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## Three DTI officials awarded as Most Influential Women in the World



**Nora K. Terrado**  
DTI-IPG Undersecretary



**Ma. Roseni M. Alvero**  
FTSC Assistant Secretary



**Magnolia M. Uy**  
Commercial Attaché

Three officials of the Department of Trade and Industry (DTI) namely, **Industry Promotion Group (IPG) Undersecretary Nora K. Terrado**, **Foreign Trade Service Corps (FTSC) Assistant Secretary Maria Roseni M. Alvero**, and **Commercial Attaché Magnolia M. Uy**, received the Global FWN100 Award, including them in the Most Influential Filipina Women in the World, during the Filipina Leadership Global Summit.

The summit was held on 21-24 August 2016 at the Shangri-La Mactan, Cebu, with the theme *"Influence. Accelerate. Action."*

The Global FWN100 Award, now on its fourth year, is given yearly by the Filipina Women's Network (FWN), in line with its mission to establish a Filipina woman leader in every sector of the world's economy by 2020. This is considered as the "ultimate showcase" of the most inspiring Filipinas, both from the private and public sectors, who exhibit professionalism, mentorship, innovation, leadership, and gender empowerment.

Terrado was awarded under the Innovators and Thought Leaders category, where women who were able to initiate a product or application helped improved the lives of others. Terrado has always been on the lead in terms of forwarding the country's innovation agenda. She is also known for her contributions in the implementation of priority change programs at DTI during her term as Management Services Group (MSG) Undersecretary from 2013 to 2015. She is now a two-time Global FWN100 awardee. She was first selected in 2014 under the Builders category for exemplifying outstanding business impact at a large workplace environment.

On the other hand, Alvero was selected under the 'Keepers of the Flame' category. Awardees under this category are women who served as "caretakers," making sure that FWN's Vision 2020 will be kept alive.

Uy, on the same note, was awarded under the Builders category. Assigned as Commercial Attaché, Philippine Permanent Mission to the World Trade Organization (WTO), in Geneva, Switzerland, she was recognized for her contributions in concluding the country's free trade agreement (FTA) with the European Free Trade Association (EFTA) member countries, as well as in placing micro, small, and medium enterprises (MSMEs) in front and center of the WTO agenda.