CHAPTER STRUCTURE



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KEY STATISTICS

55 refugee youth lives touched

Through our Discover Monash activity in collaboration with the Fugee School, Dignity for Children, and the Picha Project; as well as our role in getting Monash University Malaysia on board for the CERTE Bridge Program together with the UNHCR, Nottingham University, Brickfields Asia College, and the Open University for Refugees.



30 women empowered to thrive

Thirty female Monash alumni were given the coveted opportunity to be mentored by 15 of Malaysia's most influential figures under the Women Who Thrive workshop, a three-part program by Thrive.

3 student societies partnered

Monash Entrepreneurship Club, Monash Business Club and Monash University Investment Group.



17 collaborations with various organisations

Brandtalks Asia, CERTE, Dapur Jalanan KL, Dignity for Children, Economic Planning Unit, espressolab Asia, Fave, Fugee School, Futurelab, Grab, Maybank, Monash University Alumni Singapore, Monash University Malaysia, Picha Project, TalentCorp, The Custom Mate, and Tiny Temptress Artisan Patisserie.

120 care packages delivered

To the underprivileged and homeless of Petaling Street, Kuala Lumpur via collaboration with the Dapur Jalanan KL Soup Kitchen.



965 members on Facebook

From August 2016 to December 2017.

>350 participated and benefited from our events in Q4 of 2016 and in 2017.

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FOREWORD



The Monash Malaysia Business Alumni Chapter (MMBAC) was founded with the purpose of benefiting students, alumni, the university, and society at large through a cycle of positive outcomes. This purpose is encapsulated perfectly by Sir John Monash when he said, "Equip yourself for life, not solely for your own benefit, but for the benefit of the whole community".

We operate on a crowd-source model, and apply Aristotle's belief that "The whole is greater than the sum of its parts". By bonding together in this network, we are able to create a positive benefit to society through our collective actions. We channel these actions under three pillars: Community, Development, and Social.

Since the inception of the Chapter in 2016, we have witnessed tremendous growth in the scale and impact of our activities. 2017 was a breakthrough year for us where we saw

our credibility establish among internal as well as external stakeholders, shown through the number of collaborations, partnerships, and sponsorship we we able to secure. With 2018 being the 20th Anniversary of Monash University's presence in Malaysia we expect even greater growth in our scale

I would like to thank the School of Business at Monash University Malaysia for their ongoing financial support and the encouragement they have provided. It has been much appreciated by the committee and myself. We welcome you to join us in this exciting journey in creating a positive impact in our communities as proud alumni of Monash University.

Wilbur Chin Jun Li **Founding President Monash Malaysia Business Alumni Chapter**

CHAPTER PROFILE

The Monash Malaysia Business Alumni Chapter (MMBAC) was officially launched in August 2016. Run by alumni, for alumni; the Chapter aims to strengthen the bond between the alumni and alma mater, and to create value and positive social impact for all stakeholders.

Membership is open to all graduates of Monash University who are interested in business.

Partnerships and collaboration are a vital part of the Chapter's operating model. We have developed partnerships and collaborations with various student associations, high-profile individuals, non-profit organisations, corporations as well as the government.

To date, the Chapter has held events and activities benefiting hundreds; beneficiaries include students, alumni, industry, the underprivileged of Kuala Lumpur, and refugee youth. In slightly more than a year, we have approached a range of topics, such as shifting workplace expectations, urban homelessness, the refugee crisis, women empowerment, and the Fourth Industrial Revolution.

OUR VISION

To contribute to the continuous advancement of Monash University and its alumni, and encourage a virtuous cycle among members.

OUR MISSION

To create value for alumni and current students of Monash University through empowering them with knowledge, skills, and networking opportunities concerning business-related fields and industries.



KEY MILESTONES



October 2015 **Coffee Networking**

February 2017



2015



Regional Link with Monash University Alumni Singapore (MUAS)



Access to education is a fundamental right. MMBAC, supported by Monash Malaysia, collaborated with Connecting and Equipping Refugees to Tertiary Education (CERTE) Malaysia, Dignity for Children, the Fugee School and the Picha Project to inspire refugee youth to expand their horizons, and to set their eyes on pursuing a tertiary education. The youth were welcomed to Monash's campus for a one-day program coinciding with the Discover Monash open day, and enjoyed a day packed with exciting events.



July 2017 **Visit from MUAS**



July 2017

Women Who Thrive

Thirty female Monash alumni were given the opportunity to be personally mentored by some of Malaysia's most influential figures under the Women Who Thrive workshop, a three-part program by Thrive. The two-month program gave these young professionals a chance to accelerate their career and personal growth under the mentorship of leaders like Azran Osman Rani, then CEO of Iflix; Shareen Shariza, CEO of TalentCorp; Chen Chow Yeoh, Co-Founder and COO of Fave; Colin Choo, Consultant at Boston Consulting Group; Joshua Liew, COO of expressolab; and Stephanie Looi, Co-Founder and COO of PurelyB.



This event was covered by The Star, published on 7 September 2017.



August 2016 Official Launch Ceremony



To provide students and graduates insights into the skills of the future, MMBAC kicked off the inaugural Alumni Speaker Series with 'Talent Needs of Tomorrow: Insights Into the Malaysian Market'. The discussion featured five panelists - Leonard Ariff, Tian-Pouw Pun, Devendran Sinnadurai, Cheryl Teh and Dr Jane Tong. They explored three themes: Career Switches: Economy Outlook and Skills in Demand (11th Malaysia Plan); and Key Skills Required in the Workplace by 2020.



Inaugural Alumni Speaker Series

December 2016 **Lending a Helping Hand**

MMBAC, MYAvengers from MYXpats Centre and Canggih Kilat Sdn Bhd got together to lend a helping hand to the needy, in collaboration with Dapur Jalanan KL soup kitchen. Nineteen volunteers cooked a meal and fundraised for 120 care packages worth RM900, which were distributed to the underprivileged and homeless near Petaling Street, Kuala Lumpur. An additional RM400 was raised above the targeted amount to cover a week of the soup kitchen's expenses.



October 2017 CERTE Bridge Course

This event was covered by The Star, published

on 21 March 2017 and The Sun Daily, published on 8 August 2017.



December 2017

Tech Things Seriously!

The Fourth Industrial Revolution will require businesses to innovate to stay relevant and competitive in the global market. MMBAC organised 'Tech Things Seriously!', an interactive forum that shed light on the challenges and implications of digital and social disruption. Guest speakers included Johan Mahmood Merican, Deputy Director General (Human Capital) of the Economic Planning Unit; Professor Mahendhiran Nair, CEO of Monash Malaysia R&D Sdn Bhd and Vice President (Research & Development) of Monash Malaysia; Ken Lau, Travel Vertical Partner at SEGNEL Ventures; and Mah Kam Lin, Group Data Scientist at Maybank Group.



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