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The

DIRECTOR OF YAYASAN SABAH CUM EXECUTIVE CHAIRMAN OF INNOPRISE CORPORATION SDN. BHD.,

In Conjunction With

YAYASAN SABAH GROUP WEBINAR ON HIGHER EDUCATION OPPORTUNITIES

KOTA KINABALU (Thursday): Yayasan Sabah Group successfully conducted a webinar squarely aimed at offering financial sponsorship to students intending to study at its wholly-owned University College Sabah Foundation (USCF) and Kolej Teknikal Yayasan Sabah (KTYS).

The pilot webinar, aptly entitled "Opportunities for Further Education at USCF and KTYS," was held at Menara Tun Mustapha on 27 July 2021.

First and foremost, I would like to extend my gratitude to all the 369 students and parents who attended the webinar from all over the State. The responses indeed indicate the level of enthusiasm towards the role of higher education in Sabah despite the wake of the COVID-19 pandemic.

We at Yayasan Sabah Group envisage the need to consolidate remote discussion apart from rethink activities in maximising frequencies and number of participating webinar attendees.

These were put into good effect through the webinar, handled by our staff from the Education Development Division of Yayasan Sabah Group.

The strong turnout at the webinar led to a host of interesting questions and comments from participants, which principally suggests the need for higher education is at its peak despite the disparity brought about by the pandemic. Yayasan Sabah Group will strive to resolve the issues raised as part of our endless quest for developing human capital and transforming our very own higher education institutions.

One of the main initiatives of the webinar comprised of our commitment to offering scholarships to low-income rural students who intend to take up their higher education at USCF and KTYS. We are fully aware of the difficulties faced by them as we sought to improve their socio-economic development through this scholarship drive.

Being an organisation that provides educational opportunities for the people of Sabah for more than five decades, Yayasan Sabah Group provides education sponsorships for secondary and higher education. In addition, education sponsorships are also offered to students based on their academic achievement in continuing their tertiary education in selected fields of study according to the State's workforce needs.

We seek to work collaboratively with the community, institution, and the State and Federal Government so that education will be inclusive, sustainable and resilient.

Strategically located at Sembulan and in the heart of Kota Kinabalu, both USCF and KTYS offer support to students as they pursue their educational goals while expanding Yayasan Sabah Group's role in education and people's development.

With the scholarship offered by Yayasan Sabah Group, students can seek to improve their lives, whether their goals are to go to work or to update their skills to obtain a better future, both UCSF and KTYS offers a wealth of quality and well-recognised Degree, Diploma and Certificate qualifications to help students accomplish their dreams. All within one's vicinity comfort. In other words, students can stay close and go far.

We hope there will be more students applying to study in both institutions. In addition, the Yayasan Sabah Group's scholarship enables students to undertake further education opportunities that may have otherwise been hard for them to access.

There are endless educational opportunities to explore at UCSF and KTYS, and we look forward to assisting students in their needs and navigating their path towards academic success. We urge students to step forward and apply. Let us provide the means to provide educational opportunities for students to develop them into being both competent and equipped with the necessary skills in meeting the job market's requirements.



Yayasan Sabah Group's officers conducting virtual chat with potential students aiming to continue their studies at both UCSF and KTYS during Yayasan Sabah Group's Webinar On Higher Learning Opportunities Programme held at Menara Tun Mustapha on 27 July 2021.

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