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Congratulations Dr Joyce Nga!

Thanks so much for joining the Money Matters forum and book launch of Personal Finance Planning by Dr Joyce Nga, Senior Lecturer at Sunway Business School. We hope that the discussion between our esteemed panelist's and moderator will empower and educate you on personal finance resilience!

RESEARCH

Journal Paper:

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Kumarasamy, N., Arumugam, V., Sinnappan, P., & Ismail, M. R. (2023). Factors Affecting the Students' Actual Use Behaviour of Virtual Learning Environments (VLEs) during the Movement Control Order (MCO). *International Journal of Modern Education and Computer Science*. Scopus = Q2.

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ENGAGEMENT

MoU between Sunway University & Indian Institute of Management (IIM) Shillong

[Sunway University](#) and the Indian Institute of Management (IIM) Shillong, India [@iimshillong](#) executed a memorandum of understanding to collaborate in areas of research, student exchanges and other areas of common interests.



Visit from University of Phayao, Thailand

We hosted the team from [University of Phayao](#), Thailand. The discussion centred on exploring mobility options for students and the potential to explore research collaboration. The University of Phayao is located in Phayao Province northern Thailand. The campus is situated in lush greenery and maintains a close relationship with the community in its vicinity.



The University of Waikato, New Zealand

Today we had the opportunity to meet with Professor Patrick Leman, the PVC of Te Wānanga o Ngā Kete Division of Arts, Law, Psychology and Social Sciences, The University of Waikato, New Zealand.



Visit from Shanghai Jiao Tong University (SJTU)

Sunway Business School hosted a group of students and staff from the renowned Shanghai Jiao Tong University (SJTU). The students, are currently pursuing the Executive Master of Business Administration (EMBA) Programme delivered at the Antai College of Economics & Management, SJTU.



2nd International Seminar (online) in collaboration with the Global Association for MSMEs in Developing Countries

The Sunway Sustainable Business Research Cluster organised the 2nd International Seminar (online) in collaboration with the Global Association for MSMEs in Developing Countries. The platform provided opportunities for PhD scholars and researchers from Global South to present their research with eminent discussants giving their feedback.

INDUSTRY



Nurturing Future-Ready Management Skills for NextGen Talent

We had the privilege of hosting an insightful management talk titled "Nurturing Future-Ready Management Skills for NextGen Talent". This enlightening session featured two esteemed speakers from Hirose Electric (M) Sdn Bhd, Mr. Ganeswaran Sathiyaseelan (Managing Director) and from CMI, Mr. Kishenjeet Dhilon (CMI Regional Board Member), who imparted invaluable insights into the world of management together with our moderator for the event, Dr Guna Seelan Rethinam (Lecturer, Department of Management, Sunway Business School).



Forum: Accounting in an AI and Sustainable World by the Big 4

We had an incredible accounting forum titled "Accounting in an AI and Sustainable World," featuring the powerhouse of the industry - the Big Four: Deloitte, EY, KPMG, and PwC. What made this forum extra special? All the speakers were none other than our very own Sunway University Alumni! (Kei Ooi Soo Chee, Ei Leen Thong, Ts. Au Soon Yong & Desmond Tang, ACA)



Sunway University has been selected as the Knowledge Partner for the prestigious Asia Pacific Family Business Summit (APFBS) 2023

We recently held a strategic meeting with [BinaPavo](#) @binapavo_official to explore exciting collaborations and engagements in the realm of family business matters. The meeting was highly productive, and we are thrilled about the potential long-term partnership we are shaping. Our goal is to foster an integrated and holistic approach that generates meaningful results and impact for both parties, the wider family business community in the region, and the aspiring NextGen talents, including our current undergraduate and postgraduate students.



Kickstart Your Career with EY

The stage was set ablaze by five exceptional speakers, each showcasing their unique expertise and offering invaluable insights into the world of professional excellence:

1. Mr. Julian Hoong (Manager, People Advisory Services).
2. Mr. Tian Kit Chong (Senior Associate, People Advisory Services).
3. Mr. Logantheran Gunachelvam (Manager, Technology Consulting Team).
4. Mr. Lee Derk Huan (Senior Associate, Business Consulting).
5. Mr. Tay J-Han (Associate, Business Consulting).



Green Logistics Forum

Logistic Forum - The Transformative Power of ESG in Green Logistics, held at Sunway Graduate Centre, was a resounding success! We express our heartfelt appreciation to our esteemed speakers:

1. Mr. Ooi Guan Lye (Federation of Malaysian Freight Forwarders and Selangor Freight Forwarders and Logistics Association)
2. Ms. Christine Liew (PLUS Malaysia)
3. Mr. Nick Leong (ChargeSini)



Bridging Communication Gaps and Amplifying Market Presence via IR (Investor Relations)

We are thrilled to announce the triumphant conclusion of the career talk by Esente Advisory with the captivating theme of "Bridging Communication Gaps and Amplifying Market Presence via IR (Investor Relations)". This remarkable session showcased the brilliance of Mr. Yip Kit Weng, Director of Esente Advisory, and Mr. Darren Wong, CEO of Esente Advisory.

STUDENT ACTIVITIES



MARA Gear Up Programme

We are delighted to share the success of the Majlis Amanah Rakyat (MARA) Gear Up Programme, where around 92 talented students, mainly from MRSM in Terengganu, embarked on a transformative 3-day campus experience to prepare for their future endeavors.



Mastering the Art of Share Investment (Series 1)

We had an exceptional investment talk titled "Mastering the Art of Share Investment (Series 1)." This insightful session featured two dynamic speakers from TED Optimus, Mr. Warren Mak (Chief Empowerment Officer) & Mr. Charlie Yuan Ting Jing (Head of Operations) who shared their expertise on stock trading skills and the secrets of becoming a professional bank trader.



Sustainability Talk: Ms. Jacqueline Wong, Senior Manager - Sustainability from Sunway Group

We extend our heartfelt appreciation to Dr Stephen Thomas Homer for organising the talk and Ms. Jacqueline Wong for sharing her valuable insights and sparking a sense of responsibility within the participants. This event truly showcased the commitment of Sunway Group towards a sustainable future.

ALUMNI



Silas Roberts, a graduate of the BSc (Hons) Financial Economics program

Silas Roberts, a graduate of the BSc (Hons) Financial Economics program, stands out for his impressive academic performance, leadership abilities, and deep passion for the business world.



Tang Hong Kit - From Everywhere to Everywhere: Empowering the Supply Chain

Sunway University is renowned for providing students with a comprehensive education that prepares them for the job market. The Global Supply Chain Management (GSCM) programme has equipped me with essential skills such as critical thinking, problem-solving, and analytical skills, which are highly sought after by employers.



SBS Student Concilium Alumni Reunion

We had an amazing time at the [SBS Student Concilium](#) Alumni Reunion. It was truly heartwarming to witness our incredible alumni returning to our university, sharing their valuable experiences, and reuniting with fellow alumni.



Taroshan: Escaping the Matrix via Accounting and Finance

The accounting and finance degree has provided me with an in-depth understanding of how accounting and finance fit into the broader context of business and management.



The Passing of Prof. Michael M Dent

It is with deep sadness and a profound sense of loss that we share the news of the passing of our beloved colleague, Professor [Michael M Dent](#) [@michael.m.dent](#), who was more affectionately known as MMD.



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