

UMS alumni urged to give back to university

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KOTA KINABALU: Universiti Malaysia Sabah (UMS) alumni are urged to give back to the university in the form of finance or consultation in their respective expertise.

UMS Deputy Vice Chancellor (Students and Alumni Affairs) Professor Dr Raman Noordin said that the sharing of knowledge by the alumni who are successful are priceless to motivate and help UMS students to become successful graduates later.

"At the same time, this will indirectly create strong social networking between students and alumni and create space and opportunities for work once they graduate. All the contribution

in the form of monetary will be channelled to a special fund to help less able students, finance students' and alumni's activities, and for students' welfare as well as various activities based on the holistic development of students,"

Rahman said this in his speech at an Iftar ceremony with UMS alumni at a hotel near here recently.

The ceremony was attended by 100 UMS alumni which also saw the contribution of 200 food baskets by the UMS Alumni Association to non-resident students, and the contribution of three laptops from Saputra Travel and Tours to three UMS students in need.