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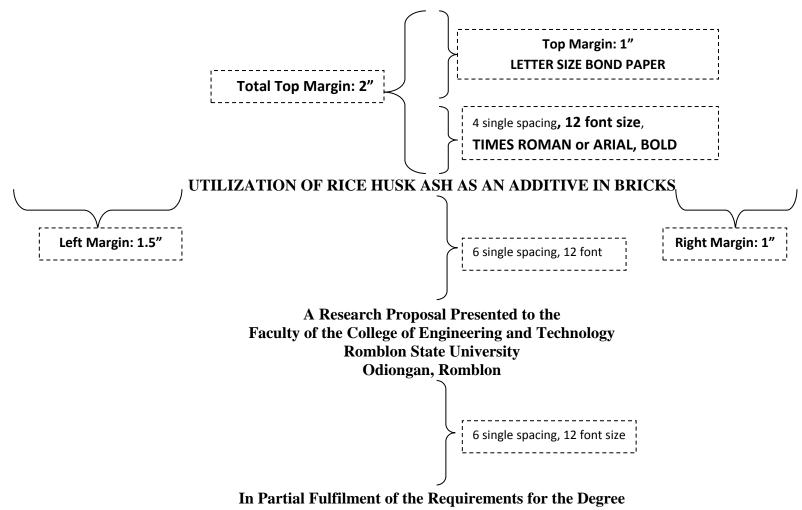
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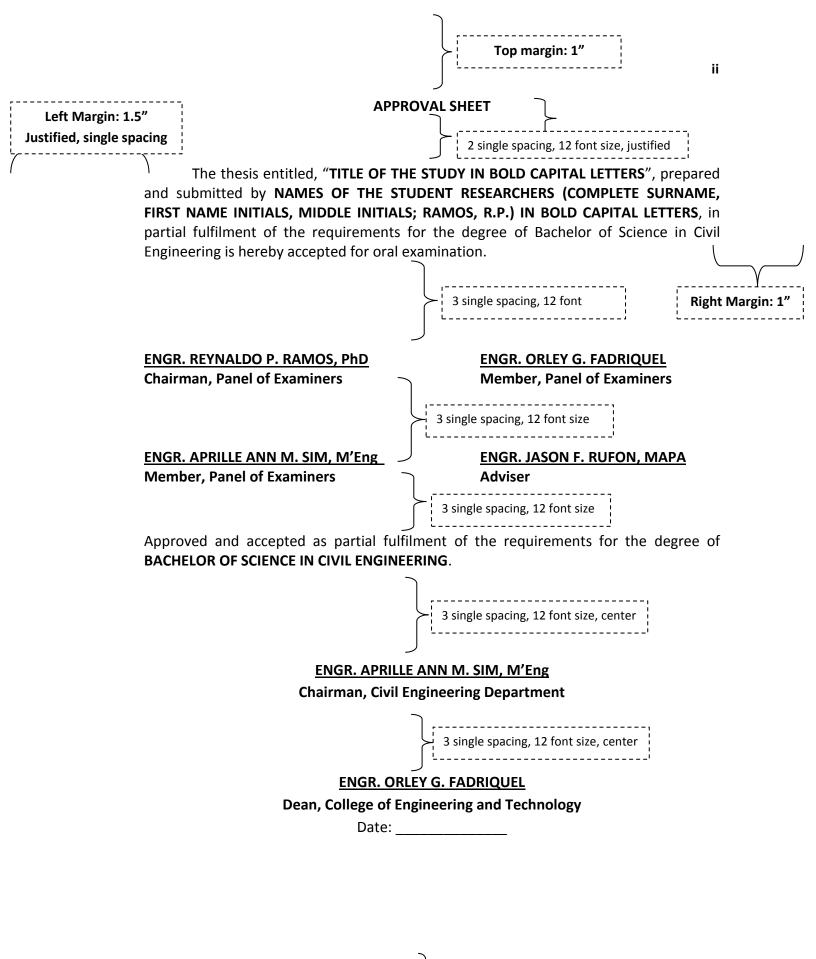
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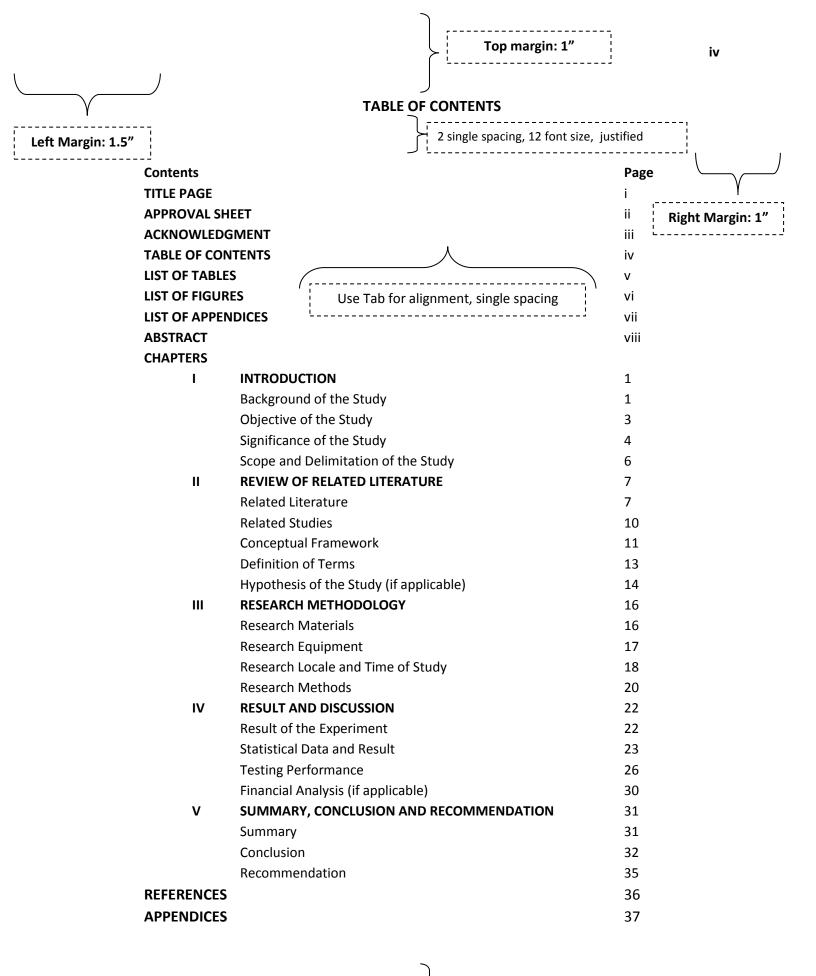
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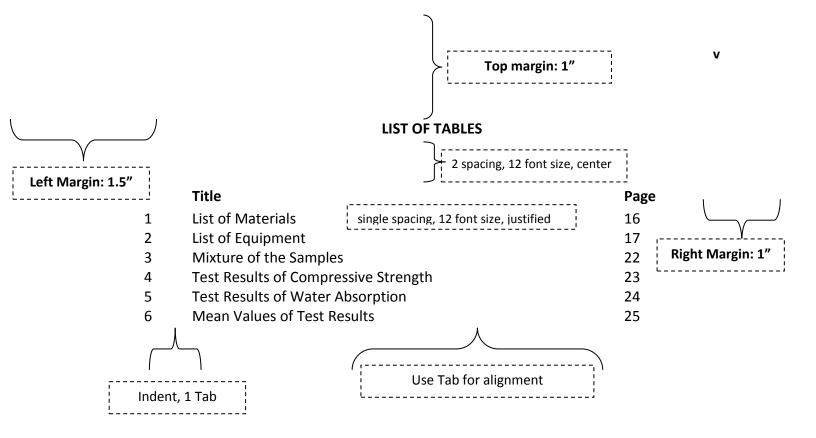
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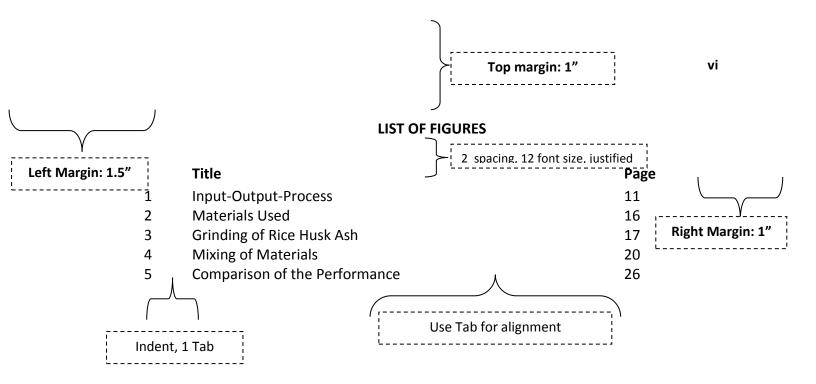
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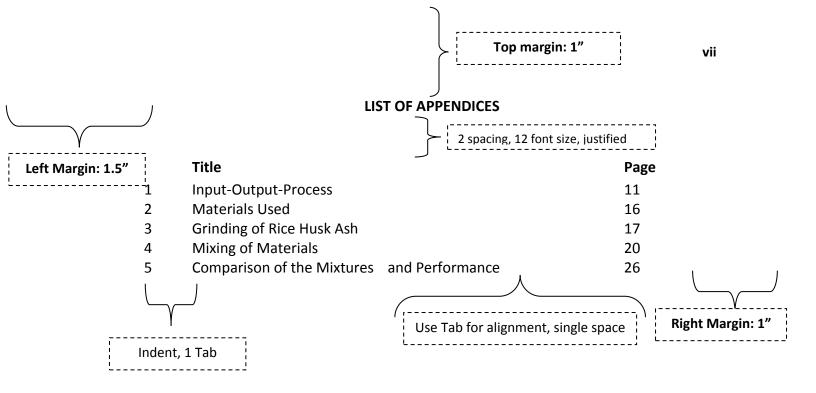
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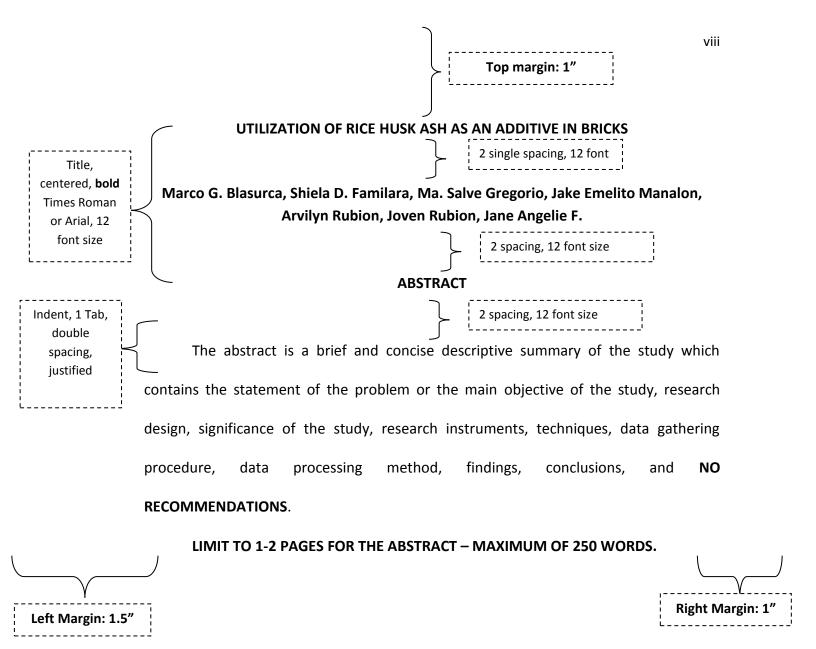
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BACKGROUND OF THE STUDY

This section of the report provides the overview discussion of the study, particularly the research problem – the "rationale" (basis, motivation, justification) of doing the research. Highlights of the related literature review are included in this section by citing important phrases and sentences from relevant secondary sources of information. This will also provide the reader general idea and impression about the topic under study.

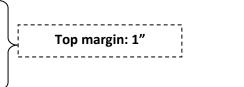
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STATEMENT OF THE PROBLEM/OBJECTIVES OF THE STUDY

The statement of the research problem must be brief but comprehensive and should have practical importance. A good problem statement is concerned with relation between two or more variables. It is stated clearly without ambiguity and is capable of empirical testing. Thus, the statement of the problem is in a simple language. It is specific, clear and limited. It directs the researcher and the research process, and suggests a specific answer or conclusion. It is the "verbalization of the "questions" which the study proposes to answer.

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On the other hand, the main objective of the research study is a statement of Left Margin: 1.5" rpose because this is the guide to be accomplished by the researcher in conducting the research.

Example A: The main objective is to analyze and evaluate the electrical system of the main campus of Romblon State University (RSU). Specifically, it attempts to answer the following research questions:

- (1) What is the total load capacity of the transformers that can hold the power requirements of the RSU-main campus?
- (2) What is the total power rating used in the university?
- (3) How to maximize and minimize the loading capacity used in the university?

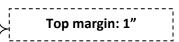
Example B: This study aims to design and develop an inlet valve using Bluetooth

technology. In particular, the study attempts to answer the following research questions:

- (1) What is the distance of the blue-valve from the Bluetooth technology for water supply control system application in both residential and commercial buildings?
- (2) What is the cost in the application of Bluetooth technology for water supply control system?
- (3) What the level of performance of the developed water supply control system?

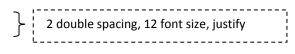
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SIGNIFICANCE OF THE STUDY

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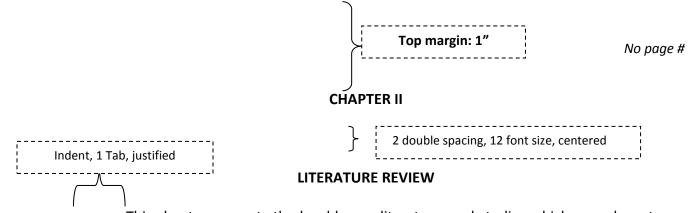


SCOPE AND DELIMITATION OF THE STUDY

This section explains the coverage of the study area, the subject being focused by the study, the research instruments or methods, duration of the study, and the constraints or limitations that have direct implication on the result of the study.



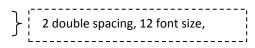
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This chapter presents the legal bases, literature, and studies which are relevant to the research study. The main purposes of the literature review are (a) to determine the similarities and differences of the on-going study and past studies; (b) to acquire additional insights and ideas related to the problem being addressed in the study. Observe proper referencing or citation of the sources of information, using the American Psychological Association (APA) styles to avoid copying or "plagiarism" or infringement. Plagiarism is a violation of Republic Act 8293 known as the Intellectual Property Code of the Philippines. This act provides legal basis in proper use of passages, writings, ideas and statements of other authors/writers by giving due credit of their work.

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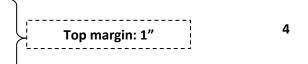
This sub-section of the literature review covers those related literature from published articles, books, journals that have connection or linkages to the study conducted (Ramos, 2015; Ramos et al., 2011).



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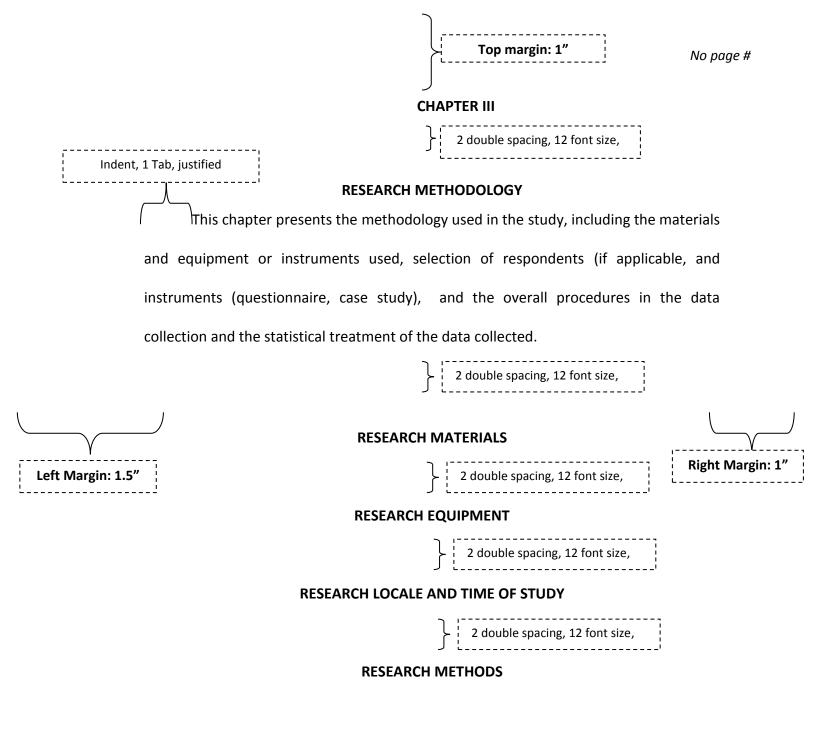
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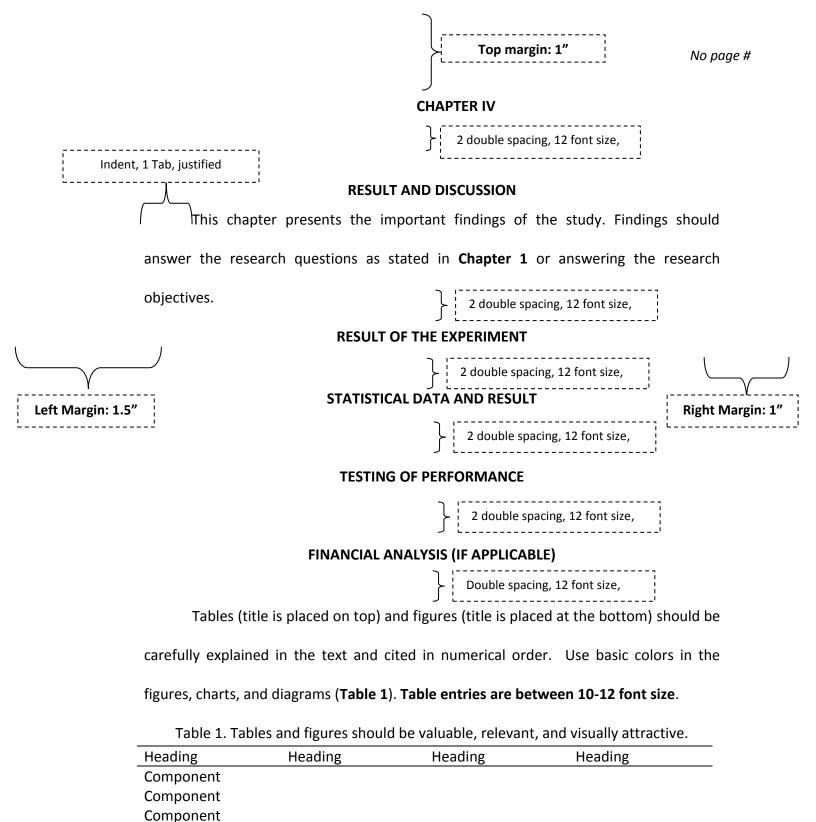
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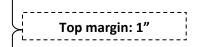


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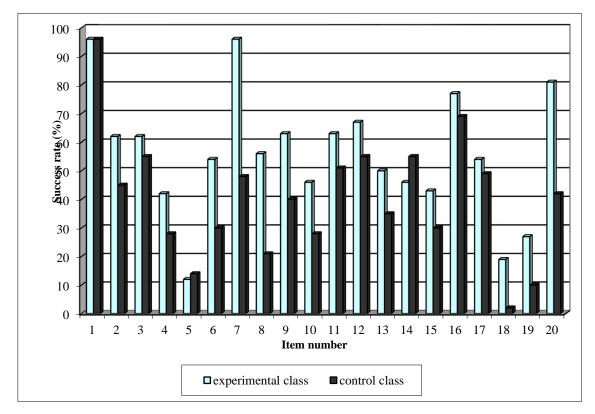
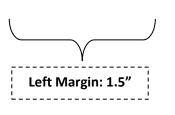
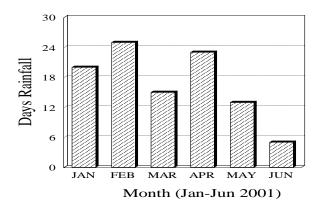


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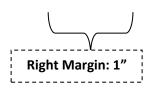
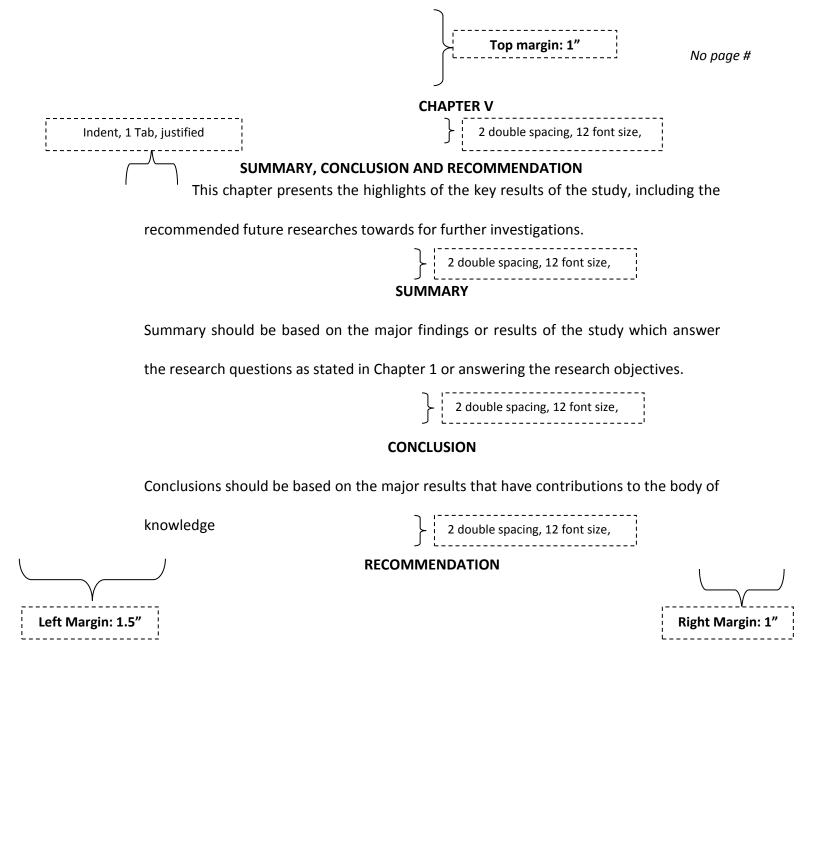


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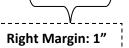




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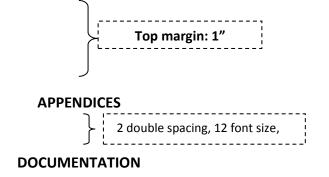
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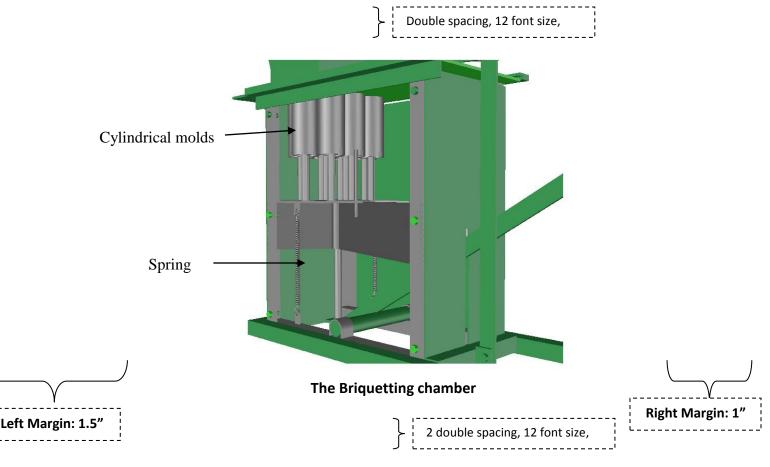
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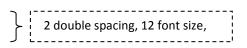


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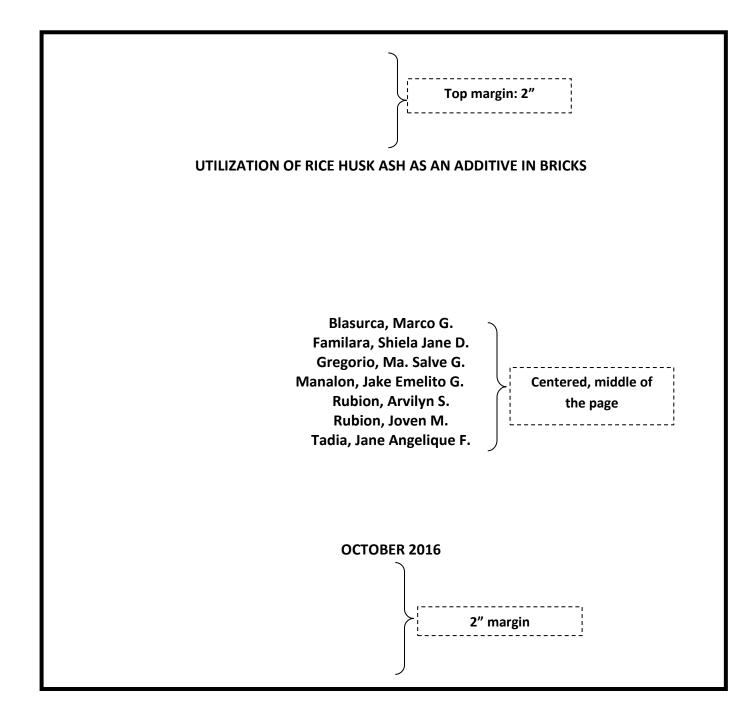


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- H. Order of Topics: Order the presentation of topics as follows:
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I INTRODUCTION

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II REVIEW OF RELATED LITERATURE

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IV RESULTS AND DISCUSSION

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- A. Key Elements: Paper Title, author (s), institutional affiliation (s), date completed
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- Number shall be in Arabic numbers. Page number is not written on the first page of each chapter. Subsections of the body of the paper do *not* begin on new pages.
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APPENDIX A

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A Special Paper

Presented to

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Romblon State University

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In Partial Fulfillment

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APPENDIX B

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ACCEPTABILITY AND SHELF LIFE OF INSTANT "GINATAANNG DARAG" NATIVE CHICKEN TREATED WITH DIFFERENT FOOD PRESERVATIVES

A Research Report

Submitted to

The University Research Center

Romblon State University

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APPENDIX C

BASELINE SURVEY ON THE WORK – LIFE ISSUES AND NEEDS OF THE WORK-LIFE ISSUES AND NEEDS OF THE FACULTY AND STAFF OF CENTRAL PHILIPPINES UNIVERSITY

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ABSTRACT

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This study was conducted to know the wok-life issues and needs of the faculty and staff of the University. Descriptive analysis was employed and utilized the one- shot survey design. From a total of 630 employees, a sample of 239 was obtained using the sampling formula with a margin of error of 0.05. A self-administrated questionnaire served as the main tool for data collection. Results of the study showed that the majority of the respondent female, married, with a mean age of 41.8 years old and have been working with the University for 12.3 years. There are employees who admitted that their personal life responsibilities occasionally impede their job performance. They have been late for work more than once per month and could not concentrate with their job. Common reasons are financial concerns, family care, and child care. The employees believed that the University has existing work-life programs that have availed of it. Some employees reported that they have enjoyed a flexible work schedule, have availed of the University program employee health and well-being, and benefited from the University's financial assistance program. Among the work-life programs, financial assistance and family care are considered as very important. The employee health and well-being and personal convenience services are also regarded as important programs that could be implemented.

APPENDIX D

Operational Definition of Terms (Level 3 sub-heading)

To avoid and ensure a better understanding of the topics discussed, the important terms were defined conceptually and operationally.

Age. Refer to the length of the time in year a person has lived since he/she was born. In this study, it refers to the age of a respondent on his/her last birthday. In this study, it will be taken from medical records of Asilo de Molo. (Level 4 sub-heading)

Gender. Whether the older adult (OA) is male or female by birth. This will be taken from medical records of Asilo de Molo. (Level 4 sub-heading)

Educational Attainment. Refer to the level of education an individual has attained. In the study of refers to the highest grade/year completed by respondent. This was taken from medical records of Asilo de Molo. (Level 4 sub-heading).

APPENDIX E-1

SAMPLE TABLES

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Male	80	33.5
Female	159	66.5
Total	239	100.0
Status		
Single	54	22.6
Married	171	71.5
Separated	3 .	1.3
Widowed	9	3.8
No Answer	2	0.8
Total	239	100.0
<31 y.o	42	17.6
<31-40 y.o	61	25.5
<41-50 y.o	53	22.2
<51 y.o	53	22.2
No Answer	30	12.6
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Table 1. Distributed respondent According to Sex, Age, and Marital Status (N=239)

Mean Age=41.8 years old

Table 2. Distribution of Potential Clients According to whether or not they are Alumni of RSU and whether or not they have Relatives who are RSU Alumni (N=77).

Connection with RSU Alumni	Frequency	Percent
Yes	29	37.7
No	48	72.3
Total	77	100.00
With Relatives who are Alumni		
Yes	56	72.7
None	21	27.3
Total	77	100.0

APPENDIX E-2

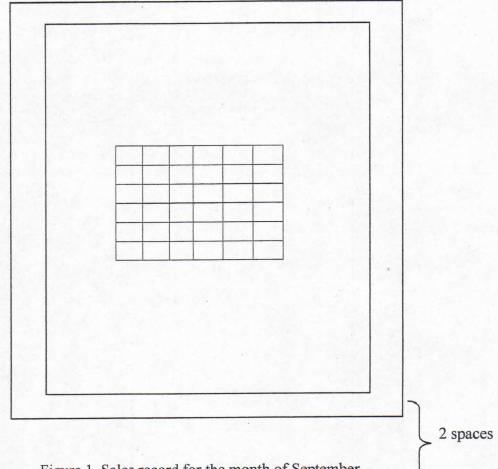


Figure 1. Sales record for the month of September

APPENDIX F

CITATION

A direct quote (verbatim) (Dav	rid, 1998, p. 276).					
Paraphrased text with one author (Dav	rid, 1998).					
Paraphrased text with two authors(David & Pabulayan, 1998).						
with three to five authors(first time only) (David, Dusaran, Jaco & Patricio, 1998)						
with three to five authors(following the first time). (David et al., 1998).						
with six or more authors	(David et al., 1998).					
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Citation from Internet source, no author (from specific URL of a web page)						
Secondary citation (Frondoza, 2003 in Reyes, 2005)						

APPENDIX G

Samples of APA Formatted References

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 - Dusaran, R. and R. Pabulayan. 2005. Impact survey in the rural microfinance project of Taytay Sa Kauswagan, Inc. (TSKI) in the province of Antique. Patubas: *Multidisciplinary Research Journal of Central Philippine University*, 2(1), 89-102.
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 - Wolchik, S. A., S.G. West, I.N. Sandler, J. Tein, D. Coatsworth, L. Lengua, et al. (2000). An experimental evaluation of theory-based mother and mother-child program for children of divorce. *Journal of Consulting and Clinical Psychology* 68,843-856.
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Belonio, A. (October 2006). Rice husk quasi gasifier stove with side-in steam injector for household use developed. *Agriculture Magazine*, 10(10), 59-60.

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Carmody, T.P. (1982). A new look at medicine from the social perspective [Review of the book Social contexts of health, illness, and patient care]. Contemporary

Psychology, 27,208-209.

f. Daily Newspaper Article + No Author + Discontinuous Pages

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- a. By a Single Author
 - David, F.P (2002). Understanding and doing research: A handbook for beginners. Iloilo City, Philippines: Panorama Printing, Inc.
- b. By a Corporate Author + Published by Author

American Psychiatric Association. (1994). Diagnostic and statistical manual of mental Disorder (4th ed.). Washington, DC: Author.

c. By Anonymous Author

Guidelines and application form for directors, 1990 summer seminar for school teachers (1988). Washington, DC: National Endowment for the Humanities

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 - Burghardt, G.M. (1984). On the origins of play. In P.K Smith (Ed.), *Play in animals and human* (pp. 5-42). Oxford, England: Basil Blackwell.

e. Report + Government Printing Office (GPO)

National Institute of Mental Health. (1990). *Clinical training in serious mental illness* (DHHS Publication No. ADM 90-1679). Washington, DC: U.S. Government Printing Office.

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General Form- Online Periodicals:

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- Stevenson, W., K.I. Maton and D.M. Teti. (1999). Social support, relationship quality, and well-being among pregnant adolescents. *Journal of Adolescence*, 22(1), 109-121. Retrieve June 3, 2001 from IDEAL database.

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- Lodewijkx, H. F. M. (2001, May 23). Individual-group continuity in cooperation and competition under varying communication conditions. *Current Issues in Social Psychology*, 6 (12), 166-182. Retrieve September 14, 2001 from http://www.uiowa. edu/~grpproc/ crisp. 6. 12. Htm
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