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ABSTRACT

Academic stress has affected students especially in final year to complete their study

because of several factors. Academic stress is a part of stress whereas the stressor is

related to academic matters. The study is to examine the factors that contribute to

academic stress among final year degree students at UiTM Cawangan Kedah. Among

the factors that contribute to academic stress are academic workload, parental pressure

and perception on examinations. This study used quantitative method and conducted

through stratified random sampling technique. Total population of this study 429

students and the sample size of 205 were selected to answer the questionnaires. The

questionnaire is distributed to every class representatives of each programmes since it is

personally administered questionnaire. The results showed that all the factors that been

selected were contribute to academic stress since there is a relationship between

dependent variable and independent variables.

KEYWORDS: Academic stress, Academic Workload, Parental Pressure, Perception on

Examinations, Final Year Degree Students

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