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## **DOST-ITDI joins first 2023 NYSTIF**

The Industrial Technology Development Institute (DOST-ITDI) joined the first National Youth Science, Technology, and Innovation Festival (NYSTIF) opening ceremonies held on October 25, 2023 at PICC, Pasay City, Metro Manila.

The four-day festival conveys the "STEM VIBE" with the theme focus on the youth being Vibrant, Innovative, Brilliant, and Engaging.

ITDI is showcasing its technologies and innovation during the four-day festival that intends to





capture and enrich the youth's interest in science, technology, and innovation by exhibiting its nanotechnology and 3D printing services. It will also be holding a forum titled "Innovation Forum on Nanotechnology and 3D Printing" on 27th October 2023.

Gracing the event was DOST Secretary Renato U. Solidum, Jr. who gave his welcome message on the significance of digital technology and artificial intelligence for the youth of

today, particularly those in the STEM track.

Joining Secretary Solidum was Senator Francis N. Tolentino as the keynote speaker who supported the importance of having NYSTIF as one good approach to leveling up careers in science, technology, and innovation in the country.

Also present at the event was ITDI Deputy Director for Research and Development Dr. Christine Marie C. Montesa showing support for DOST-Science Education Institute's newly



launched NYSTIF and promoting ITDI featured exhibit.



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The exhibition officially opened following the Ribbon Cutting Ceremony led by Secretary Solidum. (DDGotis, ITDI S&T Media Service)

