

CURRICULUM VITAE

PERSONAL DETAIL

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EDUCATION

Qualification	Institution	Year
PhD Health Economics & Primary Care	University of Aberdeen	2013-Present
Pg Cert in International Health Technology Assessment, Pricing & Reimbursement (Distance Learning)	School of Health & Related Research, University of Sheffield	2012- 2013
Master of Pharmacy (Clinical Pharmacy)	School of Pharmaceutical Sciences, Universiti Sains Malaysia	2007-2010
Master of Pharmacy (Hons)	University of Strathclyde, Glasgow	2003-2006

WORKING EXPERIENCE

Position	Institution	Year
Lecturer	Discipline of Social & Administrative Pharmacy, School of Pharmaceutical Sciences, Universiti Sains Malaysia, Penang.	June 2011-Present
Lecturer	Clinical Pharmacy Department, Faculty of Pharmaceutical Sciences, UCSI University	December 2010- May 2011
Pharmacist	Ministry of Health Malaysia	September 2006- November 2010

PREVIOUS RESEARCH EXPERIENCE

Co-Researcher

1. Involvement Of Malaysian Community Pharmacists In Public Health Workforce: Perspectives From Health Practitioners And Policy Makers
Funder : USM (RU) Grant
Approved amount : MYR123,100.00
Project Status : Completed
2. A Qualitative Study Exploring Malaysian Consumers Perceptions Towards Pharmacists Role in Public Health
Funder : USM (Short Term) Grant
Approved Amount : MYR20,500.00
Project Status : Completed
3. Determination of Cost-Effectiveness Threshold for Malaysia
Funder : USM APEX Grant
Approved Amount : MYR 120, 000.00
Project Status : Ongoing

Co-Consultant

1. A National Survey on The Use Of Medicine (NSUM) by Malaysian Consumers 2011-2012. Sponsored by Pharmaceutical Service Division, Ministry of Health Malaysia.
2. UNFPA PROJECT MYSOR209: Reaching Out to Disadvantaged Youth to Address Sexual & Reproductive Health Needs & HIV Prevention through Peer Education 2012. Sponsored by Penang Family Health and Development Association.

PUBLICATIONS

1. Chua GN, Hassali MA, Shafie AA & Awaisu A. A survey exploring knowledge and perceptions of general practitioners towards the use of generic medicines in the northern state of Malaysia. Health Policy. 2010; 95(2-3):229-235.
2. Chua GN, Yee LJ, Tan KH, Sim BA, Ng KS, Hassali MA, Shafie AA, Ooi GS. Job satisfaction, organisation commitment and retention in the public workforce: a survey among pharmacists in Malaysia. International Journal of Pharmacy Practice. 2013. (Article in Press)

CONFERENCE PRESENTATIONS

1. Public's Willingness to Pay for Branded & Generic Medicine at 1st HTAsiaLink Annual Conference 2012 on May 14-16, 2012 at Grand Pacific Sovereign Hotel, Petchaburi, Thailand.
2. Transgender Socio-Health Issue in Malaysia at Research Colloquium - Beauty, vitality, moods, health and sex: pharmaceutical management of life among young

people in South East Asia on June 16th 2012 at Monash University (Sunway Campus), Malaysia

3. Exploring Public Willingness-to-Pay for Extended Pharmacy Services in 10th HTAi Annual Meeting on 17-19th June 2013 at COEX Convention Centre, Seoul, Korea.
4. Exploring The Feasibility of The Instrument Used In Determination Of Willingness-To-Pay Per Quality-Adjusted Life-Year In Malaysia in 10th HTAi Annual Meeting on 17-19th June 2013 at COEX Convention Centre, Seoul, Korea.

PROFESSIONAL AFFILIATIONS

- Registered pharmacist with Malaysia Pharmacy Board (Since 2006)
- Member of Malaysian Pharmaceutical Society (Since 2006)
- Treasurer of Malaysia Pharmaceutical Society-Penang Area Committee (2012-2013)
- Member of International Society of Pharmacoeconomics and Outcome Research (2012-2013)
- Member/ Volunteer at Penang Family Health and Development Association (Since 2011)

ACHIEVEMENTS/AWARDS / RECOGNITIONS

1. Dean's List 2005
Awarded by : International Medical University, Malaysia.
2. Scholarship for undergraduate study 2006
Awarded by : The National Higher Education Fund Corporation, Malaysia.
Amount : RM 40, 000.00
3. Dean's List 2009
Awarded by : School of Pharmaceutical Sciences, Universiti Sains Malaysia.
4. Excellent Service Award 2009
Awarded by : State Health Department, Penang, Malaysia.
5. International Bursary for Pg. Cert. in Int. HTA, Pricing and Reimbursement 2012
Awarded by: Shool of Health and Related Research, University of Sheffield
Amount: £2750.00
6. Commonwealth Scholarship 2013/2014
Awarded by: Commonwealth Scholarship Commission United Kingdom

OTHER SKILLS

1. English Language Proficiency
 - IELTS (Test Date: 17th November 2012)
 - Overall Band Score: 8.5
2. Computer Literacy
 - SPSS, Stata, EndNote, MS Word, MS Excel, MS Power Point

REFEREE

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