliver support services to the K-12 Basic Education Programme
- PHP 2.8 B (US\$ 60.8 M) transferred from DepEd to UNDP to implement portions of the DepEd Computerization Program (DCP)

Objectives of the Partnership



- Accelerate the procurement and delivery of computer packages to **4,767 Public Schools** and 209 DepEd Offices Nationwide

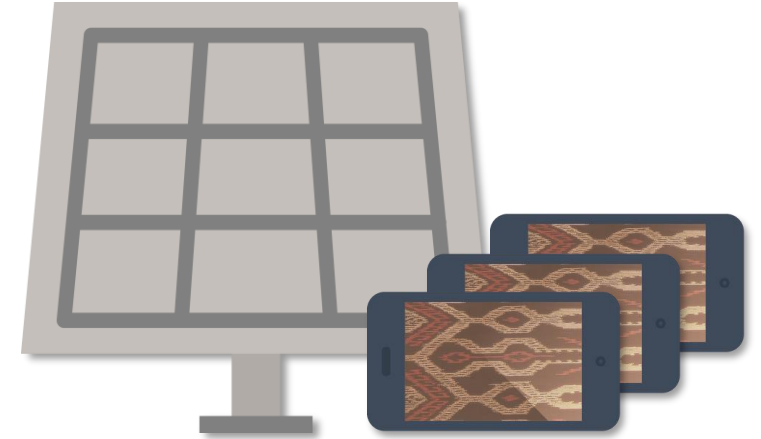
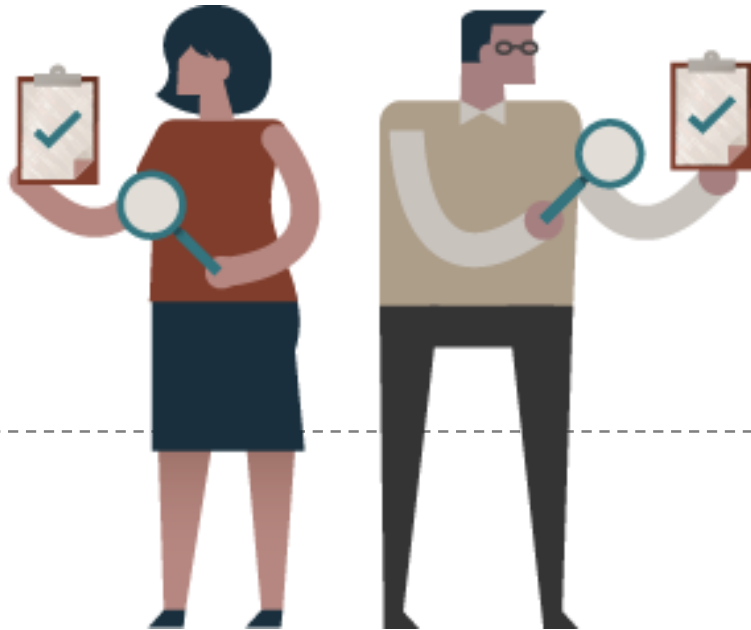


- Provide Technical Assistance:
 - **Organize Citizen Monitors for DCP**
 - PFM & Procurement Capacity Development

Scope of DCP Acceleration & CPAG Monitoring



DCP Batch 38:
889 Specialized Senior HS Packages



DCP Batch 34:
3,694 Un-Energized Schools' Packages

Pilot Monitoring (16-17)
**332 Schools in
6 Regions**

Pilot Monitoring (17-18)
**All 3,694 Schools in
13 Regions**

CPAGs: Civil Society Coalitions



CONCERNED CITIZENS OF ABRA
FOR GOOD GOVERNMENT



AFFILIATED NETWORK
FOR SOCIAL
ACCOUNTABILITY IN
EAST ASIA AND
THE PACIFIC



NAGA CITY PEOPLE'S
COUNCIL



FELLOWSHIP FOR ORGANIZING
ENDEAVORS



MINDANAO COALITION OF
DEVELOPMENT NGO NETWORKS



RURAL ENTERPRISE
ASSISTANCE CENTER



KADTUNTAYA FOUNDATION



MINDANAO ACTION FOR PEACE
AND DEVELOPMENT



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MARANAO PEOPLE
DEVELOPMENT CENTER



MAHARDIKA INSTITUTE
OF TECHNOLOGY



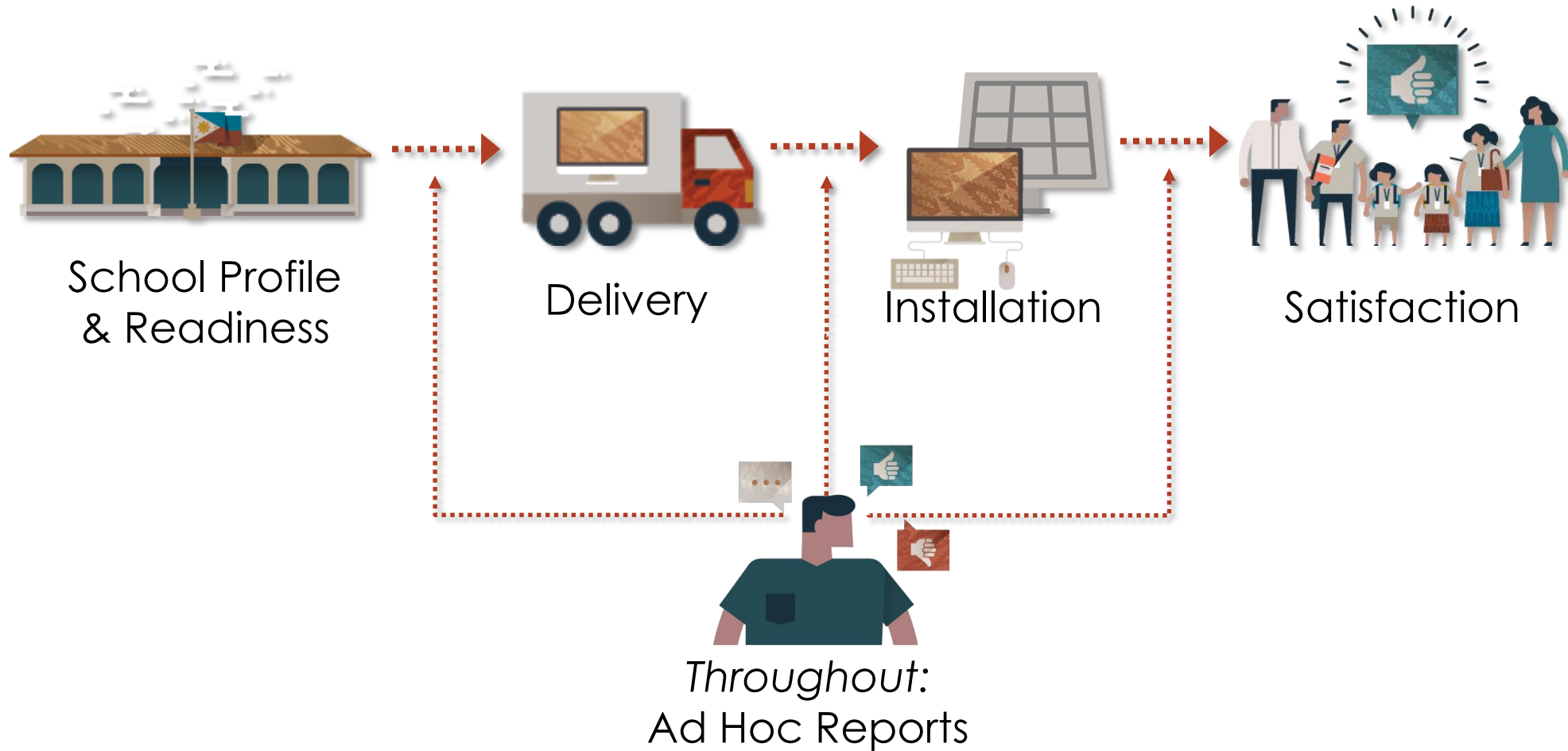
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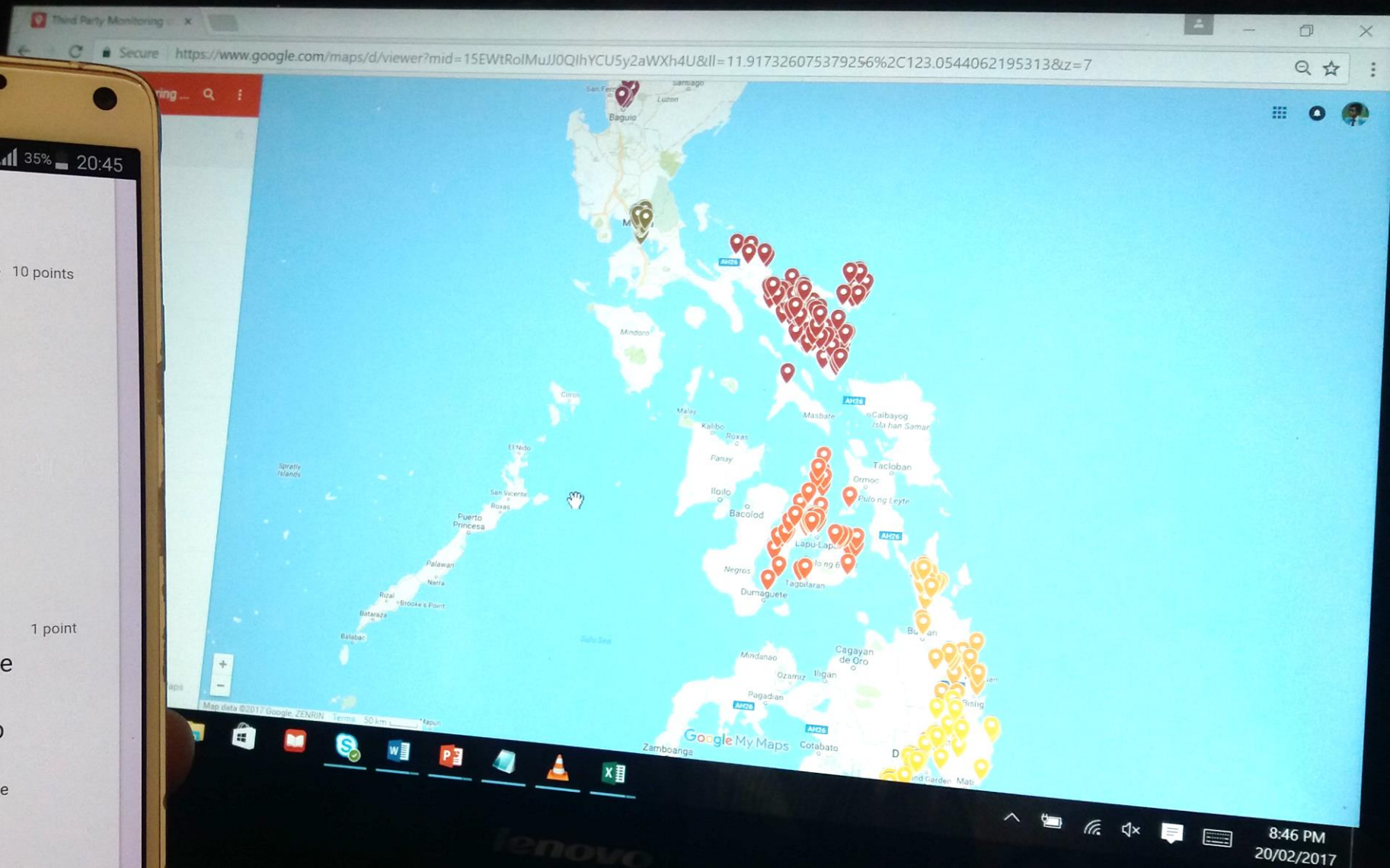
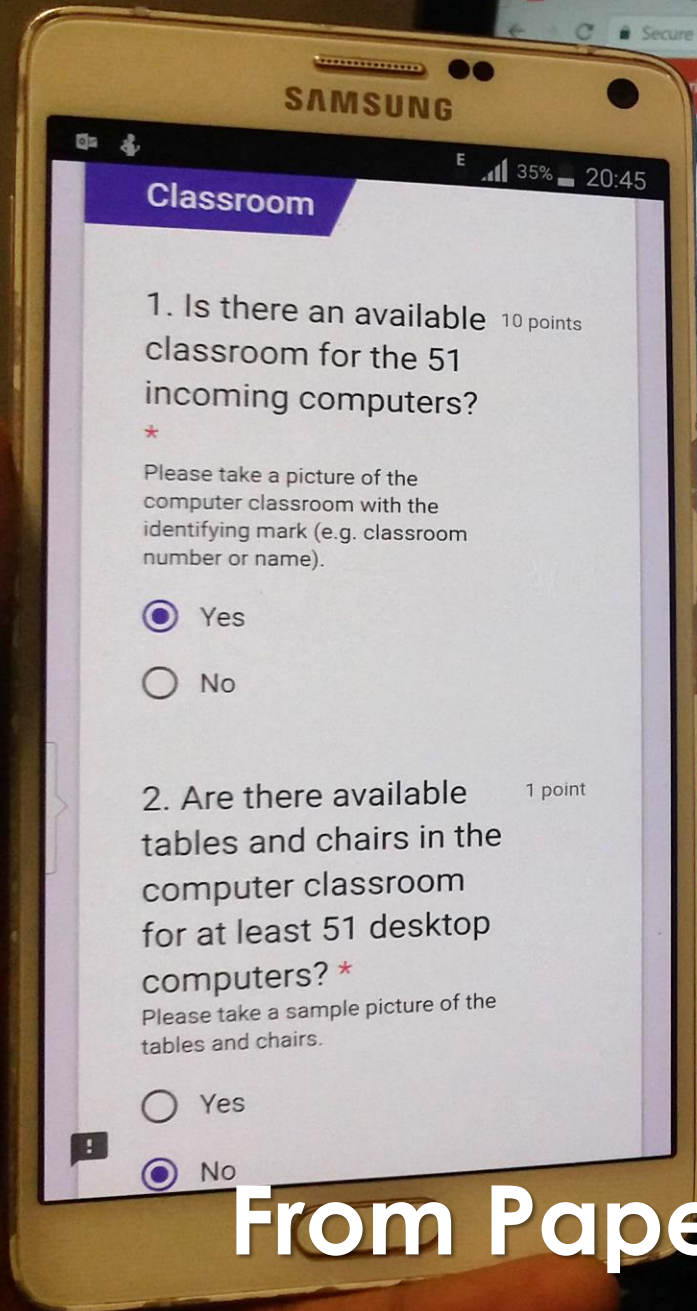


Citizens' Voice in the Process



The CPAG Monitoring Process





From Paper-and-Pen to ICT-Aided Monitoring

1,133 views

SHARE

CAR

▼  All items

Region V

▼  All items

Region VII

▼  All items

CARAGA

▼  All items

Region VI

South China Sea

Spratly Islands

Palawan

Puerto Princesa

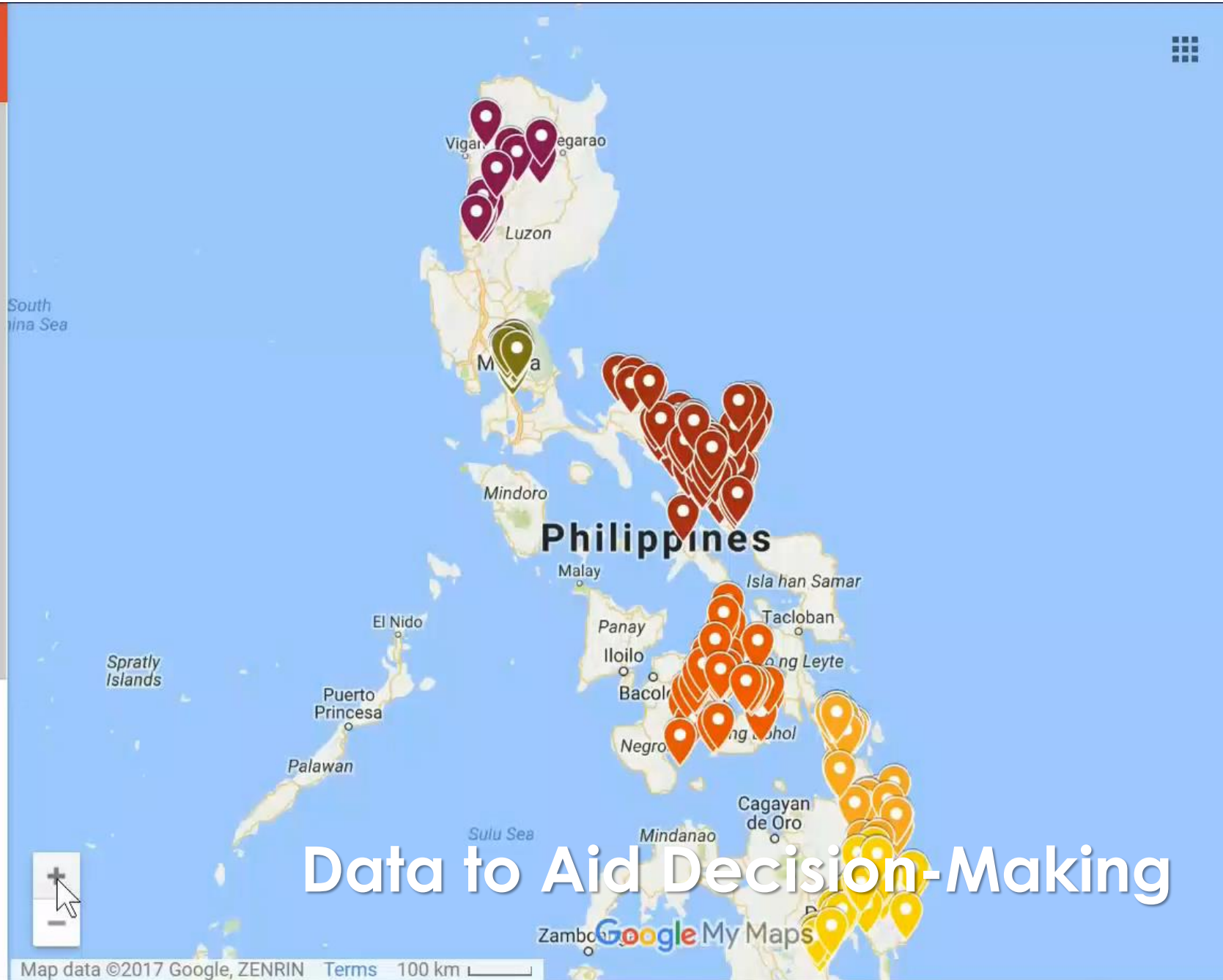
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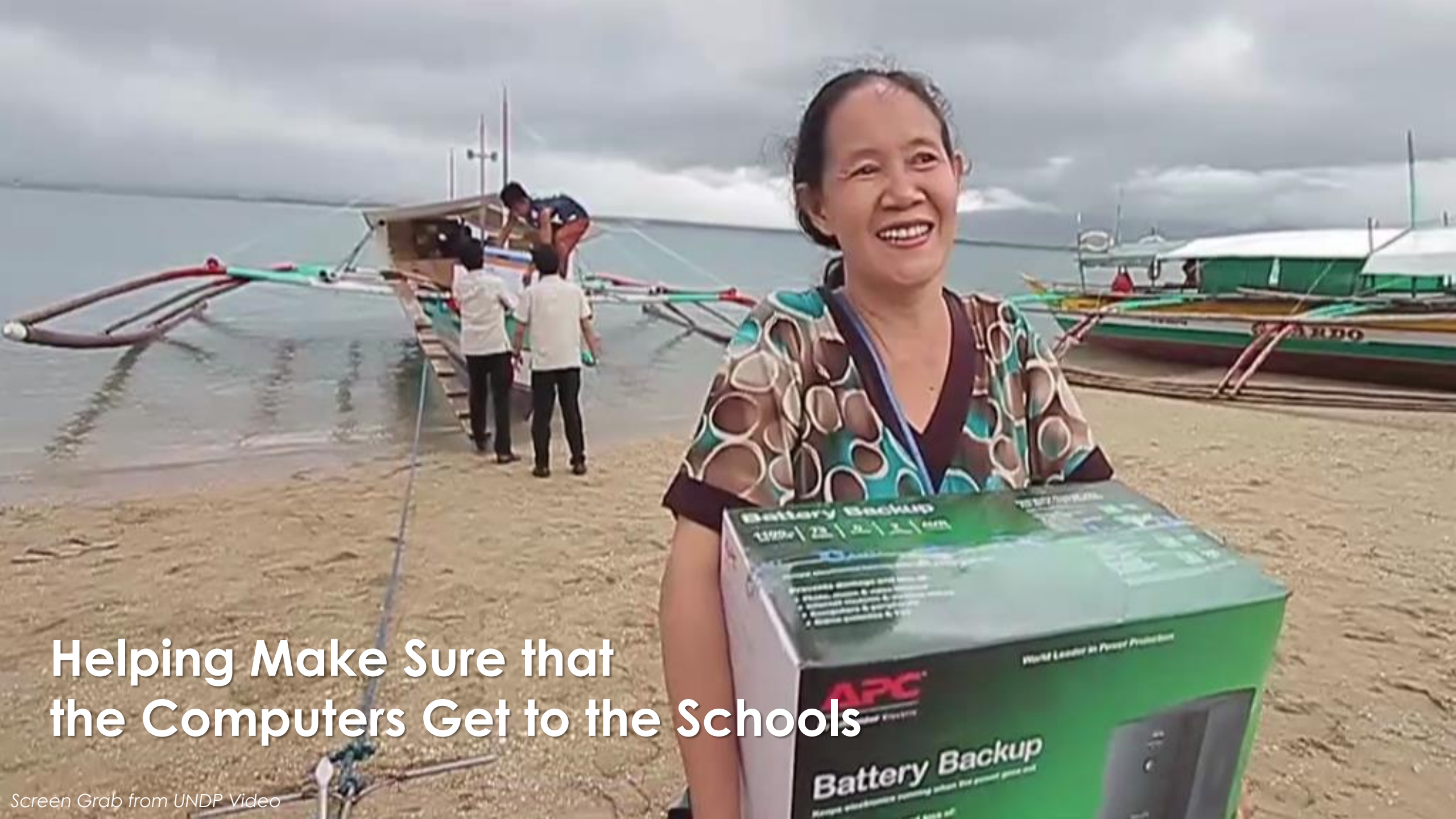


Data to Aid Decision-Making





Going the Distance



Helping Make Sure that the Computers Get to the Schools

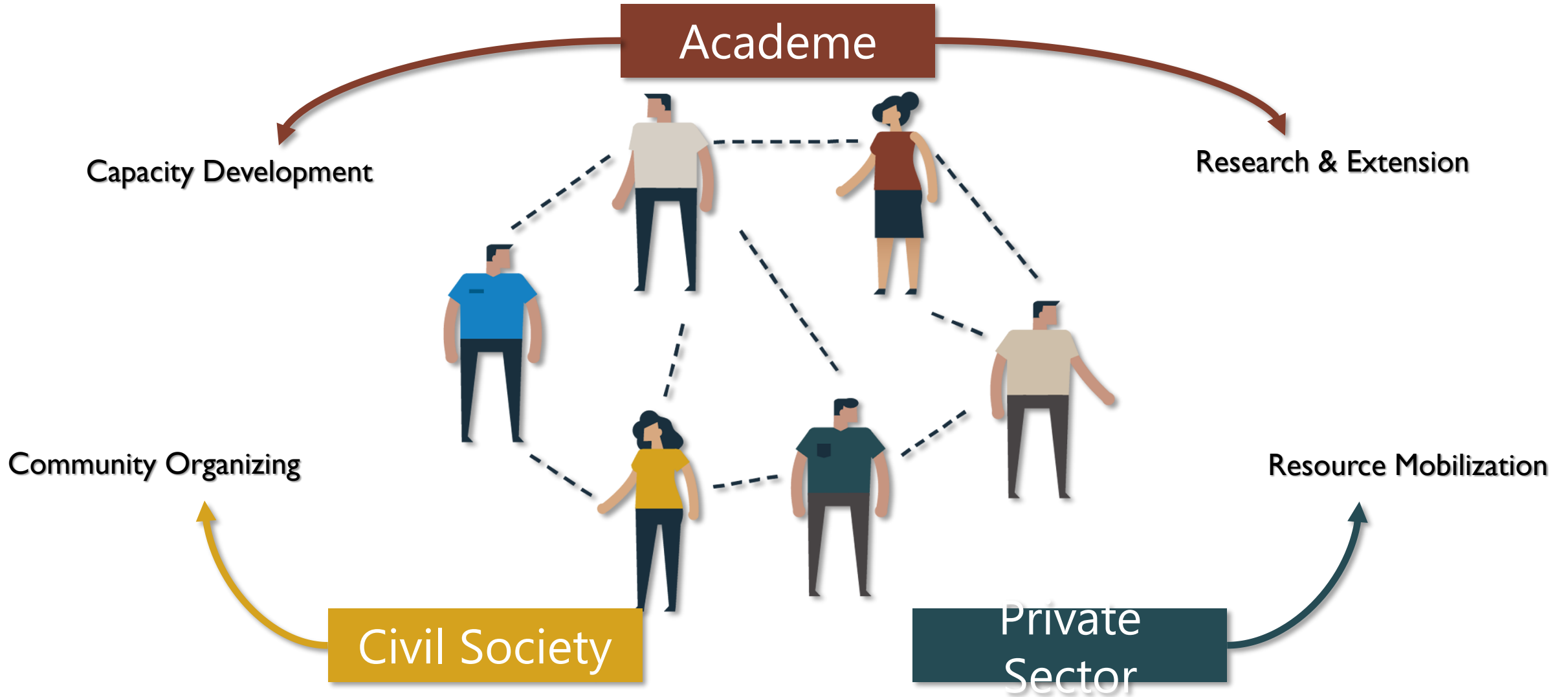
Surfacing & Addressing the Structural Issues that Impede Delivery



DEPARTMENT OF
A. C. C.
Storey 9
High School
Project: Construct
Location: Agency:
ent Partner's:
DPWH 6th Distr
JJ & J.C.

Photo by Fellowship for Organizing Endeavors, Inc.

WIP: Governance HUBS in Education





Our First Hub in Naga City

Photo from Kristine Fullante/UNDP

Beyond ICT: Meeting the Goals



“When a school develops a very good relationship with the community, everything just falls into place.”

*- Marcial Bellen
Principal, San Miguel NHS
Tabaco City, Albay*





Every time I bring the issue to the concerned authorities