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From the Desk of The Vice-Chancellor

A term that is very much held positively in the current vernacular is 'disruptive innovation'. Traditionally, the term disruptive has always been seen as one that is held with negativity as it disrupts the normal flow and unbalances the status quo.

It is a term that we embrace in UTM because we understand that to move forward, an organisation has to be brave enough to break the norm, tread uncharted waters, and be open to agents of change.

With this philosophy in mind, this second edition of I AM UTM: The Magazine, announces the newest addition to the UTM family, internationally renowned Hollywood fashion designer, Simplicio Michael Luis Asis Herrera, or simply 'M' as he is known all over the world, as UTM's Resident Artist/Designer. This combination is perhaps as disruptive as a university could expect to be, as UTM does not have a fashion or art programme. However, if one is willing to go deeper, one would realise the potential of all the avenues that lay off the beaten path. These will all be revealed soon as M starts his term with us.

Other disruptive innovations that UTM is proud of are the homegrown haemodialysis filter from UTM's very own membrane technology, a game changer that greatly reduces the cost of the worldwide problem of exorbitant prices of haemodialysis treatment; and classrooms of the future, combining UTM technology with those of global players like Cisco and Huawei.

Whatever the innovation, it is my dream that UTM will keep on innovating for global peace and universal prosperity.

Kerana Tuhan, untuk Manusia

In the Name of God, for Mankind.



Professor Datuk Ir. Dr. Wahid bin Omar
UTM Vice-Chancellor





HRH the Chancellor of UTM listening to participant Muhammad Wazif bin Mohd Salehuddin

THE TUANKU CHANCELLOR'S ENGLISH LANGUAGE CLUB SHARING SESSION

Proficiency in English has become a matter of great importance to UTM in preparing its graduates to be competitive in this day and age. The stress on communicating well in English is shared by the Permaisuri of Johor and UTM Chancellor, Her Majesty Raja Zarith Sofiah binti Almarhum Sultan Idris Shah.

As a result, the Tuanku Chancellor's English Language Club was born, under the direct patronage of Her Royal Highness, especially to raise the standard of English among

UTM students. Among the activities that have become a mainstay in the club is the sharing session.

Students from the club organised an English medium sharing session with the HM Permaisuri Raja Zarith Sofiah recently to encourage the UTM students to take on the challenge of using English as a second language for global communication to enable them to expand their horizons and possibilities.



HM the Chancellor of UTM with the Vice-Chancellor (second from left) and participants

“ The Tuanku Chancellor English Language Club Sharing Session successfully attracted a large crowd from both domestic and international students from all disciplines. The students were all keen to share their experiences and opinions with HM Permaisuri Raja Zarith Sofiah. ”

The main focus of the programme was to spur the interests of the students to use English language as their possible tools of communication in order to overcome the language barrier that has impeded students' true potential.

Six students from various academic disciplines volunteered themselves to conduct a sharing activity that ranges from sharing their experiences, to expressing their opinions on the global crises, and finally a recitation of poetry.

The organising committee president, Muhammad Wazif Bin Mohd Sallehudin stated that the programme was to encourage students to take on the challenge of using English as an important medium of communication and to utilize it to the fullest for the benefit and opportunity of possibilities in the future.

Interested individuals and organisations may contact Muhammad Wazif-0193533290 for any further enquiries or collaborations for future events.

200 UTM students support the Anti-Corruption Awareness Programme

In 2016, Malaysia dropped a point in Transparency International's Corruption Perception Index (CPI) to 55th place out of 176. Comparatively, Singapore is ranked seventh, with countries like Myanmar ranked at 136. Transparency International – Malaysia's president Datuk Akhbar Satar indicated that Malaysia's relatively good position in the CPI was greatly due to the effectiveness of the Malaysian Anti-Corruption Commission (MACC) in investigating and handling high profile cases, as well as in the awareness programmes that the department carried out.

On 20 November 2016, a total of 200 students of the Faculty of Architecture, Faculty of Geoinformation and Real Estate and the Faculty of Science Universiti Teknologi Malaysia were involved in the students' Anti-Corruption Awareness Programme of Universiti Teknologi Malaysia (UTM).

The programme was organized by the Faculty of Management with the collaboration of UTM Secretariat of Corruption Prevention and Malaysia Anti-Corruption Commission (MACC).

Programme Coordinator, Dr. Azlineer Sarip explained

that the activity carried was a continuation of the programme that has been undertaken by the public and also the MACC.

“The Anti-Corruption Awareness Programme conducted today was part of a special task that must be completed by students taking the course Technocrat and Development (UHAS 2023) and Professional Ethics (UHAS 2092).

“This is also intended to show that the university community is very serious in supporting the government's efforts in fighting this negative phenomenon in Malaysia,” she said.

Among the activities that support the programme were an Anti-Corruption exhibition, a talk by the Johor MACC officers and the hanging of 12 anti-corruption banners as a pledge by UTM students to not get involved in corruption.

Corruption is a very real threat to society, and UTM is committed in ensuring its staff and students are aware of the dangers and the consequences of corruption both to themselves and to society.



Secretariat of Corruption Prevention of UTM holding a giant banner to support the Anti-Corruption campaign



Homegrown Haemodialysis

Statistically, it is estimated that 1 in 12 Malaysians has kidney failure and millions more are at risk. Commonly, these patients need dialysis treatment when they reach the final stage of kidney failure or typically known as the end-stage renal failure (ESRF), where they lose 85 to 90% of their kidney function. In Malaysia, the number of dialysis patient keeps increasing with the estimation of 5,000 new cases of ESRF being reported each year.

The statistics from the National Kidney Foundation Malaysia reveals worrying figures where the total number of haemodialysis patients had increased from 12,182 patients in 2005 to 38,157 patients at the end of 2016. In fact, with the right projection there will be 43,000 haemodialysis patients altogether by the end of 2017. Every year, the Government allocates RM50 million to accommodate the cost of treatment of around 38,000 ESRF patients. However, only 35,580 patients from that number undergo haemodialysis treatment. Out of 35,580 patients who undergo haemodialysis treatment, government hospitals are able to cover the expenses for only 8,000 patients. The remaining patients have to solely rely on the subsidy from the Government and NGOs.

According to local sources, the amount paid by patients for each session is RM162 (around USD38 with government subsidy), and part of the amount comes from the cost of the haemodialyser. It is known that the market price for an imported haemodialyser can be as high as RM125 (USD30) per dialyser depending on the brand and package size. Therefore, immediate action is needed to compensate and reduce at least the cost of haemodialyser. To that end, UTM made it a mission to establish its own brand for renal products, starting with the production of a haemodialyser. In order to do that, Prof. Dr. Ahmad Fauzi Ismail and his team of the Advanced Membrane Technology Research Centre (AMTEC), Universiti Teknologi Malaysia (UTM), began their research into creating a home-grown haemodialysis system for blood purification using membrane technology that would greatly reduce the cost of treatment for Malaysian ESRF patients, and the government and NGOs who are subsidising treatment. This is because at present, hospitals and haemodialysis centres in Malaysia solely depend on imported renal products from modern countries like Japan and Germany.

The project started with the development of a high performance haemodialysis membrane, where prior to membrane fabrication process, a polymer solution was prepared by mixing 18 wt.% polysulfone and 8 wt.% polyvinylpyrrolidone in N-methyl-2-pyrrolidone as the solvent. Both membrane and haemodialyser were produced using in-house equipment and instruments producing a well-optimised membrane specifically designed to remove critical uremic toxins while retaining essential proteins like albumin in blood, resulting in an optimised blood purification process. Further, along with the the low production cost and high flux achievement, this home-grown haemodialyser is capable of removing sufficient amounts of uremic toxins from a patient's blood including a large fraction of recalcitrant middle molecular weight molecules.



Photography session with Prof Dr. Ahmad Fauzi Ismail

This invention has now received a number of collaborations from various agencies. AMTEC, UTM is known to be very committed based on previous and current engagements with both private and government linked companies and institutions in addition to previous social services. From the beginning of this project, AMTEC, UTM has had a good partnership with Universiti Teknologi MARA (UiTM), who provided their expertise in terms of the biomedical aspects of the product.

As a step for commercialisation, a Memorandum of Understanding between AMTEC and Foresight Industries Sdn. Bhd. was signed in March 2016, exploring possible business relationships and opportunities for mutual interest concerning Advanced Membrane Technology solutions for haemodialysis using each party's proprietary technology and expertise.

After receiving some highlights from the Malaysian Government, what remains now is for the product to step into the next phase of development, and to do this, UTM is now calling for investors who are keen on investing in a high impact research product that can compete with established imported haemodialyser brands worldwide. It is anticipated that the reduced price of home-grown haemodialyser, in addition to the product's trusted performance will

heighten the chance of market penetration in Malaysia, with the potential to greatly reduce costs borne by patients, the Government, and NGOs, freeing up valuable resources to be used in other high impact projects that cater to the nation's needs. With such an impact to Malaysian society as a whole, it is little wonder that UTM's long-term goals include making Malaysia a regional base for renal products in Southeast Asia, and perhaps one day, the world.



Laboratory research



M (left) with Dr. Abdullah Mohd Nawi, UTM Deputy Director of Corporate Affairs



M international fashion powerhouse and UTM Resident Artist

UTM's latest high profile addition to its family is the international fashion icon and world renowned designer, Simplicio Michael Luis Asis Herrera, or simply 'M' as the name he is known by all over the world. M is now the Resident Artist/Designer for Universiti Teknologi Malaysia, and is proud to declare the words - I AM UTM.

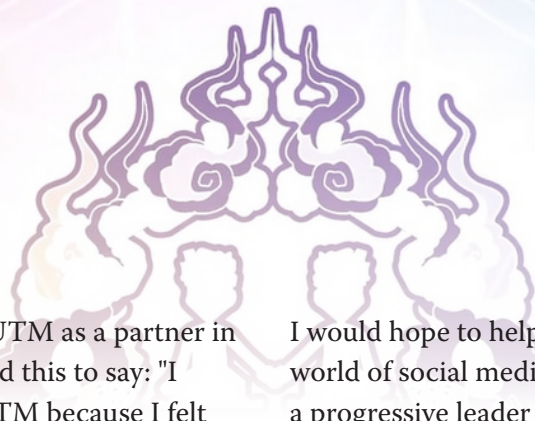
This month we uncover who the man behind the powerhouse is, and what he has planned for his tenure. M was born in Manila to a Chinese/Spanish father and a Filipina Spanish mother. Due to his own cultural diversity, M recognises the importance of creating harmony despite differences and appreciating it all. M believes that you can wrap your body with the "fabric of thought", and has therefore chosen fashion as the platform to communicate his philosophy. Beginning shortly after graduating from F.I.D.M. in 1996, M became a designer for Karl Kani Jeans (the Godfather of Urban fashion).

A Fortune 500 company managed by a team of 8, M was exposed to every aspect of the design process. This included a production trip to China where he coordinated development at a young age of 19. A few years later, M began instructing fashion/graphic design at the F.I.D.M. for 3 years before he relocated

to Germany. While in Europe as the Creative Director for an agency in 2002, M managed a team of designers that catered to corporate brands such as such as PUMA-BMW for the Formula One Races, Shell and T-Mobile to name a few.

This evolved to his design studio today, known as Haus of "M" (www.thehausofm.com). In 2005, M then began Mthemovement: a luxury designer street wear line for men and women with an emphasis on eco friendly fabrics with humanitarian efforts that is currently in the market (www.mthemovement.com). His celebrity following has included: Black Eyed Peas, Britney Spears, Bobby Brown, All Four One, and Wayne Brady. Mthemovement is now coined "LA's favorite street wear designer" by Apparel News.

Today at 40 years of age, M has received a plethora of press and several awards. Notably, "Best booth design at M.A.G.I.C.", Nevada-2009. M is also serving as a member of the Advisory Board for the Bachelor of Business program at F.I.D.M. This is not M's first time working in the region, as prior to his appointment as UTM Resident Artist/Designer, M was employed as Resident Designer at an internationally renowned science lab, the Imagineering Institute, in Johor Bahru, a subsidiary under the Khazanah group of companies.



When asked about his choice of UTM as a partner in the next phase of his career, M had this to say: "I chose to work specifically with UTM because I felt that it represented Malaysia more than the other universities. UTM has a long history in Malaysia, deeply rooted in tradition..and I wanted to be part of that." With over 20 years of experience of fashion and more importantly, branding, experience, M feels that the time is ripe for UTM to join other communities besides the mainstream scientific ones.

This would in turn brand UTM as a university that is in touch with the outside world, and would do so in a way that would be uniquely UTM - done in style."

I would hope to help UTM maneuver in this new world of social media and restructured businesses as a progressive leader in the world of academia" said M, "I would also love to inspire their students to be all they can be, strengthening their innate entrepreneurial spirits. In addition, providing more visibility for both." M shared some of the plans that he already had lined up "I have many platforms to aid in the promotion of the university. Such platforms include fashion shows, workshops and seminars I have scheduled in Los Angeles, New York and right here in Malaysia." It will be an exciting time in UTM. And we can't wait.

by Dr Abdullah Mohd Nawi





Launching Ceremony by Minister of Higher Education, Dato' Seri Idris Jusoh at MaGICX

UTM at the forefront of tomorrow's classrooms

There was a time in the not so distant past that the only place where a person could go to get an education was in formal institutions of learning, and the place to gain formalised knowledge was in the physical classrooms and libraries. However, all that changed with the advent of the Internet, and the disruption of the system of dissemination of knowledge. Since then, education has gone through a revolution, where the idea of the traditional classroom is becoming more and more relegated to a relic of the past, especially with the advent of the Fourth Industrial Revolution (4IR). If we do not keep up, we soon, will be in danger on being pushed towards obsolescence.

At UTM, the future is now, and it is a bright one. On August 10, 2017, the Malaysian Minister of Higher Education, Dato' Seri Idris Jusoh, launched the concept of future lecture rooms known as the "Classrooms of the Future" and the UTM-Huawei iLearning Cloud Showcase at the Media and Game Innovation Centre of Excellence (MaGICX), Universiti Teknologi Malaysia (<http://magicx.utm.my/>).

MaGICX director, Assoc Prof Dr Mohd Shahrizal Sunar said the concept of the future lecture room utilizes Virtual Reality (VR) technology and Cisco SPARK to enable the teaching and learning process to be more interactive.

“VR technology is very significant in supporting students to interact with learning content while also experiencing simulated real situations and reducing learning costs,” he said. “For example the use of VR technology enables students and lecturers of the Petroleum Engineering Bachelors Programme to learn and feel what it is really like on an oil rig in the middle of the sea in the safety of a controlled learning environment”

According to him, the use of such technology can help students feel the experience as in real situation and they can interact with lecturers or experts who are elsewhere in real time.

UTM also champions the ‘Juke Box’ education concept introduced late last year, that redesigns teaching and learning of higher education by going beyond campuses and beyond borders. The concept allows students to participate in programs offered and to use the facilities and resources available at universities regardless of where they are.

Additionally, other initiatives like the collaboration between UTM and Huawei in the UTM-Huawei iLearning Cloud Showcase, development of Big Data technology and tools, and the joint initiative with the Ministry of Higher Education in developing the Massive Online Open Courses (MOOC), eLearning and Lifelong Learning integrated in a cloud computing environment, are all indicators of the role that UTM is playing, and will continue to play, with the UTM 4.0 initiative, at the forefront of the Fourth Industrial Revolution.

KPJ Sentosa KL Specialist Hospital Launches HEALED 2017 in Collaboration with UTM International Business School

The 7th April is the World Health Day, which is celebrated around the world to create awareness on the importance of current health issues faced by global communities.

In view of the escalating number of depression cases as a health problem, the World Health Organization (WHO) has named this year's theme, 'Depression – Let's Talk'. According to WHO, depression has been identified to be the world's leading cause of ill health and disability worldwide with more than 300 million people now living

with depression. Although there is no specific studies on depression in Malaysia, it may still be the most disabling disease due to the highest number of days lost due to this disability.

Supporting this motion and understanding the importance of creating the awareness of this disease, KPJ Sentosa KL Specialist Hospital, in collaboration with the Azman Hashim International Business School of Universiti Teknologi Malaysia (UTM AHIBS) launched HealEd 2017.



Presentation of souvenirs from KPJ Sentosa KL Specialist Hospital to Pro-Vice Chancellor of UTM Kuala Lumpur Campus

HealEd is the combination of Healthcare and Education whereby both providers act as a platform to reach out to the community towards creating further awareness through continuous health screenings and education.

This is the 1st program of its kind whereby this year the UTM Azman Hashim International Business School (UTM AHIBS) was selected as the partner in health for this event.

'With UTM AHIBS's strategic venue and strength in assisting KPJ Sentosa KL Specialist Hospital in reaching to the surrounding communities, such a program will pave the way on the importance of preventive healthcare with regular physical and mental screenings,' said Tn Hj Mohd Farid Salim, Executive Director of KPJ Sentosa KL Specialist Hospital.

The launch was witnessed by Prof. Dr. Durrishah binti Idrus, Pro Vice-Chancellor UTM Kuala Lumpur Campus. Also present

were Prof. Dr. Wan Khairuzzaman Wan Ismail, Dean of UTM Azman Hashim International Business School, Executive Director KPJ Sentosa KL Specialist Hospital and CEO KPJ Sentosa KL Specialist Hospital.

"It is hoped with the launching of HealEd, we have set the pace for closer working relationship among healthcare and education providers as we work towards building a healthier society" added Tn Hj Mohd Farid Salim.

Among the highlights at the 2-day event, which commenced on 6th and 7th April 2017, were health talks by Ms. Loheswary Arumugam, Consultant Clinical Psychologist on Depression – Let's Talk, 'Stress & Back Pain' by Dr. Ahmad Shahrid, Consultant Orthopaedic and Spine Surgeon, health screenings, back pain assessment, stress level checks and management, educational booths on mother and baby care as well as continuous education and career pathway by UTM AHIBS.



KPJ Sentosa KL Specialist Hospital delegation with UTM Kuala Lumpur Staff and Management

MJIIT- Yamaguchi University in Intellectual Property Education and Research in Malaysia

In an effort to strengthen intellectual property (IP) education and research in Malaysia, Malaysia-Japan International Institute of Technology (MJIT) and Yamaguchi University are collaborating to build a comprehensive research platform using global patent information and IP analysis tools from Clarivate Analytics and financial information from Thomson Reuters Eikon. This platform will enable MJIT students, researchers and academics to perform deep IP analysis across multiple disciplines, and gain insights about industry trends and emerging technologies.

This initiative also supports MJIT's innovation lifecycle in sustainable engineering and management of technology, spanning basic research to commercialization. Clarivate Analytics will assist in developing competent human capital within MJIT through customized training and professional advice.

Along with this initiative, MJIT and Yamaguchi University, Japan's third oldest national university, have established the International Joint Intellectual Property Laboratory (IJIPL), which aims to create an IP research hub in Asia. Given the increasing importance of academic-industry partnerships, it is important to leverage the most current and comprehensive patent and business-related information as well as scientific literature. Such information plays a key role in helping the IJIPL community to address multidisciplinary research, and gain a wide view of current and emerging technologies to support informed decision-making related to research and development.





Professor Datin Dr. Rubiyah bte. Yusof

Professor Datin Dr. Rubiyah bte. Yusof, Dean, MJIIT said, “As part of international collaboration in research and education, MJIIT and Yamaguchi University have jointly established an international research laboratory at MJIIT. This International Joint Intellectual Property Laboratory (IJIPL) aims to be the center of excellence in management of technology research with special emphasis on intellectual property in the ASEAN region.

The aim of the IJIPL is to share knowledge on resources and technology transfer as well as expertise to deliver professional and responsive service to the industry, spin-out companies and our academic

communities. The joint research laboratory will increase industry engagement through research collaboration with its members and provide enhanced support for existing and new companies.”

Ken Kaminishi, senior presidential advisor at Yamaguchi University said, “Yamaguchi University is proud of continually advancing IP education and research in Japan. The extensive IP data and analytical tools offered by Clarivate in combination with our IP expertise enable MJIIT, UTM as well as IJIPL to be a center of IP education and research in this region. This joint effort will expand the strategic importance of the partnership between MJIIT and Yamaguchi University.”

“ Masaki Nagao, managing director of Asia Pacific for Clarivate Analytics said, “At Clarivate we have a long tradition of helping our customers accelerate the pace of innovation with our trusted insights and analytics, and promoting international research collaboration. We are very pleased to support MJIIT, UTM and Yamaguchi University with our solutions and IP expertise in this milestone project, which will help MJIIT educate and develop researchers with trained IP expertise and IP-savvy business professionals to drive innovation in Malaysia. This will also support the Eleventh Malaysia Plan, which keeps measures aimed at enhancing innovation at the top of the country's policy agenda. ”



Tan Sri (Dr.) Jamilus bin Hussein

CORPORATE LEADER BEHIND UTM ALUMNI ASSOCIATION

Tan Sri (Dr.) Jamilus is currently the President of the UTM Alumni Association since it was registered as an NGO under the Registrar of Societies (ROS) on 24 July 2013. Previously, the association existed since 2003 through various alumni groups as a sponsoring committee until it obtained recognition by the management of UTM.

Through his leadership, the Alumni Association of UTM (PAUTM) has attracted membership among alumni and expanded their branches through special interest groups (SIG) in several states in Peninsular Malaysia such as Selangor, Kuala Lumpur, Terengganu, Kedah, Kelantan and Negeri Sembilan. Alumni membership under PAUTM consists of various ages, ranks and professions that are looking forward the continuity of UTM's successes in the future.

Tan Sri Jamilus was a product of Technical College now known as (Universiti Teknologi Malaysia (UTM) in Diploma in Civil Engineering. He graduated in 1967 and furthered his studies in the UK for his first degree at Strathclyde University, Glasgow, UK and later in the USA for his Masters degree at the State University Of New York Buffalo in Geotechnical Engineering. Tan Sri Jamilus has well over 50 years experience in the design, construction and management of building and infrastructure projects.

He is a recognized personality in the construction industry, not only for his experience and technical knowledge but also as someone who constantly advocates and disseminates sound project management practices.

One of his outstanding achievements being Managing Director of KLIA Berhad is his leadership in harnessing the efforts of a large number of professionals of diverse disciplines to complete the huge technically sophisticated airport project the KL International Airport. Prior to the KLIA project, he held various key management positions in the Public Works Department, Malaysia: State Director of Pahang, Terengganu and Perak and also Director of the Road Division.

He was also a former academic at Universiti Teknologi Malaysia, his last post being the Department Head of Soil Mechanics and Geology in the Civil Engineering Faculty. Presently he is the Chairman of Board of Directors of Universiti Tun Hussein Onn Malaysia. He is an ardent believer of the need to upgrade the project management practice and technical capabilities of professional engineers in the country. To this end, despite his busy schedule, he regularly gives talks at seminars locally and abroad. He is also involved with Universities as Adjunct Professor and Industry advisor.

Tan Sri Jamilus sits in many governing committees on the construction industry in the country, among them are:-

- Chairman of Industrialized Building System (2002-2006), Construction Industry Development
- Board (CIDB) Malaysia
- Pro-tem President, Institution of Project Management Malaysia
- Professor Adjung, Jabatan Kejuruteraan Awam & Struktur, Fakulti Kejuruteraan, Universiti Kebangsaan Malaysia (2004-2006)
- Professor Adjung, Fakulti Kejuruteraan Awam, Universiti Teknologi Mara (2006-2008)

Professional Achievements

- Tokoh Alumni UTM 1998
- Prominent Player of the Year 2004 – awarded by Construction Industry Development Board (CIDB) Malaysia
- Dedalo-Minosse International Prize – for commissioning a building 2003 - 2004 – Italy

- Master Builders Association Malaysia Golden Helmet Award For Leadership In Safety & Health – 2015
- Anugerah Tokoh Jurutera Professional Melayu Terunggul – Persatuan Kontraktor Melayu Malaysia – Nov 2016

Awards

- Awarded the title PSM which carries the title of Tan Sri by His Royal Highness the Yang Di Pertuan Agong – 27.6.98
- Awarded the title JSM by His Royal Highness the Yang Di Pertuan Agong on his birthday - 5.6.1993
- Awarded the title DIMP which carries the title of Dato' by His Royal Highness the Sultan Pahang – 9.7.88
- Awarded the title SMT by His Royal Highness the Sultan of Terengganu – 9.4.87
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Because We Care Chancellor's Fund

The Because We Care Chancellor's Fund provides financial assistance to UTM students who are eligible for the duration of their studies at university, and comprises funds for food, sundries, and personal effects. The fund also provides financial assistance for medication.

Merdeka Endowment

The Merdeka Endowment Fund was founded in 2009 with the main objective of providing scholarships to outstanding students and also students from lower socio-economic status backgrounds (B40). Based on the 'wakaf' concept, the funds that have been collected have been used for Endowment Scholarships. To date, more than 600 students have received this scholarship.

Alumni Endowment

The Alumni Endowment Fund was created to provide a means for alumni to give back to the university by donating to foster the expansion and consolidation of knowledge and skills in UTM. Similar to the 'wakaf' concept, this fund is used to provide the Alumni Scholarship to students from lower socio-economic status backgrounds (B40), and for living expenses in UTM. To date, more than 100 students facing financial difficulty have received donations from the Alumni Endowment Fund.

UTM Education Wakaf Fund

The UTM Education Wakaf Fund is a fund-generation programme based on the concept of General Wakaf in the form of cash or assets, where the donor donates to UTM as the trustee, with the intent (niat) for Allah S.W.T, and also for the development of progress and universal knowledge.

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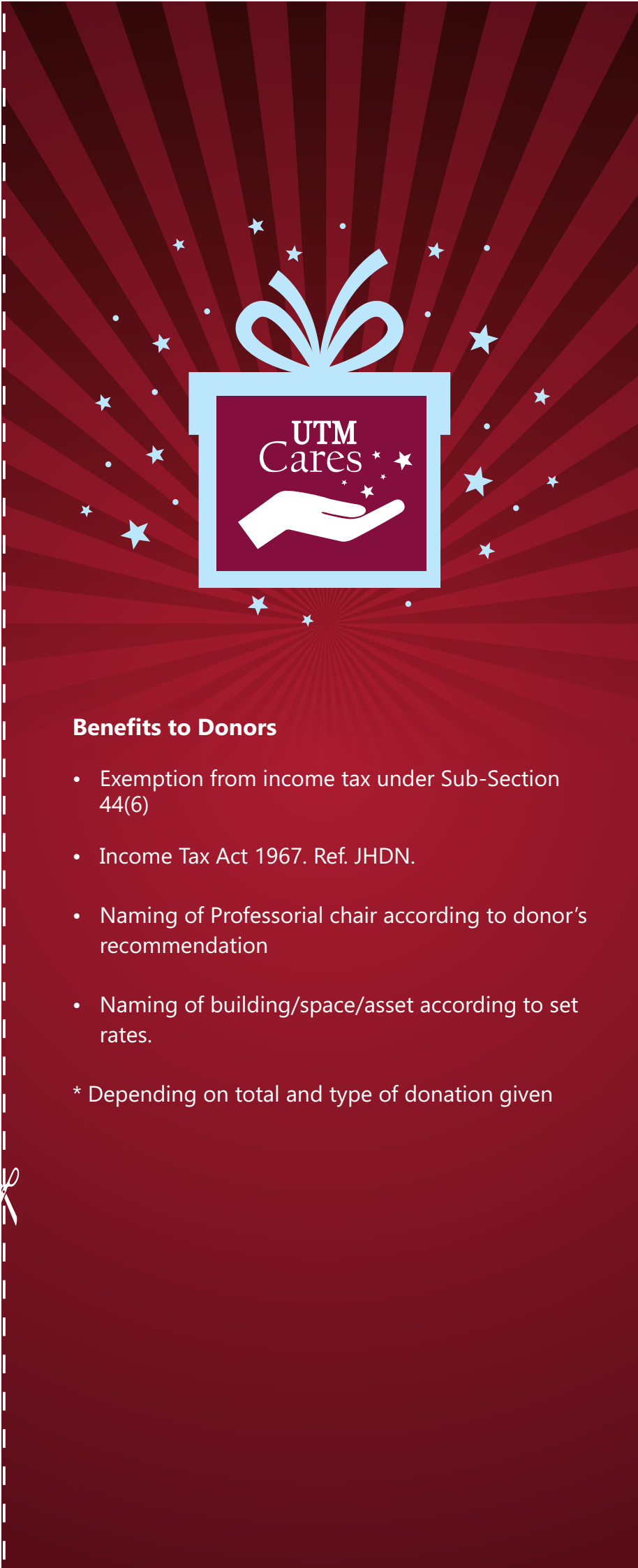
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Located in 1145 hectare of green splendor, UTM prides itself on the offering of an ecotourism campus. Its traditionally designed Malay architecture academic buildings are situated in the midst of lush greenery, surrounded by stretches of creeks, streams and lakes. As part of its keen commitment to sustainable environment, UTM ecotourism campus offers a myriad of opportunities for outdoor recreation and enjoyment to active, adventurous visitors as well as to those who simply wish to enjoy the solitude of nature.



Places to visit in UTM

- UTM Visit My Campus (Edutourism Package)
 - UTM Observatory
 - UTM Recreational Forest
 - UTM Orchard & Farm
 - UTM Trails
 - UTM Deer Park
 - UTM Remote Control Circuit
 - UTM Tropical Park
 - UTM Tasik Ilmu & Desa Bakti
- and many more.....

Activities offered:



Jungle Trekking



Kayaking



Flying Fox



Camping



ATV



Paintball

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