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# QUALIFICATION

August 1997 : Ph.D. Chemical and Process Engineering

University of Strathclyde, Glasgow, Scotland, U. K.

December 1992 : M.Sc. Chemical Engineering

Universiti Teknologi Malaysia

June 1989 : B. Sc. Petroleum Engineering

Universiti Teknologi Malaysia



#### AWARDS AND HONORS RECEIVED

July 2012 : UTM Intelectual Property and Commercialization Award, Citra Karisma

2012, UTM.

July 2012 : **UTM Innovation and Commersialization Award**, Citra Karisma 2012, UTM

July 2012 : UTM Best Publication Award (Paper in Indexed Journal-MMRA)

July 2012 : UTM Publication Award (Paper in Indexed Journal-Individual)

18 May 2012 : Special Award Brassels Eureka Award:

CNT-M3: Advanced Membrane System for CO<sub>2</sub> Removal (ITEX 2012)

18 May 2012 : Gold Medal Award, CNT-M3: Advanced Membrane System for CO<sub>2</sub> Removal

(ITEX 2012)

18 May 2012 : Gold Medal Award, SMReactor: Produced Water Treatment for Oil and Gas

4 Dec. 2011 : Gold Medal Award, M-Contactor: Smart Membrane for CO<sub>2</sub> Removal,

Seoul International Invention Fair 2011 (SIIF 2011)

4 Dec. 2011 : Gold Medal Award, Anti E. Coli Hybrid Membrane,

Seoul International Invention Fair 2011 (SIIF 2011)

4 Dec. 2011 : Silver Medal Award, Charge Surface Modifying Macromolecule (cSMM) Fuel

Cell Technology, Seoul International Invention Fair 2011 (SIIF 2011)



17 Nov. 2011 : Gold Medal Award, (INATEX 2010),

17 Nov. 2011 : Silver Medal Award, (INATEX 2010),

16 Nov. 2011 : Winner of the National Innovation Award 2011, Product Category

7 July 2011 : UTM Best Publication Award (Paper in Indexed Journal-MMRA)

7 July 2011 : UTM Publication Award (Paper in Indexed Journal-Individual)

7 July 2011 : UTM Excellent Service Award

30 April 2011 : Fellow of the Academy of Sciences Malaysia

February 2011 : Special Award of Polish Invention and Rationalizers, Charge Surface

Modifying Macromolecule (cSMM) Fuel Cell Technology, Malaysia

Technology Award (MTE 2011)

February 2011 : The Best Award, M-Contactor: Smart Membrane for CO<sub>2</sub> Removal,

Malaysia Technology Award (MTE 2011)

Febuary 2011 : Gold Medal Award, Smart Membrane for CO<sub>2</sub> Removal, Malaysia Technology

Expo (MTE 2011)

February 2011 : Gold Medal Award, Charge Surface Modifying Macromolecule (cSMM) Fuel

Cell Technology, Malaysia Technology Expo (MTE 2011)

Febuary 2011 : Gold Medal Award, Smart Membrane for CO<sub>2</sub> Removal, Malaysia Technology

Expo (MTE 2011)

February 2011 : Gold Medal Award, Charge Surface Modifying Macromolecule (cSMM) Fuel

Cell Technology, Malaysia Technology Expo (MTE 2011)

February 2011 : Silver Medal Award, Anti E.Coli Hybrid Membrane, Malaysia Technology

Expo (MTE 2011)

April 2010 : Gold Medal Award, Novel Nanocharge Hollow Fibre Membrane for the

Removal of Bisphenol-A in Wastewater, PEREKA, 2010, UMS.

August 2010 : Gold Medal Award, (INATEX 2010), M-Contactor: Smart Membrane for CO<sub>2</sub>

Removal

August 2010 : Gold Medal Award, (INATEX 2010), Charge Surface Modifying

Macromolecule (cSMM) Fuel Cell Technology

August 2010 : Silver Medal Award, (INATEX 2010), Anti E. Coli Hybrid Membrane

August 2010 : UTM Publication Award (Paper in Indexed Journal-MMRA)

August 2010 : UTM Publication Award (Paper in Indexed Journal-Individual)

October 2009 : Winner of the National Innovation Award, Waste to Wealth Category.

October 2009 : Gold Medal Award-Ekspo Research and Creation International Institute of

Higher Learning (PECIPTA 2009) Carbon Nanotube Metal Composite for

Advanced Energy Storage (CNT-MC)



October 2009 : Go	old Medal	Award-Ekspo	Research and	Creation	International	Institute	of
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Higher Learning (PECIPTA 2009), Novel UF Submerged Membrane System

for Nom Removal

October 2009 : Gold Medal Award-Ekspo Research and Creation International Institute of

Higher Learning (PECIPTA 2009), Direct Current Plasma Enhanced Chemical Vapour Deposition system (DC-PECVD) for Production of Carbon Nanotubes

April 2009 : Grand Winner of the National Intelectual Property, Patent Category.

November 2008 : Silver Medal Awards – International Invention Fair of the Middle East (IIFME

2008), Sulfonated Poly Ether Ether Ketone (SPEEK) Membrane for Direct

Methanol Fuel Cell (DMFC)

November 2008 : Silver Medal Awards – International Invention Fair of the Middle East (IIFME

2008), Novel H2MC Membrane for Acid/Green House Removal

October 2008 : Gold Medal Awards -British Invention Show 2008, Conveyor Dried Continuous

Assymetric Membrane Casting System and Spiral Wound Module for Gas

Separation.

October 2008 : Gold Medal Awards -British Invention Show 2008, Novel H2MC Membrane

for Acid/Green House Removal

October 2008 : **Double Gold Medal Awards -British Invention Show 2008**, Novel H2MC

Membrane for Acid/Green House Removal

October 2008 : Gold Medal Awards -British Invention Show 2008, Sulfonated Poly Ether Ether

Ketone (SPEEK) Membrane for Direct Methanol Fuel Cell (DMFC)

October 2008 : Double Gold and Gold Medal Awards -British Invention Show 2008,

Sulfonated Poly Ether Ether Ketone (SPEEK) Membrane for Direct Methanol

Fuel Cell (DMFC)

October 2008 : Gold Medal Award-British Invention Show 2008, Oxygen Enrichment System

(OXES)

October 2008 : Platinum Medal Award-British Invention Show 2008, Oxygen Enrichment

System (OXES)

August 2008 : Bronze medal-INATEX 2008, Carbon Nanotube-Metal Composite For

Advanced Energy Storage (CNT-MC).

August 2008 : Gold Medal Award-INATEX 2008, Novel Ultrafiltration (UF) Submerged

Membrane System for Natural Organic Matters (NOM) Removal.

August 2008 : Best of the Best Award-INATEX 2008, Novel Ultrafiltration (UF) Submerged

Membrane System for Natural Organic Mtters (NOM) Removal.

August 2008 : Gold Medal Award-INATEX 2008, Direct Current Plasma

Chemical Vapour Deposition System, (DE-PECVD) for Production of Carbon

Nanostructures.

August 2008 : Best of the Best Award-INATEX 2008, Direct Current Plasma

Chemical Vapour Deposition Syste, (DE-PECVD) for Production of Carbon

Nanostructures.

May 2008 : Excellent Service Award 2007, UTM



May 2008 : Hadiah Penghargaan: Award for Best paper in International Journal, Penerbit UTM.

May 2008 : Hadiah Penghargaan: Award for Best paper in International Journal, Penerbit UTM.

May 2008 : UTM Best Research Group Award 2007

May 2008 : UTM Distinguished Researcher Award

February 2008 : Best of the Best Award –Malaysia Technology Expo (MTE 2008), A Novel

**SPEEK Membrane for Direct Methanol Fuel Cell** 

February 2008 : Gold Medal Award – Malaysia Technology Expo (MTE 2008), Novel H2MC

Membrane for Acid/Greenhouse Gases Removal

February 2008 : Gold Medal Award – Malaysia Technology Expo (MTE 2008), A Novel

SPEEK Membrane for Direct Methanol Fuel Cell

August 2007 : Gold Medal Award -INATEX 2007, Novel SPEEK Membrane for

Direct Methanol Fuel Cell

July 2007 : Hadiah Penghargaan: Award for Best paper in International Journal, Penerbit

UTM.

July 2007 : Hadiah Penghargaan: Award for Best paper in International Journal, Penerbit

UTM.

July 2007 : Hadiah Penghargaan: Award for Best paper in International Journal, Penerbit

UTM.

July 2007 : Hadiah Penghargaan: Award for Best Paper in International Journal, Penerbit

UTM.

November 2006 : Marquis Who's Who in the World

August 2006 : British Chevening Royal Society Fellowship 2006/2007

April 2006 : Marquis Who's and Who in Science and Engineering 2006/07

October 2, 2005 : Best of The Best Invention Award for the invention entitled "New

Oxygen Enrichment System (OXES) using Polysulfone Hollow Fiber

Membrane in the 3<sup>rd</sup> IPTA R&D Expo 2005

October 2, 2005 : Special Award, Advanced Materials for the invention entitled "New

Oxygen Enrichment System (OXES) using Polysulfone Hollow Fiber

Membrane" in the 3<sup>rd</sup> IPTA R&D Expo 2005

October 2, 2005 : Special Award, Potential to Commercialize for the invention entitled

"New Oxygen Enrichment System (OXES) using Polysulfone Hollow

Fiber Membrane" in the 3<sup>rd</sup> IPTA R&D Expo 2005

October 2, 2005 : Gold Medal Award in the 3<sup>rd</sup> IPTA R&D Expo 2005 for the invention

Entitled "Novel Multiwalled Carbon Nanotubes (MWNTs) as



Hydrogen as Hydrogen Storage Materials"

October 2, 2005 : Gold Medal Award in the 3<sup>rd</sup> IPTA R&D Expo 2005 for the invention

Entitled "Novel Enzymatic Membrane Reactor (EMR) for

Cyclodextrins Production from Tapioca Starch"

October 2, 2005 : Gold Medal Award in the 3<sup>rd</sup> IPTA R&D Expo 2005 for the invention

Entitled "Novel Conveyer-Drive Continuous Asymmetric Membrane Casting System and Spiral Wound Module for Gas Separation and

Liquid-Liquid Separation"

October 2, 2005 : Gold Medal Award in the 3<sup>rd</sup> IPTA R&D Expo 2005 for the invention

Entitled "New Oxygen Enrichment System (OXES) using Polysulfone

Hollow Fiber Membrane"

August 2005 : UTM Best Researcher of The Year, 2004.

January 2004 : 2000 Outstanding Scientist of the 21st Century, International

Biographical Centre, Cambridge, England.

August 2004 : Marquis Who's and Who in The World 2005

August 2004 : Marquis Who's and Who in Science and Engineering 2004/05

September 2004 : Hadiah Penghargaan: Award for Best paper in International Journal, UTM

Press.

April 2003 : Marquis Who's and Who in Science and Engineering 2003/04

17 September 2003 : **UTM Inventor of the Year, 2002** 

23 October 2003 : UTM Best Research Group of the Year, 2002

May 2002 : Bronze Medal Award in the 30<sup>th</sup> Geneva Exhibition: New

Techniques and Products, Switzerland, 2002

August 2002 : Excellent Service Award 2001, UTM

September 2002 : JSPS Visiting Scientist at Kyoto University, Japan.

11 January 2001 : Malaysia Young Scientist Award 2000

June 2001 : Bronze Medal Award in Industrial Art & Technology

Exhibition (INATEX '2001)

July 2001 : Silver Medal Award in Expo Science & Technology 2001

September 2001 : UTM Researcher of the Year, 2000

20 September 2001 : ASEAN Young Scientist and Technologist Award 2001

April 2000 : Bronze Medal Award in the 28<sup>th</sup> Geneva Exhibition: New

Techniques and Products, Switzerland, 2000.

August 2000 : Hadiah Penghargaan: Award for Best paper in International Journal, Penerbit

UTM.



August 2000 : Sijil Pengiktirafan Ministry of Science, Technology and Environment,

Malaysia

Jun 2000 : Sijil Pengiktirafan Ministry of Science, Technology and Environment,

Malaysia

July 1999 : Bronze Medal Award in Industrial Art & Technology Exhibition

(INATEX '98)

Mei 1999 : Gold Medal Award in the 27<sup>th</sup> Geneva Exhibition: New Techniques

and Products, Switzerland

August 1999 : Gold Medal Discovery Award Conferred by UTM and Presented by Prime

Minister of Malaysia, Dato Seri Dr. Mahathir Mohammad

October 1999 : JSPS Scientist Exchange Program with University of Tokyo, Japan

September 1999 : Silver Medal Award in International Invention Exhibition (ITEX'99)

April 1998 : University Honor's Award

October 1998 : Gold Medal Award in International Invention Exhibition (ITEX'98)

July 1998 : Special Jury Award in Industrial Art & Technology Exhibition

(INATEX '98), UTM.

June 1998 : First Price: Award for Best paper in International Journal, UTM Press.

April 1994 : CICHE Program awarded by The British Council

Oct. 1994 – Sept. 1997 : Commonwealth Academic Staff Scholarship Tenable at

University of Starthclyde, U.K.

24 June 1993 : Best Working Paper in Faculty Research Seminar

# PROFESIONAL EXPERIENCE

April 2009 – present : Dean of Research, Materials and Manufacturing

Research Alliance, UTM

8 Dec. 2009 – 11 Dec. 2009 : Visiting Professor, Nagoya Institute of Technology, Japan

8 July -18 July 2009 : Guest Professor, Meji University, Tokyo, Japan

November – December 2008 : Visiting Academic, Imperial College London

15 June – 2 July 2008 : Visiting Academic, Imperial College London

Nov. 2006-Feb. 2007 : Visiting Academic, Imperial College London



May 2002 – present : International Advisory Board, Membrane Science and

Technology Research Center, Prince of Songkla, Hat Yai, Thailand.

October 2002 – present : Professor at Department of Gas Eng., UTM

Jan. 1999 - September 2002 : Associate Professor at Department of Gas Eng., UTM

15 Aug. 1998 – Aug. 2000 : Head of Gas Engineering Department, UTM

15 August 1998 – Dec., 1998 : Lecturer of Gas Eng. Department, UTM

April 1994 – August 1998 : Lecturer of Department of Polymer and Gas Eng., UTM

July 1990 – March 1993 : Research Officer, (Petronas-UTM Collaborative

Research Project)

Jan. 1990 – June 1990 : Research Assistant at Faculty of Chemical & Natural Resources

Engineering, UTM.

June 1989 – Dec. 1989 : Application Engineer, Tech Lab Sdn. Bhd.

# JOURNAL EDITOR/EDITORIAL BOARD/ADVISORY PANEL

1. Editor, Desalination, 1 December 2010 – present

- 2. Editorial Board Member, Desalination, June 2009 30 November, 2010
- 3. Editorial Board Member, Journal of Ruber Research, Malaysian Rubber Borad, 2008-present
- 4. Editorial Board Member, Membrane Water Treatment, Jan 2009-present
- 5. Guest Editor, Special Issue Honoring Takeshi Matsuura, Desalination, October 2009
- 6. Advisory Panel for The IEM Journal, May 2010- present
- 7. Scientific Editor, International Journal of Science and Engineering
- Editor-in-Chief, Journal of Advanced Membrane Science and Technology, Penerbit UTM, 2005- present
- 9. Guest Editor, Jurnal Teknologi
- 10. Editorial Board Member, Jurnal Teknologi, August 2010- present

# ADMINISTRATIVE EXPERIENCE

#### FACULTY LEVEL

20 March 2012 : Speaker, Research Methodology Course.

4 Oct 2010 – 3 Oct 2012 : Member of Facilities Management, Faculty of Petroleum and

Renewable Energy Engineering

4 Oct 2010 – 3 Oct 2012 : Member of Human Resource Development, Faculty of Petroleum

and Renewable Energy Engineering

7 Mei 2010 : Faculty Panel of Evaluation, for promotion exercise to Associate

Proffesorship (Gred DS54)

15 August 1998 – June 2010 : Board of Faculty Member, Faculty of Chemical and Natural

Resources Engineering.



August 2010 – present : Board of Faculty Member, Faculty of Petroleum and

Renewable Energy Engineering.

15 August 1998 – August 2000 : Head of Gas Engineering Department, Faculty of

Chemical & Natural Resources Engineering, UTM

November 2004-present : Member, Screening Panel for Professorship Promotion

November 2004-present : Member, Screening Panel for Associate Professorship Promotion

November 2004-present : Member, Screening Panel for Senior Lecturer Promotion (DS52)

October 2004-September 2006: Faculty Committee Member, Quality Teaching and Learning

April 2002 – present : Head of Membrane Research Unit (Advanced Membrane Technology Research

Center (AMTEC)

April 2002 – present : Head of Gas Engineering Research Laboratory

Oct. 1997 – August 1998 : Coordinator of Research Project, Department of Polymer and Gas Engineering

Oct. 1997 – present : Committee member of Post Graduate Studies, Faculty of Chemical

& Natural Resources Engineering

Oct. 1993 – Sept. 1994 : Coordinator of Undergraduate and Postgraduate Students Seminar, Department of Polymer

and Gas Engineering

Nov. 1993 – Sept. 1994 : Committee member of Faculty Publication and Documentation

June 1993 – Sept. 1994 : Coordinator of Faculty Basic Eng. Laboratory,

April 1993 – Sept. 1994

Gas Engineering

Coordinator of Publication and Documentation, Department of Polymer and

Jan. 1990 – March 1993 : Involved in setting up of Membrane Research Unit (MRU) Research facilities

and administration

December 14 – 15, 1992 : Coordinator of Workshop in Numerical Methods in

Engineering, Organized by Membrane Research Unit,

Head of UTM Task Force on Center of Excellent (COE) Research

# UNIVERSITY LEVEL

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1. 26 March 2012 : Speaker, "Writing Review Paper" Workshop for Faculty of Bioscinece and Bioeingineering

15 February 2012 : Panel of Evaluator for Vice Chancelor Innovation Award 2012 (AINC2012)

February 2012–2020 Structure

4. February 2012–2020 : Head of UTM Task Force on Publication in High Impact Factor

Journal

5. 20 October 2010 – present : Committee Member, UTM Value Creation Committee

6. August 2011 – present : Chairman of UTM Senior Professor Promotion Evaluation



#### Committee

7. August 2010 - present : Head of UTM Task Force for High Impact Center of Excellent

(HICoE)

8. 27 September 2010– Present : Senate Member of UTM

9. October 2010 – Nov. 2012 : Committee Member (Senate Representative), Evaluation Panel for

**UTM Chair Professors** 

10. April 2010 : Committee Member, Criteria for UTM Academic Staff Promotion

Excercise

11. 1 November 2009 – : Committee Member of Task Force for 31 Oktober 2011 Preparation

of Master of Science (Gas Engineering & Management)

12. October 2009- present : Committe Member for 'Professor Inaugeral Lecture Professor'

13. 2 September 2009- present : Distinguished Academic Fellow, UTM Student Affair

14. Jun 2009 – Present : Faculty Representative to University Council of Professors

15. June 2003-Jan. 2008 : Senat Member of UTM

16. December 2010-present : Senate Member of UTM

17. March 2011- present : Champion Council under Key Focus Area (KFA) Research and

Innovation

18. March 2008 – March 2009 : Head of Panel for Profesional Development Module for Educationan

Srevices Scheme (Skim Perkhidmatan Pendidikan) Gred DS45/TK3 and Gred DS45/TK5

19. June 2005 - June 2007 : Committee Member for Energy Focus group

20. June 2005-June 2007 : Technical Committee Member for Intellectual Property

21. March 2005 : Internal Evaluation Committee for Energy Focus Group for

Coordination Workshop, IRPA Research Project.

22. March 2005 : Internal Evaluation Committee for Chemical and Biotechnology

Focus Group for Coordination Workshop, IRPA Research Project

23. March 2005 : Evaluation Committee for Working Paper in National and

International Journal Award, Quality Day,

UTM Press.

24. March 2005 : Panel of Judges for Industrial Art and Technology Exhibition

(INATEX) 2005

25. February 2005-present : Faculty representative to ALUMNI University

December 2004 : Speaker/Facilitator Kursus Penilaian Tahap Kecekapan bagi S45/TK3

(Performance Appraisal Course)



27. Mei 2004 : Speaker/Facilitator Kursus Penilaian Tahap Kecekapan bagi DS45/TK3 (Performance Appraisal Course)

28. April 2004 : Speaker/Facilitator Professional Development Course, UTM

 July 2004 : Member, of Evaluation Committee for Coordination Worksop for Research Project IRPA RM 8 IRPA Energy Focus Group, UTM

30. April 2004 : Member, of Evaluation Committee for Coordination Worksop for Research Project IRPA RM 8 IRPA Chemical & Bio Focus Group, UTM

31. November 2004 : Member, Screening Committee for Senior Lecturer Promotion

(DS52)

32. Dec. 2004 : Member, University Research Council

33. June 2004 : Facilitator for Professional Development Course, UTM and

KUITTHO

34. July 2004 : Panel of Judges for Industrial Art and Technology

Exhibition(INATEX) 2004

35. September 2003 : Panel of Judges for Industrial Art and Technology

Exhibition(INATEX) 2003

36. 1 Nov. 1998 – 30 Oct. 2004 : Fellow Kolej Tuanku Canselor

37. Technical Committee : 32<sup>nd</sup> International Exhibition of Invention, New techniques and

Member Products, Geneva 2004 for UTM

38. Technical Committee : 31<sup>st</sup> International Exhibition of Invention, New techniques and

MemberProducts, Geneva 2003 for UTM

39. May 2003-Present : Member, Task Force for University Research Centre

40. March 2003-Present : Group Leader for Research Grant, Task Force Member for RMC

Strategic Planning

41. March 2003-Present : Task Force Member for University Marketing Plan

42. April 2003- Present : Member, Research Methodology Course, UTM

# NATIONAL COMMITTEE

- 1. Appointed as Evaluation Committee Member for Potential Center of Excellent (COE), Malaysian Technical University Network (MTUN). May 2012- present.
- 2. Appointed as Technical & Research Committee Member, Organization of Islamic Countries (OIC)
- 3. Appointed as External Reviewer at Tun Ahmadshah Abdullah Oil & Gas (TAS) Academy, a fully Managed &Wholly Owned by UMSLink-SilverKris Sdn Bhd. (1 April 2012- 30 March 2014)
- Appointed as Panel of Judges for Creation, Innovation, Technology and Research Exposition (CITREx 2012), Universiti Malaysia Pahang, (20 Marc 2012).
- 5. Appointed as Expert Panel for Evaluation of R,D&C Grant, Ministry of Science, Technology and Innovation (MOSTI) (11 November 2011-present)
- 6. Appointed as Head of ASM Water Research and Development Agenda (November 2011)
- 7. Appointed as Member of The ASM Water Committee, Academi Sains Malaysia, (2011-April 2013)



- 8. Appointed as External Examiner for Faculty of Chemical Engineering, Universiti Teknologi Mara (UiTM) for 2 years (1 Mac 2010 28 Februari 2012)
- 9. Appointed as External Examiner for Promotion Exercise of Academic Staff at Universiti Malaysia Terengganu. (UMT), 30 November 2009 29 November 2012
- 10. Speaker/Fasilitator for Training of Trainers workshop (TOT) Research Proposal Evaluation, Universiti Malaysia Terengganu., June 2010.
- 11. Committee Member for Malaysia Nanotechnology Society, April 2010 present
  - 12. National Advisory Committee for 4<sup>th</sup> World Engineering Congress (WEC) 2010 from 2-5 August 2010, Kuching, Sarawak.
- 13. Panel of Judges for Bioinno Awards 2009, 17 November 2009, Kuala Lumpur Convention Centre.
- 14. Panel of Judges for Exhibition and competition Industrial Art & Technology Exhibition (INATEX) 2009, October 2009, UTM.
- 15. Panel of Judges for Invention and Innovation competition in Expo Science and Technology 2009
- 16. Assistant Secretary, (Founding Member), Malaysian Nanotechnology Association. (2007- April 2010)
- 17. Expert Committee for IRPA Priorities Research Concept Paper: Development of Wound Management Product from Chitosan Derivatives, 2007
- External Evaluation Committee for IRPA Project (EAR) for Manufacturing & Construction Sector KUSTEM, 2005
- Deputy Chairman, IPTA Working Committee for Exhibition and Award, August 2005- 2 October 2005.
- Program Adviser, IRPA Top-Down Priorities Research (PR) RM8 for the project entitled: The Development of Polymer-Based Carbon Fibre, 2005-2009
- 21. Panel of Judges for Invention and Innovation competition in Expo Science and Technology 2007
- 22. Panel of Judges for Invention and Innovation competition in Expo Science and Technology 2006
- 23. Panel of Judges for Invention and Innovation competition in Expo Science and Technology 2005
- 24. Panel of Judges for Invention and Innovation competition in Expo Science and Technology 2004
- 25. Deputy Chairman, Fuel Cell Subcommittee, National Energy Center March 2003-present
- 26. Panel of Judges for Invention and Innovation competition in Expo Science and Technology 2003
  - 27. Panel of Judges for Invention and Innovation competition in Expo Science and Technology 2002



#### INTERNATIONAL COMMITTEE

- 1. Scientific Committee of the 1st International Conference on Desalination using Membrane Technology (MEMDES) in Sitges, Spain, 7-10 April 2013.
- 2. Chairperson of International Symposium on Materials Characterization and Processing, 7-12 July 2012, Sunway Resort Hotel & Spa, Kuala Lumpur, Malaysia.
- Organizing Committee for 8th International Materials Technology Conference and Exhibition (IMTCE 3. 2012), 12 July 2012, Sunway Resort Hotel & Spa, Kuala Lumpur, Malaysia National Advisory Committee Member, 2<sup>nd</sup> International Conference on Biotechnology Engineering
- 4. (ICBioE'11), May 17-19, 2011, Kuala Lumpur.
- 5. Technical Advisory Panel for International Conference of Chemical Engineering and Industrial Biotechnology, 28 November – 1 December 2011, Universiti Malaysia Pahang, Malaysia.
- 6. Chairman of the Organizing Committe for International Membrane Science and Technology Conference, (MST 2009), Malaysia.
- 7. Advisory Committee Member, International Graduate Conference in Science and Engineering, 2008, Malaysia
- 8. Scientific Committee Member for Membrane Science and Technology 2008, Thailand
- 9 Technical Committee Member for Membrane Science and Technology 2006, Singapore
- 10. Scientific Committee Member for Membrane Science and Technology 2005, Indonesia
- Chairman of the Organizing Committe for Membrane Science and Technology 2004, Malaysia 11.
- 12. Technical Committee Member for Membrane Science and Technology 2003, Thailand

#### TEACHING EXPERIENCES

#### **Undergraduate Courses Taught**

Membrane Gas Separation Technology Mechanics of Materials Fuel Technology and Combustion Numerical Methods for Chemical Engineering **Engineering Mechanics** Gas Processing Materials Science Fluid Mechanics Laboratory Fuel Testing Laboratory Gas Testing Laboratory Basic Engineering Laboratory.

# Postgraduate Courses taught

MKK 1523: Membrane Separation Processes (offered every semester)

#### EXTERNAL ASSESSOR FOR PROFERSORSHIP EXCERCISE

- 1. Assoc. Prof. Dr. Abu Bakar Mohammad, National Universiti of Malaysia (UKM)
- 2. Assoc. Prof. Dr. Ku Halim Ku Hamid, Universiti Teknologi Mara (UiTM)
- 3. Assoc. Prof. Ir. Dr. Abdul Wahab Mohammd, Universiti Kebangsaan Malaysia (UKM)
- 4. Assoc. Prof. Dr. Abdul Amir Hassan Kadhum, Universiti Kebangsaan Malaysia (UKM)
- 5. Assoc. Prof. Dr. Osman Hassan, Universiti Kebangsaan Malaysia (UKM)
- 6. Assoc. Prof. Dr. Sobri Takrif, Universiti Kebangsaan Malaysia (UKM)



7. Assoc. Prof. Dr. Sharifah Aishah Syed Abdul Kadir, Universiti Teknologi Mara (UiTM)

# EXTERNAL ASSESSOR FOR ASSOCIATE PROFERSORSHIP EXCERCISE

- 1. Dr. Azmi Mohd Shariff, Univeriti Teknologi Petronas (UTP)
- 2. Dr. Kamarul Ariffin Amminudin, Univeriti Teknologi Petronas (UTP)
- 3. Dr. Zakaria Man, Universiti Teknologi Petronas (UTP)
- 4. Dr. Suraya Abdul Rashid, Universiti Putra Malaysia (UPM)
- 5. Dr. Mohd Omar Abdullah, Universiti Malaysia Sarawak (UMS)

#### INTERNAL ACESSOR FOR PROFESSORS/ASSOC. PROFESSORS/DS 52/DS54

- 1. Panel of assessors for promotional exercise, Faculty of Chemical and Natural Resources Eng., 2002
- Panel of assessors for promotional exercise, Faculty of Chemical and Natural Resources Eng., 2003
- 3. Panel of assessors for promotional exercise, Faculty of Chemical and Natural Resources Eng., 2004
- 4. Panel of assessors for promotional exercise, Faculty of Mechanical Eng., 2004
- Panel of assessors for promotional exercise (Professor), Faculty of Chemical and Natural Resources Eng.,
   2005
- 6. Panel of assessors for promotional exercise (Professor), Faculty of Mechanical Eng., 2005
- 7. Panel of assessors for promotional exercise (Assoc. Professor), Faculty of Mechanical Eng., 2005

#### SUPERVISION OF VISITING PROFESSORS

- Prof. Takeshi Matsuura, University of Ottawa, Canada, January July 2007; February 2009 August 2009, April 2010- October 2010, June 2011- November 2011,
- 2. Prof. Dr. Kang Li, Imperial College, London, July 2007- September 2007, August 2008 September 2008; December 2008-Jan. 2009; 17 November 2009- 9 December 2009, March 2010- May 2010.
- 3. Asocc. Prof. Dr. Arun Isloor, National Institute of Technology-Karnataka, Surathkal, Mangalore, India. Dec 2011, March 2012
- 4. Dr. Kailash C. Khulbe, University of Ottawa, Canada, February 2012 April2012.

### PROFESSIONAL MEMBERSHIP AND RECOGNITION

- 1. Member, American Chemical Society, Membership No.: 30265866
- 2. Charetered Chemical Engineer, CEng (UK), April 2011.
- 3. Member, Institution of Chemical Engineers, UK (IChemE), Membership No: 99928853, April 2011.
- 4. Member, Malaysian Invention and Design Society (MINDS) (1999 present)



- 5. Member, American Chemical Society (October 2010-present)
- 6. Member, Malaysian Association of Research Scientist (MARS) (2007-present)
- 7. Assistant Secretary, (Founding Member) Malaysian Nanotechnology Association, (March 2007 April 2101).
- 8. Committee Member for Malaysia Nanotechnology Society, April 2010 present

#### RESEARCH ACHIEVEMENTS

#### Patent Granted

- A. F. Ismail and S. J. Shilton, International Patent entitled "Super selective hollow fiber membranes" (US Patent 6,521,025 B1)
- A. F. Ismail and S. J. Shilton, International Patent entitled "Super selective hollow fiber membranes" European Patent (WO00/27512)

#### Patent Filed/Disclosure

- Ahmad Fauzi Ismail, Ng Be Cheer, Mohd Sohaimi Abdullah, Chan Fook Kiong, Polysulfone Hollow fiber Membranes Oxygen enrichment System, (PI 20041881)
- Ahmad Fauzi Ismail, Lai Ping Yean, Defect-free and high Performance uncoated Asymmetric polysulfone membranes for Gas Separation Process (PI 2006 0628)
- 3. **Ahmad Fauzi Ismail**, Ng Be Cheer, Mohd Sohaimi Abdullah, Apparatus for Casting Flat Sheet Membrane (PI 2004 5431)
- 4. **Ahmad Fauzi Ismail**, Rosli Illias, Osman Hassan, Mimi Sakinah, Enzymatic Membrane Reactor (EMR) System for Cyclodextrin Production (PI 2007 1347).
- Ahmad Fauzi Ismail, Juhana Jaafar, Azeman Mustafa, Mohd Hafiz Dzarfan Othman, A Novel Sulfonated Poly (Ether Ether Ketone) (SPEEK) Membrane for Direct Methanol Fuel Cell (DMFC), Malaysia Patent (PI 2007 2252).
- 6. **Ahmad Fauzi Ismail**, Mohd Hafiz Dzarfan Othman, Azeman Mustafa, Juhana Jaafar, SPEEK/BPO<sub>4</sub> Composite Membrane for Direct Methanol Fuel Cell (DMFC), Malaysia Patent.
- Ahmad Fauzi Ismail, Madzlan Aziz, Mohammad Abdul Raziz Saidi, Suhaila Sanip, Ng Be Cheer and Mohd Sohaimi Abdullah, Direct Current Plasma Enhanced Chamical Vapour deposition for Carbon Nanostructured Growth. (PI2009 0588)
- Ahmad Fauzi Ismail, Madzlan Aziz, Suhaila sanip, Carbon Nanotube Metal Composite for Hydrogen Adsorption. (PI2009 0535)
- Ahmad Fauzi Ismail, Tutuk Djoko Kusworo, Azeman Mustafa, A hybrid mixed matrix composite membrane (PI2008 1016)
- 10. **Ahmad Fauzi Ismail**. Rosli Ilias, Mohd. Idham Mustafa, Mohd Sohaimi Abdullah. Effect of dope extrusion rate on morphology and performance of hollow fibres membranes for ultrafiltration PI2008 2020
- 11. **Ahmad Fauzi Ismail**, Ng Be Cheer, Mohd Sohaimi Andullah A conveyor drive membrane casting system for formation of asymmetric membrane, PI2009 1383



- 12. **Ahmad Fauzi Ismail**, Mukhlis Abd. Rahman, Mohd Sohaimi Abdullah, Dayang Salyani Abang Mahmud, Ng Be Cheer.- Solvent Free Coagulation Bath for Dry-Jet Wet Spinning Polyacrylonitrile/Acrylamide Fiber (PI 2010 002109)
- 13. **Ahmad Fauzi Ismail,** Muhammad Noorul Anam Mohd Norddin, Charged-sulfonated polyether ether ketone (speek) membrane for fuel cell technology (PI2011 000686)
- 14. **Ahmad Fauzi Ismail**, Amir Mansourizadeh, Mohd Sohaimi Abdullah, Ng Be Cheer- M-Contactor: Smart membrane for CO<sub>2</sub> removal (PI2011 000661)
- 15. **Ahmad Fauzi Ismail**, Hatijah Basri, Madzlan Aziz, Suhaila Mohd Sanip, Mohd Sohaimi Abdullah, Ng Be Cheer- Anti *E.coli* hybrid membrane (PI2011 000663)

# POSTGRADUATE SUPERVISION

#### PhD Student

Ian Sharpe(Graduated, 2002)

The Isolation and Study of rheological and Mass Transfer Parameters in The Spinning of Advanced Hollow Fiber Membranes for Gas Separation.

(joint supervision with Dr. S. J. Shilton from University of Strathclyde, Scotland,

Ani Idris (graduated, 2002)

Developmet of novel asymmetric hollow fiber reverse osmosis membrane for biometerial application

- Ramlah Tajuddin (Graduated, 2006)
   Development of Novel Immersed Membrane System for Wastewater Treatment
- Mohd Fadil Abdul Wahab (Graduated 2012)
   Development of Mixed Matrix Membrane for Gas Separation
- Tutuk Joko Kusworo (Graduated, 2008)
   Formation and Characterization of Zeolite-filled Polyimide Membrane for Gas Separation
- Zularisham Abdul Wahab (Graduated, 2008)
  Development and Optimization of Ultrafiltration Submerged Membrane Reactor for Surface
  Water Treatment
- Mimi Sakinah Abdul Munaim (Graduated, 2008)
   Development of Enzymatic Membrane Reactor for the Production, Separation and Purification of Cyclodextrin from Tapioca Starch
- Iwan Ratman (Graduated, 2009)
   Methodological Development for Reducing Foaming in Amine Base Carbon Dioxide Removal System
- Tee Jia Chee
   Production and Characterization of Pure Multi-Walled Carbon Nanotubes Using Catalytic Chemical Vapour Deposition for Hydrogen Storage
- Nurmin Bolong (Graduated, 2010)
   Development of Nanofiltration membrane for the removal of Endocrine disrupting Chemicals in domestic wastewater

Lau Woei Jye (Graduated, 2009)

11.

	Preparation, characterization and performance evaluation of PES/SPEEK blend membrane for salt and colour removal
12.	Muhd. Noorul Anam Mohd. Norddin (Graduated, 2010) Preparation, Characterization and performance evaluation of polymer electrolyte membrane blended with charged surface modifying
13	Amer Mansourizadeh (Graduated, 2010) Development of hollow fiber membrane contactors for $CO_2$ removal
14.	Hatijah Basri (Graduated 2012) Development of hybrid antibacterial nanofiltration membrane for environmental application
15.	Juhana Jaafar (Graduated 2011) Development and characterization of SPEEK-Montmorillonite (MMT) clay Nanocomposite membrane for Direct Methanol Fuel Cells
16.	Devaraj Verasamy (Graduated, 2010) Fouling Studies on Natural Rubber Skim Latex Recovery Using Integrated Ultrafiltration Membrane System
17.	Suhaila Sanip (Graduated 2011) Preparation and Characterization of mixed matrix membrane based on CNT for gas energy storage
18.	Goh Pei Sean (Graduated 2012) Functionalization and metal deposition of CNT for gas separation
19.	Norhaniza Yusof Dvelopment of new solvent-free coagulation process for the production of polyacrylonitrile-based carbon fiber
20.	Wan Norharyati Wan Salleh (Graduated 2012) Carbon Hollow Fiber Membrane for Gas Purification
23	Seyed Abdollatif Hashemifard (Graduated 2011) Development of Hybrid Membranes System for Acid Gas Removal
24	Budiyono (Graduated 2010) Development of Mixed Matrix Membrane for Biogas Separation
25	Erna Yuliawati (Graduated 2012) Treatment of produced water using ultrafiltration membrane
26	Agung Mataram Development of PAN-based carbon fiber using electrospinning technique
28	Mohammad Aroon (Graduated, 2010) Preparation and Characterization of CNT-Based Mixed Matrix for Gas Separation
29	Gulam Reza Bekary (Graduated, 2010) Development of PVDF Hollow Fiber Membrane Contactor for Acid Gas Removal
30	Masoud Rahbari Sisakht Development of Novel cSMM Based Membrane for Gas Separation
31	Ng Be Cheer  Development and Optimization of Membrane and Membrane System for Acid Gas Removal

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Rosmawati Naim

	Development and Optimization of Hollow fiber membrane and Membrane Contactors for CO <sub>2</sub> removal
33	Norasyikin Misdan Development of Novel Surface modified TFC Reverse Osmosis Membrane for Water Desalination
34.	Farahdila Khan Kadir Khan Plasticization Studies of Membranes for High Pressure Mixed Gas for ${\rm CO_2}$ removal from Natural Gas
35.	Muhammad Zaini Yunos Development of Novel Membrane Material for Aqous Phase Separation.
36.	Wan Nurul Izyan Wan Azelee Enhancement of Bacterial Growth in Hollow Fiber Membrane
37.	Rohaida Che Man Application of Membrane Technology for Enzym purification
38.	Nadzirah Mohd Mokhtar Develoment of Novel Membrane for Membrane Distillation Process
39.	Noor Aina Mohd Nazri Hollow Fiber Ultrafitration Membrane for Wastewater Treatment
40.	Masood Rezaei Dasht Arhandi Devleopment of Novel Mixed Matrix Membrane Material for Membrane Contactor for Gas Separation
41.	Shaya Mahmoudian Regenerated Cellulose/Montmorillonite Nanocomposite Fibers
42.	Nik Abdul Hadi Sapiaa@ Md. Nordin High Pressure CO <sub>2</sub> /CH <sub>4</sub> Mixed Gas Separation Performance Using Polysulfone Hollow Fiber Membranes
43.	Zulhairun Abdul Karim Effect of Heavy Hydrocarbon Content on the Performance of High Pressure CO <sub>2</sub> /CH <sub>4</sub> Mixed Gas Separation Performance Using Polysulfone Hollow Fiber
44.	Rasoul Jamshidi Gohari Effect of Purified Multiwalled CNT on the Performance of Mixed Matrix Membranes for Liquid-Liquid Phase Separation
45.	Maizura Ismail Development of Novel Mixed Matrix Membrane for Mixed Natul Gas Separation
46.	Dariush Gholamreza Development of Novel Nanofiltration Membrane for Heavy Metal Removal
47.	Nur Aimee Abdullah Sani Polyphenylsulfone Hollow Fiber Membrane for Organic Solvent Nanofiltration
48.	Farhana Aziz Surface Modification of Organic Solar Cell for Stand alone PV Solar System



#### MSc. Student

- Ammar Saad (Graduated)
   Study of the rate of Combustion flame (Graduated in 1995)
- Cheng See Yuan (Graduated, 2005)
   Establishing the relationship between properties of packaging materials and the processing window of the Form-Fill-Seal machine with heat bar sealing method.
- Nalini A/P Sangaran Kutty (Graduated, 2006)
   Study of the factors influencing the strength and the durability of the potting up resin used in the production of hollow fiber gas separation membrane.
- 4. Ng Be Cheer (Graduated, 2006))

  Development of polysulfone asymmetric membrane using pneumatically-controlled membrane casting system and the study of the effects of shear rate and forced convection residence time on gas separation membrane performance.
- Chan Fook Kiong (Graduated, 2005)
   Oxygen enrichment into wastewater treatment aeration tanks using selective permeation membranes.
- Lim Pooh Choon (Graduated, 2005)
   Devlopment of Membrane Gas Separation Network
- 7. Lai Ping Yean (Graduated, 2005)

  Development of ultrathin-skinned and high performance asymmetric membrane for gas separation
- Lorna Wong (Graduated)
   Effect of penetrant induced plasticization on the performance of asymmetric membrane for gas separation.
- David Lee Ik Bing (Graduated, 2005)
   Development of carbon hollow fiber membrane for gas separation
- Khoo Chong Teak (Graduated, 2007)
   Development of tropicalized lead acid battery using membrane technology
- Rosmawati Naim (Graduated, 2007)
   Preparation and Characterization of Sulphonated Polysulfone Membranes for Proton Exchange Membrane
   Fuel Cell (PEMFC)
- Nor Aida Zubir (Graduated, 20067
   Preparation and Characterization of Radiation Grafted Polysulfone Membrane for Proton Exchange Membrane Fuel Cell (PEMFC)
- 13. Syed Mohd Saufi Tuan Kecik (Graduated, 2006)
  Effects of Fabrication Conditions on the Performance of Carbon Hollow Fiber Membrane for Gas Separation
- Suhana Jalil (Graduated, 2006)
   Development of Nanofiltration Polyethersulfone Hollow Fiber Membrane for Enzyme Purification"
- Suhaina Mohd. Ibrahim (Graduated, 2006)
   Effects of Module Configuration and Flow Patterns on The performance of O<sub>2</sub>/N<sub>2</sub> Hollow Fiber Membrane Separation System
- 16. Norida Ridzuan (Graduated, 2006)



Effect of Additive in Coagulation Medium on the Structure and Separation Performance of Asymmetric Membrane for Gas Separation

17. Sunarti Abd. Rahman (Graduated, 2006)

Development of High Performance Cellulose Acetate Membrane for Gas Separation

18. Mohd Idham Mustaffar (Graduated, 2006)

Development of Ultrafiltration Membrane for Enzyme Separation

19. Wan Ahmad Hafiz Wan Hassan (Graduated, 2006)

Preparation and Characterization of Asymmetric Gas Separation Membrane for Tropical Lead Acid Battery Application

21. Norshahnawal Yaacob (Graduated, 2005)

Development of Hollow Fiber Membrane System for Carbon Dioxide/Methane Gas Separation Process

20. Tee Jia Chee (Graduated)

Synthesis and Characterization of Carbon Nanotube for Hdrogen Storage

22. Mohd Hafiz Dzarfan (Graduated, 2007)

Synthesis and Characterization of polymer/inorganic composite membrane for direct methanol fuel cell (DMFC) application.

23. Rehan Adnee Abdul Rahim (Graduated, August 2008)

Development of mixed matrix composite membrane for CO<sub>2</sub>/CH<sub>4</sub> gas separation

24. Mohd Syukri Abd. Rahaman (Graduated, 2007)

Development high performance carbon/graphite fiber from polyacrylonitrile (PAN) precursor.

25. Mukhlis A. Rahman (Graduated, 2007)

Optimization of polyacrylonitrile (PAN) fiber fibrication process using dry-wet spinning for the production of PAN based carbon fiber.

26. Juhana Jaafar (Graduated, 2007)

Formation and characterization of sulfonated poly (eter ether ketone) for direct methanol fuel cell (DMFC) application.

27. Wan Rafizah (Graduated, 2007)

Effect of water vapor presence in CO<sub>2</sub>/CH<sub>4</sub> gas feeds on performance of carbon molecular sieve-mixed matrix membranes.

30. Nur Hidayati Othman (Graduated, August 2008)

Development and Characterization of mixed matrix membrane for direct methanol fuel cell

31. Nurul Saadah Abu Bakar (Graduated, 2010)

Development of third generation high performance hybrid membrane for effective removal of greenhouse gases from hydrocarbon gas mixtures

32. Farhana Aziz (Graduated, 2010)

Development of mixed-matrix membrane for hydrocarbon gas purification

33. Mohd Raziz Saidin (Graduated, 2010)

Effect of synthesis gas ratio and process parameters on the production of carbon nanotubes via plasma enhanced chemical vapour deposition system

34. Dayang Salyani (Graduated, 2011)

Preparation and characterization of polyacrylonitrile fibers as a precursor for carbon fiber production

Mohd Azwar Azhari



Development of Mixed Matrix Membrane to Remove Carbon Dioxide from Natural Gas Stream

36.	Nur Atiqah Binti Abdul Hamid (Graduated 2011)
	Removal of Natural Organic Matter Using Membrane Surface Water Treatment Process

- Nurul Hanan Abd Rahim (Graduated, 2011)
   Preparation and Characterization of Novel Carbon Nanotube filled Mixed Matrix Membrane for Hydrocarbon Gas Purification
- 38. Safia Syazana Binti Moktar (Graduated 2011)
  Preparation and Characterization of Sulfonated Poly(Ether Ether Ketone) For Direct Methanol Fuel Cell Application
- 39. Mohd Hanif Mohammad Halim
  Preparation and Characterization of Multi layer Coating Hollow Fiber Membrane for CO<sub>2</sub>/CH<sub>4</sub> Separation
- 40. Wan Nurul Ffazida Wan Mustapa
   Preparation and Characterization of Mixed Matrix Membrane for Mixed Gas Separation
- 41. Rafiqah Ismail
  Polyacrylonitrile Membrane for Palm Oil Effluent Treatment
- 42. Ali Moslehyani
  Effect of Filler Types on the Performance of Mixed Matrix Membranes for Gas Separation
- 43. Amirhossein Naddafian
  Preparation and Characterization of Charged Nanofiltration Membrane for Wastewater Treatment
- 44. Elnaz Halakoo
  Preparation and Characterization of Ultrafiltration Membrane for Wastewater Treatment
- 45. Hamid Ilbeygi
  Preparation and Characterization of Sulphonated Polyether ether ketone Membrane for DMFC
- Arief Denesfar
   Natural Organic Removal using Ultrafiltration Membrane
- 47. Ong Chi Siang
  Submerged Membrane Photocatalytic Reactor for Oil Refinery Wastewater
- 48. Alireza Miyahi
  Formation and Characterization of Sulphonated Polyerther ether ketone Membrane for Direct Methanol Fuel
  Cell.
- Nur Iedrilla Rahman
   Removal of Free Fatty acid from Crude Palm using Membrane Technology

# POSTGRADUATE EXAMINATION /VIVA

#### **UTM STUDENTS/VIVA**

- 1. Examiner (to convert MSc to PhD) for the thesis entitled "A study on synthesis of sodium citrate from citric acid and sodium salts using electrodialysis membranes" by Ling Lay Pee
- 2. Chairman of the MSc. Viva Panels for Ngunyen Man Hung



- 3. First Stage Examination (MSc) for the thesis entitled "Conversion and concentration of sodium citrate to citric acid using Electrodialysis" by Chew Boon Chong
  - 4. Chairman of the Examination Panels for the MSc thesis entitled "Treatment of printing wastewater using combination of chemical treatment and aerobic SBR" by Ng Ink Hock
- 5. First Stage Examination for the MSc. thesis entitled "Selective process for silver extraction from photographic waste" by Yuliasman
- 6. First Stage Examination for the MSc. thesis entitled "The development of gas metering calibration system for domestic meter" by Liaw Kim Kiat
- 7. First Stage Examination for the PhD thesis entitled "citrate from citric acid separation using electrodialysis with BERL ion exchange membranes" by Ling Lay Pee
- 8. First Stage Examination for the PhD thesis entitled "Pervaporation dehydration of isopropanol-water system using a locally-produced chitosan based membranes" by Hashim Hassan.
- 9. Chairman for MSc. Viva Panels for Muhammad Noorul Anam Mohd. Ghazali
- 10. First Stage Examination for the MSc thesis to Ashaari Mohammad
- 11. First Stage Examination for the MSc thesis to Ruzinah Isha
- 12. First Stage Examination for the MSc thesis to Tutuk Djoko Kusworo
- 13. First Stage Examination for the MSc thesis to Shameed Ashraf
- 14. First Stage Examination for the MSc thesis to Nur Amzira
- 15. First Stage Examination for the MSc thesis to Rosiah Rohani
- 16. First Stage Examination for the MSc thesis to Tengku Ida Sofina
- 17. Chairman (for conversion MSc to PhD) for the thesis entitled "Reactive Extraction of antibiotics from" by Lau Shiew Wei

# PhD EXTERNAL EXAMINER

- Mohd Roslee Othman
  - Kajian Pemisahan Membran-Membran Tak Organik, USM, 2002
- Nora'aini Ali
  - Kajian Pengaruh Ciri-Ciri Membran Penurasan Nano Ke atas Prestasi dan kos Sistem pemisahan, USM, 2003
- 3. Ooi Boon Seng
  - Development of Polymeric Composit Nanofiltration Membrane: Synthesis, Characterization and its Evaluation on Copper Sulfate Rejection, 2005.
- 4. Rahmah Mohamed

Application. UPM 2005.

- Sintesis, Pencirian dan Fabrikasi Pandu Gelombang Polimer Untuk Kegunaan Peranti Fotonik, UKM 2005
- Muataz Ali Atieh Hussien
   Synthesis and Characterization of Carbon Nanotubes and Carbon Nanofibers for Nanocomposites



- Leo Choe Peng
   Bimodal Porous Ceramic Membranes Via Nanosizwd Polystyrene Templating: Synthesis, Characterization and Performance Evaluation, USM 2008
- Amilia Linggawati
   Pembuatan Membran Hibrid Nilon 66 dengan kaedah Alur Elecktron dan Penciriannya, UKM 2009.
- Yeong Yin Fong
   Silicalite-1 Membrane: Sythesis, Modification, Characterization and its Performance for the Reactive Separation of Para-Xylene from Xylene Isomers, USM, 2010
- Indok Nurul Hasyimah Mohd Amin Membrane Fouling during the Clasrification of Glycerine-rich Solution, UKM, 2012
- Nurhayati Melon
   Hydrodynamics and Separation Performance Analysis of Horizontal, Inline, Swirl Tube Separator for Natural Gas Water Separation for Potential Offshore Application, UTP, 2012
- Chiang Siu Hua Simultaneous Extractioon and Stripping of CU(II) through Vegetable Oil-Based Bulk Liquid Membrane USM, 2012
- Nurandani Hardyanti
   Development of Decentralized domestic Sewage Treatment System using Membrane Biorector, UMP (2012)

# MSc EXTERNAL EXAMINER

- Anthony Mariada, Reduction of Membrane Fouling Using Helical Baffles for Crossflow Microfiltration, USM, 2003
- Fathiah Mohd Zuki, Removal of Chromium ions from Aqueous Solutions by Polymer-Enhanced Ultrafiltration, UM 2005
- 3. Norzeeha Mat Rasid, Development and Characterization of (Mg-Al) hgrolalcite-Alumina Using Sol Gel Technique for Carbon Dioxide Adsorption
- 4. Christina Varqis @ John Varqis, Synthesis and Chracterization of Carbon Nanotubes-Coated Carbon Fibers by Chemical Vapour Deposition Whiskerization Treatment, UPM July 2007
- 5. Sofiah Hamzah, Synthesis and Characterization f Polymeric Based Asymmetric Ultrafiltration Membrane for Lysozyme Separation Towards Biotechnology Development, UMT, 9 November 2009
- 6. Siti Norazian Ismail (GS16994), Investigation of floating Catalyst CVD for Development of CNT-Coated Carbon Fibre Reinforced Composite, UPM,2010
- 7. Amin Firouzi (GS20451), Investigation on Effect of Gas Adsorption On Electrical Resistance Of Carbon Nanotubes, UPM 2010
- 8. Ong Yit Thai, Effects of Dispersion and Alignment of Carbone Nanotubes for Pervaporation Polymeric Membrane, USM 2010.
- 9. Munawar Shahruddin (EH780 UiTM)
  The Development of Composite Reverse Osmosis Membrane in Treating Oily wastewater from Oil Refinery



# MSc INTERNAL EXAMINER

- Law Jeng Yih, The Concentration of Sodium Salicylate and Conversion of Sodium Salicylic Acid using Electrodialysis Membranes, July 2004.
- 2. Noorhayati Othman, Industrial Research of Pressure and Flow Effects on Ultrasonic Cleaning System (DUCS) to Increase the Efficiency of 0.5 Sintered Stainless Membrane in Oleo Chemical Plant, UTM
- Amgad Ahmed Aly Ibrahim
   Proton Conducting Membrane by Radiation-Induced Grafting of 1-Vinylimidazole onto Poly(ethylene-CO-Tetraflouro ethylene) Film and Phosphoric Acid Doping.

# PhD INTERNAL EXAMINER

- 1. Ling Lay Pee, A Study of Citric Acid and Sodium Citrate recovery in the Electrodialysis Process with Ion exchange Membranes.
- 2. Hashim Hassan, Pervaporation Separation of Isopropanol-Water Mixture Using Locally-Produced Chitosan Based Membranes.
- 3. Khairol Suzana Nor Kamaruddin, synthesis and Chracterization of Zeolite for Gas adsorption Processes.

# FINAL YEAR THESIS PROJECTS SUPERVISED

	Title	Session
1.	Measurement of Gas Permeation through Polymeric Membranes	1989/90
2.	Effect of Pressure and Temperature on Permeation Rates of Pure Gas through Polymeric Membranes	1990/91
3.	Measurement of Gas Permeation Rates through Membrane using Constant Volume Method	1990/91
4.	Prediction of Dual Mode Sorption for Pure Gas through Glassy Polymer using Rigorous Iteration Methods	1990/91

	Title	Session
5.	Effect of Post-Treatment Method on Structure and Gas Permeation Rates	1991/92
6.	Effect of Pore Size and Pore Size Distribution on Gas Permeation Rates	1991/92
7.	Effect of Cellulose Acetate Concentration in Casting Solution on Membrane Performance for the Separation of CO <sub>2</sub> /CH <sub>4</sub>	1991/92
8.	Performance Evaluation of Natural Gas Permeation through The Cellulose Acetate, Cellulose Triacetate and Polyimide Membranes	1991/92



9.	Investigation of The Structure and Mechanical Strength of Hollow Fiber Membrane for Gas Separation	1993/94
10.	Residual Composition Analysis of Liquefied Petroleum Gas for Domestic Utilization	1993/94
11.	Development of spreadsheet Program for Prediction The performance of CO <sub>2</sub> /CH <sub>4</sub> using Hollow Fiber Membrane permeator	1993/94
12.	Optimization of Membrane Gas Separation Program using Hollow Fiber Membrane Simulator	1993/94
13.	Pore size determination in asymmetric membranes for gas separation	1998/99
14.	Effect of shear rate and polymer concentration on the performance of asymmetric membranes for gas separation	1998/99
15.	Time dependency test and its effect on the separation performance of pure $O_2/N_2$ and $H_2/N_2$ systems	1998/99
16.	Study of the ageing phenomena in membranes for gas separation	1998/99
17.	Effects of evaporation time on the skin formation and the separation performance of asymmetric membranes for gas separation	1998/99
18.	Mathematical modelling of gas separation system for the single stage hollow fiber membrane permeator	1998/99
19.	Development of a computer program for determination of a membrane area for hollow fiber and spiral wound membrane configuration	1998/99
20.	Study on the potentiallity of implementing landfill methane recovery technology in Malaysia	1998/99

	Title	Session
21.	Hollow fiber membrane system for CO <sub>2</sub> removal from natural Gas stream: Guideline in the preparation of technical specifications, process design and document preparation for commercial vendors	1998/99
22.	Development of asymmetric flat sheet reverse osmosis membrane for water desalination	1998/99
23.	Determination of pore size for asymmetric membrane for gas separation	1998/99
24.	Casting of reverse osmosis membrane from a polymer Solution: Studies on the effect of shear rate on membrane	1998/99



	performance	
25.	Studies on the effect of thermal history and treatment time on the performance on asymmetric polysulfone membrane for gas separation	1998/99
26.	Effect of drying techniques on membrane permeability and selectivity for gas separation	1998/99
27.	Studies on the effect of coagulation temperature on the performance of asymmetric polysulfone membrane for gas separation	1998/99
28.	Evaluation of polysulfone hollow fiber membrane performance for gas separation	1999/00
29.	Comparative studies on the performance of asymmetric polysulfone flat sheet membrane for coated and uncoated for gas separation	1999/00
30.	Studies on the performance of reverse osmosis membrane: A comparison between experimental and theoretical studies	1999/00
31.	Effect of coating solution concentration on the performance of asymmetric membrane for gas separation	1999/00
32.	Effect of shear rate on the performance of asymmetric membrane for gas separation	1999/00
33.	Determination of defect characteristics in hollow fiber membrane skin layer using gas permeation method	1999/00
34.	The performance of asymmetric polysulfone membrane: Experimental and simulation studies	1999/00
35.	Determination of the Effect of feed pressure and operating Temperature on the performance of hollow fiber membrane in Gas separation	1999/00
36.	Effect of shear rate on the performance of reverse osmosis for Water desalination	1999/00

	Title	Session
37.	Effect of tetrahydrofuran on the performance of reverse osmosis in water desalination	1999/00
38.	Studies of the stray current interference in corrosion prevention on the cathodic protection using sacrificial anode	1999/00
39.	Safety aspects in the manufacturing of unfired pressure vessel	1999/00
40.	Laws and regulation in the manufacturing of liquefied petroleum gas storage	1999/00



41.	Studies on the use of polyester in natural gas filtration processes	1999/00
42.	Studies on hazardous and opearability in sulfur recovery unit in oil refinery plant	1999/00
43.	Inspection of corrosion in offshore gas pipeline using pigging technique	1999/00
44.	Effect of pressure and flow rate on the performance of membrane oxygen enrichment system	2000/01
45.	Determination of gas separation performance using uncoated and coated asymmetric polysulfone membrane through differential forced convection time	2001/02
46.	Development of polysulfone-polyethersulfone blend asymmetric membrane for gas separation	2001/02
47.	Influence of purge gas flow rate and heating duration during pyrolisis process on polyacrylonitrile carbon membranes for gas separation	2001/02
48.	The effect of heat treatment on the performance of asymmetric polysulfone membranes for gas separation	2001/02
49.	Kesan kepekatan $CO_2$ dan tekanan suapan ke atas resin potting up dan kadar alir telapan dalam modul membran gentian geronggang	2001/02
50.	Effect of forced convection residence time on the performance of asymmetric polysulfone membrane for gas separation	2001/02
51.	Development of asymmetric polysulfone membrane for ultrafiltration Process	2002/03
52.	Development of asymmetric cellulose acetate membrane for nanofiltration process for water desalination	2002/03
53.	Effect of blending composition of polysulfone and polyethersulfone on the performance asymmetric membrane for gas separation	2002/02

	Title	Session
54.	Simulation of capital cost and membrane area of hollow fiber membrane system for gas separation processes	2002/03
55.	Computer modeling of hollow fiber membrane for $CO_2/CH_4$ : Permeate recycle system	2002/03
56.	Effect of Aeration Methods on the Physical Characteristics of Palm Oil Effluent	2002/03
57.	Effect of Casting Conditions on the Performance of Nanofiltration Membrane	2002/03



58.	Effect of Nonsolvent Additives on the Structure and Separation Performance of Asymmetric Polyethersulfone for Gas Separation	2002/03
59.	Effects of Pyrolysis Temperature on the Properties of Polyacrylonitrile (PAN) Based Carbon Membrane	2002/03
60.	Effect of Shear Rate on the Performance of ultrafiltration Membrane for Separation of Sodium Chloride (NaCl) Solution	2002/03
61	Development of Polysulfone and Polyethersulfone Blend Asymmetric Membrane for Gas Separation	2004/05
62	Effect of Nonsolvent Additive Content on The Performance and Structure of Nanofiltration Membrane	2004/05
63	Effect of Feed and Permeate Channel Height on The Performance of Polysulfone Spiral Wound Membrane for $O_2/N_2$ and $CH_4/H_2$ separation	2004/05
64	Effects of Polymer Concentration and Solvent Ratio on The Performance of Polysulfone-Acrylonitrile-Butadiene-styrene (MINDEL S-1000) Asymmetric Membrane for Gas Separation	2004/05
65	Study on The effect of Zirconium Phosphate Dispersion in Sulphonated Poly(ether ether ketone) Membrane for Direct Methanol Fuel Cell Application	2004/05
66	Effect of Shear Rate and Evaporation time on The Performance of Asymmetric flat Sheet Ultrafiltration Membrane for Plyetheleneglycol (PEG) Separation	2004/05
67	Determination of Optimum Condition for The Preparation of high Performance Asymmetric Nanofiltration Membrane	2004/05
68	The Influence of Solvent and Nonsolvent Composition on The Membrane Structure and Performance	2004/05
69	Removal of Inorganic Impurities in Waswater Using Ultrafiltration Membrane	2003/04

	Title	Session
70	Removal of Organic Impurities in Waswater Using Ultrafiltration Membrane	2003/04
71	Formation and Characterization of Reverse Osmosis Hollow Fiber Membrane For Drinking Water Production	2005/06
72	Design of Spiral Wound Membrane Module for Gas separation	2005/06
73	Feasibility study of surface Water Treatment using Membrane Filtration for Drinking Water and its Application to Malaysia	2005/06



74	Effect of polymer Concentration on the Formation of Mixed Matrix Membrane Materials	2005/06
75	Optimization of PAN-Based Carbon Fiber Formation Process	2005/06
76	Formation and Characterization of Mixed Matrix Membrane -Effect of Zeolite Loading	2005/06
77	Performance Enhacement of Polyethersulfone-Zeolite Hollow Fiber Mixed Matrix Membrane Using Novel silane coupling Agent for Gas Separation	2006/07
78	Studies the Effect of Polymer Concentration and Silicone Coated on the Performance of Polysulfone-Acrylonitrile-Butadiene-Styrene (Mindel S-1000) Asymetrix Membrane for CO <sub>2</sub> /CH <sub>4</sub> Gas Separation	2006/07
79	Effect of Air Gap and Dope Extrusion Rate on The Polyethersulfone Membrane for Gs Saparation	2006/07
80	Development of polyethersulfone Mixed Matrix Membrane Using Nanostructured Zeolite and Silica as Molecular Sieve	2006/07
81	Efects of Temperature on swelling Behavior for Sulfonated Polyether-ether ketone (SPEEK) Membrane for Direct Methanol Fuel Cell (DMFC) Application	2006/07
82	Development of Polyethersulfone-Activated Carbon Mixed Matrix Membrane for Oxygen Enrichment	2006/07
83	Effect of Degree of Sulfonated and Tungstosilic Acid Composition on the Preparation of Mixed Matrix Membrane for Direct Methanol Fuel Cell	2007/08
84	Effect of Different Molecular Weights of Polymeric Additive and Air Gap Length on the Morphology and Separation Performance of Nanofiltration Hollow Fiber Membranes	2007/08
85	Effect of Poly (Vinyl) pyrrolidone K15 Concentration and Air Gap Length on the Morphology and separation Performance of Nanofiltration Hollow Fiber Membrane	2007/08

	Title	Session
86.	Effects of Heat Treatment On The Plasticization of Asymmetric Polysulfone Membrane For Gas Separation	2009/10
87.	Carbon Nanotube-Based Polyimide Mixed Matrix Membrane for Gas Separation	2010/10
88.	The Effect of Titanium Dioxide on Modified Hollow Fiber Membrane for The Treatment of Refinery Produced Wastewater	2010/10
89.	Nanotube Clays As New Innovative fillers For Mixed Matrix Membrane for Gas Separation	2010/10
91.	Effect of Cross Linking Reagents On The Performance of Polyimide	2010/11



Mem	brane	for	Gas	Se	paration

92.	Effects of Thermal Annealing On Cross-Linked Reaction and Performance of Polyimide Membrane for Gas Separation	2010/11
93.	Effect of Cloisite 15A Loading on Barrier Properties of Sulfonated Poly Ether Ether Ketone Membrane with Compatibilizer (Tap) for Direct Methanol Fuel Cell Application	2010/11
94.	The Effect of Titanium Dioxide on Modified Hollow Fiber Membrane for The Treatment of Refinery Produced Wastewater	2011/12
95.	Preparation Plasticization Suppression Technique of Polysulfone Membrane via Post Treatment Step	2011/12

### RESEARCH PROJECT UNDERTAKEN

April 1993 – Sept. 1994	:	Conducted a	research	project	entitled	"Rate	of	Combustion	of
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Natural Gas Flame"

Oct. 1994 – Aug. 1997 : Conducted a research project entitled "Novel Studies of Molecular

Orientation in Synthetic Polymeric Membranes for Gas Separation"

1 Sept. 1992 – 31 Aug. 1994 : **Project Leader** for the research project entitled

"Development of gas separation membranes", budget

approved RM 200,000

May 98 – May 2000 : **Project leader** for the research project entitled "Effect of fabrication

conditions on the performance of asymmetric membranes for gas

separation". Budget approved by RMC RM 15,000

June 1999 – present : **Project Leader** for the research entitled "Development of reverse

osmosis for processing of drinking water" Budget approved by IRPA

RM 300,000

June 1999 – present : **Project Leader** for the research entitled "Development of novel

asymmetric membrane from a polymer blends for gas separation

applications". Budget approved by IRPA RM120,300.

Oct. 2000-April 2001 : Project Leader for the research entitled "Development of novel

hollow fiber membranes for liquid-liquid phase separation". Budget

approved by IRPA RM412,000.

Jan 2002-Dis. 2004 : **Project Leader** for the research entitled "Development of membrane

oxygen enrichment system for wastewater aeration using hollow fiber membranes". Budget approved by IRPA RM305,000 (Vot

74003)

Aug. 2002- April 2005 : **Project Leader** for the *Top-Down* Research Program entitled

"Development of Carbon Nanotube for hydrogen and Natural Gas Storage". Budget approved by IRPA RM 1,863,842.00 (Vot.74525)

April 2003-April 2006 : **Project Member** for the research entitled "Development of

Asymmetric Carbon Hollow Fiber Membrane for Gas Separation".

Budget approved by IRPA RM207,000

(Vot 74173)

Aug. 2002- April 2005	:	Member for the Top-Down Research Program entitled "Development, Testing and improvement of long term Performance
July 2004-Jun 2005	:	for Proton Conducting Membranes. Budget approved by IRPA <b>Member</b> for the research entitled "Formation and Characterization of mixed Matrix composite Materials for efficient Energy Gas Separation". Budget approved by RMC RM49,900.
Jan 1990 – Sept. 1994	:	$\begin{array}{cccccccccccccccccccccccccccccccccccc$
Nov. 1997 – Oct 2000	:	<b>Member</b> of the research project entitled "Development of Commercially Competitive Proton Exchange Membrane Fuel Cell Technique". Budget approved RM4.4 million
Jan., 199 – Dis., 1999	:	<b>Member</b> for the research project entitled "Development of novel asymmetric membrane from a polymer blends for gas separation applications". Budget approved by RMC RM19,000.
Oct., 1999 – Oct., 2000		<b>Project Member</b> for the research project entitled "Bacterial removal in water treatment using membrane" filtration system, Budget approved by RMC 20,000
Oct., 1999 – Oct., 2000	:	<b>Project Member</b> of the research project entitled "Immersed membrane filtration (IMF) for high quality drinking water production". Budget approved by RMC RM 20,000.
Oct., 2004- Oct. 2007	:	<b>Project Member</b> of the research project entitled: "Development of Nanofiltration Membrane and Membrane system for Waste Treatment of Batik Industries in the East Coast of Malaysia. Budget approved by IRPA RM 258,000
Jan 2004 – Dis 2006		<b>Project Leader</b> for Development of a Dry-wet Spinning Machine and Processes for the Production of Polyacrylonitrile Fiber (Vot 74539). Budget approved RM 3.22 Juta
Dis 2006 – Nov 2008	:	<b>Project Leader</b> for Development of Novel Activated-MDEA Hollow Fiber Membrane Contactor for CO <sub>2</sub> from Natural Gas Removal (Vot 79035). Budget approved RM 235,693
Dis 2006 – Nov 2008	:	Project Leader for Production of Pure Multi-Walled Carbon Nanotubes (MWNTs) by Using Catalytic Chemical Vapour Deposition (CCVD) System for Hydrogen Storage (Vot 79036). Budget approved RM 219, 193
June 2007-June 2009	:	Project Member for Development of High Performance Sulfonated Poly (Ether Ether Ketone) (SPEEK) Proton Exchange Membrane for Direct Methanol Fuel Cell (DMFC) Application. Budget approved RM 157, 500 (Vot 79138)
June 2007-June 2009	:	<b>Project Leader</b> of Development of New Solvent-Free Coagulation Process for the Production of Polyacrylonitrile-Based Carbon Fiber. Budget approved RM 231,500. (Vot 79136)

**Project Member** for Development of Mixed Matrix Polymer

Dec 2006-Dec. 2008



Electrolyte Membranes for Proton Exchange Membrane Fuel Cell

(PEMFC). Budget approved RM 261, 396 (Vot 79040)

Dec 2006-Dec. 2008 : **Project Member** for Development of Third Generation High

Performance Hybrid Membranes for Hydrocarbon Gases Purification. Budget approved RM 256,393 (Vot 79039)

July 2007-June 2009 : **Project Leader**, Development of Novel Carbon nanotubes-Mixed

matrix Membranes for Hydrocarbon Gases Purification. Budget

approved RM 200, 000 (Vot 79116)

Dec. 2007 - Dec. 2009 : **Project Leader**, Development of Advanced Antibacterial Hybrid

Nanofiltration Membrane for Environmental and Biological Applications. Budget approved RM 211,500 (Vot 79135)

February 2012-Feb 2014 : Project Member, Single-Step Development of Nanosize Mixed

Metals

Oxide Electrolyte using a Novel Sol-Gel Technique for Solid Oxide

Fuel Cell. Budget approved RM242, 200

FRGS FUND

1 September 2007- 31 August 2009 : **Project Leader** of Mechanistic Studies for Carbon Nanotubes

Growth and Adsorption. Budget approved RM 13,700

December 2009 – November 2011 : **Project Leader** of Studies of the effects of inorganic nano-filler on

SPEEK nanocomposite membrane properties. Budget approved

RM 38,000

August 2000-July 2012 : **Project Member,** Fundamental Studies of Formation of

Ultrafiltration Membranes via Controlling Coagulation Value during

Phase Inversion Process, Budget approved RM50,740

August 2000-July 2012 : **Project Member**, Synthesis and Characterization Studies on Surface

Modification of Multilayer and Hybrid porous Membrane via Different Fabrication Methods. Budget approved RM61,000

August 2000-July 2012 : **Project Member,** Consolidation of Ceramic Porous Membrane via

Different Fabrication Methods. Budget approved RM65,000

August 2000-July 2012 : **Project Member,** Synthesis and Anti-Fouling Performance Studies

of Polysulfone-Grafted-Methyl Methacrylate Membrane. Budget

approved RM50,740

# TOP-DOWN LONG TERM RESEARCH GRANT SCHEME (LRGS) RESEARCH PROJECT AWARDED BY MINISTRY OF HIGHER EDUCATION

1. **A.F. Ismail** et al., Program Leader, *Sustainable Membrane-Based Manufacturing*. The budget approved is RM 6,000,000. August 2011 – August 2014.



#### CONTRACT RESEARCH PROJECT UNDERTAKEN (Industrial Grant Scheme, (IGS))

- 1. **A. F. Ismail** et al., Project Leader for Research and Development to produce commercially viable and truly 'green' (non-ozone depleting and non-global warming) hydrocarbon refrigerants as substitutes to CFCs and other synthetic refrigerants for the air conditioning and refrigeration industries. (Collaborative works between Ecocool Technologies Sdn. Bhd. and Membrane Research Unit, UTM). The budget approved by IGS, MOSTE is RM3.9 million
- 2. **A. F. Ismail** et al., Project Leader for Research and Development of a high purity Chemical Dispense System (Collaborative works between Rancang Innovatif Sdn. Bhd. and Membrane Research Unit, UTM). The budget approved is RM 1.965 million

# CONTRACT RESEARCH PROJECT UNDER COMMERCIALIZATION OF R&D FUND (CRDF), Malaysian Technology Development Corporation.

1. **A. F. Ismail** et al., Development of a Pilot Plant Scale Membrane Separation System For Water Desalination. The budget approved is RM1.461 million.

#### CONTRACT RESEARCH PROJECT AWARDED BY MINISTRY OF HIGHER EDUCATION

 S. H. Tapsir, N. Moktar, A. F. Ismail, A. K. Mirasa, S. Sanip and F. A. Manan. Deputy Project Leader for A Study on University-Industry Partnership: Fostering Strategic linkages at Institutes of Higher Learning Malaysia. The budget approved RM 103,000

#### CONTRACT RESEARCH PROJECT AWARDED BY PETRONAS RESEARCH SDN BHD

1. **A. F. Ismail et al.** Development of Membrane Material for High CO2 Gas Field Separation System. The budget agreed RM2,550,000 (September 2009-June 2012)

# INTERNATIONAL CONTRACT RESEARCH PROJECT AWARDED BY THE BRITISH COUNCIL

 Prof. Dr. Ahmad Fauzi Ismail- PMI2 Strategic Alliances and Partnerships project, Research Co-operation, The British Council bagi penyelidikan bertajuk "Multi-functional membranes for energy applications and CO<sub>2</sub> capture" Budget approved RM 249,750
 This project was conducted in collaboration with Prof. Kang Li from Imperial College, London.

# INTERNATIONAL CONTRACT RESEARCH PROJECT AWARDED BY INDUSTRIAL MEMBRANE RESEARCH LABORATORY, UNIVERSITY OF OTTAWA, CANADA

1. Prof. Dr. Ahmad Fauzi Ismail, Surface Modifying Macromolecules (SMMs) for the Development of Novel Membranes. Budget allocated RM 10,000.

This project was awarded by Industrial Membrane Research Laboratory, University of Ottawa, Canada.

# PUBLICATIONS AND PAPER PRESENTED

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