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## APB In-house Training: MARA for MyRA

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On 1st April 2022, the department hosted the 'APB In-house Training: MARA for MyRA' webinar. The main objective of this event is to provide exposure to fellow APB lecturers regarding the Malaysia Research Assessment (MyRA) grant, especially since the grant application will be opened this year from the 4 April until 29 April. The invited speaker was Mr. Muhammad Azwan bin Azri, a lecturer from the Health Sciences Faculty of UiTM CPP who is also an active MyRA grant leader. Through this programme, APB lecturers were briefed about the requirements for the grant application, as well as some important tips and tricks for successful grant proposals.

The 'APB In-house Training: MARA for MyRA' was first suggested by our Head of Department, Associate Professor Dr. Rofiza binti Aboo Bakar due to the need to meet the latest 2022 performance indicators (PI) for APB. Some of the performance indicators concerned are:

**PI061:** Two principal investigators (PI) for national-funded research grants.

**PI064:** Total amount of RM60,000 received from national-funded research grants.

The online programme started at 10.00 a.m. via Google Meet. Assoc. Prof. Dr. Rofiza delivered a short welcoming remark, emphasising on the benefits of research funds and grants. Next, a sharing session by Mr. Muhammad Azwan began at 10.10 a.m. and ended at 11.00 a.m. The programme ended with a question-and-answer session, in which some questions were raised to clear doubts regarding the process of grant application. Overall, this programme had been beneficial in clearing doubts and providing clarification with regard to the MyRA grant. It is hoped that APB lecturers will take immediate action by sending their applications for the MyRA grant before the closing date.



Some screenshots from the MARA for MyRA webinar