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STUDY UK EXHBITION 2018

SEMINARS – KUALA LUMPUR

Saturday, 3 March 2018 (ROOM 1)

| TIME | TITLE | DESCRIPTION | PRESENTER |
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| 1.30pm - 2.15pm | IELTS: Getting Results | With more than 3 million tests taken last year, IELTS, or the International English Language Testing System, is the world's most popular English proficiency test across the globe. Over 10,000 institutions including universities globally accept IELTS as an entry prerequisite. Come and join us in this session for an overview of IELTS, useful tips and expert advice on how to optimise your test performance, and important information about our courses and how they can help you unlock your potential. | Philip Brown British Council |
| 2.30pm - 3.15pm | Confessions of a University Counsellor: 10 Tips to the Top Universities | Are your grades A-OK, but the university application process is getting you down? Get 10 very practical tips straight from the horse's mouth - a university guidance counsellor. Frank will give applicants an insight into how international students can significantly improve their applications to top UK universities. In his session, he will cover everything from making your UCAS personal statement stand out to preparing for interviews for the most competitive courses. To discover all 10 tips, don't miss this session! | Frank Hardee Oxford International College |
| 3.30pm - 4.15pm | Preserving Man and Memory: When Will Big Data & Al Make This Possible? | In 2015, an academic at Teesside University, suggested that family members could be kept alive forever virtually so that living relatives could interact with their avatars. He estimated that within 50 years, computers will be advanced enough that they can create 'synthetic digital life' based on an individual's past movements, preferences and history on social media. The avatars would be created using a process called 'photogrammetry', which can accurately reconstruct a virtual 3D shape of a human being from existing photographs and video. Computer voice synthesis will take into account local and regional accents to deliver a more accurate representation of what they sounded like. The digital lifeform would also be linked up to social networks and large databases so they would be kept 'up to date' with their relatives' activities and could communicate with them about their day. In this seminar, we will explore the different elements of Big Data, whether the current capabilities of Artificial Intelligence (AI) can make it possible, and how long it will take until McKeown's idea reaches fruition. | Dr. Gordon Marshall Teesside University |

| 4.30pm - 5.30pm | Are Psychologists Psychic? and Other Questions | A degree in psychology opens many career doors in the broad field of psychology and in several other areas. Traditional psychology careers include clinical psychology, educational psychology, occupational psychology, health psychology, forensic psychology, and sports psychology. This talk will outline what each of these career path involves, and provide some information on the skills, knowledge, and experience required. Examples of career paths outside psychology where psychology graduates have excelled will also be presented. | Dr. Judith Wylie Queen's University Belfast |
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Saturday, 3 March 2018 (ROOM 2)

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| 1.30pm - 2.15pm | Building the Future with Engineering | At some point in our lives, many of us listed 'engineer' as one of our career goals. But what does an engineer actually do? The answer is: everything, everywhere. Aerospace engineers build airplanes, biomedical engineers give doctors machines that help to diagnose patients, civil engineers build roads for cars and engineers are involved in making cars too! The list goes on as engineering has shaped life as we know it and will continue to shape the future with the advent of technologies like electric cars, robotics, Artificial Intelligence, and 'the internet of things'. In this session, find out all the possible career paths that start with engineering. | Professor John David The University of Sheffield |
| 2.30pm - 3.15pm | The Master of Law (LLM) Bar Practice | This innovative, full-time Masters programme offers Malaysians an opportunity to work towards an LLM qualification and Bar Professional Training Course (BPTC). The programme offers a unique and competitive pathway to applicants who wish to attain BPTC and while enhancing their legal research skills through the completion of a project. | Gemma Davies Northumbria University Newcastle |
| 3.30pm - 4.15pm | Doctor's Orders: Doing your PhD in the UK | Thinking about doing your PhD but unsure which programme suits you best? This seminar will provide you with an explanation on how to decide on your research topic and give you insights into your research proposal. Dr. Eric Lou will also talk about life as a PhD candidate and your career options after completing your PhD! | Dr. Eric Lou Manchester Metropolitan University |
| 4.30pm - 5.30pm | Crossing the Oxbridge Interview | Oxford and Cambridge - together, known as Oxbridge - are two of the most prestigious universities in the world, and continues to be the top choice on many prospective students' wishlists. But are all the myths you hear about the Oxbridge interviews true? (For instance, do tutors really offer you apples and coffee at the interview?) In this talk, we will assist you in preparing for the Oxbridge | Robert Whitehouse Abbey DLD Colleges |

Admissions process and try to de-mystify the (in)famous Oxbridge interview.

Sunday, 4 March 2018 (ROOM 1)

| TIME | TITLE | DESCRIPTION | PRESENTER |
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| 1.30pm - 2.15pm | Robot in the Court: Do Judges Need to be Human? | Artificial intelligence has innumerable applications in our society - it powers the "You May Also Like" sections on Netflix and Spotify as well as Siri on your iPhone. In this seminar, we will explore the technological future of judicial courts. Are we ready for Al to play a role, deciding on the guilt or innocence of humans? Can conscience be developed or programmed? You be the judge. | Dr. Richard Cornes, University of Essex |
| 2.30pm - 3.15pm | Get a UK Qualificationin Malaysia! | Did you know that you can study for a UK qualification in Malaysia? From a MBBS to an Actuarial Science degree, you can study in the comfortable familiarity of being on your own soil! Find out how you can get a UK qualification right here in Malaysia and get answers to your questions on cost, affordability, and recognition of these qualifications. | University of Nottingham Malaysia University of Reading Malaysia Heriot-Watt University Malaysia Newcastle University Medicine Malaysia University of Southampton Malaysia |
| 3.30pm - 4.15pm | How Law Shaped Football & Other Sports | EU law has influenced the way that sport is organised around the world. Even before the historic Bosman ruling that changed football forever, sport governing bodies realised that they would have to adapt their regulations to EU law. Since then, both European Court of Justice (ECJ) cases and policy documents have influenced the way sport is organised. | Alfonso Valero Nottingham Trent University |
| 4.30pm - 5.30pm | Modelling Economic Behaviour – an Experimental Approach | Strategic interaction arises in many situations. For economists, what takes place in financial markets is particularly interesting as an agent's successful decision-making depends on the accuracy and trust in strategies adopted by other agents. What some call a 'guessing game' provides a very useful means of observing strategic interactions in a controlled setting, allowing the analysis of data using Econometric methods. | Professor Peter Moffat University of East Anglia |

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| 1.30pm - 2.15pm | Study Medicine at the Top Universities | The UK is home to a large number of medical schools, all of which can admit a number of international students each year (7.5% of total admission of Non-EU students per year). This presentation is designed to guide you on how to get into the top selection of these UK universities, through the three routes available: • By doing your A-levels • By doing International Baccalaureate (IB) • By completing a science-based degree first, and applying as a graduate | Tony Blignaut Cardiff Sixth Form College |
| 2.30pm - 3.15pm | The Actuarial Profession: Making Money from Maths & Stats | So, what do actuaries actually do? Chances are, you've heard of at least the following two things: (1) Actuaries make good money, and (2) actuaries have to continuously sit for lots and lots of exams. How true are these statements? Join this seminar to find out the answers and more, including the current system of qualification and forthcoming changes, how a university programme can accelerate your qualification, and whether or not you have the chops to be a successful actuary! | Nick Wood University of Kent |
| 3.30pm - 4.15pm | The Psychology of Decision Making | We make decisions all the time, from trivial choices such as what to have for breakfast or whether we should see the latest Star Wars movie, to more important commitments such as whether or whom to marry. Many choices are made from the gut without much conscious thought, whereas more important matters are deliberated, often with great effort. Both types of decision making, however, are susceptible to systematic biases and errors of judgment. In this seminar, get a broad overview of how psychologists can assess decision quality and the principles of good decision making. Learn how we sometimes fall short of making wise decisions, and what we can do to improve our decision making skills. Be prepared for an interactive session, with questions asked to the audience. | Professor Marc Buehner Cardiff University |
| 4.30pm - 5.30pm | MSc, MBA & MA: Which One Do I Master? | Been thinking about furthering your studies, but putting it off because you're unsure how to proceed? Let us help you decide, as we explore the reasons for studying a Master's degree and the different types and typical characteristics of UK Master's degrees. In this session, learn what | Dr Shelen Ho University of Reading Malaysia |

to expect from a taught Master's and how to choose the right MA, MSc or MBA.