

# **Postgraduate & Professional Development Day**

**01 Oct 2011 (Saturday) • 10.00am - 4.00pm**  
**Universiti Tunku Abdul Rahman, 9, Jalan Bersatu 13/4,**  
**46200 Petaling Jaya, Selangor Darul Ehsan**

# Postgraduate & Professional Development Day

UTAR proudly organizes the first-of-its-kind Postgraduate and Professional Development Day with a platform for fresh graduates and working adults to explore the postgraduate, research and professional development opportunities offered by the University. In this competitive working environment, it is essential for employees to empower themselves and gear up for career success. Pursuing postgraduate studies and engaging in the lifelong education are no longer an option in life. So, take your first step to attend the Day and let us tell you why it is **time to upgrade**.

## Talk Schedule

**01 Oct 2011 (PD, UTAR PJ Campus)**

**10.30am - 11.15am**

**Time Management: Study and Working**

*by Mr. Chia Fah Choy*

*Assistant Professor,*

*Faculty of Engineering and Science, UTAR*

**11.30am - 12.15pm**

**Developing Emotional Excellence for Lifelong Education**

*by Mr. Winston Chew*

*LPI Consultant*

**1.00pm - 1.45pm**

**Why Do Postgraduate Study?**

*by Prof. Dr. Cheng Ming Yu*

*Professor,*

*Faculty of Accountancy and Management, UTAR*

**2.00pm - 2.45pm**

**Getting Ahead in Your Career with Lifelong Learning**

*by Mr. Edmond Yap*

*Executive Director, Education Republic*

**3.00pm - 3.45pm**

**Research Opportunities and Challenges**

*by Dr. Santhidran a/I Sinnappan*

*Assistant Professor,*

*Faculty of Creative Industries, UTAR*

## Event Highlights

- 5 Career Talks
- Postgraduate Programme Consultation
- R&D Exhibition
- Professional Development Opportunities
- Part-Time Honours Degree Programmes Enquiry
- Application for Admission

## Time Management: Study and Working

by Mr. Chia Fah Choy



Are you spending your time the right way? Do you know how to resist the urge to overreach – and win back valuable time? One of the most nefarious time robbers is overreaching. The talk will look at how to defeat several of the most common manifestations of overreaching. It helps you to analyse how you spend your time currently, pinpoints opportunities for improvement and equips you with a three-step plan in allocating your time wisely – and strategically.

## Developing Emotional Excellence for Lifelong Education

by Mr. Winston Chew



It is presently widely recognised that dynamic and productive individuals are those who can manage their emotions well. Research has indicated that certain practices can help individuals to obtain emotional excellence and emotional mastery. This emotional mastery enables the individual to have enhanced performance as a leader at work and at home.

## Why Do Postgraduate Study?

by Prof. Dr. Cheng Ming Yu



Your education prepares you for your future. It opens up routes for you to pursue your goals in life. The values of postgraduate study are not limited to enhancing or improving your employment and salary prospects, it is about learning and self-improvement. It is an investment that would provide you with a whole new world of opportunities, especially in this knowledge-based economy.

## Getting Ahead in Your Career with Lifelong Learning

by Mr. Edmond Yap



I met a life mentor and I embarked on a journey of lifelong learning. I managed to gather enough chutzpah and had the audacity to start my own business, Education Republic. Today I speak to thousands of people, helping them to get ahead in their careers with lifelong learning. This talk will focus on assisting individual and companies to achieve their full potential.

## Research Opportunities and Challenges

by Dr. Santhidran a/I Sinnappan



Research collects and presents information for investigation, with the hope of finding solutions to a specific problem. Through only systematic way of researching, we will be able to understand our world around us better. In an organisation, research contributes to knowledge creation and the sharing of such knowledge among employees will help organisation to grow organically. This comes with certain research challenges that the issues will be address in the talk session.



"My course has exposed me in-depth knowledge and with the necessary skills needed for improvement in order for me to climb the corporate ladder especially that we are working in a very advance and competitive market environment today."

- Susan Wai (MBA)



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