

Accounting graduates recognised

THE Malaysian Institute of Certified Public Accountants (MICPA) and Chartered Accountants Australia and New Zealand (CAANZ) celebrated their candidates and graduates at the recent Excellence Awards 2016/2017 event on Nov 2.

These high-achieving individuals are deserving of their accolades for either obtaining top scores in various modules, or for successfully completing the MICPA-CAANZ Programme.

Professional programme

This is a joint professional accounting programme that provides graduates with dual qualifications from prestigious Malaysian, Australian or New Zealand bodies. Parents, employers and friends are among those present to show support for all 157 individuals recognised for their achievements that night.

Past MICPA president Datuk Larry Seow was the guest of honour and presented the coveted gold medals and awards to prize winners.

The MICPA-CAANZ Programme celebrated 82 graduates who completed examinations in Term 2 in 2016, Term One, 2017 and Term 2, 2017.

CAANZ Asian councillor Datuk Richard Abas presented their examination certificates.

Four gold medals were presented to candidates who obtained high distinctions in the 2016 examinations (Terms 2 and 3)



Winner of the Most Outstanding CPA Award Sangeetha Selladurai.

and Term 1, 2017.

The winners include:

MICPA-CAANZ Programme Term 2, 2016 Examination

- Jeanne Ke Ting – Datuk Oh Chong Peng Gold Medal for Financial Accounting & Reporting
- Ooi Ken Lin – Folks DFK & Co/ Azman Wong Salleh & Co Gold Medal for Management Accounting & Applied Finance

MICPA-CAANZ Programme Term 1, 2017 Examination

- Ng Zhang Wei – Datuk Oh Chong Peng Gold Medal for Financial Accounting & Reporting
- Teoh Hwee Chee – Folks DFK & Co/Azman Wong Salleh & Co



Nominees for the Most Outstanding CPA Award with MICPA past president Datuk Larry Seow, MICPA president Datuk Tan Theng Hooi and CAANZ councillor, Asia, Datuk Richard Abas.

Gold Medal for Management Accounting & Applied Finance

The Excellence Award for The Most Outstanding CPA Student was the night's highlight, bestowed upon the best all-round CPA student who recently completed the MICPA-CAANZ professional examinations.

The 2016 award was won by Sangeetha Selladurai, currently working with PwC Malaysia.

Sangeetha enrolled as a candidate of the joint MICPA-CAANZ Programme in November 2014 and passed all five modules within two years.

She will obtain her MICPA

membership soon.

MICPA also presents awards to top accounting graduates from accredited universities in Malaysia offering the Bachelor of Accountancy qualification.

This category, titled "The Excellence Awards for Best Accounting Graduates 2016", was won by Chai Su Ling (Curtin University Sarawak), Ameer Hussein Abdul Aziz (International Islamic University Malaysia), Lam Jo Yee (Taylor's University), Ng Eng Leng (Universiti Malaya), Suryakali Kalithas (Universiti Kebangsaan Malaysia), Saidatul Aniyah Annuar (Universiti Tenaga Nasional), Tai

Wooi Kien (Universiti Putra Malaysia), Tay Sue Xian (Universiti Sains Malaysia), Yap Yen Lee (Victoria University) and Yeoh Zhi Yee (Universiti Utara Malaysia).

The evening ended with supporters celebrating the awardees who have worked hard to attain success. They have excelled academically to become professional accountants with bright careers ahead.

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