

Outstanding Achievements of Faculty of Food Science and Nutrition students in the 9th MIFT Food Science and Technology Seminar 2015

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University Malaysia Sabah (UMS) won three gold medals, one each in the Undergraduate Food Bowl Quiz, Undergraduate Oratory, and Undergraduate Innovative Food Product Development competitions for the 9th MIFT Food Science and Technology Seminar held on the 21–22 March 2015 in University College Sedaya International (UCSI). Our postgraduate student also won a bronze for the Postgraduate Oral Presentation. UMS was represented by students of the Faculty of Food Science and Nutrition.

The 9th MIFT Food Science and Technology Seminar was jointly organised by the Faculty of Applied Sciences, UCSI University and the Malaysian Institute of Food Technologists (MIFT). MIFT is a non-profit professional body of food technologists and educators in the field of food science and technology, and other individuals involved in areas of work closely related to food technology.

A total of 14 local universities, namely Universiti Kebangsaan Malaysia, Universiti Sains Malaysia, Universiti Putra Malaysia, UCSI University, Universiti Sultan Zainal Abidin, Universiti Teknologi MARA, Universiti Malaysia Terengganu, Monash University Malaysia, Management and Science University, Tunku Abdul Rahman University College, Universiti Tun Hussein Onn Malaysia, Taylor's University and Universiti Kuala Lumpur took part in the competition.

For food bowl quiz competition, this is the third time consecutively that UMS has won the first and second placements in the quiz which throws every possible question in food science, food technology and nutrition fields to the students. As the winners of Food Bowl Quiz competition, our students have represented Malaysia to the Food Bowl Quiz Competition held within the biannual ASEAN Food Conference for three consecutive times, in Bangkok (2011), Singapore (2013) and in Manila on 24–26 June, 2015. In Manila, UMS's Food Bowl Quiz team only managed to get 6th place. The competition won by Thailand, followed by Indonesia and the Philippines.



Joshua Ong – Oratory Winner



Team B, Food Bowl Quiz –
1st Runner-up Winner



Team A, Food Bowl Quiz –
Winner