

CURRICULUM VITAE
SENATOR PIA S. CAYETANO

Educational Background:

- 1991 Bachelor of Laws, College of Law, University of the Philippines. Graduated with academic distinction, #7 in her class; Member of the Honor Society, Order of the Purple Feather
- 1985 Bachelor of Arts in Economics, School of Economics, University of the Philippines, Graduated Cum Laude

Government Service:

- July 2019 – Present Member, Philippine Senate, 18th Congress
Chairperson, Committee on Ways and Means
Vice Chairperson, Committee on Finance
- July 2016 – June 2019 Member, House of Representatives, 17th Congress
Elected Deputy Speaker
Representative, 2nd District of Taguig City
- July 2013 – June 2016 Member, Philippine Senate, 13th to 16th Congress
Chairperson, Committee on Education, Arts and Culture, Senate of the Philippines
- Chairperson, Committee on Women, Children, Family Relations and Gender Equality, Senate of the Philippines
- Vice-Chairperson, Committee on Health and Demography, Senate of the Philippines
- Chairperson, Oversight Committee on Climate Change
- Chairperson, Oversight Committee on Bases Conversion
- July 2010 – June 2013 Chairperson, Committee on Health and Demography, Senate of the Philippines
- Chairperson, Committee on Youth, Women and Family Relations, Senate of the Philippines

	Chairperson, Joint Congressional Oversight Committee on the Clean Water Act of 2004
Nov. 2008 – June 2010	Chairperson, Committee on Social Justice, Welfare and Rural Development, Senate of the Philippines
July 2004 – Nov. 2008	Chairperson, Committee on Environment and Natural Resources, Senate of the Philippines
	Chairperson, Committee on Health and Demography, Senate of the Philippines
	Co-Chairperson, Joint Congressional Oversight Committee on the Philippine Clean Air Act of 1999
	Co-Chairperson, Joint Congressional Oversight Committee on the Ecological Solid Waste Management Act of 2000
	Co-Chairperson, Joint Congressional Oversight Committee on the Philippine Clean Water Act of 2004
July 2004 – July 2007	Assistant Majority Floor Leader, Senate of the Philippines

Inter-Parliamentary Union Positions Held:

April 2008 – April 2010	President, Coordinating Committee of Women Parliamentarians, Inter-Parliamentary Union (IPU)
April 2006 – April 2008	First Vice President, Coordinating Committee of Women Parliamentarians, Inter-Parliamentary Union (IPU)
April 2005	President, 10 th Meeting of Women Parliamentarians 112 th Inter-Parliamentary Union Assembly

Professional/ Business Positions Held:

2001 – Present	Founder, Maxi Group of Companies - Retailer and Distributor of educational toys, infant apparel and accessories
2000	General Counsel, Philweb Corporation

1996 – 1999 Legal and Corporate Affairs, Belle Corporation and its affiliates

1992 – 1995 Associate Lawyer, Castillo, Laman Tan, and Pantaleon Law Offices – Specialized in Corporate Law and Intellectual Property Law

Awards and Recognitions Received

2013

Rising Star Award, Bill and Melinda Gates Foundation

- Cited for efforts in improving the health and wellbeing of women and girls by passing the Mandatory Immunization Law, Expanded Breastfeeding Law, and Reproductive Health Law

2014

Jade Ribbon Award, Stanford University-based Asian Liver Center

- Cited for raising awareness on liver cancer and Hepatitis-B, and the passage of the Hepa-B Immunization Act

2015

Resolve Award, Aspen Institute

- Cited for making progress towards the goal of universal reproductive health by passing the Reproductive Health Law

UP School of Economics Alumni Association (UPSEAA)

- Distinguished Alumni Awardee

2017

UP Gawad Oblation

- Highest honor given to alumni and friends who have extended extraordinary service in the name of the University of the Philippines

2018

Sen. Geronima T. Pecson Award, Federation of Asia-Pacific Women' Association

- For being elected the youngest Filipino woman in the history of the Philippine Senate and landmark contributions to Philippine legislation

Civic Activities/Positions:

Founder, Pinay In Action – advocacy arm for promoting women and girl empowerment through sports and fitness; organizes sports clinics, tournaments, and other grassroots sports programs for girls

Founder, Gabriel's Symphony Foundation, Inc. – focuses on operation of babies with cleft lips and projects involving special children and education of the poor.

Founder, Compañero Rene Cayetano Foundation – provides support to the needy with respect to health, education and environment concerns and aims to establish a liver center in the Philippines.

Spokesperson, Samahan Laban sa Pekeng Gamot

Spokesperson, Philippine Cancer Society

Spokesperson, Universal Birth Registration Project

Member of the Board of Trustees, Philippine Society of Youth Science Clubs

Advocate and resource person on maternal health; early childhood care and development; breastfeeding; cervical and breast cancer; migration of health workers; affordable and quality drugs; anti-violence against women and children; magna carta of women; environmental awareness; sustainable forest management; climate change; sports, healthy lifestyle and proper nutrition

Media Activities:

Co-host, Usapang de Kampanilla, DZMM 630khz

Co-host, Ang mga Payo ni Compañero, DZMM

Columnist, Compañero y Compañera, People's Tonight

Columnist, Baby Magazine and Good Housekeeping

Radio Host, Compañero y Compañera

Publisher of Booklets and Newsletters for mothers

Author, "My Daily Race" and "To Dream the Impossible Dream and other lessons from my dad, Compañero Rene Luna Cayetano"

Achievements in Sports

2014

INTERNATIONAL

Finisher, Maratona di Roma, Rome, Italy

LOCAL

Finisher, 3rd All-Women's Ultra-Marathon, Cebu, Philippines

2013

INTERNATIONAL RACES

3rd place in her age-group, Lisboa International Triathlon, Portugal

1st place in her age-group, Xterra Off-road triathlon, Cebu, Philippines

3rd place, Women's Category, Pilipinas Akyathlon: The Philippine International Skyrace, Mt. Ugo, Benguet, Philippines

LOCAL RACES

2nd place, Women's Category, DurianMan 51.50 Triathlon, Davao City
1st in her age-group, Dipolog Centennial Triathlon, Dipolog City
4th place, 21k-Female Category, Perpetual Help Community Cooperative Anniversary Run, Dumaguete City
Finisher, Condura Skyway Marathon: Run for the Mangroves, Alabang, Muntinlupa City

2012

INTERNATIONAL

Finisher, Ironman 70.3, Cebu, Philippines
2nd place in her age-group, Bintan International Long Distance Triathlon, Indonesia
6th place, Women's Category, Taitung Long-distance Triathlon, Taiwan
2nd place in her age-group, XTERRA Off-Road Triathlon, Liloan, Cebu, Philippines
1st place in her age-group, ITU International Duathlon, Subic, Philippines
2nd place in her age-group, 5150 Triathlon, Subic, Philippines
Finisher, Stockholm Centennial Marathon, Sweden
2nd place in her age-group, Pilipinas Akyathlon: The Philippine International Skyrace,
Mt. Ugo, Benguet, Philippines

2011

INTERNATIONAL

3rd place in her age-group, Cobra Ironman 70.3 in Camarines Sur, Philippines
Finisher, XTERRA World Championships, Kapalua, Maui, Hawaii
1st place in her age-group, 1st XTERRA Off-Road Triathlon, Liloan, Cebu
1st place, All Female Category, XTerra Putik Pare 2011, Nuvali, Sta. Rosa, Laguna
Finisher, Megatri (long-distance triathlon), Singapore

2010

INTERNATIONAL

Finisher, Ironman 70.3 Asia-Pacific Championship in Thailand
3rd place in her age-group, Cobra Ironman 70.3 in Camarines Sur, Philippines
Finisher, XTERRA 'Putik Pare' Off-Road Duathlon in Nuvali, Sta. Rosa, Laguna, Philippines
1st place in her age-group, ITU-Subic Bay Duathlon Open in Subic, Philippines

2009

INTERNATIONAL

Finisher, Tokyo Marathon
2nd place in her age-group, Cobra Ironman 70.3 in Camarines Sur, Philippines

2008

INTERNATIONAL

Finisher, ING Amsterdam Marathon
Finisher, New York Triathlon
Finisher, Amica Ironman 70.3, Rhode Island
Finisher, Aviva Ironman 70.3 in Singapore
Finisher, ING New York Marathon

2007

INTERNATIONAL

Finisher, Western Australia Ironman
Finisher, ITU Subic International Triathlon, Subic, Philippines
Finisher, Aviva Ironman 70.3 in Singapore

2006

INTERNATIONAL

Finisher, Venice Marathon
Finisher, ING New York Marathon

2005

INTERNATIONAL

Finisher, World Duathlon Championship, Australia

2004

INTERNATIONAL

Series Champion, Ladies Division, Clark Duathlon
Finisher, San Francisco, Chronicle Marathon (USA)
Finisher, San Francisco Marathon

OTHERS

Youngest Member, Philippine National Volleyball Team (at age 17)
Captain, University of the Philippines, Varsity Volleyball Team (at age 18)
Runner, Cyclist, Tri-athlete and Sports enthusiast

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