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OATH TAKING CEREMONY DEAN'S AWARD

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The Oath Taking Ceremony and Dean's Award, held on July 3, 2024, is a significant occasion in the faculty, marking a pivotal moment in the lives of students and honouring their outstanding achievements. This event not only recognises the hard work and dedication of the students but also instils a sense of responsibility and ethical commitment as they embark on their professional journeys.

Dean's Award: Recognising Academic Excellence

The Dean's Award is a prestigious accolade bestowed upon students who have demonstrated exceptional academic performance and dedication to their studies. This award is a testament to their hard work, perseverance, and intellectual prowess, setting them apart as exemplary members of the academic community. This year, a total of 68 undergraduate students received the Dean's Award and 3 postgraduate students received Faculty Postgraduate Award.



Recipients have achieved outstanding grades, with undergraduate students attaining a GPA of 3.50 and above, and postgraduate students achieving a GPA of 3.75 and above. Their achievements reflect not only their individual efforts but also the support and guidance provided by their mentors and the institution.

The Dean's Award ceremony is a moment of pride and celebration, where students are recognised for their accomplishments and encouraged to continue their pursuit of excellence. The award serves as a motivation for other students to strive for academic success and to make the most of the opportunities available to them.

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Student's Excellence Award: Highlighting Exceptional Talent



In addition to the Dean's Award, the Student's Excellence Award under Student Affairs (HEP) was presented to 3 outstanding students. This award recognizes exceptional talent, leadership, and contributions to the student community. These awardees have demonstrated remarkable abilities and dedication, serving as role models for their peers.

Certificate Presentation Ceremony: Qualifying Examination for Registration as Practising Pharmacists

The event also featured a Certificate Presentation Ceremony for the Qualifying Examination for Registration as Practising Pharmacists (Peperiksaan Kelayakan Untuk Mengamal Farmasi). Certificates were awarded to 87 students who successfully passed this rigorous examination, marking a significant milestone in their professional journey.

The presentation of certificates acknowledges the students' hard work and dedication in preparing for and passing the exam, which is crucial for their registration as practising pharmacists. This ceremony is an important step in their transition from students to professionals in the field of pharmacy.

Motivational Talks: Inspiring the Future

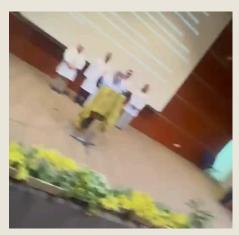
To further inspire and motivate the students, the event featured 2 esteemed speakers who delivered motivational talks, Prof. Dr. Zamrin Dimon and Madam Noriah Mohamed Ali. These speakers, recognized for their accomplishments and expertise, shared their personal journeys, insights, and advice, providing students with valuable perspectives and encouragement as they move forward in



their careers. The motivational talks were a highlight of the event, offering students a source of inspiration and practical wisdom. The speakers' stories of perseverance, innovation, and success resonated with the audience, reinforcing the importance of determination, continuous learning, and a positive mindset.

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Oath Taking Ceremony: A Commitment to Ethical Practice



The Oath Taking Ceremony is a profound and solemn event where 152 final-year students from the Rx19 and Rx18 cohorts pledge to uphold the ethical standards and values of their chosen profession. During the ceremony, students take an oath to practise their profession with integrity, compassion, and dedication. This commitment ensures that they prioritise the well-being of their patients, adhere to the highest standards of professional conduct, and continuously strive for excellence in their field.

Sending-Off Speech: A Message from the Dean

As part of the event, the Dean delivered a heartfelt sending-off speech for the final-year students. This speech was a moment of reflection and encouragement, where the Dean acknowledged the hard work and achievements of the students, offered words of wisdom, and inspired them as they prepared to embark on their professional careers.



The sending-off speech provided final-year students with a sense of closure and celebration as they transitioned from academic life to the professional world. The Dean's words served as a guiding light, encouraging students to uphold the values and standards they have learned during their time at the institution.

The Importance of Celebrating Achievements

The Oath Taking Ceremony and Dean's Award event underscores the importance of recognising and celebrating the achievements of students. Such recognition not only boosts the morale of the awardees but also sets a standard for other students to aspire to.

These events highlight the values of integrity, excellence, and dedication, which are crucial in shaping the future professionals who will make significant contributions to society. By honouring these values, institutions reinforce their commitment to fostering a culture of excellence and ethical practice.

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