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ORDER OF MERIT

AWARDED TO AP DR BALAN RATHAKRISHAN

WORLD INVENTOR AWARD FESTIVAL 2013 (WIAF)

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The 2nd annual "World Inventor Award Festival" was held by Korea Invention News (KINEWS) to celebrate the efforts & achievements of inventors, creators and innovative institutions, companies and schools around the world. The World Inventor Award Festival, WIAF 2013 aims to help foster a universal culture in which innovation and creativity are encouraged at every level of society, to promote wider understanding of how the intellectual property system works to serve creativity and innovation. Besides, this program has set goals towards discovering those who deserve to be recognized for their success and higher achievements, contributions and for the development of numerous industries.

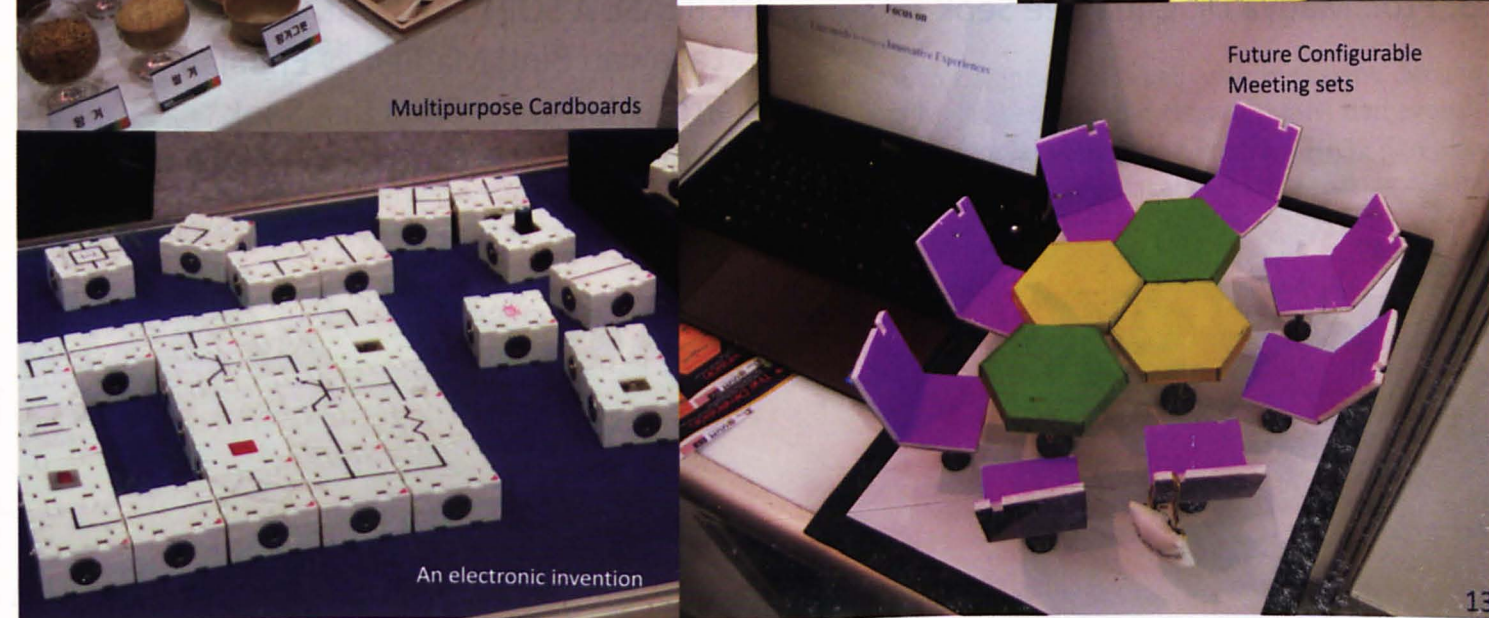
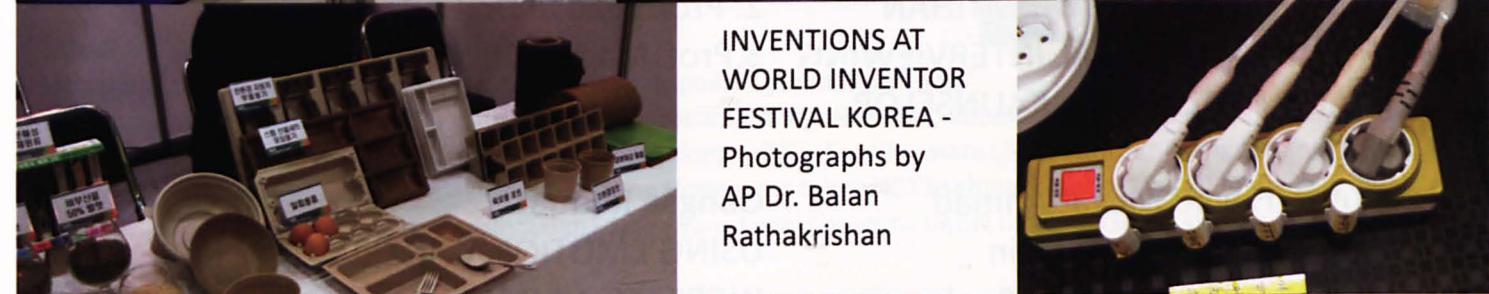
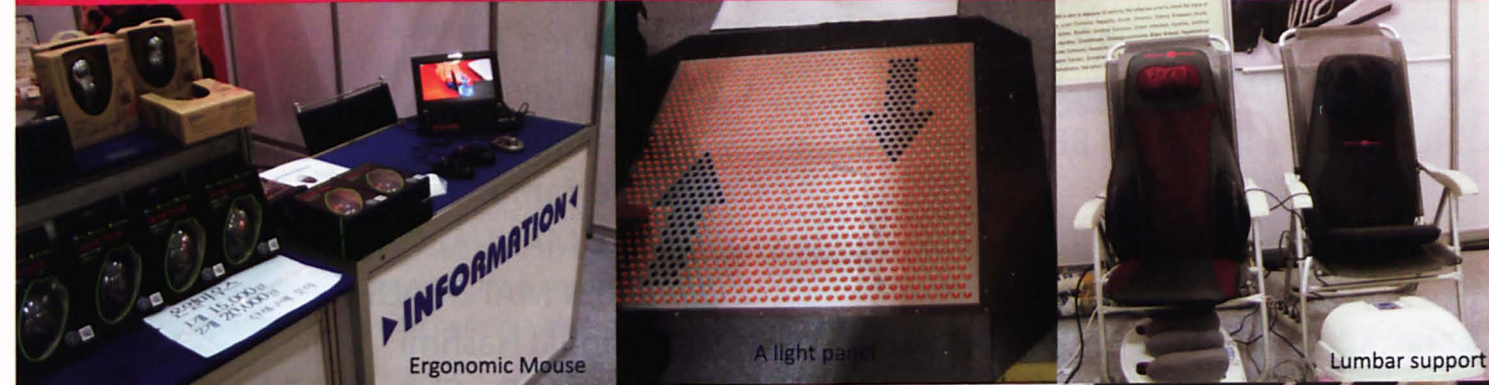
WIAF offered division categories based on Numerous Industries, Research & Studies in Applied Science, IT, Intellectual Properties, Business Promotion and many more and 74 division categories was offered such as Agriculture, Art and Design, Engineering, Food and Grocery, Forestry, Rehabilitation and Therapy and so on. Associate Professor Dr. Balan Rathakrishnan won in Invention Academics Order Of Merit in Invention Academic And Education category (no.37 division category).

The aims of this event is to reward the best inventor in each categories. Congratulations to Associate Professor Dr. Balan Rathakrishnan who was received distinguished awards order of merit during World Inventor Award Festival 2013 (WIAF) on 14th December 2013 at Seoul Garden Hotel in Seoul, Korea. Before this Associate Professor Dr. Balan Rathakrishnan has won gold award in ITEX MALAYSIA 2013 that the 24th International Invention, Innovation & Technology Exhibition. 2013 WIAF serves as a platform for rewarding the world's best of the best individuals, groups, companies and association in various fields and businesses. It related to relative occupations and professionals dealing with creativity, invention and innovation.

Hope that more researchers and future inventors from UMS are encouraged to participate because the new product or invention that made by UMS will be acknowledged in the Global setting.



Associate Professor Dr. Balan Rathakrishnan with the Order of Merit Award



Associate Professor Dr. Balan Rathakrishnan in South Korea with his awards