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UTAR awarded Premier Digital Tech University

UTAR was awarded the Premier Digital Tech University status by Malaysian Digital Economy Corporation (MDEC) on 17 June 2019 at Malaysian Global Innovation & Creativity Centre, Cyberjaya.

Present at the award ceremony were Ministry of Education Department of Higher Education Deputy Director General Dato' Prof Ir Dr Mohd Saleh Jaafar representing Minister of Education Malaysia Dr Maszlee bin Malik, Ministry of Education Department of Polytechnic and Community College Education Deputy Director General Ts Dr Mohammad Naim bin Yaakub and MDEC Chief Executive Officer Surina Shukri.

The objective of the Premier Digital Tech University is to recognise selected institutions of higher learning as the preferred institutions for future digital talents and to set a benchmark for other institutions aspiring to be the preferred talent supplier for the digital economy sectors.

"Talent is the key for Malaysia to succeed in the Fourth Industrial Revolution. This initiative will ensure that Malaysians will be ready in the fields of Data Analytics, AI, Robotics and Digital Marketing," said Dato' Mohd Saleh Jaafar.

"MDEC is a strong proponent of Public-Private Partnerships and this initiative is a great example of how such alliances can powerfully impact the growth of Malaysia's digital economy," said Surina Shukri.



▲ Ir Prof Academician Dato' Dr Chuah Hean Teik (second from right) receiving the award from Dato' Mohd Saleh Jaafar as Surina Shukri (far left) and Dr Mohammad Naim (far right) look on

UTAR Staff Long Service and Excellence Award



▲ Front row, seated: Yim, Prof Ewe, Hew, Prof Chuah, Tan Sri Hew, Prof Choong and Marchie Lim with Long Service Award recipients



▲ Front row, seated: Yim, Prof Ewe, Hew, Prof Chuah, Tan Sri Hew, Prof Choong and Marchie Lim with Excellence Award recipients

UTAR celebrated the decade-long service of its staff as well as the teaching and research excellence of academics during the UTAR Staff Long Service and Excellence Awards 2019 Ceremony held at Kampar Campus on 24 July 2019.

An annual platform to acknowledge the dedication of staff who have been servicing at UTAR for a decade and also to reward academics who have excelled in their performances, the award ceremony saw 124 UTAR staff as the recipients of the Long Service Award while 19 UTAR academics as recipients of the Excellence Awards.

Present at the award ceremony were UTAR President Ir Prof Academician Dato' Dr Chuah Hean Teik, UTAR Council Member Hew Fen Yee, UTAR Planning and Development Committee Tan Sri Hew See Tong, Vice Presidents Prof Ir Dr Ewe Hong Tat and Prof Dr Choong Chee Keong, Registrar Yim Lin Heng, and Division of Human Resource Director Marchie Lim Pin Sim.

Prof Chuah said that the commitment by UTAR staff over the years had enabled the University to play its instrumental role in nurturing the students to become fine young adults who not only contribute to the nation's development but also leaving footprints in different industries across the world.

Each winner of the Teaching Excellence Award, E-Learning Excellence Award, Research Excellence Award and Innovation Excellence Award walked away with a cash prize of RM1,000, a certificate of acknowledgement and a trophy; while the winning research centre for the Research Centre Excellence Award took home a grant of RM100,000.

Prof Chuah awarded FEIAP Engineer of the Year 2019

UTAR President Ir Prof Academician Dato' Dr Chuah Hean Teik was awarded the FEIAP Engineer of the Year 2019. The award was recently presented at the 5th FEIAP Convention Dinner and Award Night held in Xian, China on 29 June 2019.

The FEIAP Engineer of the Year Award by the Federation of Engineering Institutions of the Asia and the Pacific (FEIAP) was set up in 2008 to recognise an engineer who has the highest standard of ethics and conduct, and one who has made a substantial contribution in the field of engineering benefiting the society as a whole. The work for the awardee shall be substantial with contribution for the advancement and development of the engineering profession in the Asia Pacific region, and/or the progress of scientific research in the field of engineering as judged by the quality of his or her publications and/or patents.

For his significant contributions to engineering education and engineering profession, FEIAP has awarded Prof Chuah the FEIAP Engineer of the Year 2019.



▶ FEIAP President Dr John Li presenting the Award to Prof Chuah while FEIAP President-elect Prof Huang Wei (far left) and IEM President Ir David Lai look on



▲ Hew (right) presenting Prof Chuah the Long Service Award on behalf of UTAR Council

Alumnus conquered CIMA A-Star Programme

Bachelor of Accounting (Hons) student Young Teng Wai conquered the prestigious CIMA A-Star Programme, an examination, he sat for in November 2018.

Launched by the Chartered Institute of Management Accountants (CIMA), the A-Star Programme aimed to provide high achievers with a fast track programme to a global designation - Chartered Global Management Accountant (CGMA). It is a unique ONE exam pathway to a global community of CGMAs.

Young said, "The technology is getting more advanced and routine works are gradually being replaced by advanced technologies. Therefore, it is vital for us to make ourselves indispensable. CIMA is an added value for my future career because the rapidly changing business models will change how we perform our tasks today."

2018-19 CIMA President Steven Swientozielskyj FCMA, CGMA (left) presenting the certificate to Young



UTAR Lee Kong Chian Faculty of Engineering and Science students, namely Au Jin Cheng, Yap Sheng Yao, Khor Jun Bin, Lim Wen Qing and Tan Kai Siang, have been selected as finalists in Keysight Technologies, Inc.'s IoT Innovation Challenge. Led by lecturer-cum-advisor Danny Ng Wee Kiat, the team is the only finalist selected from the Asia-Pacific and Greater China region.

The entry that earned the team a place in the finals is titled "IoT Detachable Waterway Monitoring Device with LoRa and Self-Sustainability". This design idea, submitted in the Smart Water Challenge track, was inspired by the recent water pollution and contamination in the state of Johor, Malaysia where 2,500 people were affected by gas poisoning and 111 schools were closed as a result of illegally dumped chemical wastes in the river.

Keysight IoT Challenge Programme Director Cheryl Ajluni said, "UTAR's student innovators set a very high bar with their entry, providing an outstanding example of how low-power sensor networks hold the potential to make the world better for billions of people."

Two students from the UTAR team will receive an all-expenses paid trip to the final competition in New York City on September 2019. The judges of the competition include a United Nations officer, a top student innovator and entrepreneur, a popular social influencer and an industry-renowned writer.

The winners will be announced in September. Along with worldwide recognition, the top winning team will receive a \$50,000 USD cash prize and \$50,000 USD worth of Keysight test equipment for their school.

Engineering team provides solution to water pollution at Keysight IoT Challenge



▲ From left: Au Jin, Yap, Danny Ng, Khor, Lim and Tan

UTAR alumni excel in ACCA examination

Former Accounting student Young Teng Wai successfully completed the Association of Chartered Certified Accountants (ACCA) March 2019 examination and won the third place in the Malaysian Top Affiliates Award; while former Commerce Accounting student Chong Jia Hao came in at the top placing in Malaysia and the 10th placing in the world for Advanced Performance Management (APM) paper.

An ACCA affiliate refers to a candidate who has completed all the

required ACCA papers, pending completion of three years of working experience. Young has attained one of the highest total average marks in his professional exams upon achieving the affiliate status.

Young mentioned that technology would affect the way people work and advised people to keep pace with all the latest technological developments. Chong expressed his wish to obtain more skills in banking and finance as well as more exposure in the business sector.



From left: Young and Chong

Green-tech competition cultivates creativity



▲ The organising committee, judges and participants

A total of seven groups from UTAR and Heriot-Watt University participated in the Eco-Wind Turbine Power Generation Competition which was held at Sungai Long Campus on 8 June 2019.

Organised by the IMechE Student Chapter, the competition served as a platform to promote and create awareness on Green Technology while encouraging participants to be more eco-friendly and creative in designing and fabricating a feasible wind turbine.

Lee Kong Chian Faculty of Engineering and Science (LKC FES) Head of Mechanical and Material Engineering Department Prof Ir Dr D. Rajkumar said that such event cultivates the students' creativity and raises the awareness of using eco-materials.

The participants were required to design, build and test their wind turbine through the measurement of output power and threshold distance before proceeding to the presentation of ideas. Judging the competition were LKC FES lecturers Dr Rubina Bahar, Dr Ooi Jong Boon and Assoc Prof Dr Liang Meng Suan.

Team Win-Wind Turbine won the first prize and took away RM1,000 cash and RM50 voucher while Team GG walked away with RM500 cash and RM30 voucher for the second prize. Team Four Eatdeots won the third prize with RM300 cash and RM20 voucher. All participants received certificates.

Computer science students win award in China

Faculty of Information and Communication Technology (FICT) Computer Science students Lai Suk Ling and See Tian Xin won the One-Belt-One-Road Exchange Award (“一带一路”交流奖) in the 10th Service Outsourcing Innovation and Entrepreneurship Competition (SOIEC) for Chinese College Students (第十届中国大学生服务外包创新创业大赛). The competition took place at Wuxi, China from 22 to 24 May 2019.

Their winning project titled “Cyber Physical Books Management System - The Librarian”, aimed to provide a solution to solve book managing issues in libraries, with the help of automated guided vehicle and technologies such as indoor positioning and optical character recognition. Mentored by FICT lecturer Dr Tan Joi San, the team walked away with a trophy and a certificate of participation.

See (far left) and Lai (far right) accompanied by Dr Tan



Students win gold in table tennis

A team of six UTAR students, namely Hang Zhong Yu, Evon Ho Yi Vern, Choong Kwai Mun, Wong Yao Min, Foo Wui Jia and Tang Kian Wai participated in the “XMUM Table Tennis Invitation Tournament 2019” from 22 to 23 June 2019 at the Badminton Court of Xiamen University Malaysia, Selangor. The team won six gold medals and the overall champion title.

Organised by the Table Tennis Club of Xiamen University Malaysia, the tournament aimed to provide a platform for the players to build good networks with players from various institutes of higher learning and develop their enthusiasm towards table tennis.



▲ Winners with UTAR staff and students

Silver and Bronze in Karate Championship

A team of five athletes from UTAR, namely Chew Kai Yuan, Kok Zhi Yuan, Tan Kok Xyuen, Tan Chia Wen and Tee Xi Wen participated in the “1st TAR UC Goshin-Ryu Karate Championship 2019” at TAR UC Setapak Campus on 22 June 2019. The championship was organised by TAR UC Karate Club.

The championship aimed to bring karatekas from all tertiary education institutions to compete and get to know each other. Among the five athletes from UTAR, Tan Kok Xyuen managed to secure a Silver medal in the Male Kumite University category while Tan Chia Wen secured a Bronze medal in the Female Kumite University category.

From left: Chew, Tee, Tan Kok Xyuen, Kok and Tan Chia Wen



Collaborations at Work

UTAR and water treatment solution provider TECHKEM Group signed a memorandum of understanding (MoU) at Kampar Campus on 9 August 2019.

Besides paving the way for joint collaborative initiatives which include joint research projects, mutual visits, internship placement and so on, the MoU also spotlights the possibility of integrating UTAR's solar trough concentrator system into TECHKEM's Renewable Energy Water Refine Technology (REWART) System.

Signing on behalf of UTAR were UTAR President Ir Prof Academician Dato' Dr Chuah Hean Teik, Faculty of Engineering and Green Technology (FEGT) Assoc Prof Dr Yap Vooi Voon; while TECHKEM Group was represented by its Managing Director David Ng Kam Meng and Operations Director Ir Dr Chew Chun Ming. Also present were Division of Community and International Networking Deputy Director Dr Chen I Chi and FEGT lecturer Dr Tan Ming Hui.



▲ Prof Chuah (second from left) and Ng (second from right) exchanging the MoU documents as Dr Yap (left) and Dr Chew (right) look on

“We have also been giving back to the society through various community services in new villages as well as rural areas. Therefore, I'm really looking forward to seeing both UTAR and TECHKEM Group continue working together in areas which are for the benefit of the community,” Prof Chuah said.

Ng said, “In TECHKEM, we are looking into various improvements to our wastewater plants and also water recycling initiatives in line with the United Nations Sustainable Development Goals. Collaborating with UTAR is also in line with TECHKEM's CSR of contributing to the society via education.”

Sealing pact with Linyi University

An MoU was signed between UTAR and Linyi University, China on 22 July 2019 at Sungai Long Campus.

The MoU was signed in advance by UTAR President Ir Prof Academician Dato' Dr Chuah Hean Teik and witnessed by UTAR Vice President Prof Ir Dr Ewe Hong Tat. During the ceremony, signing on behalf of Linyi University, China was Chair of Linyi University Board Prof Li Zhe witnessed by Linyi University, China School of Law Dean Prof Yao Jiantao.

Present at the MoU exchange ceremony were Lee Kong Chian Faculty of Engineering and Science (LKC FES) Dean Prof Ir Dr Goi Bok Min, LKC FES Heads Assoc Prof Ir Dr Chang Yoong Choon and Prof Ir Dr D. Rajkumar, Division of Programme Promotion Yong Chin Yi and Division of Community and International Networking Liu Dan. Linyi University, China was represented by Assistant to the Director of Office of International Exchange and Cooperation Zhang Di, School of Automation and Electrical Engineering Dean Prof Qiu Jianlong, School of Information Science and Engineering Dean Prof Zhang Wenyin.

The MoU aimed to initiate joint projects involving international collaborative research, share expertise and joint development of research, and facilitate academic development exchanges between both parties in the aspect of teaching, seminar, conferences and workshops.



▲ Prof Ewe (left) and Prof Li Zhe with the signed document

A REWARTing collaboration



MoU opens up more career opportunities

UTAR inked a memorandum of understanding (MoU) with GTI Media Sdn Bhd at Sungai Long Campus on 4 July 2019. The MoU aimed to explore collaborative opportunities particularly in providing job opportunities and organising beneficial events like workshops, career fairs and talks to the students.

Signing on behalf of UTAR was its President Ir Prof Academician Dato' Dr Chuah Hean Teik witnessed by Vice President Prof Dr Choong Chee Keong, while GTI Media Sdn Bhd was represented by its Managing Director Isaac Hee witnessed by Marketing Director Alfred Leo. Also present at the ceremony were GTI Media Sdn Bhd Marketing and Events Manager Karen Lim and UTAR staff.

◀ Exchange of MoU documents between Prof Chuah (second from left) and Isaac Hee under the witness of Prof Choong (far left) and Alfred Leo

MoA signed to develop joint research on T&CM

A tripartite memorandum of agreement (MoA) was signed between UTAR, Hai-O Enterprise Berhad and Tung Shin Hospital on 8 July at Menara Hai-O. The three parties are set to collaborate on a joint research project which focuses on Chinese herbal medicine, cancer biology and omic technologies.

Gracing the signing ceremony were Deputy Minister of Health of Malaysia YB Dr Lee Boon Chye, Ministry of Health Division of TCM Director Dr Goh Cheng Soon and Co-founder of Jimmy Choo Ltd Prof Datuk Dr Jimmy Choo Yeang Keat.

The MoA was signed in advance by UTAR President Ir Prof Academician Dato' Dr Chuah Hean Teik witnessed by Vice President Prof Ir Dr Ewe Hong Tat. Signing on behalf of Hai-O Enterprise Berhad was its Group Executive Chairman Tan Kai Hee witnessed by Group Managing Director Tan Keng Kang; while Tung Shin Hospital was represented by its President Tan Sri Dato' Khoo Chai Kaa and witnessed by its Secretary General Lau Keng Boon.



▲ From left: Lau, Prof Ewe, Tan Kai Hee, Dr Lee, Tan Keng Kang and Tan Sri Dato' Khoo at the signing ceremony

Exploring potential areas of cooperation with YMUN

UTAR and Youjiang Medical University for Nationalities (YMUN) officially exchanged an MoU at Sungai Long Campus on 1 July 2019. It marked the start of another step forward in providing the best collaboration opportunities for both institutions.

The delegates from YMUN were its President Yao Jinguang, the Affiliated Hospital of YMUN Director Tang Yujin, Faculty of Nursing Dean Wei Guiyuan, Faculty of Preclinical Medicine Dean Liu Yunguang and Office of International Cooperation and Exchange Wei Xianggang. They were accompanied by Unicell Bio Med Sdn Bhd Director Saw Lie Lie and Managing Director Tsoi Liu.

Welcoming them were UTAR Vice President Prof Ir Dr Ewe Hong Tat, Faculty of Medicine and Health Sciences Deputy Dean Prof Dr Ng Teck Han and Department of Chinese Medicine lecturer Ooi Ciat Hui.



Prof Ewe (left) and Yao exchanging the MoU documents ▶

UTAR, JYU ink pact for cultural exchange

UTAR officially inked two MoAs on academic staff exchange and student exchange with Jiaying University (JYU), China at Sungai Long Campus on 26 June 2019. The MoAs aimed to facilitate and enhance academic cooperation between both universities.

Signing on behalf of UTAR was its President Prof Chuah, while JYU was represented by its President Prof Yang Zhou. It was witnessed by UTAR Vice President Prof Ewe and JYU Vice President Prof Xue Fang Cun.

Also present at the signing ceremony were JYU International Exchange and Cooperation Office Director Zhang Yangfen, Hakka Research College Vice Dean Song Dejian, International Exchange and Cooperation Office Wen Gangming and UTAR staff.



◀ Prof Chuah (left) and Prof Xue exchanging the MoAs

UTAR renews ties with BMMB

The treasured bond between UTAR and Bodhi Meditation Malaysia Berhad (BMMB) was renewed for another term on 19 June 2019 at Sungai Long Campus. The charity-driven deed of donation, signed between the two parties, targets to aid UTAR students who need financial assistance in their study. The memorandum of agreement signing also witnessed BMMB contributing a total of RM800,000 to UTAR.



▲ Fifth from left: Yim, Prof Choong, Prof Chuah, Teacher Ling Shan, Teacher Fa Gong, Brother Wen Ju, Sister Dong Cao and Brother Huai Chao

Present were Chairman of BMMB Teacher Ling Shan, UTAR President Prof Chuah, BMMB Board Committee Teacher Fa Gong, Brother Wen Jun, Sister Dong Cao, BMMB CEO Sister Xi Cen, UTAR Vice President Prof

Choong, Registrar Yim Lin Heng, BMMB Project Manager Sister Huai Ju, Teo Su Hui, Tham Min Zhen, UTAR staff and students.

UTAR and Auto Count Sdn Bhd signed a memorandum of understanding (MoU) on 17 June 2019 at Sungai Long Campus. Signing the MoU were UTAR President Prof Chuah and Auto Count Sdn Bhd Chief Executive Officer Choo Yan Tee while witnessing the signing were UTAR Vice President Prof Ewe and Auto Count Sdn Bhd Education Consultant Naimah binti Shamsuddin.

Under the MoU, Auto Count Sdn Bhd will supply the AutoCount Computerised Accounting Course materials to UTAR to be used for its students in relevant programmes. The partnership also allows UTAR to access an unlimited installation of AutoCount Accounting Software (Education Version) and enjoy rebates for the purchase of course materials.

MoU aims to integrate contemporary technology in classroom



From left: Naimah, Choo, Prof Chuah and Prof Ewe after the signing ceremony ▶



2,843 graduates all set to take on the world

It was a jubilant occasion for 2,843 graduates of UTAR when they received their respective postgraduate and undergraduate degrees at UTAR's 29th Convocation. The graduates celebrated their academic achievement together with dignitaries, lecturers and staff from UTAR at Dewan Tun Dr Ling Liong Sik in Kampar Campus from 16 to 18 August 2019. The graduation ceremony was a three-day celebration of the graduands' perseverance, determination and their dedication to the ideals of UTAR.

A total of 2,843 graduands from 97 programmes comprising 66 Bachelor (Hons) degree, 22 Master's degree and nine PhD programmes, received their convocation scrolls in four sessions held over the three-day period. Of the 2,843 graduands, 13 received their PhDs, 107 received their Master's degree and 141 received their Hons degree with Distinction, while the rest received their Bachelor Hons with Merit and Bachelor Hons degree.

The Session One and Two of the Convocation were declared open by UTAR Council Chairman Tan Sri Dato' Seri Dr Ting Chew Peh; Session Three and Four were declared open by UTAR President Ir Prof Academician Dato' Dr Chuah Hean Teik. Also present at the ceremony were UTAR Chancellor Tun Dr Ling Liong Sik and other UTAR Council and Boards of Trustees members.

The guests of honour for the four sessions of the Convocation were Co-Founder/President & CEO of ViTrox Corporation Berhad



Jubilant graduates at the UTAR 29th Convocation ceremony

Chu Jenn Weng for Session One, Certified Public Accountant and Director of Genting Berhad and British American Tobacco (Malaysia) Berhad Eric Ooi Lip Aun for Session Two, Chairperson of Council of Wetlands International Malaysia & former Director General of Department of Irrigation & Drainage Malaysia Dato' Paduka Ir (Dr) Hj Keizrul bin Abdullah for Session Three, and Chairman of Board of Trustees of UTAR Education Foundation Tan Sri Dato' Dr Sak Cheng Lum for Session Four. The scroll presenters for Session One were UTAR Council Members Tan Sri Datuk Seri Dr Fong Chan Onn and Datuk Lim Si Cheng; Session Two were Tan Sri Ting and UTAR Board of Trustees and Council Member Datuk Lee Leck Cheng; Session Three were UTAR Board of Trustees and Council Member Datuk (Dr) Oh Chong Peng and UTAR Council Member Hew Fen Yee; and Session Four were Tan Sri Sak and Hew.

In his convocation address, Prof Chuah congratulated the graduands and said, "As you move on to your next chapter of life, it is important to keep your passion for learning alive. Strong interpersonal skills are essential for succeeding in today's workplace. Interpersonal skills include soft or life skills, emotional intelligence skills, employability skills, and people skills. They are related to the way you communicate and interact with others."



Tan Sri Ting declaring the opening of Session One and Two of the Convocation



Prof Chuah declaring the opening of Session Three and Four of the Convocation



Guests of honour, from left: Chu, Ooi, Dato' Paduka Keizrul and Tan Sri Sak

Chu in his speech congratulated the graduands and motivated the graduands with his success stories. He quoted Confucius and described, "Choose a job you love and you will never have to work a day in your life. This is exactly what I experienced in my first job. Dear graduands, my advice to you about your career, is to follow your heart. Try to find a job that you love, not a job that will earn you a high salary, at least at the beginning of your career life."

Ooi in his speech said, "Lifelong friendships are built during your earlier schooling years, but the best networks are developed in college. There will always be people who are smarter and have more experience than you, so don't shy away from asking them for assistance or advice. The smartest people are sometimes outside the room. And it's not a sign of weakness to ask. I do it all the time."

Dato' Paduka Keizrul in his speech enthused, "I had graduated as an Engineer and I thought I knew everything about engineering. How wrong I was! I have now worked in water engineering for over

4 decades: the more I learn, the more I realize how little I know. Each year, there are new developments, knowledge, techniques and processes; and it is important that we commit ourselves to life-long learning so as to enable us to stay abreast of all these new development and knowledge in our profession."

Last but not least, Tan Sri Sak in his speech congratulated the graduands and motivated them to take pride in their alma mater and always think of it with gratitude. He said, "University is a brand, alumni are its best ambassadors. I believe alumni are amongst the University's most powerful assets and best brand ambassadors. Alumni have significant work to do in building their alma mater's brand and it is a unique opportunity to leverage the lifelong brand advocacy for their alma mater."

With the addition of 2,843 graduates from this 29th Convocation, the number of the University's alumni now stands more than 61,600 since its inaugural convocation in 2005.



Tan Sri Fong (right) presenting the scroll to Doctor of Philosophy (Medical Sciences) graduate Choong Pei Feng



Datuk Lim (left) presenting the scroll to Banking and Finance graduate Wong Kar Horn



Tan Sri Ting (right) presenting the scroll to Business Administration graduate Cheah Khai Yeen



Datuk Lee (left) presenting the scroll to Materials and Manufacturing Engineering graduate Lee Jin Sheng



Datuk (Dr) Oh (right) presenting the scroll to Bachelor of Medicine and Bachelor of Surgery (MBBS) graduate A. Meighalal



Hew (left) presenting the scroll to Architecture graduate Chen Bing Wei



Tan Sri Sak (right) presenting the scroll to Financial Economics graduate Yeziel Komora Benedicto



Hew (left) presenting the scroll to Microbiology graduate R. Hemashini



UTAR Registrar Yim Lin Heng leading the Chancellor's procession



Graduands marching their way to Dewan Tun Dr Ling Liong Sik



From left: Public Relations (PR) graduate Shaniera Seliman, Wong, PR graduate Lim Siew Sin, Computer Engineering graduate Goh Jia Sheng, Tan Sri Ting, Prof Chuah, Master of Engineering Science graduate Vernon Lee Chun Jieh, Pei Feng, Master of Engineering (Electronic Systems) graduate Ng Pei Chai, Finance graduate Christina Lee Shuet Zhen and Faculty of Medical and Health Sciences Dean Emeritus Prof Dr Cheong Soon Keng



From left: Electrical and Electronic Engineering graduate Lee Sheng Kai, Chemical Engineering graduate Aaron Koe Zhen Yao, Lee, Prof Chuah, Entrepreneurship graduate Irene Cheong Singyee, Design and Multimedia Education graduate Loh Poh Yee and Early Childhood Education graduate Cindy Heng Xin Yee



From left: Chinese studies graduate Samantha Yap Chu Er, Chinese Medicine graduate Tay Ching Sheng, Prof Chuah, Chen, Communications and Networking graduate Yeaw Yuan Hang, MBBS graduate Lim Chai Hong and Global Economics graduate Guan-Yi



From left: Agricultural Science graduate Soh Wei Chuen, Yeziel, Financial Economics graduate Chong Zheng Yang, Prof Chuah, English Education graduate Tee Xue Ting, Accounting graduate Kee Muh Shyan, Hemashini and Environmental Engineering graduate Lye Xin Yan



Chinese orchestra performance



UTAR Philharmonic orchestra performance



▲ Siew Sin sharing her memorable experiences with other fellow graduates



Heng thanking her parents, lecturers and friends



▲ Chai Hong thanking her professors for their endless guidance



English Language graduate Nurul Yasmin binti Jal Shazidi thanking UTAR for giving her the best platform to excel



Mace bearers, from left: Food Science student Soo Wee Meng, Public Relations student Sun Weihan, Chemistry student Chen, Jiayi and Communications and Networking student Vernon Chean Lynn Chii



Musical interlude performers (clockwise from top left): Rebecca Pang Sing Yun, Ng Min, Veronica Pang Syn Ni, Xaviera Yih, Tan Chong Eng, Teo Jeng Yee, Ong Yee Yang, Wynnie Voon Hui Yin, Kau Hui San, Caleb Benedict Miranda, Lau Yong Ching, Ronald Ong Jun Jia, Lim Vi Xuen and Huang, SongJiang



Lovely glimpses of graduates with their parents, families and friends



Musical interlude choir (from left): Phoebe Yap Soong Yee, Yeo Yun Xuan, Tan Yung Sin, Then Sin Yee, Sherene Lau Siu Wei, Chew Kelven, Lim Zhi Ying and Wong Yoke Sum



▲ Front row, from left: Ooi, Cheah, Yam, Prof Saleh, Prof Chuah, Yeoh, Choo and Dr Tan giving thumbs up with the participants

Collaboration with TAM unlocks engineering and technology potential

UTAR's Faculty of Engineering and Green Technology (FEGT) and the Technological Association of Malaysia (TAM) jointly organised a robotics competition in conjunction with KEY Fiesta 2019 from 22 to 23 June 2019 at Kampar Campus. Supported by the MOE as well as the Perak State Government, the events served as platforms which essentially promotes STEM education and learning.

Officiating the opening ceremony on 22 June was Deputy Director-General of Higher Education for Private Higher Education Institution Prof Dato' Ir Dr Mohd Saleh Jaafar who represented Minister of Education Dr Maszlee Malik. Also present were UTAR President Ir Prof Academician Dato' Dr Chuah Hean Teik, TAM President

Ts Ir Yam Teong Sian, ViTrox Corporation Berhad Senior Vice President Yeoh Shih Hoong, Jelapang state assemblyman Cheah Pau Hian, Malaysian Service Providers' Confederation (MSPC) CEO Ts Ir Choo Kok Beng, Ecobot Competition advisor from TAM Ooi Kah Biew, FEGT Deputy Dean Dr Tan Kok Tat representing FEGT Dean Assoc Prof Dr Yap Vooi Voon, KEY Fiesta Organising Chairperson Foo Yue Yan and Ecobot Organising Chairperson Dr Leong Kah Hon.

Prof Saleh said that STEM should be made more accessible and approachable through the implementation of three policy shifts under the STEM For All initiative." Prof Chuah encouraged participants to consider science and engineering as their career choices as the nation needs more talents in

these fields to progress further.

The closing ceremony on 23 June was graced by Perak State Executive Council of Youth and Sports Development Howard Lee Chuan How. Also present were ViTrox People Management Manager Yeoh Siew Eng and TAM Perak Branch President Steven Shum Wai Koon.

With a total of 18 teams consisting approximately 70 participants from 10 primary and secondary schools around Perak taking part in the two-day Ecobot competition, the teams had to pitch their ideas and present their inventions to the judging panel comprising academics, researchers as well as industry experts. Each winning team walked away with a cash prize, certificates, medals and a trophy.



▲ FEGT students promoting their respective field of studies



▲ Lee (second from right) checking out the "Super Vacuum" project by SJK(C) Hua Lian while Yam (third from right), Dr Yap (third from left) and Dr Leong look on



▲ The guests, winning teams and accompanying teachers



▲ Front row, from left: Prof Yap, Prof Awang Bulgiba, Dr Liu, Prof Chuah, Prof Cheong and Prof Rasko with participants

AI in medicine and health sciences

An international conference was held from 4 to 6 July 2019 at Sungai Long Campus. It was organised by UTAR Faculty of Medicine and Health Sciences (FMHS). Themed 'Health Care Transformation in the 4th Industrial Revolution', it aimed to provide a platform for the participants to share their knowledge, expertise and experience related

to the role and impact of AI in medicine and health sciences.

The opening ceremony was graced by UTAR President Ir Prof Academician Dato' Dr Chuah Hean Teik, Chinese Anti-Tuberculosis Association President Dr Liu

Jianjun, University Malaya Prof Datuk Dr Awang Bulgiba Awang Mahmud, FMHS Dean Emeritus Prof Dr Cheong Soon Keng, Deputy Dean-cum-Chairperson Prof Dr Yap Sook Fan and University of Sydney Prof Dr John EJ Rasko AO.

A journey to promote STEM education

The Engineering and Science Fiesta 2019 (ESF 2019) was held from 24 to 26 June 2019 and 28 to 29 June 2019 at Sungai Long Campus. Themed 'A Journey to STEM Education', it aimed to promote a culture of interest in STEM among the public and school students and provide them with a platform for creativity, innovation and hands-on experience.

ESF 2019 featured an exhibition, competition, workshops and an Engineering and Science Internship (ESI) Fair. The ESI saw the participation of more than 30 companies. The fair aimed to encourage networking between engineering students, alumni and recruiting professionals.

The exhibition and workshops were organised by UTAR Engineering Society in collaboration with Malaysian Association of Creativity and Innovation (MACRI).



▲ (Far left) Event Chairperson Yew Sze Yen, (third from left) Lee Kong Chian Faculty of Engineering and Science Dean Prof Ir Dr Goi Bok Min, UTAR President Prof Chuah, Vice President Prof Ts Dr Faidz bin Abd Rahman and (second from right) UTAR Engineering Society Advisor Dr Tham Mau Luen with sponsors at the opening ceremony

Faculty of Creative Industries (FCI) together with Taipei Economic and Cultural Office (TECO) organised a two-day event titled "Redefining Reality: Traversing Culture between VR (Virtual Reality) and AR (Augmented Reality) in Creative Media" on 1 and 2 July 2019 at Sungai Long Campus.

Sponsored by TECO, the event aimed to create a shared platform for Malaysian and Taiwanese talents to share ideas, techniques and concepts with each other through a seminar and expand the exposure and interconnectivity between the two cultures.

It was officiated by UTAR Vice President Prof Ir Dr Ewe Hong Tat, TECO Culture Division Secretary Lin Jenching, keynote speaker from Shu-Te University, Taiwan Assoc Prof Dr Chen Tin-Kai, UTAR FCI Deputy Dean Assoc Prof

Traversing culture using VR and AR in creative media



▲ Front row, from left: Tan, Prof Ewe, Lin, Dr Chen and Thinavan with participants (Courtesy pictures from Eyok)

Thinavan Periyayya and FCI Head of Department of Games Studies Tan Han Keong.

The event also saw the participation of six secondary schools and a university.

International conference on innovation and entrepreneurship



Faculty of Accountancy and Management (FAM) together with Anhui University of Finance and Economics (AUFE) jointly organised the “2nd International Conference on Innovation and Entrepreneurship” at the Conference Hall of East Campus Library of AUFE, Bengbu, China on 14 and 15 May 2019.

Present at the conference on behalf of UTAR were FAM Deputy Dean Dr Hen Kai Wah, Head of MBA/MBA (Corporate Governance) Programme Dr Ng Kar Yee and Dr Aik Nai Chiek. The international conference saw the participation of 150 participants. A total of 10 keynote speakers was invited to the conference. The conference’s agenda included keynote speeches, face-to-face talks between entrepreneurs and scholars, and a meeting between readers and journal editorial offices.

▲ The organising committee with participants

Community at Heart

The UTAR Hospital Project received a donation of RM150,000 from the Goh family at Grand Kampar Hotel on 15 August 2019.

Representing UTAR was its President Ir Prof Academician Dato’ Dr Chuah Hean Teik, who received the donation from Goh Kim Whuat and spouse Wang Pok Lan.

Other Goh family members present included sons Goh Chin Choon and Goh Chin Lee, daughter-in-law Toh Sooi Wah, as well as grandchildren. Also present were UTAR Planning and Development Committee Advisor Tan Sri Hew See Tong, Council Member Hew Fen Yee, Vice President Prof Dr Choong Chee Keong, Faculty of Science Dean Assoc Prof Dr Lim Tuck Meng, Institute of Chinese Studies Deputy Dean Assoc Prof Dr Wong Wun Bin and Institute of Postgraduate Studies and Research Director Assoc Prof Dr Yong Thian Khok.

Chin Choon said, “We are very thankful to UTAR for giving us the opportunity to contribute for such a noble cause. Just as the building of this not-for-profit hospital is a beacon of hope to the underprivileged, it is also a cradle of budding medical professionals and specialists who have



▲ From left: Chin Lee, Chin Choon, Wang, Kim Whuat, Prof Chuah, Tan Sri Hew and Hew

the community’s welfare at heart.”

Thanking the Goh family for their philanthropic gesture, Prof Chuah introduced that one of the uniquenesses of the UTAR

Hospital is the offering of Western Medicine as well as Traditional and Complementary Medicine including Traditional Chinese Medicine and Ayurvedic Medicine services.

A training session on creating social media content was conducted for the first time by Weibo International (China) and WebTVAsia at Sungai Long Campus on 10 July 2019. The session aimed to provide training on how to become a successful YouTuber or content creator and a platform for the students to venture into the China market.

Present at the event were UTAR Vice President Prof Ir Dr Ewe Hong Tat, WebTVAsia Greater China Chief Executive Officer Lee Hua Ling, General Manager of Weibo International Jennie So, UTAR staff and students. Delivering the talks were WebTVAsia Senior Vice President of International Business and Marketing Goay Chia Chia, Director of International Business Development Zhou Xin Ni, Weibo International Senior Business Manager Zhang Yen and Senior Coordinator Chen Hai Ying. Phei Yong and Chang Yong, two talented YouTubers, who are widely known in Malaysia also attended the event.

Thunderous reception by UTAR students at Weibo International and WebTVAsia training



▲ Front row, second from left: Zhou, Goay, Lee, Phei Yong, Chang Yong, Jennie So, Zhang and Chen with participants

The International Youth Development Conference (IYDC) 2019 was held at Kampar Campus from 27 to 28 July 2019. It was jointly organised by the Department of Student Affairs and Department of Soft Skills Competency in collaboration with the Quantum Dynamic and supported by GTEX.Asia. Themed ‘Evolving Roles of Youths: Global Talent Mobility’, the conference aimed to instil participants with valuable knowledge and understanding of talent mobility.

Present at the IYDC’s opening ceremony were UTAR Vice President Prof Dr Choong Chee Keong, Managing Partner of Quantum Dynamics Human Development PLT, HRDF Approved Service Provider and

Preparing tomorrow's leaders for global talent mobility

Trainer Ng Thian Watt, Digital Talent Leadership and People Analytics Principal Consultant Muhammad Imran Kunalan bin Abdullah, Shanghai

MingDe Institute of Learning Organisation Director Prof Zhang Shenxiang, UTAR staff, sponsors and guest speakers.



▲ Faculty of Business and Finance Dean Dr Au Yong Hui Nee, Prof Zhang, Prof Choong, Mohammad Imran and Ng with speakers and participants

Students donate to UTAR Hospital

The UTAR Hospital Project received a financial boost of RM29,466.40 from former members of the UTAR Public Relations (PR) Campaign 2017/2018: Volunteerism VI at UTAR Kampar Campus on 16 August 2019 in conjunction with the University’s 29th convocation.

Representing the 199 members in presenting the mock cheque to UTAR were the campaign’s Main Director Julian Chin Chun Kit as well as Group Directors Cathryn Liew Yun Qi, Tan Woei Hern and Lim Siew Sin.

The mock cheque was received by UTAR President Ir Prof Academician Dato’ Dr Chuah Hean Teik. Witnessing the presentation ceremony were UTAR Chancellor Tun Dr Ling Liong Sik, UTAR Education Foundation Board of Trustees Chairman Tan Sri Dato’ Dr Sak Cheng Lum and UTAR Council Chairman Tan Sri Dato’ Seri Dr Ting Chew Peh.

Heartened by the sincerity in contributing to the ongoing UTAR Hospital Project, Prof Chuah took the opportunity to congratulate former members graduating in the 29th convocation and wished them a bright future ahead blessed with successful endeavours.



▲ From left: Tan Sri Sak, Tan Sri Ting, Liew, Chin, Tan, Lim, Tun Ling and Prof Chuah

“By giving back to our alma mater, UTAR can continue to make contributions to the community’s well-being through the UTAR Hospital which will be known as a self-sustaining and not-for-profit hospital. We strongly believe it will provide affordable medical services to meet the social needs of the community,” explained Liew, who is currently in her final year.

Chin said, “We feel that this is the best way to express our gratitude to our University. Even though our donation may not be a huge sum but I feel it carries weight – the weight of our sincerity, hard work and effort that each and every one of us from Volunteerism VI have put in. We are happy and grateful that we can contribute to the UTAR Hospital.”

The annual R&D Colloquium returns



▲ Front row, second from left: Dr Morris, Prof Lim, Prof Faizd and Dr Yong with participants

Focusing on the theme 'Industry Revolution 4.0 in the Circular Economy', UTAR's annual R&D Colloquium 2019 (1.0) returned this year with greater objectives at its Kamar Campus on 29 June 2019.

The two-yearly colloquium aimed at providing a platform for the researchers to update their research outcomes, research ideas, interests and project funding besides promoting network and cross-disciplinary research collaboration among all the researchers.

Organised by the Institute of Postgraduate Studies (IPSR), the colloquium was attended by UTAR Vice President Prof Ts Dr Faizd bin Abd Rahman, Director Assoc Prof Dr Yong Thian Khok, Deputy Director Assoc Prof Ts Dr Ezra Morris Abraham Gnanamuthu and Chairperson of Centre for Communication Systems and Networks Prof Ts Dr Lim Eng Hock.

拉曼大学中文系大三生陈宏量和毕业生李淑仪在第15届星洲日报花踪文学奖中分别荣获新秀小说组和散文组评审奖，并个别获得1500令吉奖金和花踪锡雕一座。颁奖典礼于2019年8月4日在八打灵再也星洲日报报社礼堂举行。

陈宏量《埋葬》新秀小说组评审奖

《埋葬》是他所创作的第一篇小说，“这篇作品获奖对我而言有特别意义，也相当在乎，因为其中除了幻想虚构以外，还带有自传色彩。幻想的部分是整个故事情节，自传色彩的则是故事里的场景和叙事者‘他’的心情，连同‘他’作的梦，也是我创作期间真实作的梦。”

关于创作缘起，他表示，“犹记得某一晚在金宝的宿舍，那条小溪的溪水倏忽涌入脑海，更多的臆想就立刻如白马挤满了记忆中的罅隙，彻夜难眠的我决定将之写成小说。我以第三人称视角书写了一个小男孩，描写他的行为、思想和成长的孤单。书写过程中，我似乎是他，也似乎不是他。我在一个反复代入和跳脱的角色中完成这篇小说，可说是对自己的一次沉痛告白。”

他感谢爸妈的爱与支持，以及中文系老师黄丽丽博士和李树枝博士在创作路上所给予的鼓励与支持，“我私下常和丽丽老师聊作品，她都给了我许多宝贵的意见及指导，因此我在心底一直非常感谢她。”同时，他也感谢热衷于文学创作，并屡次获奖的好友李婷欣的启发，让他走上创作之路。

创作之路最难能可贵的就是坚持，“我花了一年的时间慢慢栽种施肥，花圃

▲ 陈宏量（右）和黄丽丽老师分享获奖喜悦。



▲ 陈宏量荣获新秀小说组评审奖。

Looking into plant science and agriculture

The 18th Agriculture Technology Seminar Series was jointly organised by the Centre for Biodiversity Research (CBR), Faculty of Science (FSc) and Institute of Postgraduate Studies and Research (IPSR) at Kamar Campus on 22 June 2019. Themed 'The Future of Plant Science and Agriculture', the seminar aimed to look into improving crop production to feed the increasing world population and ensure food security for all.

The invited speakers were Okayama University Institute of Plant Science Resources Head Prof Dr Kazuhiro Sato; Malaysian Palm Oil Board Advanced Biotechnology and Breeding Centre Director Dr Mohamad Arif Abd Manaf; Monash University Malaysia Senior Lecturer Dr Song Beng Keh; University of Malaya Centre for Research in Biotechnology for Agriculture Director Prof Dr Jennifer Ann Harikrishna; Genting Plantations Berhad Group Plantation Advisory Department Manager Dr Cheng Cong Rong and CroPLife Asia Singapore Executive Director Dr Tan Siang Hee.



▲ Front row from left: Organising Chairperson Prof Dr Minoru Murata, Prof Sato, Dr Mohd Arif, UTAR Vice President Prof Ts Dr Faizd bin Abd Rahman, FSc Dean Assoc Prof Dr Lim Tuck Meng, Prof Jennifer, Dr Song and CBR Chairperson Dr Wong Wey Lim with speakers and participants

Insights on goat husbandry practices

With the aim to educate participants on good goat husbandry practices, the course on "Goat Husbandry Practices (Level 1)" was co-organised by

Department of Veterinary Services Perak and Centre for Biodiversity Research of Faculty of Science (FSc) on 18 July 2019 at Kamar Campus.

Present at the course were FSc Dean Assoc Prof Dr Lim Tuck Meng, Ketua Pegawai Veterinar Daerah Kampar dan Kinta Liew Chun Sen, Organising Chairperson Dr Kwong Phek Jin and esteemed speakers Ketua Unit Rusa Ladang Inforternak Sungai Siput Mohd Nizam bin Tahar and Pegawai Veterinar Bahagian Pembangunan Industri Ternakan Dr Norsuhanna binti Mohd Mokhtar.



▲ Front row, third from right: Mohd Nizam, Liew, Dr Lim and Dr Kwong with participants

李淑仪《烟》新秀散文组评审奖

目前任职助理编辑的李淑仪是文学创作比赛的活跃分子，曾荣获第19届全国大专文学奖散文评审奖。她简介获奖作品并表示，“这篇作品是我从小到大对抽烟这件事在观念上的转变，写父女关系，又不止于亲情书写，也尝试叩问关于女生抽烟在大家眼中的禁忌。”

关于创作缘起，“这篇散文是我在去年岁末，一个人独占大学宿舍时写出来的。这是我第一次也是最后一次有资格参加新秀奖，也可以当作是我大学生活的一个句点吧。超过半年后再回头去看这篇作品，多少会觉得当初有些冲动，也许暴露得太多，或写得太沉重，但里头写的确实是那阵子笼罩著我，不得不面对与梳理的事情。我想这也许是写作对我而言最重要的意义——在常常出乎自己意料的遣词造句之下，让它们带领著我与自己达成和解。”

关于大学三年对她的创作影响，她表示，“离家生活对我造成很大的影响，我能很清晰地体会到自己这三年来，在价值观、世界观上等的改变，或许从中也更了解自己。在课堂上学习到

终于在这美好的2019年逐渐荼靡，还幸运地种出了最漂亮的花踪。我仍会继续谦卑栽花灌溉，因为我期待我的花圃能再长出各样的花来。”

“在金宝这好山好水的地方求学，其实有助于激发我的创作，因为这里暗藏了许多创作灵感待我们去发掘。但因为课业繁重，大学生涯前两年都没太多闲暇时间去思考创作的事，一直到好友获奖，才激发了我去认真创作。虽然我们能够在文学课上接触到许多文学作品，也有助于提升我的创作，但有的时候不免囫圇吞枣，根本没有时间好好去读和欣赏老师提供的文本，以致错过了许多，而有些同学也因此对文学创作却步，是相当可惜的。”

他鼓励还在创作路上默默耕耘的同学继续加油，同时鼓励想要创作的学弟学妹，“最重要的是不要害怕或害羞将作品示人，勇敢请教能够信任的老师或前辈，当然不妨多读文学作品，并试着学习和模仿，再逐步创造出属于自己的创作风格。之后，可尝试投稿报章刊物和文学奖，被退稿或没得奖都无所谓，最重要是对文学创作的爱和坚持，如此必会开出花来。希望学弟学妹们勇敢创作，让中文系的创作风气能够再次提升。”

他总结，“世界很糟糕，但要相信，文学很美好。我相信文学的感染力，当我们努力去写了，也必能影响更多人去尝试创作。”



▲ 李淑仪荣获新秀散文组评审奖。



▲ 李淑仪（右）从新秀散文组主评翁苑君手中接过奖座。

的理论的知识，对我有所助益，让我知道何谓好的文学作品，更重要的是让我不仅是从写作者的角度审视自己的作品。”

关于创作，她勉励学弟学妹们，“回归

最扎实的多读、多想、多写、多关注周遭发生的事，还有好好生活。”

137 pelajar sekolah menengah sertai Kem Kepimpinan UTAR 2019

Seramai 137 orang pelajar dari 15 buah sekolah yang menggabungkan sekolah-sekolah dari negeri Perak dan Selangor telah menyertai Kem Kepimpinan UTAR 2019 bertempat di UTAR, Kampus Kampar baru-baru ini.

Dianjurkan buat kali keempat oleh Bahagian Promosi Program (DPP) UTAR, program selama dua hari tersebut dikendalikan oleh pemimpin pelajar UTAR, ahli-ahli akademik dan kakitangan UTAR yang berpengalaman, termasuk penceramah-penceramah motivasi terkenal menggunakan modul dan latihan kepimpinan yang sesuai dengan tahap umur pelajar.

Ketua Jabatan Hal Ehwal Pelajar Kampus Kampar UTAR Chiang Jeng Fong mewakili Naib Presiden UTAR bagi Pembangunan Pelajar dan Perhubungan Alumni Prof Dr Choong Chee Keong berkata, program ini diadakan bagi membentuk jati diri kepimpinan golongan pelajar muda agar dapat dimanfaatkan apabila mereka memikul tugas yang dipertanggungjawabkan oleh pihak sekolah masing-masing. Selain itu, katanya, program tersebut juga dilaksanakan bagi memenuhi aspirasi para pelajar dalam pelan pendidikan negara yang salah satunya terdiri dari segi kepimpinan.



▲ Peserta Kem Kepimpinan UTAR 2019 berseronok semasa aktiviti dan permainan menarik

Beliau juga menambah, "Kita memerlukan seorang pemimpin yang beriman, berefektif, mempunyai sikap terbuka serta mampu menjadi pendorong kepada rakan-rakan yang lain. Di samping itu, ciri-ciri kepimpinan yang kreatif juga turut diketengahkan menerusi aktiviti-aktiviti dan bengkel-bengkel dalam kem ini."

Hadir sama pada majlis perasmian Kem Kepimpinan UTAR 2019 ialah Naib Pengarah DPP bagi Kampus Kampar Tan Choon Wah dan Pengerusi Penganjur Kem Kepimpinan UTAR 2019 Christie Cheang Kar Yan.

Kem yang dianjurkan tersebut mendapat sambutan yang

memberangsangkan daripada para-pelajar dengan pengisian acaranya seperti sesi suai kenal, permainan menarik, bengkel hands-on dan sesi perkongsian yang boleh mendidik dan membentuk mereka menjadi seorang pemimpin sama ada di peringkat sekolah dan seterusnya peringkat universiti.

Seorang peserta dari SMK Perempuan Methodist Ipoh Ramyasree Suria Naidu memberitahu dia berasa amat bertuah kerana dipilih oleh guru untuk menyertai kem kepimpinan tersebut. Ramyasree berkata, saya mendapat banyak ilmu yang sangat berguna untuk menjadi seorang pemimpin yang berwibawa seperti

penerapan nilai kerjasama, sifat bertolak ansur, hormat-menghormati serta menghargai pendapat orang lain. Ia merupakan nilai-nilai kehidupan yang perlu dipraktikkan dalam kehidupan seharian."

Antara sekolah yang terlibat ialah SMJK Ave Maria Convent Ipoh, SMK Perempuan Perak, SMK Perempuan Methodist Ipoh, SMJK Pei Yuan Kampar, SMJK Shing Chung Sg Siput, SMJK Sam Tet Ipoh, SMJK Tsung Wah Kuala Kangsar, Shen Jai High School Ipoh, SMJK San Min Teluk Intan, SMK Bandar Baru Sungai Long, SMK Taman Desa, SMK Taman Desa 2, Hin Hwa High School, Chong Hwa Independent High School dan SMK Seri Kembangan.



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