

## Joy Virata Speaks Before UP-VSB Class 2013



**Phylita Joy Gamboa-Virata**

Phylita Joy Gamboa-Virata (BSBA 1955) and recipient of the Distinguished Alumna Award in 2005 shall speak during the recognition ceremonies of the Cesar E.A. Virata School of Business to be held on 28 April 2013, 9:00am at the University Theater. Ms. Joy Virata is the Founder and Director Repertory Children's Theater and the former Associate Artistic Director and Vice President for Audience Development of the Repertory Philippines Foundation. She has acted in over 150 plays,

musicals and operas for various theater companies.

There are 296 graduates with 113 BSBA, 84 BSBA, 80 MBA, 15 MS Finance, two MS Management and two PhD. Leading the graduates is Vincent A. Yu, BSBA, summa cum laude. There are 127 honor graduates (64% of Class 2013): one with summa cum laude honors, 23 with magna cum laude honors, and 103 with cum laude honors. One of the PhD graduates is Associate Professor Daniel Vincent H. Borja of the Virata School of Business.

During the ceremonies, the Security Bank Foundation presents the U.P. Virata School of Business and Security Bank Student Excellence Awards to three graduating students: Vincent A. Yu, Outstanding BSBA Graduate; Jaclyn Nicole T. Kua, Outstanding BSBA Graduate; and Leigh Wade C. Wong, Best in Leadership. Each awardee receives P50,000 from the Security Bank Foundation.