

# Newsletter

## Unprecedented Anugerah KiK Baru Berpotensi for Fantastic Dental

SHAH ALAM: Fantastic Dental, a contingent led by Dr. Faiz Nasruddin, won Anugerah Kumpulan Baru Berpotensi in Mini Konvensyen Kumpulan Inovatif dan Kreatif (KiK) Zon Tengah UiTM 2017 held at Anjung Seri Budiman, UiTM Shah Alam.

This convention was successfully hosted by Faculty of Film, Theater, and Animation (FiTA) on 4th and 5th October 2017 and administered by Institute of Quality and Knowledge Advancement (InQKA). This year's theme was "Transformasi Menerusi Eksperimentasi".

Source: FiTA website



Date: 5/10/2017

## 2nd Place for Case Report Presentation at MAP Conference



Date: 7/10/2017

KUALA LUMPUR: Prosthodontics postgraduate, Dr. Juzailah Roffie, supervised by Dr. Thomas Lim Tong Wah, attained the 2nd place for the case report presentation at the 7th MAP Annual Scientific Conference and AGM held at Universiti Malaya on 6th to 8th October 2017. The competition was among ASEAN countries including Thailand, India, Indonesia, and Cambodia.

Source: Faculty of Dentistry, UiTM

## Congratulations to the Newly Elected MAP Committee Members!

KUALA LUMPUR: With the theme "Rejuvenating Knowledge and Skills in Prosthodontics Clinical Practices", 7th Malaysian Association for Prosthodontics (MAP) Annual Scientific Conference and AGM was held on 6th to 8th October 2017. Organised at Universiti Malaya, the new 2017 line up from the Faculty of Dentistry in the committee comprises Dr. Siti Mariam Ab Ghani (President), Dr. Tengku Fazrina Tengku Ariff (council member), and Dr. Lim Tong Wah (auditor).

MAP is a not-for profit organisation and provides the members and others with opportunities for communication, education, and improvement of all aspects of the specialty and discipline of prosthodontics.

Source: MAP website



Date: 7/10/2017



***Congratulations to ICD Fellows of Section XV!***

SUNGGAI BULOH: Faculty of Dentistry co-hosted the 1st Inaugural International Induction Ceremony and Scientific Conference with International College of Dentists (ICD) Region 33 for ICD Section XV from 5th to 8th October 2017. “Integrating Knowledge, Promoting Excellence” was the theme of the event incorporating plenary talks, induction ceremony and dinner, scientific free sessions, and workshops. Graced by Dr. Rajesh Chandna (President of ICD), Dato’ How Kim Chuan (President of ICD Section XV), and Dr. Nomah Taharim (Director of Oral Health Care Division, Ministry of Health), 84 inductees from 7 Asian countries including Pakistan, Singapore, and Indonesia attended the glorious ceremony and received Fellow in the ICD (FICD) certificate.

ICD is a leading international honour society for dentists with members in 122 countries. FICD is extended by invitation only to recognise “outstanding professional achievement, meritorious service and dedication to the continued progress of dentistry for the benefit of humankind”.

*Source: ICD Website*



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**Gold Award through Collaboration at PeciPTA 2017**



KUALA TERENGGANU: Dr. Muhammad Hussain Ismail from the Faculty of Mechanical Engineering and team were awarded gold at PeciPTA 2017. This project, among 15 UiTM products, was a collaborative effort among experts including Assoc. Prof. Dr. Rohana Ahmad and Prof. Fouad Hussain Al-Bayaty from Faculty of Dentistry. Under the Cluster of Health, Medical, Pharmaceutical, Food and Supplement, his product was titled “Porous NiTi Dental Implants via Innovative Route of Metal Injection Moulding (MIM)”.

International Conference and Exposition on Inventions by Institutions of Higher Learning (PECIPTA) was organised biannually by MoHE. This program was held on 7th to 9th October 2017 at Stadium Tertutup Kompleks Sukan Negeri Gong Badak, Kuala Terengganu. With this year’s theme “Nurturing Entrepreneurs through Education, Industry, Technology and Social Innovation”, 411 innovative and research products were contested. Other than celebrating new innovation products from institutions of higher learning, PeciPTA would like to cultivate entrepreneurs and presenters to the people particularly Gen-Y, -Z, and Alpha.

*Source: PeciPTA Website*

***Winner of Nasyyid (Men’s Category) in Islamic Arts Festival***

SUNGGAI BULOH: Voice of Ummah from Faculty of Dentistry and Medicine won Nasyyid Competition (Men’s Category) in conjunction with Islamic Arts Carnival (KASIH 01). The contingent received a trophy, cash, a hamper and plaques. The best vocal category was also awarded to Mohamad Syafiq from the winning group.

This programme was organised by Department of Islamic Affairs, UiTM Puncak Alam Campus on 12th October 2017 and received participants from UiTM Selangor Campuses. Other competitions included Al-Quran recitation and calligraphy.

*Source: @ALISUiTM Facebook Page*

## Dr. Mas Suryalis Engaged with the Public on Facebook Live



PETALING JAYA: From permanently damaged teeth to infectious diseases, bogus dentists can cause serious damage despite its continuously booming “dental” business. Dr. Mas Suryalis, as the honorary publication secretary of Malaysian Dental Association, was featured in The Couch session on R.AGE with the title “Unlicensed Dentists: Why do Malaysians go to them?”. The 14-minute Q&A session was in response to the recently popular fake braces trend in Malaysia.

This social platform, R.AGE, is an international award-winning investigative journalism platform based in Malaysia specialising in shortform multimedia documentaries and cause-driven media campaigns.

*Source: thestarRAGE Facebook Page*

## Compliments to the Dean for the Promotion to Special Grade A (VK5)!



SUNGAI BULOH: The Dean of Faculty of Dentistry, Prof. Dr. Mohamed Ibrahim Abu Hassan, was awarded with Special Grade A (VK5). It is hoped that this promotion will drive the faculty towards more motivation and success.

*Source: Faculty of Dentistry, UiTM*

HO CHI MINH: Dr. Ilham Wan Mokhtar and her team won an award at the 12th International Dental Collaboration of the Mekong River Region (IDCMR) Congress in Vietnam. The four-member group conducted a research project titled “Pilot Study: Parental Acceptance and Attitudes of Passive Immobilisation”.

IDCMR was established in order to develop the oral health resource capacity among the Mekong River Region countries. Faculty of Odonto-Stomatology of University of Medicine and Pharmacy hosted this congress in accordance with this year’s theme “Shaping the Future of Dental Practice in Mekong River Region” on 19th and 20th October 2017.

*Source: IDCMR 2017 Website*

## Congratulations BDS 2017 Graduates!



SUNGAI BULOH: Ten dental students were conferred Bachelor of Dental Surgery from the Faculty on 18<sup>th</sup> October 2017. The Pre-Convocation Ceremony, chaired by Mdm. Norhayati Liaquat Ali Khan, was celebrated by congratulatory remarks from the Dean, a cultural performance, an academic award, and high tea. Prof. Dato’ Dr Abu Bakar Abdul Majeed also attended the event and congratulated the graduands.

*Source: Faculty of Dentistry, UiTM*

## International Achievement by Faculty Members in Vietnam



## School Oral Health Project in Kampung Melayu Sungai Buloh

SUNGAI BULOH: On 24th October 2017, Dr. Nor Faezah Md Bohari led the Centre of Population Oral Health and Clinical Prevention Studies in their outreach programme at Sekolah Rendah Agama Zahidiah. Year 4 students were also involved in various interactive session



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related to dental awareness and management. More than 70 students from the primary school participated in this event.

The core function of this centre of studies is to ensure that students are well equipped with the knowledge and skills in raising awareness of the patient's oral health and enabling them to practice preventive dentistry with the ultimate aim of improving the nation's oral health.

Source: Faculty of Dentistry, UiTM Website

## UPCOMING FACULTY EVENT

**WHO SHOULD ATTEND:**

- Healthcare Practitioners/ students
- Nursing home workers
- Caregivers
- Special Education Teachers
- Anyone with a heart
- NGOs

**REGISTER NOW!!!**

*"Empowering Multidisciplinary Care for People with Special Needs"*

**disability WE CARE conference**  
25-26 November 2017

Faculty of Dentistry, UiTM Sungai Buloh

**\*FEES:**

- Public – RM80
- Students – RM80
- E-Poster Participant – RM270
- Healthcare Professionals – RM300
- Parents (1 parent – RM80; 2 parents – RM100)
- Table Clinic Participants (max. 3 participants/group) – RM300

**UP TO 6 CPD POINTS**

**red bubbles**

**DON'T MISS OUT!!**

\* Food, E-Certificate and interesting door gifts will be provided for registered participants

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## Dean Featured in Malaysia Hari Ini



Date: 25/10/2017

PETALING JAYA: Prof. Dr. Mohamed Ibrahim Abu Hassan was invited as a speaker in Malaysia Hari Ini on 25th October 2017. As the committee member for Cluster of Medicine and Health Sciences under the National Council of Professors (MPN), Prof. Ibrahim discussed on direction of our national public healthcare in Budget 2018.

Source: Faculty of Dentistry, UiTM

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