
REVIEW

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The volume is a text that compiles the speeches, presentations and messages delivered by PhD Alberto Turro Breff, Rector of the University of Guantánamo, to the community of the institution. He is as well co-author of the compilation.

It is intended for readers interested in the projection of work and development prospects of a University that advances towards the fulfillment of the goals outlined each year; authors collected from his first speech, delivered on September 2, 2014, to the most recent, in 2017.

Other important reason for its publication is to recognize the work of directives, leaders and people who have devoted many hours of their lives to achieve superior results in all spheres of educational work.

The integrated University of Guantánamo opened its doors on September 5, 2014 with a senate of 1,014 professors, among which were 48 are full professors, 217 auxiliary professors, 573 assistants, 93 PhDs in different specialties, and 548 masters; four years later, today, 1,881 workers have enhanced the training of 74 full professors, 317 auxiliaries, 466 assistants, 129 doctors, and 608 masters in science.

Likewise, the development of relevant processes is analyzed, paying special attention to training and postgraduate courses, the positive results reached in science and technology, and the relevant socio-cultural projects.
It is important to notice in the book the homage paid to the educators every December 22nd, and the speeches of congratulation for the graduates every year, as well as those delivered at the academic award galas for the PhDs.

The book recognizes the contribution of the University to the local development programs of the province, its Party and Government, as well as the research carried out by teachers and students, which has been linked to the programs and projects of the economy and society of Guantánamo, attuned with the prospective development of the province until 2030.

Likewise, the messages, of paramount importance for all, call to face the permanent subversive actions of the imperialism, mainly to face subversion directed to the university youth. The certification of the quality of majors, syllabi and the institution itself, and the great commitment of students, professors and workers, are other topics discussed in the book, highlighting how, thanks to such commitment, in a short time 10 majors have been certified.

This book reflects in a pleasing and accurate way the thoughts and actions of a person who, in addition to having the best qualities of a leader, manages to compensate humanly for the fulfillment of all the aspirations of the university and the community of Guantánamo.

The book is available at the University Digital Library: RedUniv, in the Archive collection and can be accessed through the address: