PROFESSORIAL LECTURE

"Personalized Therapy – The Perspectives of Pharmaceutical Technology"



On 22nd March 2023, Professor Dr Wong Tin Wui delivered a Professorial Lecture at Dewan Kuliah 9 which was also streamed live through Webex. The professorial lecture entitled "Personalized Therapy – The Perspectives of Pharmaceutical Technology" attracted more than 380 participants and viewers.

Professor Dr Wong Tin Wui, popularly known as Prof Wong, is a Professor of Pharmaceutical Technology at the Department of Pharmaceutics, Faculty Pharmacy, Universiti Teknologi of MARA (UiTM), Puncak Alam. He is also at present the Principal Fellow at Non-Destructive Biomedical and Pharmaceutical Research Centre. Smart Manufacturing Research Institute, UiTM Puncak Alam, Prof Wong has written more than 120 research papers in peer reviewed journals, mainly in the area of nano drug delivery sciences, focusing on oral, pulmonary and skin medicine for cancer. diabetes and infection treatment.

Professor Dr. Wong Tin Wui's contributions to the field of Pharmaceutical Technology have been recognized not only through his scholarly work but through various awards and honours. He was the recipient of the Top Malaysia Research Scientist awarded by Academy of Sciences Malaysia, YSPSAH Excellent Scientific Paper Award Taiwan, and Consorzio TEFARCO Innova Italy Best Poster Award, among others. These accolades speak to the significant impact that Professor Dr. Wong Tin Wui has had on the field of Pharmaceutical Technology and beyond. Apart from his research, Professor Dr. Wong Tin Wui is also an accomplished teacher and mentor, having inspired and guided many students in his academic pursuits. He has supervised and graduated 17 PhD students and 27 master's students for the past 20 years. His dedication to his students' success is a testament to his commitment to excellence and passion for Pharmaceutical Technology. Professor Dr. Wong Tin Wui has also been an active member of the academic community. He has served in various committees, organized conferences, and symposia, and mentored junior faculty members.

Following Prof Wong's professorial lecture, a book launching event was held. Prof Wong's book entitled 'Personalised Therapy – The Perspective of Pharmaceutical Technology' discussed the utilisation of a multi-particulate system from nano to macroscale to enable personalized delivery of a therapy.

Professorial lectures aim to share scholastic stateliness and achievements of established professors, particularly in the areas contributing to the dissemination of knowledge, expertise and innovative explorations and findings. It is hoped that such an occasion will be of great inspiration and motivation to the academic and non-academic community of the University.

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