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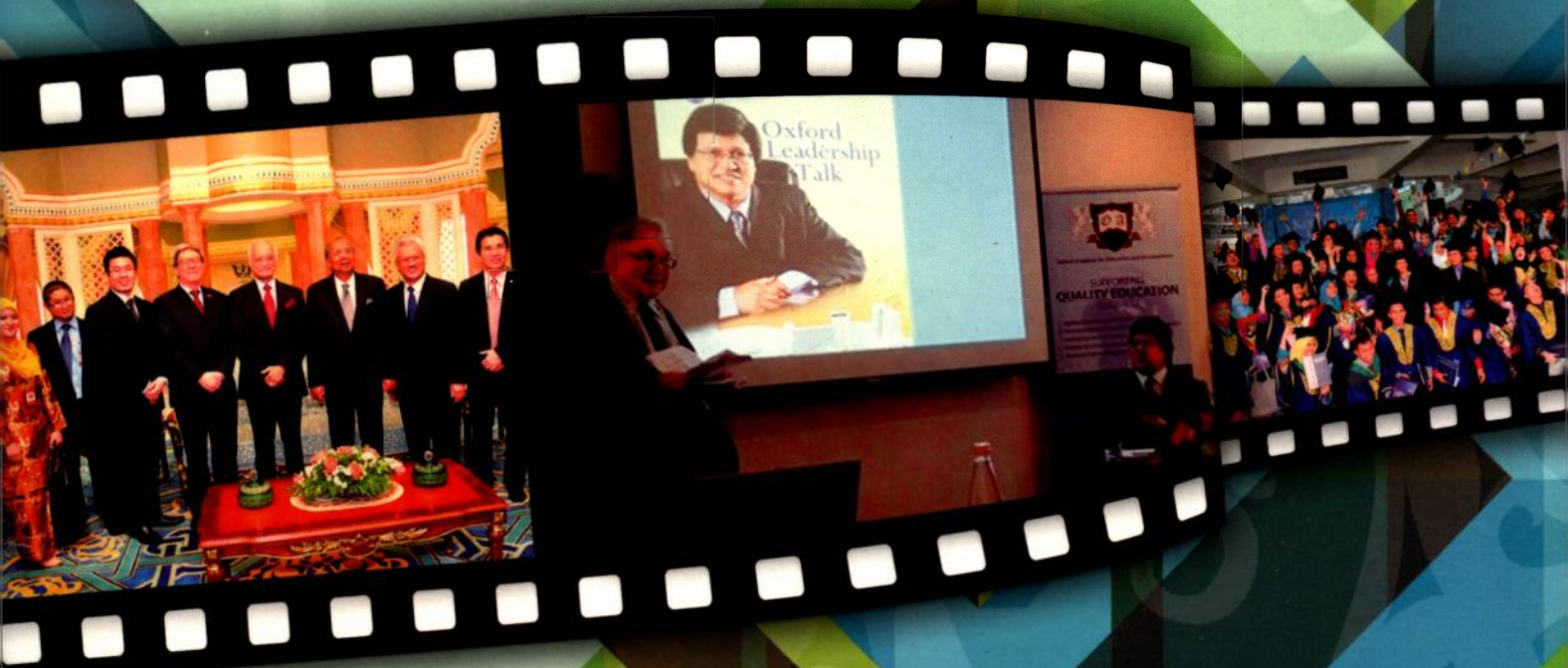
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Majlis Penyerahan Derma Sumbangan Bank Rakyat kepada Pelajar UiTM Sarawak

Oleh: Mohamad Syafie bin Hamdin

Satu majlis Penyerahan Derma Sumbangan Bank Rakyat telah diadakan pada 17 Oktober 2014 pada jam 3.00 petang bertempat di Perpustakaan Tun Abdul Razak, Kampus Samarahan 2, UiTM Sarawak. Majlis ini dihadiri oleh Profesor Madya Wan Akil Tuanku Abdullah, Timbalan Rektor Bahagian Hal Ehwal Pelajar UiTM Sarawak serta YBhg. Tuan Haji Khirudin bin Haji Abg Jajol, Ketua Wilayah Sarawak/ Naib Presiden Wilayah 9 Bank Rakyat, dan Encik Faishal bin Salleh, Pengurus Bank Rakyat Cawangan Kota Samarahan. Turut hadir pada majlis tersebut ialah Profesor Madya Dr. Hjh. Rasidah Mahdi, Timbalan Rektor Bahagian Penyelidikan dan Jaringan Industri, Ketua-Ketua Bahagian, Ketua Unit dan Majlis Perwakilan Pelajar yang diketuai oleh YDP saudara Mohd Ir Iqbal bin Ishak.



Majlis penyerahan derma sumbangan oleh YBhg. Tuan Haji Khirudin bin Haji Abg Jajol, Ketua Wilayah Sarawak (Bank Rakyat) kepada Profesor Madya Wan Akil Tuanku Abdullah, Timbalan Rektor Bahagian Hal Ehwal Pelajar UiTM Sarawak disaksikan oleh Ketua-Ketua Bahagian dan Wakil Pelajar

Majlis penyerahan disempurnakan dengan penyerahan sumbangan berjumlah RM50,000 dari Bank Rakyat kepada UiTM Sarawak. Menurut YBhg. Tuan Haji Khirudin bin Haji Abg Jajol, Ketua Wilayah Sarawak (Bank Rakyat), derma sumbangan ini bertujuan untuk membantu pelajar miskin di UiTM Sarawak yang memerlukan bantuan bagi meringankan beban, sekaligus meneruskan pengajian di UiTM Sarawak dengan jayanya.

SELANGKAH KE UiTM

By: Benjamin M.



Expo Selangkah ke UiTM was held on 16th and 17th August, 2014 at Dewan Jubli, UiTM, Samarahan 1. The objectives of the expo were to promote UiTM's programmes and to encourage potential Bumiputeras to apply for both undergraduate and postgraduate courses at UiTM, Samarahan. The Centre of Graduates Studies, UiTM Samarahan promoted the Master and Ph. D programmes to potential Bumiputera candidates for the September 2014 intake. The programmes are offered for full-time and part-time studies through coursework or research.

Twenty-four booths were set up by the different faculties which offered different programmes. Bank Simpanan Nasional (BSN) set up a booth too so that applicants could purchase their BSN pin number and apply online on the computers that were provided.

About 780 visitors attended the expo. Selangkah ke UiTM expo is held from time to time to promote UiTM's programmes to Bumiputera students.

Turnitin Workshop

By: Benjamin M.

A three-hour Turnitin workshop was conducted on Friday, 8th August, 2014. The workshop touched on the use of the Turnitin software to detect plagiarism and to improve the writing of postgraduate students' papers. It aimed to give the post-graduate students a better understanding on the importance of the use of Turnitin software. The Head of Centre of Graduate Studies, Associate Professor Dr. Firdaus Abdullah, officiated both the opening and closing ceremonies.

The talk was delivered by Dr. Mohammad Nawawi Seroji, the Head of postgraduate studies by research



from Universiti Teknologi Mara, Shah Alam. In his speech, he touched on improving the quality of authentic research works by postgraduate students as well as ways to ensure that their papers are free from plagiarism. Turnitin, which is used to identify similarities to existing sources, can be used in formative assessments.

By using the software, the students can avoid plagiarism. By minimising plagiarism, they will produce better and more reliable papers. The workshop also gave hands on practice to all of the participants who had greatly benefitted from the session.



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