

# PCSP @ the APVS 2019: Focus on the Filipino Veterinarian



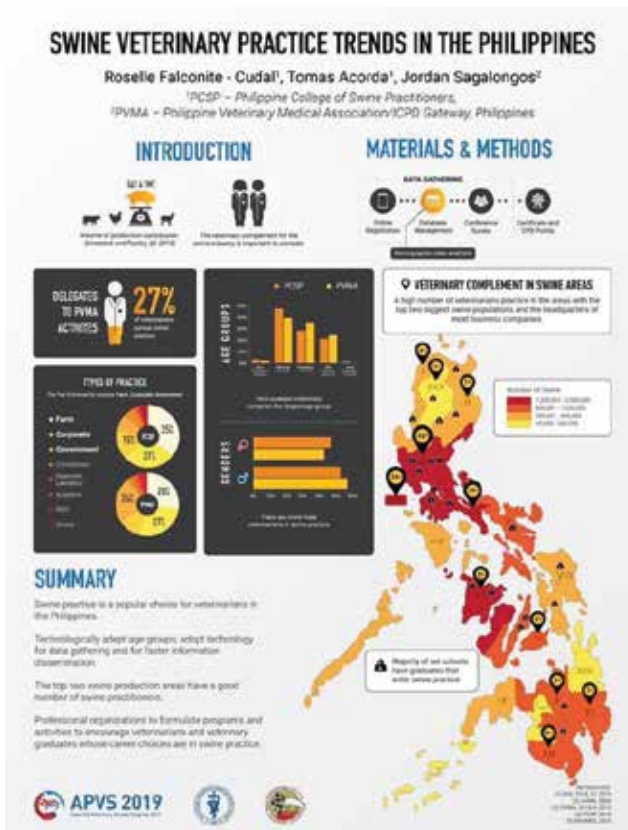
The Philippine College of Swine Practitioners (PCSP) represented the Philippine swine industry at the recently held Asian Pig Veterinary Society (APVS) in Seoul, South Korea. An active member since the start, Dr. Zoilo Lapus, President of the PCSP sits at the board of the APVS and ensures we get the latest updates on swine health issues.

*(Picture – second from left – Dr. Zoilo Lapus, with the Board Members of the APVS Member Countries)*

Dr. Tomas Acorda, Chair of the PCSP's Specialty Board gave the Country Report and highlighted on the efforts by both government and private institutions and veterinarians to address issues – especially the impending threat of ASF.

*(Picture – center – Dr. Tomas Acorda and the Country Representatives)*

Updates on ASF and the learnings we have gathered will be shared at the 23rd Pinoy Pork Challenge on October 2.



In addition, the PCSP submitted a Poster for the APVS entitled “Swine Veterinary Practice Trends in the Philippines”. A joint effort of the PVMA and the PCSP – and an output from the automation of attendance systems through the partnership with ICPD.

We thank our Filipino Veterinarians who are pursuing swine practice and helping in the efforts to elevate our swine industry. Please check out our website [www.pcsp.org.ph](http://www.pcsp.org.ph) for more information.



*(Picture - Standing at back, L-R, Dr. Renato Policarpio, Dr. Tomas Acorda. Standing in front, L-R, Dr. Roselle Falconite-Cudal, Dr. Zoilo Lapus and Dr. Amiel Jun Santiago)*