

## ITP Online Subject Specialist Session

### *Behind the Scenes: Exhibitions at the National Museum of the Philippines*

Thursday 5 May 2022 at 12:00 – 13:00 BST

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National Museum of the Philippines



Behind the Scenes - Manlilikha ng Bayan Gallery at the National Museum of Anthropology, Manila, Philippines

### **Introduction**

Yohana is part of the curatorial team developing and implementing exhibitions and educational programs at the National Museum of the Philippines. She worked as a researcher in the Ethnology Division for almost six (6) years, implementing visual anthropology exhibitions and film programmes. As part of the Ethnology division, she worked in diverse fields of collection management, field research of intangible cultural heritage, museum education, and exhibition design.

In 2021, Yohana transferred to the Exhibition, Editorial, and Media Production Services Division where she designs exhibition display systems, layout of exhibition materials and publications, and produces virtual tours and featurettes.

In this session, Yohana will share a behind-the-scenes view of exhibitions at the National Museum of the Philippines.

## Course content

An introduction to the National Museum (NMP)

An overview types of exhibitions at the NMP

- Permanent Exhibitions
- Temporary Exhibitions
- Travelling Exhibitions
- Virtual Exhibitions
  - Online Exhibitions
  - Virtual Tours

The exhibition process

- Conceptualization
- Collection Management
- Interpretation
- Exhibition Design
  - The Importance of Sections
  - Displaying Objects in Context
  - Utilizing Space
  - Arranging Photographs
  - Using Software
  - Case in Point
- Fabrication and Installation
- Exhibition Launching
- Corollary Activities

The session will close with a Q&A.

Please contact the ITP team at [cmessenger@britishmuseum.org](mailto:cmessenger@britishmuseum.org) for more information and to register for the session.



Hibla ng Lahing Filipino Travelling Exhibition in Museum Siam, Bangkok, Thailand 2019