UCSI student makes history

KUCHING: In the recent Edexcel Advanced Level Examination, UCSI University, Sarawak campus finally has a student who has scored 3As in all her subjects.

According to Mukvinder Sandhu, programme coordinator of Centre for Pre-U Studies, the grades are equivalent to getting all A+.

Geraldine Chen Hui Ling scored all As in the subjects, namely, Chemistry, Biology and Mathematics.

She said that there were no secrets behind her success story. She has focused on doing a lot of exercises at home in order to master her subjects. Besides that, she always consulted her lecturers for clarification on subjects outside the class sessions.

“All efforts are useless if we do not fully focus during our face-to-face sessions with our lecturers in the classroom,” she added.

“I am still weighing on various options and I might consider Queen’s University, Belfast to be my next destination in order to pursue my degree in Pharmacy,” she said when asked about which university she intended to choose to further her studies.

“During our time at UCSI University, we really benefited from the attention of our lecturers. They were not only lecturers but were our motivators and we even felt that they were like our parents in school,” she added.

Apart from Geraldine, other students who produced good results are Jong Wen Ling, Wong Boon Kai, and Emilia Chan Siaw Chin.

“We aim at making a substantial difference in our students’ academic lives, especially in equipping our young students with the skills and knowledge to thrive and excel in their undergraduate studies at university.

“It is always tremendously rewarding to have our students do well, especially in this case, in an external examination.

“A special salute also goes to my academic team of lecturers at the centre,” said Mukvinder Sandhu, programme coordinator of Centre for Pre-U Studies.

The Centre for Pre-U Studies at UCSI University Sarawak Campus currently offers Foundation Studies, Arts and Science Streams.

The minimum requirement to enroll into UCSI’s Foundation Studies programme is five credits in the SPM examination.

This one-year Foundation Studies programme offers routes into other degree programmes such as Biotechnology, Food sciences, Pharmacy, Doctor of Medicine, Nursing, Optometry, Engineering, Architecture, Psychology, Fashion Design, Mass Communication, Accounting and Finance, Hospitality Management, Event and Tourism Management, Commerce and many more.

Alumni of the centre have proceeded to continue to do degrees at UCSI University or moved to internationally recognised universities all over the world, to graduate as highly sought professionals.

The enrolment for May Intake is now in progress. For more information on the courses available at UCSI University Sarawak Campus, please call +6082 455 255 or log on to www.ucsiuniversity.edu.my.