

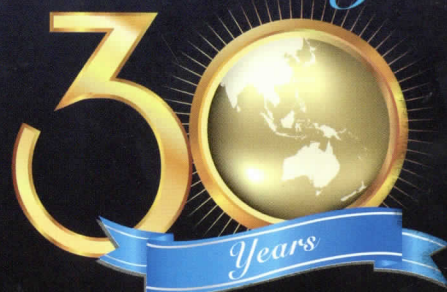
**SUNWAY**  
UNIVERSITY



# *Graduation & Ceremony 2017*

**SUNWAY** EDUCATION GROUP

*Celebrating*



*Years  
in education*





GRADUATION  
CEREMONY 2017



# SUNWAY UNIVERSITY



Ceremony for the conferring of degrees, and the granting of diplomas, to  
candidates from the Faculty of Arts, Faculty of Science and Technology and  
Sunway University Business School

**in the presence of the Chancellor**

**Y.Bhg. Tan Sri Dato' Seri Dr Jeffrey Cheah, AO**

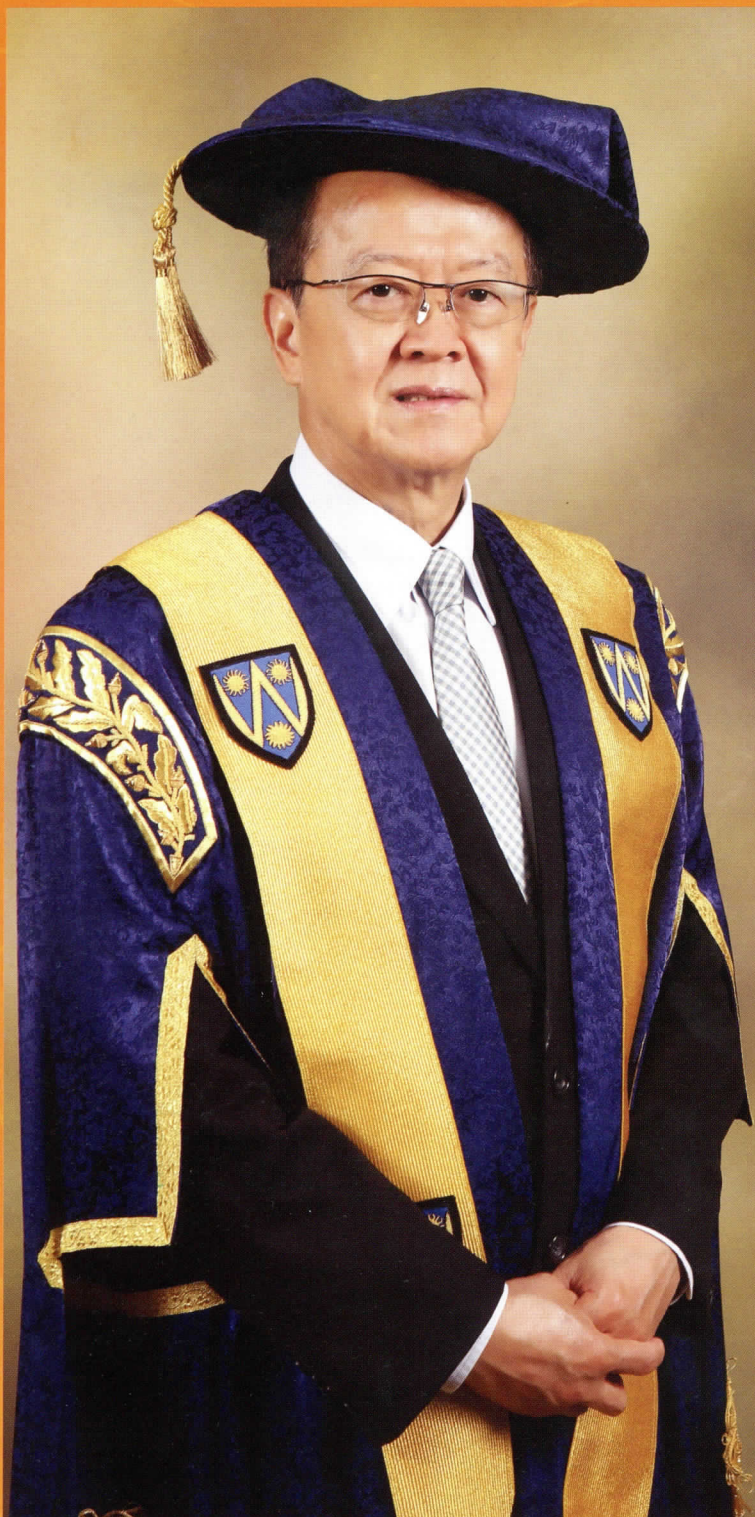
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LLD Leic hc, EdD OBU hc, DBA Greenwich hc, LLD Lanc hc, FCPA*

Friday, 20 January 2017 at 3.00pm

**Grand Lagoon Ballroom,  
Sunway Resort Hotel & Spa**





## Message from the Chancellor

**Y.Bhg. Tan Sri Dato' Seri Dr Jeffrey Cheah, AO**

Founder and Chancellor  
Sunway University

Founder and Chairman  
Sunway Education Group

Founding Trustee  
Jeffrey Cheah Foundation



**Congratulations to all our graduates as you celebrate an important milestone in your lives. After today, you embark on a new journey and we hope to see some of you continuing this next part of your journey with us.**

This year, the Sunway Education Group (SEG) celebrates its 30th anniversary. We started out with one institution – Sunway College, which was established in 1986 and opened its doors to the first cohort of students in 1987. Within a short span of time, Sunway established a reputation as a pre-eminent private higher education institution. A pioneer of twinning and credit transfer programmes, Sunway offered Malaysian and international students the opportunity of obtaining well-recognised foreign university qualifications from the United Kingdom, Australia and the United States of America here in Malaysia. We continue to do so today.

From that one institution, we have now grown into the Sunway Education Group that currently comprises 16 institutions. We have come a long way, but we would not have come this far if not for the students and parents who have placed their trust in us over the years. We thank you all for your belief in us, for learning and growing with us, for sharing a chapter of your lives with us.

In keeping with our commitment to excellence, we are continuing to grow, constantly improving our curriculum and charting a new course with contemporary programmes. Through our various collaborations with world-renowned universities such as Harvard University, University of Oxford and University of Cambridge, we are well on our way towards taking Sunway University to new heights.

Holding firmly to our motto 'Fortuna Eruditis Favet', which translates to 'fortune favours the prepared mind', Sunway University aims to nurture young adults to be not just academically exceptional but to be socially inclusive and compassionate people eager to contribute towards building a better society and country. Our students are encouraged to volunteer and take part in community service projects, contribute towards helping the less fortunate and promote the concept of sustainable development. Through scholarships offered through the Jeffrey Cheah Foundation (JCF), we also hope to provide deserving students a path to a better and brighter future for themselves, their families and their communities.

The recent establishment of the Jeffrey Sachs Center on Sustainable Development (JSC) on campus underlines Sunway's commitment towards building a better tomorrow. The Center will be a hub for research and policy practice. Through the Center, we seek to provide world-class programmes to train a new generation of young people, practitioners and policy leaders; and develop linkages with universities, industries, government bodies, NGOs and social enterprises around the world on sustainable development.

SEG also serves the community through various academic learning, hands-on and experiential learning. With internal and external events such as the Asia Leadership Treks by the Center for Asia Leadership, the Precision Medicine Symposium last year in collaboration with University of Oxford, University of Cambridge and Harvard University, and the launch of the JSC, our students, staff and members of the public are provided opportunities to learn from internationally renowned experts on a wide range of topics ranging from medicine, the arts and sciences, leadership, world issues related to the environment and sustainability. I hope all our graduates and alumni will continue to learn and grow with us through these initiatives.

Sharing in our graduates' special day, we are pleased to award Professor Wang Gungwu the honorary degree of Doctor of Letters (D. Litt), in recognition of his stature as one of the pre-eminent historians of East and Southeast Asia, and of his contribution to the development of higher education in Malaysia. We hope he will continue to be a source of inspiration and leadership to all of us.

**Here we aim to nurture students to be leaders of tomorrow. I hope all of you will continue to practice what you have learned here, go out into the world and make a difference that will positively impact those around you, the community and our country.**

I wish you the best.





## Message from the **Vice-Chancellor**

### **Professor Graeme Wilkinson**

Vice-Chancellor  
and  
Chair of the Academic Senate  
Sunway University



## **I would like to offer my warmest congratulations to the graduating class of 2017!**

Graduating from university is a huge achievement and is the culmination of hard work and study over many years, not just at university but in the years at school or college before that. You can all breathe a huge sigh of relief that the exams and assessments are over and now you can look forward to the benefits that your new qualification from our university brings.

The world of work is an increasingly challenging one, with rapid changes in the patterns of employment and the nature of jobs themselves. Today you need to have deep levels of knowledge, be adaptable, to keep an open mind, and be willing to constantly update yourself. I am sure you will have acquired all these attributes in your studies at Sunway.

**You will now be an accomplished thinker and a well-rounded individual, able to make your mark on the World. Remember that whatever your chosen career path from here onwards, be faithful to the core values that have been adopted by the Sunway Group: be humble, always strive to be excellent, and always act with complete integrity. If you follow these values, you will be successful and will have good friends and colleagues throughout your career and in your personal life.**

As you now come to graduate, I am sure you will have many people to thank for supporting you along the way, such as your parents, guardians, and friends; and especially your lecturers and professors. Please take the opportunity to thank them today and express your personal appreciation for their help and contribution towards your success.

Your university continues to develop strongly and is growing very fast indeed, both in scale and in international recognition. Please do keep in touch with us, and watch how we grow year by year. As our status and reputation in the World increases, so does the inherent value of your education. Please spread the good word about the quality of Sunway University and help us raise our profile far and wide. You can only gain through doing that.

My very best wishes to each and every one of you for the future!



# The Graduation Ceremony



The formal conferring of university degrees goes back to medieval times in Europe, when scrolls, signifying their achievements, were granted to the graduates with great pomp and ceremony, reinforcing their rank, privileges and responsibilities in a highly stratified society. Graduation ceremonies were very rowdy affairs, however, exemplified by the lowering of a large wooden spoon, from the balcony in the Senate House in Cambridge, to the graduate who came bottom of the class in the Mathematics Tripos.

Nowadays such behaviour is frowned upon and the ceremonies have the dignity which befits the occasion. Special ceremonial robes are worn signifying, in the case of degrees, status as a bachelor, master or doctor, and the hoods, derived from medieval dress, signify the discipline or disciplinary group of the degree. A sash rather than a hood, worn over a black gown, signifies a diploma.

## Academic Dress



The academic dress adopted by universities of the Commonwealth follows the style of Oxford or Cambridge. Sunway University has adopted the Oxford style which, for bachelors, has a black gown and hood, the hood being lined with satin. The design of the hood helps to distinguish between bachelor and masters but it is the colour of the lining of the hood that signifies the discipline group.

The following colours are used to represent degrees in the respective faculties in Sunway:

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|-------------------------------------|---------------|
| • Faculty of Arts                   | Navy Blue     |
| • Faculty of Science and Technology | Spring Green  |
| • Sunway University Business School | Royal Fuchsia |

The same colours are used in signifying diplomas but, instead of a hood, a sash is worn.

The PhD gown with bell-shaped sleeves is in bright orange with blue and grey trimmings, representing the colours of the University. The front trimming of the gown is embellished with the University's Coat of Arms and it is worn with a soft-crowned round-brimmed bonnet.



# Honorary Doctorate Recipient

## Emeritus Professor Wang Gungwu, CBE

The award of the Doctor of Letters *Honoris Causa* (D.Litt Sunway hc):  
For contributions to the development of higher education in Malaysia



Professor Wang Gungwu is a prominent scholar and historian on Asia. He is University Professor, Faculty of Arts and Social Sciences, National University of Singapore (NUS), Emeritus Professor of the Australian National University, Canberra, and is a member of the Board of Trustees of the Jeffrey Cheah Foundation.

He was born in Indonesia and grew up in Ipoh in the then British Malaya. He lived under the Dutch and British colonial administration, the Japanese occupation, and the newly independent countries of Malaysia and Singapore. Professor Wang received his BA (Hons) and MA degrees from the University of Malaya in Singapore, and his PhD from the University of London (1957). His teaching career took him from the University of Malaya (Singapore and Kuala Lumpur, 1957-1968, Professor of History 1963-68) to The Australian National University (1968-1986), where he was Professor and Head of the Department of Far Eastern History and Director of the Research School of Pacific and Asian Studies. From 1986 to 1995, he was Vice-Chancellor of the University of Hong Kong. He was Director of the East Asian Institute of NUS from 1997 to 2007.

Professor Wang is a Commander of the British Empire (CBE); Fellow, and former President, of the Australian Academy of the Humanities; Foreign Honorary Member of the American Academy of Arts and Science; Member of Academia Sinica, Taipei; Honorary Research Fellow of the Chinese Academy of Social Sciences, Beijing. In 1994, Professor Wang was awarded the Fukuoka Asian Culture Prize by the city of Fukuoka in Japan. In Singapore, he is Chairman of the East Asian Institute and the Lee Kuan Yew School of Public Policy at NUS; Chairman, Board of Trustees, Institute of Southeast Asian Studies; Member, Board of Governors, The S. Rajaratnam School of International Studies and the Chinese Heritage Centre, Nanyang Technological University.

He is also a member of the Editorial Board or Advisory Editor of various international journals, which include the *Journal of Southeast Asian Studies*, *The China Journal*, *Modern Asian Studies*, *The Japanese Journal of Political Science*, *China Studies*, *Pacific Affairs*, *The Journal of Chinese Overseas*, *Contemporary Southeast Asia*, and *Journal of the Malaysian Branch of the Royal Asiatic Society*.

Professor Wang has studied and written on the history and civilisation of China and Southeast Asia and on the history of the Chinese diaspora in Southeast Asia. His books include *The Nanhai Trade: The Early History of Chinese Trade in the South China Sea*, new edition (1998); *The Chinese Overseas: From Earthbound China to the Quest for Autonomy* (2000); *Anglo-Chinese Encounters Since 1800: War, Trade, Science and Governance* (2003); *Divided China: Preparing for reunification, 883-947* (2007); *Renewal: The Chinese State and the New Global History* (2013); and *Another China Cycle: Committing to Reform* (2014).

In recognition of his distinction as one of the pre-eminent historians of Southeast Asia, for his outstanding service as a distinguished scholar and university administrator, and for his contribution to the development of higher education in Malaysia as an advisor and trustee of the Jeffrey Cheah Foundation (JCF), Sunway University is proud to award Professor Wang Gangwu this Honorary Doctorate.



Special performance  
by the Sunway University Ensemble

The Academic Procession proceeds to the stage,  
the Assembly standing

Music: Pomp and Circumstance March No IV  
Gaudeamus Igatur

National Anthem of Malaysia

**Professor Graeme Wilkinson**

BSc Physics *Imp*, ARCS, DPhil *Oxf*, FRSA, FBCS, CITP,  
MInstP, CPhys, SMIEEE

Vice-Chancellor and Chair of the Academic Senate  
extends a welcome to the Assembly

**Professor Graeme Wilkinson**

Vice-Chancellor and Chair of the Academic Senate  
certifies that the candidates are entitled  
to be admitted to their awards

**Y.Bhg. Tan Sri Dato' Dr Ramon Navaratnam**

PSM, DPMS, JMN, KMN  
BA Hons Econs *UM Sing*, Dip. *RIPA Lon*,  
MPA Econs *Harv*, HonDUniv *OBU hc*

Pro-Chancellor  
grants diplomas to those who are entitled  
to receive them

**Y.Bhg. Tan Sri Datuk Seri Razman M. Hashim**

PSM, SPMS, DSIS, PSD, DPTJ, DSPN, JP

Pro-Chancellor  
grants diplomas to those who are entitled  
to receive them

**Y.Bhg. Tan Sri Dato' Seri Dr Jeffrey Cheah, AO**

PSM, DPMS, SPMP, JP, AO  
DUniv *Vic Melb hc*, DUniv *Flin hc*, EdD *WMU hc*,  
DEd *UWA hc*, LLD *Monash hc*, LLD *Leic hc*,  
EdD *OBU hc*, DBA *Greenwich hc*, LLD *Lanc hc*, FCPA

Chancellor

and

**Professor Andrew Atherton**

Deputy Vice-Chancellor, Lancaster University  
on behalf of the Chancellor of Lancaster University  
confer degrees upon those who are entitled  
to receive them

**Y.Bhg. Professor Tan Sri Dato' Dr Lin See-Yan**

PSM, DPMP, DSAP, JMN, JSM, AMN, MM  
BA *UM Sing*, BA Hons *UM Sing*, MPA Finance *Harv*,  
AM Bus Econs *Harv*, PhD Econs *Harv*,  
UK Chartered Scientist and London Chartered Statistician  
HonPhD Econs *USM*, HonD Econs *UUM*,  
FRSS, FAICB, FMII Hon, FMIM, FMEA

Pro-Chancellor  
confers degrees upon those who are entitled  
to receive them

**Professor Graeme Wilkinson**

Vice-Chancellor and Chair of the Academic Senate  
introduces the candidate for Doctor of Letters of  
Sunway University

**Y.Bhg. Tan Sri Dato' Seri Dr Jeffrey Cheah, AO**

Chancellor  
confers the honorary degree of Doctor of Letters  
to Emeritus Professor Wang Gungwu

**Emeritus Professor Wang Gungwu, CBE**

delivers acceptance speech

**Y.Bhg. Tan Sri Dato' Seri Dr Jeffrey Cheah, AO**

Chancellor  
presents the Jeffrey Cheah Scholastic Awards  
to those who are entitled to receive them

**Professor Andrew Atherton**

Deputy Vice-Chancellor, Lancaster University  
on behalf of the Chancellor of Lancaster University  
delivers the Occasional Address

**Thilageswaran A/L Vijayan**

BSc (Hons) in Computer Science *Sunway-Lanc*  
Valedictorian  
delivers speech

The Academic Procession retires  
with the Assembly standing

Music: Gaudeamus Igatur  
Pomp and Circumstance March No IV



**Professor Leong Choon Heng**  
Deputy Director, Jeffrey Sachs Center on Sustainable Development

**Professor Zaharin Yusoff**  
Professor, Department of Computing and Information Systems

**Professor Lee Chien Sing**  
Professor, Department of Computing and Information Systems

**Professor Lim Tong Ming**  
Head, Centre for Innovation and Industrial Linkage

**Dr-Ing. Sim Tze Ying**  
Head, Centre for American Education

**Dr Chan Nee Nee**  
Head, Department of Communication and Liberal Arts

**Associate Professor Dr Yuka Fujimoto**  
Head, Department of Management

**Professor Hwang Ha Jin**  
Head, Department of Business Analytics

**Professor Peh Suat Ching**  
Special Adviser on Life Sciences Translational Research Development  
and Research Professor cum Professor of Pathology  
Sunway Institute for Healthcare Development

**Professor Saidur Rahman**  
Distinguished Research Professor

**Professor Naveed Ahmed Khan**  
Distinguished Professor and Head, Department of Biological Sciences

**Professor Mark Shackleton**  
Associate Dean, Postgraduate Studies  
Lancaster University Management School

**Associate Professor Dr-Ing. Lau Sian Lun**  
Associate Dean and Head, Department of Computing and Information Systems

**Professor Nigel Marsh**  
Associate Dean (Research), Department of Psychology

**Professor Steve Williams**  
Dean, Sunway University Business School

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Deputy Vice-Chancellor

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Member, Board of Directors

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**Dato' Chew Chee Kin**  
Member, Board of Directors

**Tan Sri Datuk Seri Razman M. Hashim**  
Pro-Chancellor

**Emeritus Professor Wang Gungwu, CBE**  
Honorary Doctorate

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Deputy Vice-Chancellor, Lancaster University

**Professor Graeme George Wilkinson**  
Vice-Chancellor, Sunway University

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Group Registrar and Macebearer

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Senior Fellow, Jeffrey Sachs Center on Sustainable Development

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Professor, Department of Economics and Finance

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Professor, Centre for Commercial Law and Justice

**Professor Stephen Hall**  
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**Lu Poh Lian**  
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**Augustine Wong Chung Howe**  
Head, Department of Art and Design

**Anisha Chai**  
Head, Centre for Tourism, Hospitality and Culinary Management

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Head, Department of Accounting

**Professor Mohamed Ariff Syed Mohamed**  
Head, Department of Economics and Finance

**Professor Hew Gill**  
Head, Department of Psychology

**Professor Poh Chit Laa**  
Distinguished Professor  
Head, Research Centre for Biomedical Sciences

**Professor Wong Koi Nyen**  
Associate Dean, Sunway University Business School

**Professor Donald William Bowyer**  
Associate Dean, Faculty of Arts

**Professor Harold Thwaites**  
Dean, Faculty of Arts

**Professor Paul Hoskin**  
Dean, Faculty of Science and Technology

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Member, Board of Directors

**Professor Tan Sri Dato' Dr Lin See-Yan**  
Pro-Chancellor

**Tan Sri Dato' Dr Ramon Navaratnam**  
Pro-Chancellor



## GRADUATING STUDENTS

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**BA Montis Regii, MA Concordia**

**Head, Centre for Research-Creation in Digital Media**

**Dean, Faculty of Arts**

### DIPLOMA IN FINE ART

CHEN XIAO JING

JOANNA LEE SIEW LEE

### DIPLOMA IN GRAPHIC AND MULTIMEDIA DESIGN

AARON FELIX MARSH

AFIQAH HANNA BINTI ANUAR

AIMAN AMALINA BINTI ROZAINY

CALEB ZHENG EN FRENCH

CHAN CHEE HONG

CHIA KIAN ZHI

ELEANOR LIM HOOI LING

ERIC LOOI HEAN SYNN

EVELYN SHALINI A/P JAMINSEN ALFREDA PREM KUMAR

GESTY ADELIA SMITH

GOH PEI TZI

IZYANI BINTI AZMI

JASVIN ILEEN MAHINDER

KIMBERLEY RACHEL LEE

LEONG YU RONG

LON YEE KIEW

LU INN LYNN

NAVINA A/P T BALAKRISHNAN

ONG ZHE XUAN

SHANNON CHAN ZIALI

SHERYL CHING YEANRU

SIM WEN LING

STEFANIE PONG CHIE CHEING

TANG MIAO KING

THAVINA A/P G JEGATHIESAN

TIN SIN HUI

WONG KAR KHEY

WONG KAR YEE

YEOW WENN EE

### DIPLOMA IN INTERIOR DESIGN

CHAI XIN TING

CHIDOZIE STEPHEN IBEAWUCHI

CHONG CARMEN

KARINA TAN XEN LING

NUR AQILAH ELISA BINTI ZAINUDDIN

OOI PEY YI

SAMANTHA LIM MEI ERN

SANDRA LO HUI SUAN

SANIYA TARIQ

SHUY WAN JING

TAN JYY SHYUAN

VIEON SIM

YARISHINI DEVI A/P VEERAYAH

Presented by

**Professor Paul Hoskin**

**BSc Auckland, PhD ANU, D.habil. Freiburg,**

**MBA Auckland**

**Dean, Faculty of Science and Technology**

### DIPLOMA IN INFORMATION TECHNOLOGY

BRIAN ANTHONY BOUDEVILLE

CHAN JING HONG

CHEW PAI LEK

EE PEH YENC

ERENCE ONG FEI

GABRIEL TAN CHOONG MING

JASON PETER A/L JAN PITER

LAW HONG SHENG

NICHOLAS TANG WEE LEONG

OOI WEI LIANG

PUVENDRA A/L GUNASEKARAN

REBECCA KOH YU BEI

SYED HARIZ BIN SYED AZMI

TAI MAN KIT

TEE MIN WEA

WONG JING PYNN



WONG JING WEN  
YEO TEONG HUAT  
YEOH HUI YIN

Presented by

**Anisha Chai Mee Fong**

**BEd NTNU, MSc North Texas**

**Head, Centre for Tourism, Hospitality  
and Culinary Management**

**Sunway University Business School**

## **DIPLOMA IN BUSINESS ADMINISTRATION**

ARNUSHA A/P HARIRAM  
BRANDON CHAN WEI KHEONG  
CHAN YONG XIN  
CHEUNG CHUN HO  
CHEW JIA YING  
CHEW LI WEI  
CHIN PAU YEE  
CHING WEE ZHE  
CHONG SIAW CHEN  
CHU YENN JIEE  
CHUNG SOOJEONG  
EDMOND LEE CHOON YEAP  
ELENA LIM BENG SEE  
EUGENE CHUAH YEW PONG  
GAN CHEE KHEONG  
GAN WILSON  
GOH HAO YEE  
GOH MIN MING  
GRACE TAN JIA ERN  
HOW KAR CHERN  
IAN PERERA  
KAM WENG SENG  
KOI KIAN BOON (POSTHUMOUS AWARD)  
KOO WEI WEN  
LEE WEI MIN  
LEE WENG YEE  
LEE YI LING  
MUHAMAD FAIRUZ ANNUAR BIN TARMIDI  
NCUBE EVERJOY  
NGOH WUAN LI

NICHOLAS TAN THECK KHUAN  
ONG YI LING  
PHUAH CHER WEI  
SEE YIN KUAN  
SEOW FOOK YEN  
SOO WAI-XIN  
SOW SI HUO  
SUTHATHIP MEECHAI  
TAN EELENE  
TE WENG KIT  
THANG ZHEN YI  
TOMMY KANG TZE SIM  
WILSEN  
WONG PHUI LING  
WONG YEOW KEE  
YAING CARR JUN  
YAP ZI TIAN  
YUEN LI YE  
ZARNI TUN



**DIPLOMA  
PROGRAMMES  
ACCREDITED BY  
LE CORDON BLEU**

## **DIPLOMA IN CULINARY ARTS**

AGNES STEFANIE WIRANATA WONG  
ANDRIYONO  
CALVIN TANG KOON KIIT  
CHAN EU-YEAN  
CHEAH TSE YOONG  
DOREEN @ JOVINIA BINTI DELIMAN  
EDWARD CHAN WAI CHEE  
FARADILLAH  
KANATHEVAN A/L SELVATHEVAN  
KONG SHUIT YAN  
LALITHA A/P DORAISINGAM  
LEE CHUN MING  
LEE YI XIN



LOKE POH YEE  
MOHAMMAD ANIS BIN TAHA  
MUHOMBE MABEL IRAVOGAH  
REGINA LIANATA  
SAMANTHA CHEW WEI WEI  
SELINA KHADIJAH BINTI KAMRANI  
SIEW CHIN YEE  
TAN JING XUAN  
TAN SUK LENG  
VANESSA KEE CHIA SHIN  
WAN ASHMAN BIN WAN ABDULLAH  
WONG MEI SHAN  
ZOU XINYAN

### DIPLOMA IN EVENTS MANAGEMENT

CHEW ANN YING  
LEE CHIEH YING  
MAHIN TARIQ  
MATHEW LEE SIEW SENG  
NASHVINI RACHEL  
NICHOLAS EE CHENG HAU  
TAN FANYI  
TAN KYE XING  
TAN MEI VOON

### DIPLOMA IN HOTEL MANAGEMENT

ANG LEE YING  
ASHWINI A/P SURIKUMAR  
AW PEIK YI  
BRANDON XINSERN YU  
CHENG WAN LING  
CHEONG JIE ZIEN  
CHIA HENN  
CHIHARU ARAI  
IVAN KHOO SWEE MENG  
JEANNIECA KUAY JIN WEN  
KEVIN DHARMASAPUTRA  
KHUAN SHERN-NESE  
KIM TAEKYUNG  
KOAY THIAN JUAN  
LEE CHAIWON

PATCHRIN LEE  
PRISCILLA HUA PEI YEN  
SIAU JIA XUAN  
TAI WIN NIE  
TAN SHEE YING  
TAN WEN QING  
TENG YI WEN  
TEO YUNG KANG  
YONG SINYIK

### DEGREE PROGRAMMES VALIDATED BY LANCASTER UNIVERSITY



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Dean, Faculty of Arts**

### BACHELOR OF ARTS (HONS) IN COMMUNICATION

#### **First Class**

DERICK LAI YOK HEAN  
IAN QUEK SHERN WERN  
IVY TAN AI WEI  
JEANETTE LEE CHIEW YEN  
MICHELE LIM LEE FOONG  
OOI WENG TEIK  
PHAM LE.HAI NHU  
THEODORA LEONG SUET WERN  
WANATHA ANATASYA TANJAYA

#### **Second Class (Division One)**

BOLATKYZY ASSEL  
BUI VAN HIEU  
CHAN JOE YI  
CHEA KIAT HEONG



DA EUN KIM  
HNIN ZAW THU  
INDIRA A/P SUNDRASAYKARUM  
LAU WOOL CHUEY  
LEE KIN SOON  
LIM EE LYNN  
LIM YAN TING  
LIOW MIN LI  
MICHELLE SUHANDA  
MOHAMMAD FIKRI BIN MOHD FIRDAUS YOSHIHITO  
NG CHOH KWAN  
NURUL ZUBAIDAH BINTI SAZALI  
SEAH SINN HUA  
SOON CAR MEN  
TUEN ANN GIE  
WONG VIN YEE

**Second Class (Division Two)**

AFSHA AKHTER  
AHMAD HAFRIZ BIN JOHAN  
TAN SHIH SHIEN

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BSc Auckland, PhD ANU, D.habil. Freiburg,

MBA Auckland

Dean, Faculty of Science and Technology

**BACHELOR OF SCIENCE (HONS)  
IN COMPUTER SCIENCE**

**First Class**

DING LI SIM  
KANG JUN HONG  
LIM JING YING  
MUN QUANG YAU  
THILAGESWARAN A/L VIJAYAN

**Second Class (Division One)**

ANDREW CHAN JIAN YUE  
CHUNG CHEE THENG  
CLEMENT CHEN SIONG YEE  
DANIAL JOHAN MOHD RIDZUAN TAN  
GRACE YAM WEN TZI  
JAB HONG FEI

JACK CHIPILI MWAPE  
LIM WEI XIANG  
PRAVIN A/L JANARDHANAN  
YEE KAI YONG

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HIRAD EMAMIALAGHA  
JESSINIJORDI LUTCHUMEE PERUMAL  
SAM KEU WERN  
TEO YI LIN  
YOGENTHRAN A/L SUKUMARAN

**Third Class**

IHSAN HAKIM SUTIONO

**BACHELOR OF SCIENCE (HONS)  
INFORMATION SYSTEMS**

**Second Class (Division One)**

KHOO FOO SHENG

**Second Class (Division Two)**

AW YONG KER YUI  
MUHAMMAD SHAFWAN BIN SAIFUL ANUAR  
SEOW MEI YENG  
WILSON CHU WEI SHEN

**Third Class**

HENDRY STANLEY  
TEOH EU ERN

**BACHELOR OF SCIENCE (HONS)  
INFORMATION TECHNOLOGY**

**Second Class (Division One)**

JAYA SURYA  
• LEONG JIT VERN  
SAAQIB MUSHTAQ

**Second Class (Division Two)**

ELAINE CHAN CHEE KWAN

**BACHELOR OF SCIENCE (HONS)  
PSYCHOLOGY**

**First Class**

CHAN ZHENG HOONG RYAN  
NG SEE YONG



**Second Class (Division One)**

HO CHANG HONG  
KELVIN LEE ZHI YANG  
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LAM SHU YING  
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LUXIMON DARSHINI  
MAISARA BINTI MOHD AKHMAL  
NURUL AMALINA BINTI MOHAMED NASIR  
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WOO KAI XIONG  
YAP LI XIAN

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TAI JIA WEI

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HOR KAH MUN

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CHEONG WAI KEE  
CHEONG WAI SEE  
CHEW JING YU  
CHEW YONG LER  
CHONG KAI CHANG  
CHONG LEE YENG  
CHONG MUN KWAN  
CHUAH CHIE YI  
CRYSTAL EU ZHEN JIA  
EVE WAN TZE WEI  
HONG YOON LENG  
HOO XINYI  
JEREMY HO CHEE HOU  
LAI CHIA YING  
LEE CON NIE  
LEE WEI SHAN  
LEE XIE WEN  
LEONG HAI SHAN  
LEONG SIEW KEI  
LIM CHENG PHANG  
LIM FEI YING  
LIM HUAN DING  
LIM JIE YING  
LIM JUN HSIN  
LIM KAH YEE  
LIM MEI YI  
LOW JIAN LYNN  
MELVINLINE LEE XIN JINE  
QUAH JO YAN  
RACHEL GUNN PUI SAN

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SITOH YUAN XIN  
TAN JING  
TAN WEY KIAT  
TAN YEE HUI  
TEO XIN WEI  
WENDY LAU JUN ZHEN  
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YEE HUI TING  
YONG CHOI MING  
YONG MUN YEE

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BWALE CHISAKA  
CHAN CHUN KIT  
CHAN LI SIAN  
CHAN ZHENG NAM BRYAN  
CHANG LI LING  
CHEONG WAI LEONG  
CHEW CHIN NI  
CHIA YIK HOOI  
CHIENG YI FAN  
CHONG WEN YEE  
GOON WEI LING  
HARUKA TAKADA  
JASON CHAI CHOON HOONG  
KENNETH CHEN SOON HONG  
KHOR ZHI XIN  
KOH HONG ZHI  
KOH SZE YING  
LAI JIA MAINE  
LEE AI VIN  
LEE FATT JENG  
LEE LI TING  
LEE SIAOU CHIN  
LEE WEI CHANG  
LEE YEN YEE  
LEE YI SHEN  
LEE YING TZE  
LEONG KAR MUN  
LEW KEAN VOON  
LIM WEI TING



LING SHENQ SHIUN  
 LOOI JUIN YI  
 NG HONG KAI  
 NG HUI YEE  
 NG SOON YONG  
 NGOH CHEIN YI  
 NIGEL LEE JIA YEEK  
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 SIOW CHUN MING  
 SONIA BHARGAVE A/P SURESH KUMAR  
 TAN HAN YANG  
 TAN MIN YEE  
 TEH TZE HUN  
 THAM MING LIANG  
 VICTORIA CHONG HOI KEI  
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NG WEI HANG  
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LEE WEI KHANG  
LEOW CHI SHEN  
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VIVIAN KWAN WAI CHUNG

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LEE ZHI QIN  
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GOH PEI EN  
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YAP FONG UIN  
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KON KIM YEE  
LAI GUAN YIN  
LEE CHUN YUEN  
LEE ROU YI  
NG CHOONG SERN  
OH MUN SAN  
TAN KHAI SWEN  
TAN LI CHIN  
TEE CHAI TI  
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**Second Class (Division One)**

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CHONG CARR MUN  
IVAN TOH SU GINN  
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ELEANOR LIM HOOI LING

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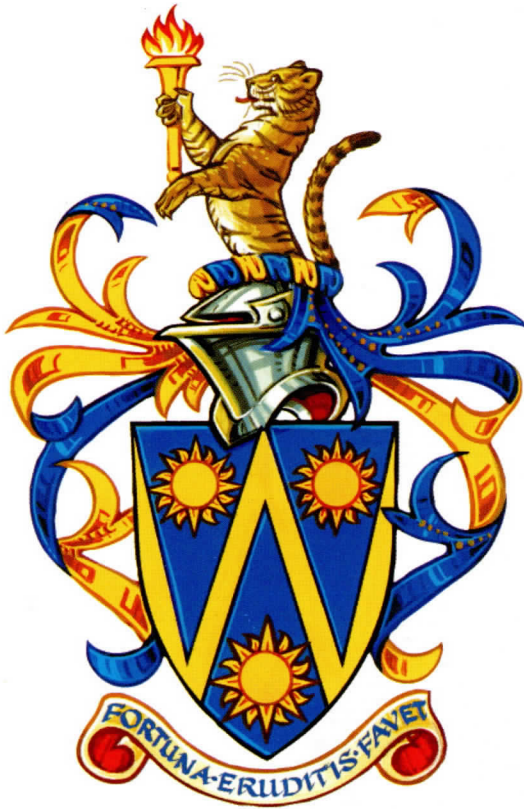
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PSYCHOLOGY  
NG SEE YONG

# The Coat of Arms



Responsibility for the granting of Coats of Arms has rested with the College of Arms in London since AD1484. Applicants are considered by the Garter King of Arms, and if he deems the individual, family or organisation to be worthy of this distinction then the Arms are duly granted. Registers are maintained to ensure that new designs are unique and that existing designs are protected.

In 2005, the Board of Sunway University (formerly Sunway University College) resolved to seek Arms from the College of Arms, and in May 2006, a grant of Arms to Sunway was approved.

The main elements of a Coat of Arms are the crest and the shield. Mottoes do not form a part of a grant of arms, but most grantees choose a succinct statement which represents individual or organisational statements of purpose or values.

The Sunway University *shield* contains three geometric shapes known as “piles”, each “charged” with a golden sun. Together, the piles form a “W” and, with the suns, the device suggests the name Sunway. The stylized suns have a slight resemblance to the star on a blue background that appears on the Malaysian flag.

The *crest* is more obviously symbolic of Malaysia, consisting, as it does, of a Malaysian tiger. It is shown holding a torch, often used in heraldry to symbolize learning and teaching.

Our motto “*Fortuna Eruditis Favet*” derives from Louis Pasteur’s famous phrase “*la chance ne sourit qu’aux esprits bien préparés*”. Pasteur, commenting in 1855 on Oersted’s “chance” discovery of electromagnetism, expressed the view that chance discoveries take place only in the context of a prepared mind. We have adapted the phrase to read “Fortune Favours the Prepared Mind” and this was translated into Latin by Professor Thomas N Mitchell, Provost and Professor of Latin at Trinity College Dublin.





## The Mace

In the medieval Europe, the mace was a weapon carried into battle by knights and warlike bishops, reflecting their status and prowess in the field. In the university context, it was carried as a weapon to protect the Chancellor, but it has now evolved into a purely ceremonial device signifying the dignity and authority of the Chancellor.

Designed by Royal Selangor Pewter Sdn Bhd, the Mace is 4.5ft in length. It is made of pewter in bright finish and its interior is supported by teakwood. Relevant parts are highlighted with 24-carat gold plating. The head of the Mace is a shining sun in gold plate and, directly underneath, the University's Coat of Arms is hand chased in relief on 925 sterling silver. The progressive "S" and hibiscus flower motifs, also hand chased on silver and gold, represent the parentage of Sunway University, and the identity of Malaysia respectively. A crystal stone is set at the beginning of the name of the institution to mark the front section of the Mace.

The Mace rests on a nyatoh wood base in mahogany finish to complement the Chancellor's Chair.

## The Chancellor's Chair

The Chancellor's Chair is made of solid nyatoh wood, and finished in satin mahogany lacquer. The seat, backrest and armrests are wrapped with natural rich brown leather from Germany.

The Coat of Arms of the University, in a highly sculptured relief on a finely textured background, and cast in pewter with gold plating, is placed at the apex of the backrest. The apex itself is modelled on the upper part of the portico of the then Sunway University building.



# SUNWAY UNIVERSITY



Sunway University has its origins in Sunway College, founded by Y.Bhg. Tan Sri Dato' Seri Dr Jeffrey Cheah, AO, in 1986 to provide opportunities for young Malaysians to obtain higher education and training at the certificate, diploma and degree levels, especially in areas of national need. The first intake of students in 1987 numbered about 200, enrolled in degree studies leading to bachelor degrees from a number of foreign universities. These courses were delivered through the 'twinning' arrangements, pioneered by Sunway College, whereby students spent one or two years in Sunway and then transferred to the foreign university to complete their degrees. Degree programmes of Western Michigan University (WMU) in the US were the first to be introduced and these were followed by twinning arrangements with a number of UK and Australian universities. In the late 1990s, 3+0 degree programmes were approved by the Malaysian Government and Sunway College was able to offer the business degrees of Victoria University, Australia, entirely in Malaysia while continuing the 2+2 programmes with WMU.

In addition, the Malaysian Government sanctioned the establishment of branch campuses of foreign universities and Sunway again took the initiative. In a historic agreement with Monash University, Australia, the first branch campus of a foreign university was established at the Sunway campus in 1998. In July 2007, Monash University Sunway campus moved to a magnificent new campus at Jalan Lagoon Selatan, Bandar Sunway. It is currently offering a full range of undergraduate degrees, including medicine through its Jeffrey Cheah School of Medicine and Health Sciences, which was established in 2005.

In 2004, Sunway College was elevated to the status of a University College, by the then Minister of Higher Education YB Dato' Dr Shafie Mohd Salleh, with the power to grant degrees.

With foresight, this was immediately followed by discussions with a top international university to further value-add to the degrees offered at Sunway University College. In 2006, a UK-based university and ranked in the top 1% of universities in the world, Lancaster University, officially sealed a partnership agreement with Sunway to validate most of Sunway's degrees.

After consistently providing high quality standard education, Sunway received its university upgrade in December 2010. The programmes leading to degrees at Sunway University are approved by the Ministry of Higher Education and the Malaysian Qualifications Agency (MQA). The University has been achieving Excellent ratings in the official rating system of all universities and university colleges in Malaysia, the SETARA 2009, SETARA 2011 and SETARA 2013 by the MQA. Sunway University was officially registered in January 2011 and came into being with the vision of becoming a world-class university.

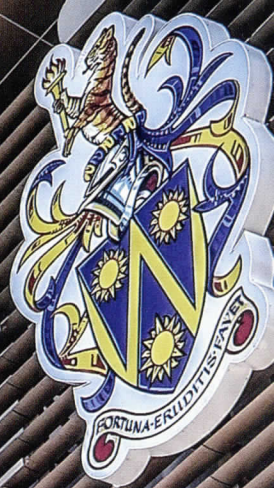
Sunway University currently has a student population of over 6,000. It is a veritable global community on campus as over 15% of its total student number is international, coming from over 70 countries. Sunway University moved to a brand new purpose-built state-of-the-art building in 2015.

In 2015, Sunway University submitted for its first ever rating by an international organisation obtaining a remarkable four star overall rating from QS, with the highest five star ratings for teaching, employability, and facilities putting the University on par with many leading international universities.

The University has also been receiving outstanding results in the i-Graduate International Student Barometer Survey, being rated by students as No.1 in Asia for employability for two consecutive years – 2014 and 2015.



SUNWAY UNIVERSITY





# Jeffrey Cheah Foundation

*Nurturing the Seeds of Wisdom*



The fundamental premise of the Jeffrey Cheah Foundation (JCF) is giving to society, a philosophy that has governed its predecessor, the former Sunway Education Trust Fund since its inception in 1997.

With this special purpose non-profit vehicle, the JCF currently owns and governs 16 educational institutions making up the Sunway Education Group which include Sunway University, Sunway College, Monash University Malaysia, Sunway International School and the Jeffrey Cheah School of Medicine and Health Sciences. JCF is today the largest education-focused social enterprise in Malaysia.

As a result of its well-thought out corporate structure and status as a registered charity, the Foundation is able to continue in perpetuity Tan Sri Dr Jeffrey Cheah's vision and legacy of giving; while at the same time serving as a catalyst and as a vehicle for others to contribute to the shared cause of education.

Through the Foundation, operating surpluses are ploughed back into the institutions for expansion of faculty and facilities, and disbursed as scholarships and research grants, ensuring that education and development programmes of the highest quality are supported and sustained.

Governed by a distinguished Board of Trustees, the Foundation aims to safeguard the institutions under its care for the purpose of providing affordable education at the highest level, including knowledge transfer to those from disadvantaged backgrounds. There is thus a means, through scholarships, for the present and future generations of deserving students to succeed. To date, more than RM270 million in scholarships have been awarded to thousands of deserving students in various fields of study in Malaysia and overseas including the Universities of Cambridge and Oxford.

In 2013, the Jeffrey Cheah Foundation and Harvard University signed agreements to establish at Harvard, two Jeffrey Cheah Professorships on Southeast Asia Studies i.e. the Jeffrey Cheah Professorial Fellow and the Jeffrey Cheah Visiting Professor; and the Jeffrey Cheah Travel Grants following a generous gift by the Jeffrey Cheah Foundation. In conjunction with the contribution, the Jeffrey Cheah Institute on Southeast Asia (JCI) has been set-up at Sunway University to facilitate and support education exchange opportunities between Sunway Education Group and Harvard University.

In 2014 and 2015, historic agreements were signed with the University of Cambridge and the University of Oxford, England. With benefaction by the JCF, the agreements led to the appointment of two Jeffrey Cheah Professorial Fellows respectively in Gonville & Caius College, University of Cambridge, and Brasenose College, University of Oxford.

In April 2016, Tan Sri Dr Jeffrey Cheah, AO, Founding Trustee of the JCF, presented a gift of USD10 million to the United Nations Sustainable Development Solutions Network Association (SDSN) establishing a strategic collaboration in setting up the Jeffrey Sachs Center on Sustainable Development at Sunway University. The pioneering Center will offer some of the world's best curriculum, academic and executive programmes on sustainable development. Tan Sri Dr Jeffrey Cheah, AO believes this is an important step in the right direction, to develop the global expertise needed to move Malaysia and Asia forward in the area of sustainable development.





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Lancaster  
University







Early in 2005, Sunway and Lancaster University in the UK commenced discussions on how the two institutions might co-operate and, in the course of these discussions, which extended over one year, the concept of dual degrees was explored. Lancaster conducted an institutional review in March 2006, which involved a site visit by senior academics from the University and a senior academic from the University of Sussex. As a result, in September 2006, Lancaster approved the signing of an affiliation agreement between the two institutions. The agreement provides for the validation of relevant Sunway degrees by the Senate of Lancaster University following site visits by course consultants and lengthy panel discussions by video conference. Sunway University students who successfully complete an honours degree programme are now awarded both Sunway and Lancaster degrees, with separate scrolls from each institution.

Lancaster University is one of Britain's best research and teaching universities. Its growing reputation is reflected by top ten rankings in each of the UK's major university league tables, including ninth in the Complete University Guide and the Times/Sunday Times; and eighth in the Guardian.

Lancaster is in the Top 1% of universities globally and 83% of research is internationally excellent and world-leading, measured by the 2014 Research Excellence Framework which assesses the quality and impact of research.

91% of students at Lancaster University are satisfied with their programme and the University is frequently singled out for its high levels of graduate employment; 82% of graduates are in graduate level work or further study.

In Sunway University, which has the power to award its own degrees, it is important to be able to satisfy ourselves, our students, and their parents, that the degree programmes that we offer are of the highest international standard. We are pleased that we have been able to satisfy the very stringent criteria that have been set by Lancaster University in its institutional review and the validation of our degrees. We continue to look forward to delivering our degree programmes in the knowledge that they have been validated by a world class British university in accordance with its own quality assurance protocols and those of the UK Quality Assurance Agency.



# SUNWAY *Alumni*

## Dear Graduate,

First of all, congratulations on achieving a very significant milestone in your life. You have GRADUATED! Give yourself a pat on the back! You have come very far from the fresh-faced first year student to the person you are today, joining over 40,000 alumni who have experienced the spirit of Sunway and continue to maintain that relationship.

As a graduate of Sunway, here are some ways you can stay connected to Sunway as you embark on the next phase of your life:

### 1. Join the Sunway Alumni Professional Network on LinkedIn

Being part of a professional network is one of the best gifts you can give yourself as you join the workforce. Building the right connections opens up a world of opportunities while connecting you with the people who can help you get ahead of the race.

### 2. Join us on Facebook

Yes, you have graduated, but that does not mean all ties are broken. We would love to have you come and participate in events that we organise and also be in the know of the happenings on campus. Like The Official Sunway Alumni Community page and continue to experience student life in the virtual way!

### 3. Participate in Sunway Alumni Events

We work hard to bring you a variety of events that not only facilitate your professional development, but also enable you to let your hair down and relax after a hard week of work. We would love to have you come and participate and we would be even happier if you would like to get involved in the organising of events.

### 4. Become a Mentor

You have accumulated a wealth of knowledge from the years of university life. You know the struggles and you have learnt the best practices. Now is the time to share! Help a junior through one of his/her most challenging times of his/her life by being a mentor and journeying the mentee through the path you have just completed yourself.

We wish you all the best in your upcoming endeavours, and we look forward to staying in contact with you for many years to come!

Best wishes,

Sunway Alumni Relations

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