UMS students benefit from

CEO programme

SANDAKAN: The Programme For <u>CEO@Faculty</u>, which was held for the first time by Universiti Malaysia Sabah's Faculty of Sustainable Agriculture at its Sandakan campus, has enabled students to benefit from the experience of successful chief executive officers (CEOs).

According to its dean, Professor Dr Wan Mohamnmad Wan Othman, the programme which was the brainchild of Higher Education Minister Datuk Seri Idris Jusoh, enabled students to get information directly from the successful CEOs and learn from the experts.

He said through the programme, the students were encouraged to ask questions to expand their perspectives and learn about the needs of the industry to help them prepare for working life.

"The programme also gave lecturers the chance to understand the needs of the industry in terms of commercialisation, delivery, quick-profit projects and management talents," he said.

Zainal Azwar said in their quest for success, students should not be afraid to fail as that first failure did not mean they would always fail in life.

He said success would not be easily achieved without effort.

He added that while it was normal for a person to experience failure, he should not give up hope but should continue to strive to move forward.