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background of RESEARCH, INDUSTRIAL LINKAGES & ALUMNI

#### **Objectives**

- To promote word-class research.
- To administer, coordinate and provide service for research development, consultation and research publication.
- To provide assistance in exploring new subjects and identify niche area of interest.
- To disseminate information and provide ample training in research, consultation and publication of research.
- To ensure innovation, quality research, consultation and publication are maintained.
- To assist in research publication for high impact journals.

#### Vision

To become the leading administrative centre for research, development, consultation and world-class research publication.

#### Mision

To enrich the academia, creative ability and innovation through quality service.

Division of Research, Industrial Linkages and Alumni or known as PJI&A started as the Research Management Unit (RMU) or IRDC and was formerly known as Planning, Research and Development Centre which was established in April 1980. However in September 1987, IRDC was restructured with its heightened importance in research and consultation in UiTM and was divided into two units, Research and Consultancy Centre (RACC) and Planning and Evaluation Unit. This centre was then renamed to Research and Consultancy Bureau in 1994 and went through another name change to become Institute of Research, Development and Commercialisation (IRDC) on 15 July 2003.

With the mooting of the post of Deputy Vice Chancellor in March 2008 to take over the intellectual property and commercialisation portfolio, IRDC was given the responsibility to maximise innovation and increase the number of research which will later be published in high impact journals. Ensuing this, on 31 July 2008 IRDC was changed to Research Management Institute (RMI) to synchronise with UiTM's aspiration to become a Research University that will develop innovation activities and new research. It was only in 2011, that RMI became the Research, Industrial Linkages and Alumni Division (PJI&A), headed by its Deputy Rector, Associate Professor Dr. Roaimah Omar. Under her tutelage, Invention, Innovation and Design (IID) was born in 2009.

The different divisions or units in PJI&A are responsible to manage, monitor and conduct research in science and technology, management and social sciences, consultation, financial assistance for consultation, innovation, publication and Information for Research and Consultancy (INFORAC). PJI&A also conducts seminars, workshops and roadshows to encourage, motivate and train the academic and non-academic staffs in research and consultation, securing research grants and projects, to manage good financing and publish research in a responsible and ethical manner.

### RIID2013 OBJECTIVES

#### **General Objective**

To display research, invention, and design from various institutions (IPTA/IPTS) that can be commercialised for global benefit

To culturalise research and innovation through the sharing of expertise and commercialised, creative and innovative ideas

To instill interest and encouragement to the public towards research, invention and innovation that poses as a medium for the nation's development.

#### **Specific Objective**

To identify and promote new and inventive discoveries that are commercialised, creative, and innovative from various institutions (IPTA/IPTS) all over Malaysia.

To select discoveries and new invention to be contested in the national and international level.

To uphold the reputation and image of UiTM as a well-known pioneer in innovation and invention in the national and international level.

## CHRONOLOGY OF RIID

#### RIID Showcase

7 August 2009, Dewan Kuliah 2, UiTM Melaka.



#### 1 IID LET'S IID

13 August 2009, Dewan Bendahara, UiTM Melaka.



#### 2 IID Enculturation Of Research & Innovation

5 October 2010, Dewan Bendahara, UiTM Melaka.

# RIID 2013 Optimizing Innovation For Global Commercialization

16 - 17 December 2013, Dewan Taming Sari, UiTM Melaka.



## RIID 2012 Innovation for Sustainable Growth

7 - 8 November 2012, Dewan Taming Sari, UiTM Melaka



#### **DERIA 2011** Sound, Image & Object

21 - 22 July 2011, Mini Stadium Bistari, Ayer Keroh, Melaka. foreword message by

## CHIEF MINISTER MELAKA



YAB Datuk Seri Ir. Haji Idris Haron

Chief Minister Melaka December 2013

### amualaikum wbk and est greetings Salam 1Malaysia,

nd foremost, I would like to congratulate Research, Industrial ges and Alumni Centre (PJIA), Universiti Teknologi MARA

I) Melaka for yet another successful organisation of this rch, Invention, Innovation and Design Exhibition 2013 (RIID

era of globalisation, the Malaysian government is stepping efforts in developing the country and its people, be ucing a holistic socioeconomic development programme. our Prime Minister Datuk Seri Mohd Najib Tun Abdul Razak uced a massive transformation agenda in implementing the amme its approach and philosophy. The Prime Minister has outlined five-key strategic thrusts under the 10th Malaysia Plan (10MP) to enable Malaysia to become a high-income and developed nation by 2020.

Therefore, the National Key Results Area (NKRA) and the Key Performance Index (KPI) were introduced towards achieving vision 2020. While moving towards achieving a developed country status, Malaysia needs to draw up a new approach which emphasises on quality human capital, innovation and creativity. The government in addition has to operate as competitive corporation.

I would like to congratulate UiTM Melaka for supporting the country's vision by hosting RIID2013 competition and exhibition. With its theme Innovation for Sustainable Growth, this event is a positive initiative to encourage professionals and academicians alike to enhance their knowledge and practical skills and these are parts of their contribution for the nation's building.

When research activities are conducted continuously, it is expected that more innovations will be generated. UiTM Melaka's initiative is highly commendable as it manages to attract. It 340 products to be displayed and competed at this event. It is hoped that this event will serve as a catalyst in enhancing the roles of professionals in various industries.

## foreword by RECTOR



Associate Professor Dr. Adnan bin Hashim

Rector Universiti Teknologi MARA Melaka December 2013

### Assalamualaikum wbkt, Salam 1Malaysia and Salam UiTM Sentiasa Di Hatiku..

I would like to welcome our honourable guests, professionals, and academicians from schools, colleges and universities to the 5th Research, Invention, Innovation and Design 2013 (RIID 2013) competition proudly organised by the Research, Industry Linkage and Alumni Division (PJI A) Centre Universiti Teknologi MARA (UiTM) Melaka.

In line with the government's aspiration to nurture and cultivate innovation, UiTM Melaka has taken the initiative to organise RIID 2013 Melaka Innovation Festival. One of the main objectives of the event is to raise the status of local universities globally. To achieve the status of a Research University (RU), one of the criteria is to emphasise on high impact innovation research which leads to invention of new business models, or innovative processes. This would result in an improved efficiency of the organisation and contributes towards better quality of life.

Since innovation is a vital catalyst to attain the status of developed nation in the year 2020, UiTM Melaka is heading the nation's call to attain aspiration through innovative programmes with staff and students. These creative and innovative abilities could be brought to greater heights through competitions and innovation exhibitions held annually. During this two-day event, a talk on innovation will also be held. Innovation is one of the key factors that could push the economy forward. In line with the strategic thrusts, the RIID 2013 competition will serve as a platform for researchers to expand their researches into innovations while becoming a venue for them to showcase their products, prototypes and new ideas.

This competition also serves as a platform for students, lecturer's administrative officers and the public to demonstrate their products or prototypes as well as sharing new ideas for commercial value. Therefore, PJIA decided the Optimizing Innovation for Global Commercialization as our theme for this year 5th Research, Invention, Innovation and Design 2013.

I am proud to announce that the number of participants in this event has increased to more than 300 participants compared to the previous year event. I would like to extend my sincere thanks and gratitude to the committee members who have persistently given their full commitment to this event.

I wish all the participants all the best in the competition.

#### Student's Friendly Measurement Tools'

Fruit Wrapper

Hasif Saad bin Shamsudin; Syed Mohd Zarul Izwan Bin Syed Roslan; Mohamad Zulkifli Bin Aman; Ratna Dewi Binti Halifi; Nastasa Binti Abdul Samat

Kolej Komuniti Bentong

'Student's Friendly Measurement Tools' merujuk kepada hasil rekacipta bahan-bahan terpakai yang dijadikan produk baru bagi kegunaan dan kemudahan pelajar-pelajar Kolei Komunitiu Bentong semasa pembelajarn di dalam kelas terutamaya yang melibatkan ukuran dan pentafsiran lukisan di pelan. Projek ini dijalankan oleh beberapa orang pelajar dari Program Sijil Teknologi Pembinaan Kolej Komuniti Bentong. Antara tujuan projek dijalankan adalah untuk, membantu pelajar menyelesaikan masalah dalam pembelajaran, membantu pelajar memahami pentafsiran ukuran bata yang diambil daripada pelan, memudahkan pelajar melihat dengan lebih jelas cara pengukuran melalui pelan tanpa perlu membayangkan keadaan sebenar serta melancarkan proses pengajaran dan pembelajaran pensyarah. Antara kebajkan dan kelebihan produk ini ialah ianya merupakan alat pengukur yang mudah disimpan dan dibawa serta alat pengukur yang mampu dimiliki oleh pelajar. Dapat dilihat kegunaan Student's Friendly Measurement Tools ini amat perlu bagi melahirkan pelajar yang lebih cemerlang di dalam pembelajaran. Student's Friendly Measurement Tools ini bukan sahaja dapat membantu pelajar dalam memahami pembelajaran malah memudahkan pensyarah menerangkan kepada pelajar semasa sesi pengajaran dan pembelajaran di dalam kuliah.

Mohd Suri bin Saringat; Nor Hisham bin Sulaiman; Muhammad Hazim Syahim bin Ghazali; Nurul Emalia Azua binti Mas'at

Politeknik Merlimau, Melaka

Medium sized fruit tree planting is very popular in Malaysia either for commercialization or for personal gain. Fruit wrapping is process where farmers wrap fruits on the tree to get good quality of fruits and to avoid fruits become rotten due to fruit flies and pests. The purposes of this invention are to ease farmers or users to wrap fruits once it's fruited without climbing the trees and to reduce time taken for wrapping. Traditionally, farmers will climb up tree to wrap fruits 20-24 days after fruited. The risks are tree branches easily broke as they will fall from tree and they have to spend times to climb the trees. This product really helpful as farmers can wrap easily without risking their life and can save time because they don't have to climb up trees for wrapping but they can do it from the ground. Hence with this invention, hopefully it can be commercialized and manufactured as the material used to assemble this product can be found easily with low cost. It also will increase farmer's productivities with low risks and minimal times taken to wrap fruits.