

## PATHFINDER ON PHILIPPINE LITERATURE

### Scope Note:

- **“Philippine Literature** is a diverse and rich group of works that has evolved side by side with the country’s history. Literature has started with fables and legends made by the ancient Filipinos long before the arrival of the Spanish influence. The main themes of Philippine literature focus on the country’s pre-colonial cultural traditions and the socio-political histories of its colonial and contemporary traditions.” (Quoted from: <http://www.wikipilipinas.org>)
- **“Literature** is derived from the Latin term *litera* which means letter. It has been defined differently by various writers.” (Source: Kahayon, Alicia H.; Zulueta Celia A. *Philippine literature through the years*. PL 6153 K34 2000)

### Use for:

Philippines -- Literatures

### Narrower terms:

Bikol literature  
Cebuano literature  
Children’s literature, Philippine  
Children’s stories, Philippine (English)  
College student’s writings, Philippines  
Epic poetry, Philippine  
Folk literature, Philippine  
Folk poetry, Philippine  
Gaddang literature  
Gay’s writings, Philippine (English)  
Hiligaynon literature  
Horror tales, Philippine (English)  
Humorous stories, Philippine (English)  
Iloko literature  
Love stories, Philippine (English)  
Mangyan literature  
Manuvu literature  
Maranao literature  
Palawano literature  
Pampanga literature  
Philippine drama  
Philippine essays  
Philippine fiction  
Philippine literature (English)  
Philippine literature (Spanish)  
Philippine poetry  
Philippine wit and humor

Protest literature, Philippine  
Protest poetry, Philippine  
Revolutionary literature, Philippine  
Satire, Philippines  
Short stories, Philippines (English)  
Tagalog literature  
Tina Sambal literature  
Waray literature

**REFERENCE AND CIRCULATION BOOKS ON PHILIPPINE LITERATURE**

*Books on Philippine Literature located at Arts and Sciences Satellite Library are:*

**An approach to literature : (modern genres from America, Britain and the Philippines).**

Romero, Perlita P. PL 5531 R664 1997

**An approach to literature : modern genres from America, Britain and the Philippines.**

Romero, Perlita P. PL 5531 R664 1997

**Bayan at lipunan : ang kritisismo ni Bienvenido L. Limbera.** PL 6061 B34 2005

**Beyond futility : the Filipino as critic.** Cruz, Isagani R. PS 9991 C78

**Building the national community : problems and prospects and other historical essays.** PL 5546 E93 2002

**Bumasa at lumaya : a sourcebook on children's literature in the Philippines.** PZ 90 P5 1994

**Children's literature.** Rev.ed. Prayno, Salud M.PN 6071.C5 P37 1997

**Culture and history.** Joaquin, Nick. HM 101 J63 2004

**The development of Philippine literature in English : (since 1900).** Croghan, Richard V. PS 9991.A4 C7 1975

**Dissolving the colonial bond : American ambassadors to the Philippines, 1946-1984.** Gleck, Lewis E. E 183.5 P5 G64

**Facts in Fiction : a study of peninsular prose fiction, 1859-1897.** Chun, Lilia Hernandez. PL 6150 C49 1998

**Fiction by Filipinos in America.** PS 9992.4 F46

**Ang Ginto sa Makiling at iba pang kuwento.** Pineda, Macario. PL 6058.8 P56 1990

**The golden loom : Palanca prize winners for children.** PZ 90 P5 1997

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**Kangkong.** Alabado, Ceres S. C. PL 6165.4 A29 K35 1993

**Ladlad 2 : an anthology of Philippine gay writing.** PL 6153 L3 1996

**Lahat ay bida.** Rubin, Ligaya G.T. PL 6063.R64 R8241 2005

**Literatura ng iba't ibang rehiyon ng Pilipinas.** PL 6141 L57 2001

**Literature and politics : the colonial experience in nine Philippine novels.** Lim, Jaime An. 1946-PN 849 P6 L54 1993

**The literatures of the philippines.** PL 6141 L58 2003

**The loves of rizal and other essays.** Trillana, Pablo S. III. DS 675.8.R49 T75 1999

**Lupang Tinubuan and selected works in English.** Reyes, Narciso G. PL 6164.4 R49

**Mindanao harvest : an anthology of contemporary writing.** PS 9992 M56 1995 v.1

**Originality as vengeance in Philippine literature.** Hosillos, Lucila Valencia. PL 6141 H68

**Pagtatala ng gunita : panimulang dokumentasyon ng mga bayan sa Pilipinas.** Rubin, Ligaya G.T. PL 6063.R64 R824pa 2005

**Panitikan sa Pilipinas.** PL 6141 P36 2001

**Panitikang Filipino : antolohiya.** Arroqante, Jose A. PL 6141 A77 2004

**Pathways to Philippine literature in English : anthology with biographical and critical introductions.** Rev.ed. PS 9992 P37 1966

**Philippine contemporary literature : in English and Pilipino.** 6th ed. PL 5531 D327 1990

**Philippine contemporary literature in English and Filipino.** PS 9992 P5 1990

**Philippine literature : a history & anthology.** Rev.ed. PL 6141 P49 1997

**Philippine literature : a history and Anthology.** Bienvenido Lumbeira, Cynthia Nograles Lumbeira. PL 5531 L97 1997

**Philippine literature : a regional approach.** 2nd ed. Enriquez, Delia B. Carriaga. PL 6153 E5 2006

**Philippine literature : a regional approach.** Enriquez, Delia B. Cariaga. PL 6153 E5 2003

**Philippine literature : from ancient times to the present.** Del Castillo, Teofilo Tuazon, 1905-.  
PL 6141 D38 1974

**Philippine literature : through years.** Kahayon, Alicia Hernandez. PL 6153 K34 2000

**The promise of the foreign : nationalism and the technics of translation in the Spanish Philippines.** Rafael, Vicente L. DS 675 R34 2005

**Rice for the moon and other stories.** Diaz, Manuel S. PS 9993 D5216 R53

**Rizal and heroic traditions : a sense of national destiny other essays and hometown stories.**  
Trillana, Pablo S. DS 675.8.R5 T75 2005

**Sa mata ng mga iskolar ng bayan.** Rubin, Ligaya G.T. PL 6063.R64 R824s 2004

**Sangundiwa : araling Filipino bilang talastasang pangkalinangan at lapit pananaliksik.**  
Nuncio, Rhoderick V. PL 6062.4 N92 2004

**Ang sining ng tula at maikling kuwentong pambata.** Rubin, Ligaya Tiamson. PL 6164.2 R83  
2001

**Six poetry formats and the transforming image a monograph on free verse.** Tiempo, Edith L.  
PR 9550.9.T54 S59 2007

**Sparrows don't sing in the Philippines.** Lim, Paulino. PS 9993 L449 S62 1994

**Twilight of a hero and other works on Rizal.** Crisostomo, Isabelo T. DS 675.8 R49 1999

**Ugat ng panitikang Pilipino : bugtong, salawikain, mga sawikain, mga kawikaan,  
palaisipan, mga tugmang walang diwa, tanaga, pamahiin, kantahing bayan, alamat.**  
Lorenzo, Carmelita Siazon. PL 6141 L67 2005

**When the world loved the Filipinos and other essays on Philippine history.** Dery, Luis  
Camara. PL 5539.D24 D449 2005

**Writing literary history : made of economic production and twentieth century waray poetry.**  
Bagulaya, Jose Duke S. PL 6174.A2 B34 2006

## ONLINE DATABASES

Philippine Journals Online

<http://www.philjol.info/index.php/index/index>

It is a "database of journals published in Philippines, covering the full range of academic disciplines. The objective of Philippine Journals Online is to give greater visibility to the participating journals, and to the research they convey."

Proquest 5000

<http://proquest.umi.com/login/auto>

## INTERNET RESOURCES (as of March 2009)

### Alamat

<http://folktales.webmanila.com>

A Philippine Folktales, Myths and Legends Page

### The Best Philippine Short Stories

<http://sushidog.com/bpss/main.htm>

The Best Philippine Short Stories brings the best in Philippine literature. In spite of its name, poems, essays, artwork, and cartoons appear on a regular basis.

### Languages of the Philippines

[http://www.ethnologue.com/show\\_country.asp?name=PH](http://www.ethnologue.com/show_country.asp?name=PH)

Presents a list of dialects found all over the Philippines

### Philippine Literature - Chan Robles Virtual Library

<http://www.chanrobles.com/philippineliterature.htm>

A comprehensive guide to **Philippine Literature** featured by Chan Robles and Associates Law Firm.

### Philippine Art & Literature Websites

<http://www.pinoysites.org/art>

Directory of Philippine art and literature websites.

### PinoyLit, A Philippine Literature Page

<http://pinoylit.hypermart.net>

PinoyLit provides information on Filipino writers, and illustrators, their lives and their work. You can also find a few Philippine short stories, novels, essays, children's literature, myths, legends, folk tales and folklore, and even chapter summaries of the *Noli Me Tangere* and the *El Filibusterismo*.

## **Portal to Philippine literature**

<http://www.panitikan.com.ph/index.htm>

“The website is a project of the UP Institute of Creative Writing and the National Commission for Culture and the Arts. Its primary aim is to disseminate Philippine literature online by providing a database of author's profiles and their works. Its other features like the writers market and monthly calendar of activities seek to stimulate literary interest. ” – About Us page

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