



MARIANO MARCOS STATE UNIVERSITY

SDG 16 | PEACE, JUSTICE, AND STRONG INSTITUTION

MMSU helps build strong and inclusive institutions and societies by advocating for peace and justice toward sustainable development. In 2024, MMSU achieved several milestones in SDG 16, promoting peace and justice education while also extending legal services outside the university. At the forefront of these activities is the College of Law, which provides legal counseling services not only to university clients but also to the underserved and marginalized.

Also, the MMSU Center for Legal Assistance, Research, and Advocacy (CLARA) operates with a three-fold mission: to provide legal assistance to marginalized sectors, conduct pioneering legal research to enhance access to justice, and propose systemic reforms, and advocate for the rights of workers in the labor sector. Its first lecture themed "Charter Change: Boon or Bane?", contributes to the public's understanding of charter change and its implications.