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EDITOR'S NOTE

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Warmest greeting from the editorial team and welcome to the second Medical Bulletin of the Faculty of Medicine, Universiti Teknologi MARA (UiTM). 2022 is upon us and with it comes the promise of great growth and change after Covid-19 pandemic. As part of our own expansion and growth, we're excited to introduce our Second Medical Bulletin, which is specifically designed to serve the insight of our beloved faculty. The first edition showcased the faculty's activities, students' activities and highlights on enthralling events that happening in the Faculty of Medicine.

We really aspire to strive more and our dedication to ensuring that this Medical Bulletin reaches yet another milestone.

Editor-in-Chief
Dr. Nur Faizah Ali

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FACULTY ACTIVITIES

3MT[®] COMPETITION

Dr Norhafiza Razali (Coordinator)
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Representative to Asia Pacific 3MT[®] Competition)

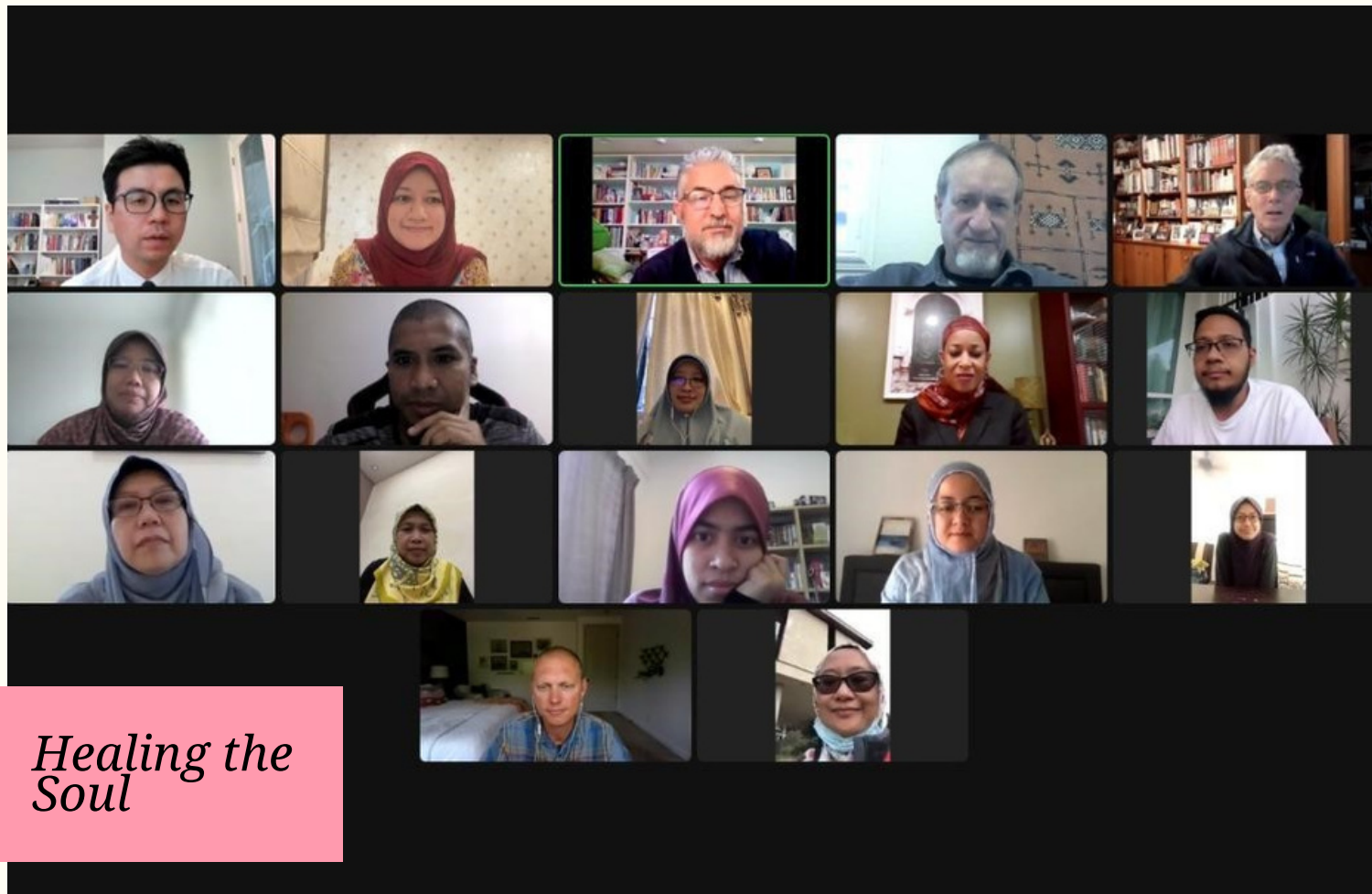
The annual 3 Minute Thesis or 3MT[®] competition was conducted between 5th to 13th April 2022. This competition was once again held virtually by the Faculty of Medicine in conjunction with the Institute of Postgraduate Studies (IPSIS), UiTM. The 3MT competition is a highly engaging presentation by Ph.D. students. It challenges them to convey their respective research projects in an appropriate language to a non-specialist audience within three minutes. All active Ph.D. research students who have completed their proposal defense but not the viva-voce are eligible to participate.

The Faculty's Postgraduate Office received a total of 14 submissions, and the videos were judged by a panel of 3 judges, including Dr. Choy Ker Woon (First Runner-up, National 3MT[®] 2019); Dr. Muhammad Fairuz Azmi (First Prize Winner UiTM 3MT[®] 2019 and Faculty's 3MT[®] trainer since 2020); Dr. Norhafiza Razali (Second Runner-up 3MT[®] UiTM, 2015 and Faculty's 3MT[®] trainer since 2016). On 13th April 2022, the panel of judges, together with Deputy Dean (Postgraduate & Professional Training), Prof. Dr. Rohana Abdul Ghani, deliberated to determine the top three winners.

The three winners were announced on the 13th of April afternoon, and these 3 will represent the faculty for the upcoming UiTM 3MT[®] competition on 21st April 2022. The first prize winner was Norazirah binti Mat Nayan, first runner-up was Nur Adilla binti Zaini, and the third runner-up was Mohamad Wafriy bin Che Ismail. These three talented researchers were trained for the UiTM 3MT[®] by the judging panel and Mr. Afiqq Aiman, the faculty's MD990 student who was the Malaysia representative for the Asia Pacific 3MT[®] Competition 2021. The grand prize winner of the UiTM 3MT[®] Competition will represent UiTM for the National 3MT Competition, held on 28th June 2022



The 3 winners of 3 Minute Thesis' competition is representing their research projects



*Healing the
Soul*

Participants of the Malaysian Spiritual Care Training course with the Dr. Ki Do Ahn (Director of clinical pastoral education of Central California, top row first from left), Board of Directors of Ziyara Spiritual Care, ACPE educators and evaluators.

SPIRITUAL CARE TRAINING CONCLUDED

Dr Diana Katiman
Department of Internal Medicine

The Spiritual Care Training for Healthcare Providers, Malaysia 2022 course has been successfully conducted from 28th January to 5th April 2022. The course was co-organized by the Palliative and Supportive Care Unit, Universiti Teknologi MARA, Ziyara Spiritual Care Incorporated (a non-profit organization based in Fresno, California), and supported by the Clinical Pastoral Education of Central California (CPECC).

"Ten healthcare workers of Hospital Universiti Teknologi MARA (UiTM), Hospital Universiti Islam Antarabangsa Malaysia Kuantan, Institut Jantung Negara, KPJ Damansara, Hospital Pakar An-Nur Bangi and Pusat Psikologi dan Rehabilitasi Atfal Jannah Bangi, completed the virtual training"

Participants underwent 240 hours of didactics, reflections, role plays, verbatims, group discussions, individual supervisions, and clinical interactions with patients at their respective healthcare institutions. The course educators were Rev Theodore Hodge and Tahara Akmal, both Association of Clinical Pastoral Education (ACPE) accredited trainers. Upon completing this year's half-unit course, they were awarded a CPE level 1 certificate and accredited to practice spiritual care.

Spiritual care is an aspect of health care that supports the inner person (spirit/soul) of patients and their loved ones dealing with health challenges. It may include concerns or questions about personal meaning, purpose, legacy, hope and faith. The training aims to develop the participants' skills to support patients through spiritual crises. These crises are abstract situations arising from past and current experiences which manifest as spiritual wounds such as grief, guilt, resentment, unforgiveness, self-rejection, and shame.

Following the successful completion of the course, two UiTM senior lecturers, Dr. Diana Katiman and Dr. Nur Jannah Nasution Raduan were invited by the Graduate Theology Union in Berkeley, California, to share their experiences in organizing and participating in the course, the first of its kind in South East Asia. We hope that more professional courses in spiritual care will be conducted so that more healthcare providers can be trained and provide better, holistic patient care.

– The talk can be listened via the following link

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MEMORANDUM OF AGREEMENT (MOA) RECOGNITION CEREMONY BETWEEN UITM AND ANGEL ROBOTICS CO. LTD REPUBLIC OF KOREA

Siti Mazlin Mohd Rijal
Corporate Communication Faculty of Medicine

The Memorandum of Agreement (MoA) was signed online on January 1, 2022. However, a South Korean delegation will arrive in Malaysia to initiate a physical Memorandum of Agreement Exchange Ceremony between Universiti Teknologi MARA (UiTM) and Angel Robotics Co.Ltd Republic of Korea.

On May 27, 2022, UiTM and Angel Robotics Co. Ltd Republic of Korea held a Memorandum of Agreement (MoA) Recognition Ceremony at Daehan Rehabilitation Hospital Putrajaya, Two IOI Resort. The MoA exchange was done by Professor Dato' Ir. Ts. Dr. Haji Mohd Fozi Ali, Deputy-Vice Chancellor (Development) of UiTM, and Professor Dr. Rha Dong-Wook, Chief Business Officer (CBO), Angel Robotics Co.Ltd Republic of Korea.



From left, Prof. Dr. Fazah Akhtar Hanapiah (UiTM Dean), Prof. Dato' Ir. Ts. Dr. Haji Mohd Fozi Ali, Deputy-Vice Chancellor (Development) of UiTM, and Professor Dr. Rha Dong-Wook, Chief Business Officer (CBO), Angel Robotics Co.Ltd Republic of Korea.



The showcase of robotics in rehabilitation medicine

This MoA will be Malaysia Public University's first collaboration with South Korea, allowing UiTM to serve as a hub for robotics in rehabilitation medicine, specifically for patients with stroke. The use of robotic equipment will allow these patients to experience walking for the first time. The intensity, frequency, task specificity, and bio-feedback from the given treatment also affect the effectiveness of rehabilitation interventions.

Moreover, the growth of rehabilitation medicine in Malaysia can be advanced through innovative partnerships like the one formed by UiTM-Daehan-Angel Robotics. We are well on our way to achieving this goal, with UiTM now enrolling postgraduate students for clinical masters in Rehabilitation Medicine and opening UiTM's Teaching Hospital. With this, we hope that UiTM can further increase cooperation with any other organizations to bring various benefits and be an added value to the progress of UiTM.

Collection pictures during the ceremony at Daehan Rehabilitation Hospital Putrajaya, Two IOI Resort.





HORA HORAY RAYA KEMBALI LAGI

Siti Nurharlina Jaluddin
Corporate Communication Faculty of Medicine

After two years of not being able to celebrate Hari Raya Aidilfitri on campus, the Faculty of Medicine's Corporate Communication Unit organized a photoshoot session. It's involved staff from 26 departments and student associations to socialize and enliven the festive atmosphere on campus.

Furthermore, the Hari Raya photoshoot on this campus was held at several different locations, depending on each department and student association. This photo shoot session was edited and uploaded to the Medic Corporate YouTube channel.

Besides that, Associate Professor Dr. Fazah Akhtar Hanapiah, Professor Dr. Effat Binti Omar@Abdul Rahman, Associate Professor Dr. Thuhairah Hasrah Abdul Rahman, Professor Dr. Rohana Abd Ghani, Professor Dr. Ariza Adnan, and Professor Dr. Ahmad Nazrun Shuid also took part in the photoshoot.



STUDENTS ACTIVITIES

SMALL KINDNESS RAYA EDITION

Nur Asilla Binti Hazman
Neocardia Club

In conjunction with Aidilfitri, MESTA had organized a gift giving program called Small Kindness: Raya Edition. It was a month-long program that starts on 5 April and ends on 20 May. This program involves both medical and dental students. A total of 15 members from Exco Kebajikan and Kerohanian together with Corporate Communication Unit of Faculty of Medicine were involved in this program.

The objective of this program includes to create compassion between students and lecturers, to create a healthy culture of giving and to collect money for future project expenses. Other than that, this program also gives the committee a chance to run a physical program instead of online they were used.



Poster of the Small Kindness Raya program

A lot of benefits were gained from this program such as the buyer were given a platform to show their appreciation towards the individual they bought the gift for. Furthermore, as for the committee members, they were given the chance to understand the world of business when handling the money collection and gift delivery.

According to their secretary, they had sold a total of 42 package which consist of 13 orders for package A, 1 order for package B, 7 orders from package C, 2 orders from package D and 19 customised package. The made a profit of RM261.94 that would be used for their next project.



USSA members
enjoying water
confidence at
Tadom Hill



Speech from
USSA's
president,
Ahmad Muaz

USSA FAMILY DAY 2022

**Nur Asilla Binti Hazman
Neocardia Club**

Last Saturday, on the 21st of May, UiTM Student's Surgical Association's members went to Tadom Hill Resort for their annual family day. It was a daily activity that started at 8:30 in the morning and ended at 5 in the evening. This activity aims to strengthen the bond between club members, get to know new members of USSA, and have a short sweet escape from the stress of medical life.

The event starts with an opening speech from USSA's president, Ahmad Muaz, a year three medical student. The first activity that had one was ice- breaking. All the members were randomly grouped into six different groups. After presenting each of the group names and the slogan, They proceeded with a game called charades. It was a great knowing everyone had fun.

The next activity that took place was Minefield. The next game required the group leader to guide their teammates to pass through the obstacles. All the members were blindfolded and needed to pass through the barrier in one try.

The competition between the groups was fierce and can be seen as dirty plays were caught red-handed by the judges, but it was all for fun, and no one was harmed in the space. After that, they played a Scavenger hunt.



USSA club members

Each group was assigned two tasks which are collect items placed randomly around Tadam Hill and take photos of the thing surrounding them. They had a good time enjoying this game. Besides, they get a better look at Tadam Hills as well as they had to explore Tadam to find those items.

Last but not least, for the last activity, they had water confidence. It was the highlight activity of the family day. Tadam Hill provides five different water sports. It was very adventurous. The water sports offered include bamboo rafting, canoeing, water slides, a tarzan swing, and a 5m bamboo diving platform. They had a great time enjoying these activities, and they were also able to bond with each other regardless of their seniority.



Collection pictures of games for each station



The lecturers placed the white coat on each student's shoulders

WHITE COAT CEREMONY

Zulfa Binti Mohd Bilal
Assistant class representative Y3 MBBS student

On 27th of May 2022, White Coat Ceremony was held among Year 3 of MBBS students to mark the moving phase from preclinical years to clinical years. 219 students were donned by 26 respectful Professors, Doctors and lecturers on the day of the event. Students were thankful for their presence and participation in this big event. Not to forget, Dr. Nor Amelia Mohd Fauzi, our coordinator and Dr. Hafisyatul Aiza Zainal Abidin, our vice-coordinator, have done a tremendous amount of work and effort.



Dr. Amelia Fauzi (Coordinator of White Coat Ceremony) gives speech

To ensure that this white coat ceremony can run smoothly. Without their commitment and enthusiasm, maybe this event would not be as grand as it was. This once in a lifetime event was very meaningful to the students and it able to boost their motivation to continue to strive in study and life despite any turbulence or challenges in the future.

Pledges of medical students who are guided by Dr. Mark Tan Kiak Min also has been recited by the leader of year 3 students Haziq Ajwad followed by all of year 3 students during the ceremony. The vow that the students took have ignited their spirit to keep on pursuing the purpose of becoming a good doctor in the future.