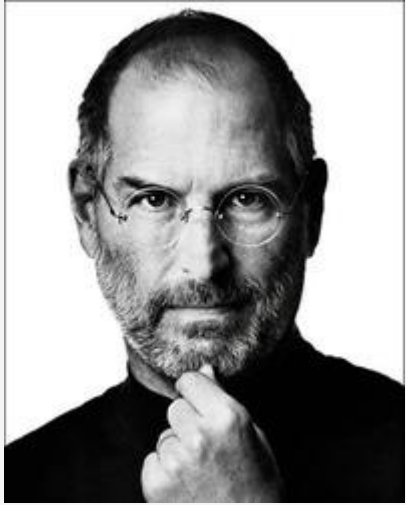




My Life's Journey and Japanese Thinking

Sha'ri Mohd Yusof
Meiji University



“You can't connect the dots looking forward; you can only connect them looking backwards. So you have to trust that the dots will somehow connect in your future.”

— Steve Jobs



**Connecting the
dots of my life from
1961 to 2024**

**1968-1974-1978
Schooling Years
SRI Kulai > SMSJ
Kluang**

**Undergrad Sep79 –
May83 BSc. Industrial
Eng Miami USA**

**1983 – 1989
Mitsubishi
Training >
PROTON**

**1990 – 2009 UTM JB
Penolong
Pensyarah A –
Professor 2008**

2009 – 2019 UTM KL

**Next
CHALLENGE**

**2020 Contract
Professor Meiji
University GSBA
31.3.2027**

**2016 - 2019
Dean of Faculty
(UTMKL)
August 2019 **RETIRED****

**Connecting the
dots of my life from
1961 to 2024**

Early years

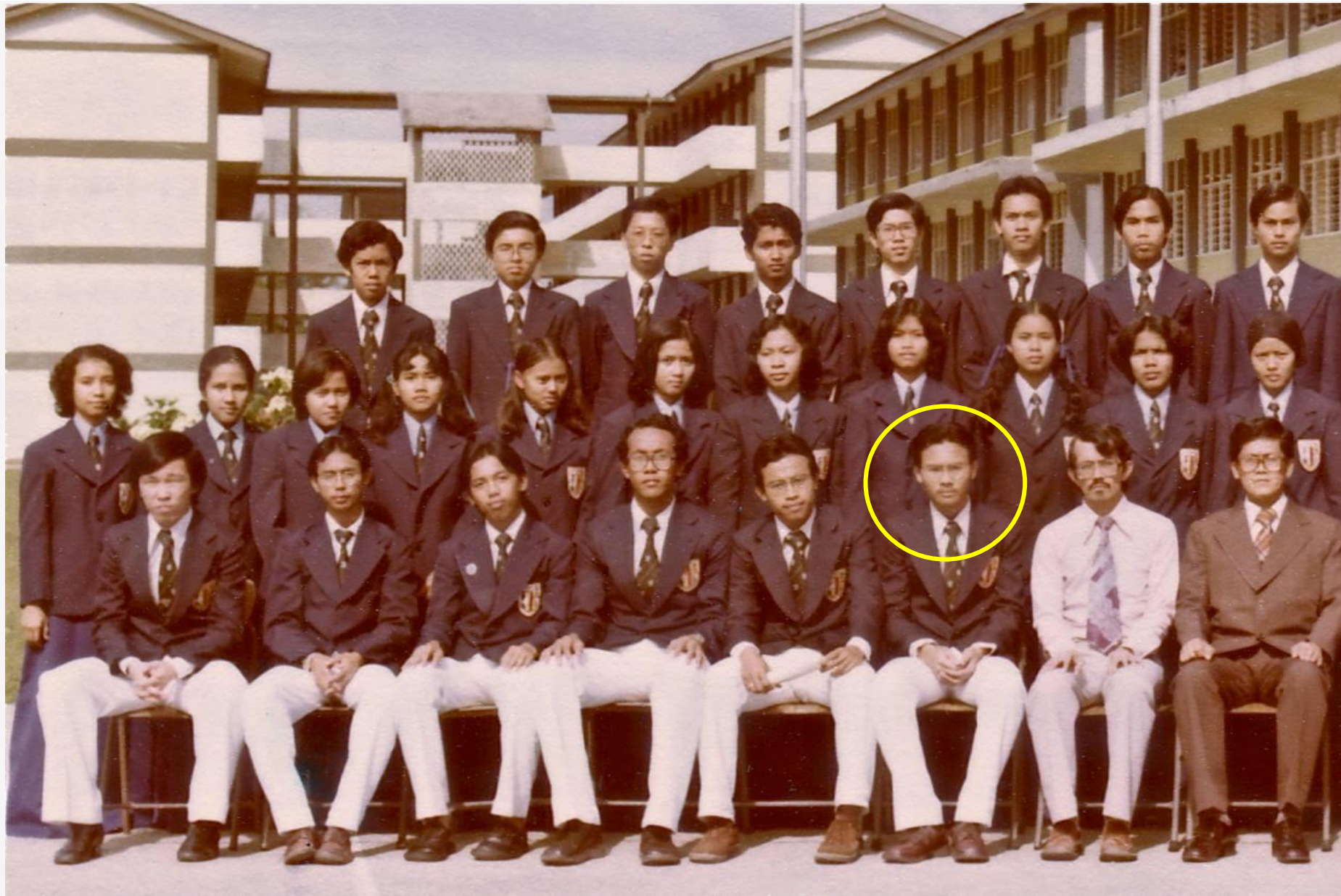
- Born in Singapore – 1961 still Malaysia
- 3 siblings – sister left this world in 1991 at age of 28
- Late father Haji Mohd Yusof Abbas (1934-2007) – secondary school teacher – Passed Cambridge (Segamat)
- Started reading and browsing Britannica Encyclopedia, Doing Kids Science Experiments, age 7 years to 12 years
- Strict and disciplinarian
- Late Mother (1940-2023) - midwife, canteen business, also strict
- Std 5 Exam – 4A1B – Peperiksaan Penilaian Sek Rendah
- 1974 – Off to boarding school (SBP)





1974 - 1978





School Prefect Board



**Head Prefect
SMSJ 1978
(Form 5)**

**Discipline
Leadership
Ambitious
Strive hard**

University life Miami Sept 1979-May 1983



University life Miami Sept 1979-May 1983

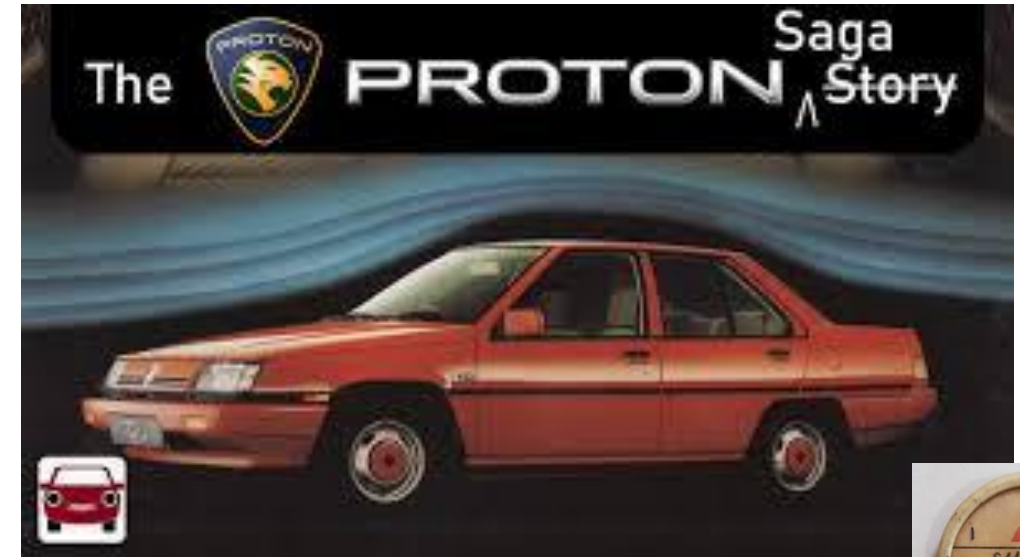
- **Selected by Ministry of Education – BSc. In Industrial Engineering (4 yr program)**
- **Pioneer at U of Miami** Coral Gables Florida 1979 – 9 students all Engineering prog (only 18 years old at that time)
- Formed **Malaysia Student Association** – work with International Office – became first President of MSA
- Organized dinner/gathering - students and International Office, Hari Raya, end semester, welcoming new students 1981,82
- Participated in University Volleyball – **MALAYSIA Team**
- Participated in **International Week** – introduced speak takraw and Malaysian food – put up stall selling satays, Malay cakes, Malay dishes, etc
- **Participated in Malaysian Islamic Study Group MISG** – attended winter gatherings 1979 in Baton Rouge, in 1980 in Carbondale, in 1981, Ohio

University life Miami Sept 1979-May 1983

- **Additional Certificate in Education** – required to be added 2 semester before graduate – final semester taking 21 credits.. Really very tough – studying social science subjects (normal 12 – max 18)
- **President Honor List 4.00 / 4.00**
- Graduated with **Cum Laude 3.33 CGPA**
- **Top 5 student** in Industrial Engineering Program **Class of '83**
- **Ministry of Education scholar ----- did not report for duty as lecturer Polytechnic**
- **Turning Point in Life no 1 . Applied UTM – Offered.... BUT.**
- **September 1983 Off to JAPAN. Mitsubishi Motors .. Malaysian National Car Project**



**Proton years
1983 to 1989
Body Assembling Production
Quality Control _Purchased Parts**





- Learnt many new things
- Hard work and tough job
- Luckily still young 22 -28 years
- Mistakes – opportunity to learn
- People management – critical
- Assistant Manager Production – Deputy Manager Quality Control - PPI
- UK export 1988 - Localization
- Why quit ?? Personal reasons,
- **Do I want to do this for rest of my life?**
- Train/teach – few engineers >>> but in university I can teach more future engineers and thinkers



Line/workload balancing issues

Parts supply arrangements

Welding Conditions Quality

Installation of Production Lines

“Nothing happens if you don’t start anything.”

**EXPERIENCE IS MORE POWERFUL
THAN BEING TOLD**

**“You cannot change a mindset without
doing things differently first.”**

- Isao Yoshino

UTM

- **Turning Point No 2 in Life**
- Joined UTM as PPA (Tutor) – 1st January 1990 reported duty
- Immediately taught final year (5 year SKJ) Project management in Malay: Mamal Metrologi. Yr 2 , 3 Degree and Diploma
- Appointed Ketua Makmal Metrologi
- Pursued Master 1992
- PhD 1996
- First 10 years of academic journey (1990 – 2000)

Capability Building - Building knowledge and skills in Quality Management and Engineering research



UNIVERSITY OF
BIRMINGHAM

Why Coursework

1. Acquire knowledge of subjects in Quality Engineering / Management
2. Able to differentiate between Master and Degree levels subjects
3. Had to study for exams and useful when designing programs

**1993-1994 Master of Sc(Eng)
Integrated Quality Systems**

Quality Assurance and Standards

Quality Systems

Reliability Engineering

Statistical Process Quality

Advanced SPC

Advanced Statistics

Advanced Reliability Models

Simulation

Operations Research

Operations Management

Master Project (Industrial-based)

Capability Building - Building knowledge and skills in Quality Management and Engineering research



UNIVERSITY OF
BIRMINGHAM

Dec 1996 – Feb 2000

MPhil and PhD

Convert 1998....

Submit End November 1999

Viva Jan 2000

Final Submitted 8.2.2000

**Ph D – Development of
TQM Implementation
Framework
in Small Business**

Published 4 international journal papers + 1 TQM conference paper within the 3 years – my supervisor was quite demanding but truly very helpful

She will read each page word per word

She taught me not to put her name as first author

She taught me ethics in research , accompany to case company

She taught me to go for holidays to get ideas (brain needs rest)

I was given to teach in her subjects, and became lab tutor

Above all, I targeted 3 years and achieved 3 years 2 months

Despite few Malaysian who discouraged me to do in Birmingham when I first came – Many cannot convert ... I don't buy that



UTM Skudai (1990 – 2009)

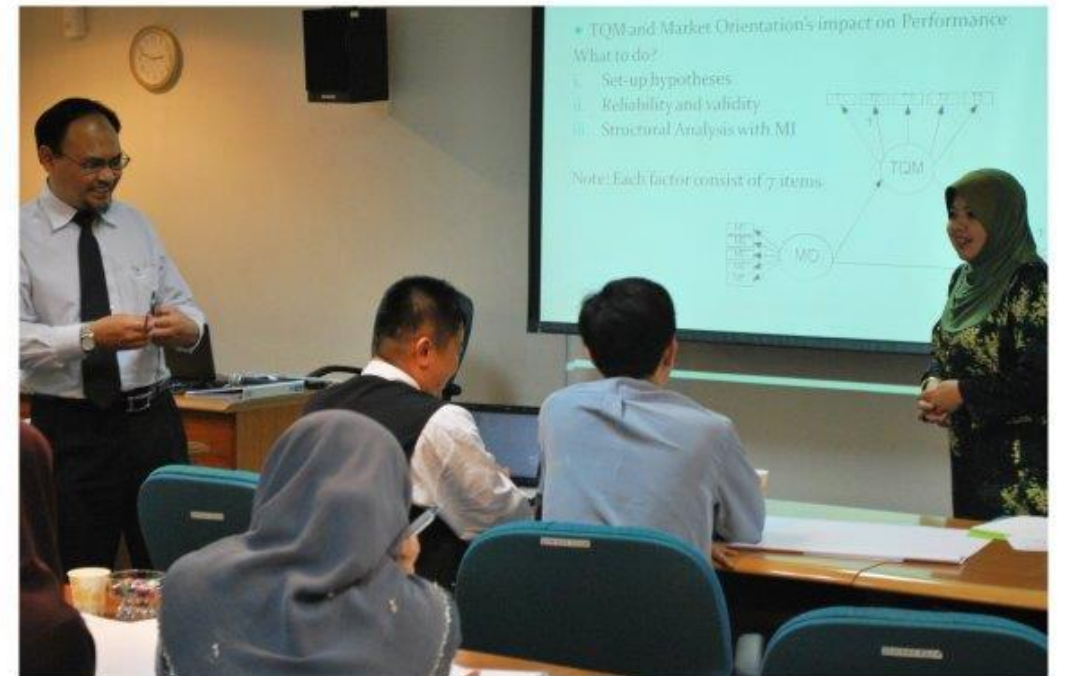
- Head of Metrology Lab
- Head of Industrial Engineering Panel
- Head of Dept Industrial and Manufg Engrg. FAC.MECH.ENG
- Developed Master Ind Engrg Program
- Anugerah Kualiti Naib Canselor – Head of Audit
- Quality Audit Program Universiti
- PhD research projects
- Program Panel Examiner UKM, UTHM, UTeM, UniMAs
- Phd Examiners for UKM, UM, USM, UPM, UTM,
- IRPA Projects, e-Science
- Task Forces World Class University Strategic Planning
- Strategic Planning University
- National SIRIM WG Brake lining
- MFG Consultative Committee MPC
- MQA
- Ext Examiner , Professor Assessor
- APIEMS Board Member since 2010
- QES –since 2011

Business and Advanced Technology Centre, UTM

2008 – 2010

Deputy Director – 2010-2012

- Conducted Warwick University's Master of Science in Engineering Management
- Creating industry change agents
- Develop new programs
- Industry based – training and consultancy
- Executive Diploma Programs
- Engineering Doctorate = lead to Industrial PhD – National MyBrain15 Program



RESEARCH COLLOQUIUM ON USING STRUCTURAL EQUATION MODELLING (SEM) FOR ANALYSING DATA



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**Teaching Master Engineering Business
Management/MBA
Double Master Program UTM/Meiji University Japan
2011 - 2018**

Master in Occupational Safety and Health Management EMOSH 2010 – 2019

Industry based program with KLIA
Training and Consultancy
Approved by DOSH



SUDAN PROJECT – BEFORE COVID

Transnational Academic Program

Master Engineering Business Management

**Engineering Doctorate – started 2018 – Now stopped
due to crisis in Sudan**



AWARDS AND RECOGNITION

- Bronze Medal Malaysia Technology Expo 2011, 17-19 Februari 2011, Kuala Lumpur, “Lean Six Sigma Performance Improvement (LSSPI) Model for Automotive Industry, Organiser: Malaysian Association of Research Scientists (MARS): Nurul Fadly Habidin, Sha’ri Mohd Yusof, Zarak Shaifuddin Zamrah**
- Silver Medal, 22nd ITEX 2011, 20-22 May 2011, Kuala Lumpur for Invention of “Green Lean Six Sigma Scorecard System for Automotive Industry, Organized by MOSTI and MINDS. Inventors: Nurul Fadly Habidin, Sha’ri Mohd Yusof, Zarak Shaifuddin Zamrah**
- Bronze Medal, Pecipta 2011 KL Convention Centre, Malaysia, KPT and UiTM, “Development of Strategic Green Lean Six Sigma Performance Measurement Systems for Automotive Industry. Inventors: Nurul Fadly Habidin, Sha’ri Mohd Yusof, Zarak Shaifuddin Zamrah**
- Silver Medal, Malaysia Technology Exhibition 2012, 16-18 February 2012, Kuala Lumpur, “Integrated Green LSS Blitz: Business Engineering Tool and Application. Organised by MARS. Inventors: Nurul Fadly Habidin, Sha’ri Mohd Yusof, Zarak Shaifuddin Zamrah**
- Gold Award, 2nd Accounting Research & Education Conference Accounting Innovation Exhibition, 2012 UTM Shah Alam, “Eco-green Lean Six Sigma Scorecard Tool for Automotive Industry”, Organised by Malaysian Accounting Association and UiTM: Nurul Fadly Habidin, Sha’ri Mohd Yusof, Zarak Shaifuddin Zamrah, Nurdiana Ibrahim**
- Bronze Award, INATEX 2012, 3-5 October 2012, “Sustainable Manufacturing Performance Evaluation Tool for Manufacturing Companies”, Sha’ri Mohd Yusof and Elita Amrina**

No	Project Title	Source	Role/Members	Year
1.	Quality Control Implementation: A Comparative study amongst the electronics industry in Johor	UPP Short Term Vot 61272 RM5000	Member	1991-1992
2.	Application and Implementation of Industrial Engineering Methods in local manufacturing industry	UPP Short Term Vot 61595 RM 10000	Head of IE Research Group	1994 -1995
3.	Development of a Framework for TQM Implementation in Small Businesses, University of Birmingham, School of Manufacturing and Mechanical Engineering.	JPA/UTM Scholarship	Doctoral research	1996 -1999
4.	TQM Advancement and Critical Factors for Implementation in Manufacturing SMEs	UPP Short Term Vot 71663 RM 15,700	Head of project	2000/2002
5.	Development of Integrated Quality Engineering Approach for Malaysian Automotive SMEs.	IRPA RM8 Funding VOT 70468 Total Grant RM186,000	Head of project	2002 – 2004
6.	Advanced Quality Improvement Techniques for Small and Medium Sized industries. Head of Project	IRPA Funding Vot 74067 Total Grant 139,600	Head of project	2002 – 2004
7.	Benchmarking of Quality Engineering Practices Between Malaysian and Thailand Automotive Manufacturing Related Companies –	E-science Grant – Vot 79120 RM 106,000	Head Of Project	2007 – 2009
8.	The Relationship Between Statistical Process Control Practices and Improvement in Quality Performance	MOHE FRGS Vot 78049 RM40,000	Head of Project with Jafri Mohd Rohani	2007 – 2009
9.	An Integrated Manufacturing Performance Audit Tool for Malaysian Automotive Based Companies	MOHE FRGS Vot 78101 RM42,000	Assistant Head of Project	2007 – 2009
10.	A Web Based Manufacturing Performance Evaluation Tool for Malaysian Automotive Industry	Tier 2 Research University Grant RM47000	Head of Project	1April 2011-31 March 2012
11.	Sustaining the Implementation of Toyota Production system in Malaysian Automotive Industry	Razak School Grant Vot 4B18-K13000073084B18 RM43,500	Head of Project	1 Mac 2011-31Ogos 2012
12.	Determining the Theoretical Model for Lean Adoption	MOHE FRGS Grant Vot K.30000.7840.4F678 RM 72,000	Head of Project	1/12/2014-30/11/16
13.	Investigation Of Best Parameters To Obtain Optimal Performance Of Fully Functioned Crossflow Micro-Turbine To Be Used By Orang Asli In Remote Area	Tier 2 Research University Grant RM20,000	Member	1/10/2016-31/12/2017
14.	Development Of Holistic Framework For Evaluation And Selection Of Remanufacturing Operations	Tier 1 Research University Grant RM50,000	Member	1/7/2016-30/6/2018
15.	Enhancement Of Mahalanobis Taguchi System Based On Swarm Intelligence For Multivariate Pattern Recognition	Tier 1 Research University Grant RM40,000	Member	1/10/2016-30/9/2018
16.	Improvement Of Changeover Times Through Integrating Of Smed Method With Qfd Techniques For Semiconductor Industry	Tier 1 Research University Grant RM40,000	Member	1/10/2016-30/9/2018
17.	Theoretical Model Of Core Acquisitions For Durable Products Return	Tier 1 Research University Grant RM82,000	Member	1/8/2016-31/7/2018
18.	Mercerisation Treatment Enhancement of Kenaf Fiber/Polypropylene Composites using Box-Behnken Design	MOHE FRGS R.K130000.7840.4F880 RM 88,000	Member	1/8/2016-31/7/2018
19.	Success Factors and Practices of Innovation in Japanese SMEs: How Malaysian SMEs can learn from these practices for enhancing competitiveness	Toshiba Foundation Resarch Grant – RM 47,196	Member	1/4/24 – 31/3/25

PhD Doctoral Research Completed

No	Name	Role	Title	Time
1	Baba Md Deros	Main Supervisor	Development of a Benchmarking Implementation Framework for Small and Medium Sized Enterprise	Completed December 2004
2	Abd Rahman Abdul Rahim	Main Supervisor	New Product Development Framework for ETO production	Completed June 2006
3	Norhayati Zakwan	Main Supervisor	Comparative Study of Quality Tools Implementation and Practices in Automotive Industries	(Aug. 2006 – December 2009) Completed
4	Nilda Tri Putri	Main Supervisor	Benchmarking of Quality Practices Between Malaysian and Indonesian Automotive Related Companies	Completed (Dec 2007 – July 2011)
5	Zainal Fitri bin Zainal Abidin	Main Supervisor	Doctor of Engineering (EBM) Sound Quality Perception for Local Automotive Manufacturer	Completed (Jun 2004 – Feb 2012)
6	Nurul Fadly Habidin	Main Supervisor	Lean Six Sigma and Strategic Control Framework	Completed September 2012
7	Elita Amrina	Main Supervisor	Sustainable Manufacturing Performance Tool for Automotive Companies	Completed (Dec 2009 - April 2013)
8.	Vahideh Tabasi Loft Abadi Co-Supervise with Dr Kamariah Ismail (FPPSM)	Co-Super	Entrepreneurial marketing : consumer expectations and satisfaction in case of Iran Khodro Company	Completed (June 2009-2013)
9	Fatima Harsej	Main Supervisor	Predictive Model for Total Productive maintenance Critical Success Factors on Manufacturing Performance in Automotive Industry	Completed (July 2008-Sep 2013)
TOPICS RELATING TO Quality Management Lean Manufacturing New Product Development Lean Six Sigma Sustainable Manufacturing Performance Tool FMEA Integrated with TRIZ Sustainable Service Quality Model Subsea Asset Integrity Framework Using Taguchi Methods in AGV Design			Integration of Web-based Failure Mode and Effects Analysis with TRIZ Inventive Problem Solving Methods	Completed (Dec 2008-12 Feb 2014)
			Risk based scheduling in engineering, procurement, and construction projects in Iran power industry	Completed Sept 2014
			Relationship between Statistical Process Control Success Factors and Organizational Performance	Completed (Jul2005 – 2014)
			Human Values Identification and Assessment Tool for TQM Implementation	Completed (Feb 2012-April 2015)
			Self-Assessment Instrument for Sustaining Business Excellence in Quality Award Companies.	Completed (2008-2016)
			Performance Management Systems for Research and Development Activities in Saudi Arabia Oil and Gas Sector	Completed (2010-2016)
			Relationship between Learning Organization Dimensions, Problem Solving Behaviour and Continuous Improvement Behaviour in Sustaining Lean Implementation	Completed (2014 -2017)
			Subsea Asset Integrity Framework for Project Execution Stage	Completed April 2017
			Automotive Post Use Supply Chain Business Processes Feasibility Model	Completed (2010-2017)
			Integrated Framework for Sustaining Total Quality Management in Sudan	2013 – Viva 23 March 2017
			Permodelan Perancangan dan Kawalan Kerja dalam Proses Multi Produk bagi Pengeluaran Katil Hospital	Feb 2014-7 September 2017
			Remanufaturing Cost Framework	(Sep 2013- August 2017)
			The Influence of Religiosity and Fatalism on Safety Behavior of Muslim Shipyard Workers in Malaysia	Feb 2012 – Viva April 2018
			Sustainable Service Quality of Malaysian Water and Sewerage Companies	Sept 2014 – April 2018
			Design Of Project Integrated Quality And HSE Management System For ERCIC Oil And Gas Marine Contractors	Aug 2012
25.	Loh Kok Liang	Main Supervisor	Blue Ocean Leadership for Sustaining Lean Manufacturing in Malaysian Automotive Industry	Feb 2016- March 2019
26.	Saad Aziz H ALOtaibi	Main Supervisor	Impact of Service quality and Organisational Culture on Customer Satisfaction among university students at Umm Al-Qura University	Sep 2015 – Dec 2019
27.	Daswir	Main Supervisor	Hubungan Komitmen Pengurus Dengan Budaya dan Perilaku Keselamatan Kerja Loji Penapisan Minyak Riau	Feb 2014-July 2020
28.	Rosdan Rosman	Main Supervisor	Supplier Selection system	Feb 2012 – Jan 2021



Dr Baba Md Deros
Professor in UKM (Retired)
Faculty of Mech and Manufacturing
1st Doctoral Student Completed PhD
2004



Dr Nurul Fadly Habidin
UPSI Tg Malim
Engineering Doctorate
2012 Expert Researcher



Dr Abdul Rahman Abd Rahim
Professor University Sukabumi,
Indonesia
(Retired UTM Early 2024) PhD 2006



Dr Elita Amrina
Assoc Prof, Universitas
Andalas,
Padang Sumatra PhD 2013



Dr Nilda Tri Putri
Professor Universitas Andalas,
Padang Sumatra PhD 2011



Dr Awad Al Harbi
Consultant Innovation Management
And Quality Management,
Saudi Arabia PhD 2016



Dr Zainal Fitri Zainal Abidin
Associate Professor
UniKL MFI Bangi,
(Ex- Proton R & D) PhD 2012



Dr Saad Al Otaibi
Vice Dean Business School,
Umm Qura University Makkah
AlMukaramah
Saudi Arabia PhD 2019

ASIA PACIFIC INDUSTRIAL ENGINEERING AND MANAGEMENT SYSTEMS (APIEMS) SOCIETY BOARD MEMBER SINCE 2010-





Dean Razak School – 2016

Transformation 2018 – Razak Faculty

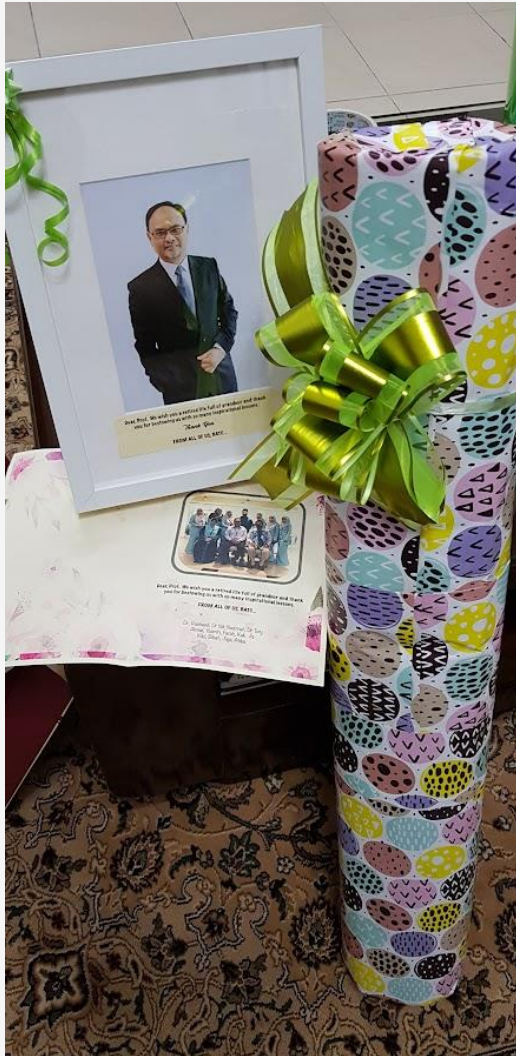
Staff Integration and Systems Consolidation

Advanced Informatics School
Perdana School
Razak School
Combined



Strategic Planning Avilion Port Dickson 25/26.1.2019

14 August 2019 – Retirement from UTM



Post-retirement





► MEIJI UNIVERSITY – SURUGADAI CAMPUS IN TOKYO

GSBA –

- Since April 2020 - Covid
- Teaching **Global Business A** in Surugadai Campus and **Global Business B** in Malaysia (For DDP – Double Degree Prog MBA)
- Teaching Production Management A and Production Management B
- Supervision of Master Research Project = mostly Malaysians doing DDP MBA Meiji Program
- No Admin Post in Meiji
- PhD Examiner from Malaysian Univ – Taylor's University, UTAR, UiTM
- Program Advisor – UniKL
- Other academic appointments – MJIIT Visiting Professor
- International Conferences – Keynote Speaker ICBIEM 2024.
- Invited Speakers MSAJ , Talks at UCSI, UTM JB

Graduation Ceremony 2024 –

Graduate School of
Business

Administration –

Short and simple, time
saving, but Japanese
culture- reading name
of graduate by the
Dean, confer the
scroll, and bowing



A modern classroom or meeting room. The room features a large, white, U-shaped table with black chairs arranged around it. The floor is covered in dark blue carpet tiles. On the left, there is a glass door with a silver handle. In the background, there is a window with white blinds and another glass door. On the right wall, there is a whiteboard on a stand and a small white cabinet. The ceiling has recessed lighting and a ventilation unit.

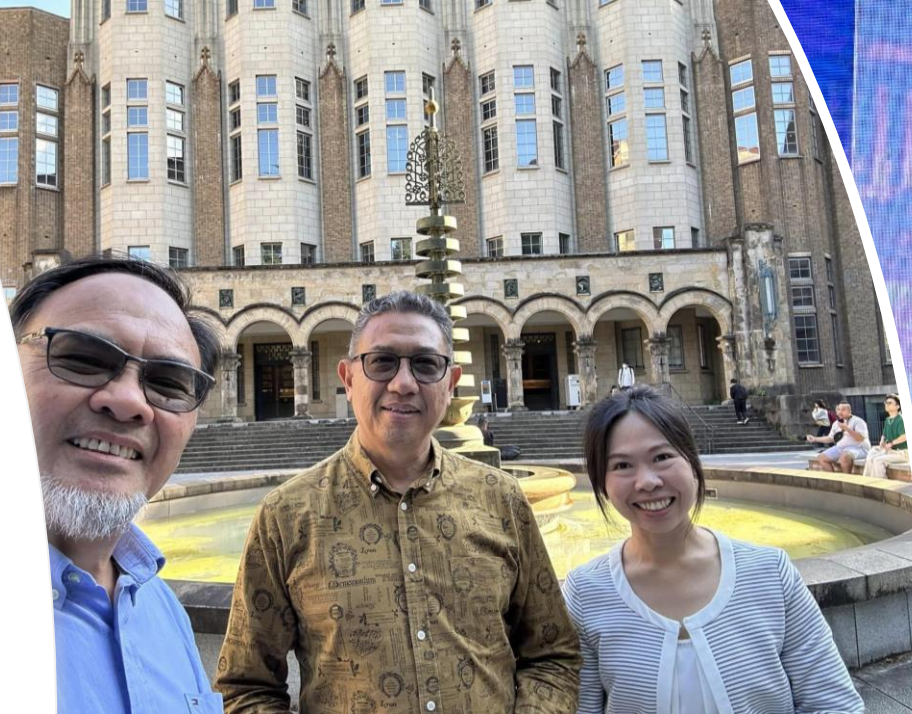
World Class Classrooms



Meeting people for
research and
advancing
knowledge



Meeting people
for research
and advancing
knowledge





Sharing
knowledge on
Science and
Technology with
Islamic School
in Tokyo – years
7 to 9 students –
18 January 2024



The only way to be truly satisfied is to do what you believe is great work. And the only way to do great work is to love what you do. If you haven't found it yet, keep looking. Don't settle. As with all matters of the heart, you'll know it when you find it.

- Steve Jobs



JAPANESE THINKING AND LIVING IN JAPAN

Japanese Thinking

- 5S – Seiri Seiton Seiso Seiketsu Shitsuke
- Mottainai – Wasteful
- Kaizen
- Ikigai
- Monozukuri
- Hitozukuri
- Machizukuri
- Muda, Mura, Muri
- Takumi (professional/expert)
- Many more

Opening Up a New World of Monozukuri



**Jiro Ebihara : CMzO(Chief Monozukuri Officer) ,
Senior Executive Officer**

Business models are changing due to the instability of world affairs and the proliferation of CASE vehicles. Meanwhile, society is undergoing dramatic changes as a consequence of labor shortages and initiatives focused on climate change and resource recycling. DENSO will help address the social issues arising from these changes by placing importance on Monozukuri and Hitozukuri (the development of human resources) while remaining focused on the new era that is emerging. Thanks to our predecessors' farsighted establishment of global development, production, and supply capabilities, we already have development and manufacturing bases in regions worldwide, giving us the resources to deliver better products to our customers around the world.

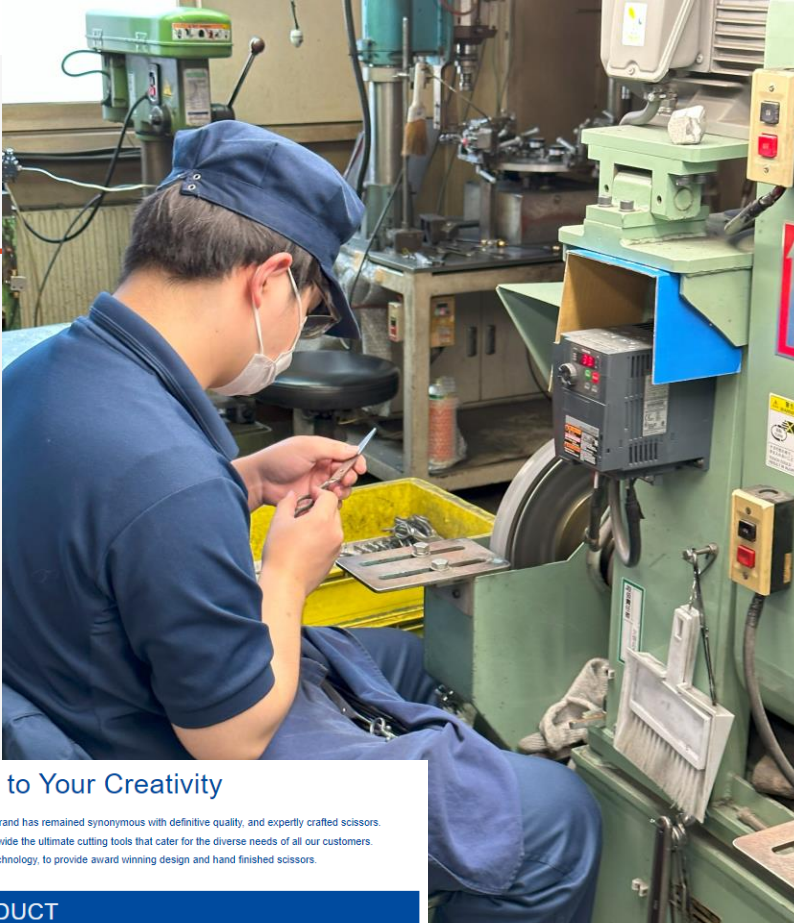
Going forward, we will focus on the three tasks below so that we can adapt to diverse changes as rapidly as possible while implementing measures for the realization of

Monozukuri

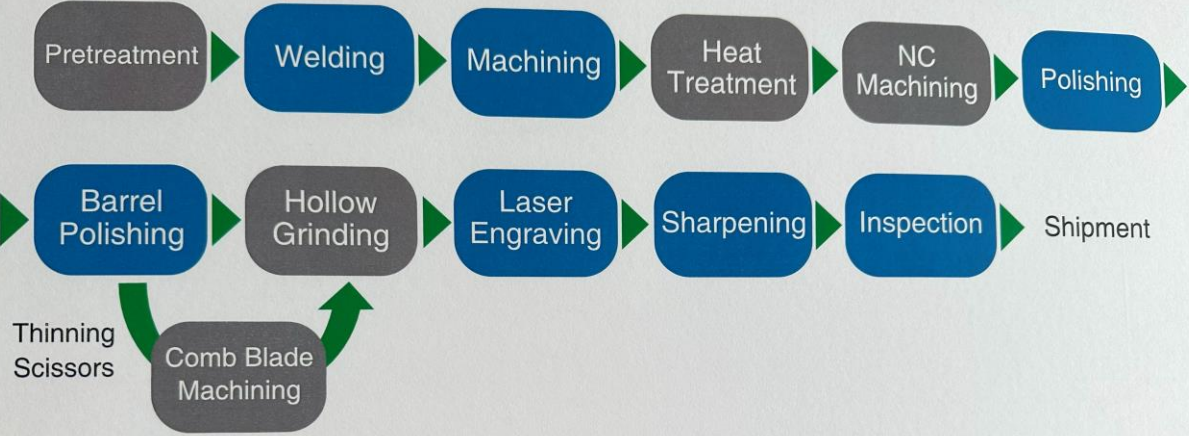
<https://www.denso.com/global/en/about-us/investors/annual-report/integrated-report-2023/cmzo-message/>



Est. 1917



Manufacturing Process of Hairdressing Scissors



Processes not covered in the factory tour



Pretreatment



Heat Treatment



NC Machining



Comb Blade Machining

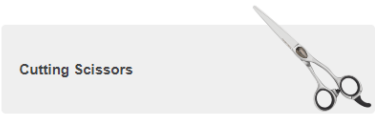


Hollow Grinding

The Cutting Edge to Your Creativity

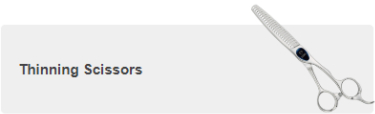
Since our establishment in 1917, Tokosha have strived to ensure that our Joewell brand has remained synonymous with definitive quality, and expertly crafted scissors. The company is known for its passion in the pursuit to provide hairdressers worldwide the ultimate cutting tools that cater for the diverse needs of all our customers. Our master craftsmen use their extensive experience, and leading technology, to provide award winning design and hand finished scissors.

PRODUCT



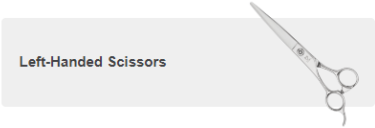
Cutting Scissors

- Blunt cut
- Slide cut

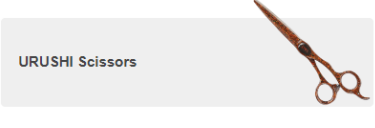


Thinning Scissors

- Volume control (5~35%)
- Texture control (10~30%)
- Cut & Thinning (40~50% / 80%)



Left-Handed Scissors



URUSHI Scissors

Pet Grooming Scissors



VISIT 26 JULY 2023



Inoue Kenji

Ikigai - 生き甲斐

- Japanese comes from: “iki” meaning “to live,” and “gai” meaning “reason,” which translates to “a reason to live” a sense of purpose
- A concept that encourages people to discover what truly matters to them and to live a life filled with purpose and joy – ‘higher purpose in life’

<https://www.aspireluxurymag.com/ikigai-is-the-japanese-secret-to-a-longer-and-happier-life/>



Okinawa – Health and Longevity

4 categories

1. what you love
2. what the world needs
3. what you can be paid for
4. what you are good at



If you **love to cook and are good at it**, ‘**cooking**’ **could fulfill the categories of ‘what the world needs’ and ‘what you can be paid for.’**

Your aim could be a modest one, such as catering a friend’s party, or bringing smiles to the faces of those who have enjoyed your food.

Let's do some thinking





Japanese Proverb

- Ki o ueru no ni ichi-ban yokatta jiki wa ni-jū-nen mae datta. Ni-ban-me ni ii jiki wa ima da.
- 木を植えるのに一番良かった時期は 20 年前だった。二番目に良い時期は今だ。
- The best time to plant a tree was 20 years ago. The second best time is now.

Japanese Proverb

為せば成る 為さねば成らぬ何事も 成らぬは人の為さぬなりけり

Nase ba Naru. Nasaneba Naranu nanigotomo. Naranuwa hitono Nasanu Narikeri.

This means “If you try, you will succeed. If you don’t try anything, you will not succeed at anything. If you haven’t succeeded, it means that you have not yet tried (enough). “

人生には、テキストもノートも助っ人も、何でも持ち込めます
[by 森博嗣 (Hiroshi Mori), a Japanese writer and engineer]

**Jinsei ni wa, tekisuto mo, nōto mo, suketto mo, nan demo
mochikomemasu**

Literally: “You can bring textbooks, notes, supporters, anything into life.”

Meaning: Make maximum use of resources and opportunities to make your life better.

My Personal Life



Tokyo Camii Mosque
near Yoyogi-Uehara
Station, Odakyu Line

Probably the
most beautiful
mosque in Japan



**True success is when whatever you do
falls within ALLAH commands and in
accordance to His Religion and His
Messenger's teachings -
Need to continuously learn and practice**

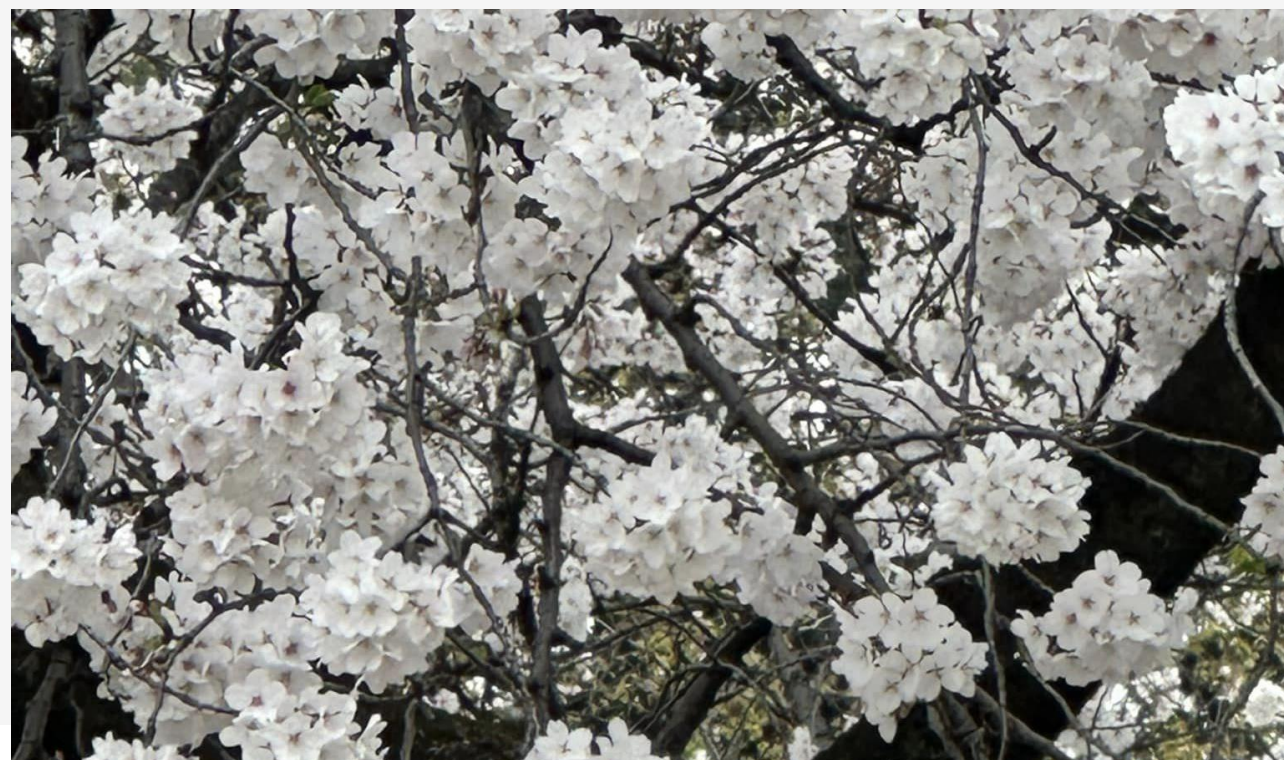


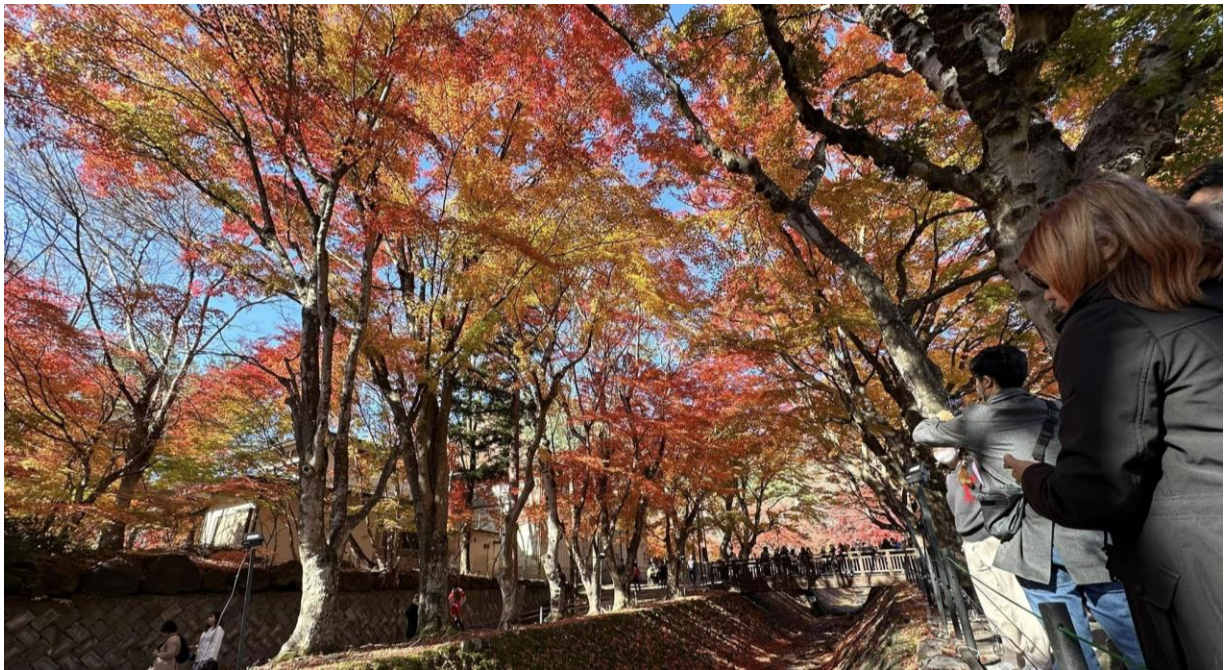
**Shin Koiwa
Mosque** and
Muslim
Community
Ramadan and
Eidul Fitri





- Hayabusa Tohoku Shinkansen
- Tokyo – Shin Aomori
- Max Speed 320km/h







Shibazakura Flowers peak in May



Fuji san seen from Kamakura



Fuji san from Fujisan Station in Fujikyu Line to Kawaguchiko Station

Hadith on Excellence (Ihsan)

Shadid ibn Aws said: I remember two things the Messenger of Allah صلى الله عليه وسلم said,

“Indeed, Allah has prescribed **excellence in everything; so if you kill, then kill well; and if you slaughter, then slaughter well. Let one of you sharpen his knife so his animal feels no pain.”**

[Sahih Muslim, Book 21, Number 4810]

Book of Hunting and Gaming, Chapter: The command of excellence in slaughtering and killing

شَدَّادُ بْنُ أَوْسٍ قَالَ ثِنْتَانِ حَفَظْتُهُمَا عَنْ رَسُولِ اللَّهِ صَلَّى اللَّهُ عَلَيْهِ وَسَلَّمَ قَالَ إِنَّ اللَّهَ كَتَبَ
الْإِحْسَانَ عَلَى كُلِّ شَيْءٍ فَإِذَا قَتَلْتُمْ فَأَحْسِنُوا الْقِتْلَةَ وَإِذَا ذَبَحْتُمْ فَأَحْسِنُوا الذَّبْحَ وَلْيُحِدِّ
أَحَدُكُمْ شَفْرَتَهُ فَلْيُرِخْ تَبِيحَتَهُ

كِتَابُ الصَّيْدِ وَالذَّبَائِحِ وَمَا يُؤْكَلُ مِنَ الْحَيَوَانِ - بَابُ الْأَمْرِ بِالْإِحْسَانِ فِي الذَّبْحِ وَالْقَتْلِ وَتَحْدِيدِ
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Take away points

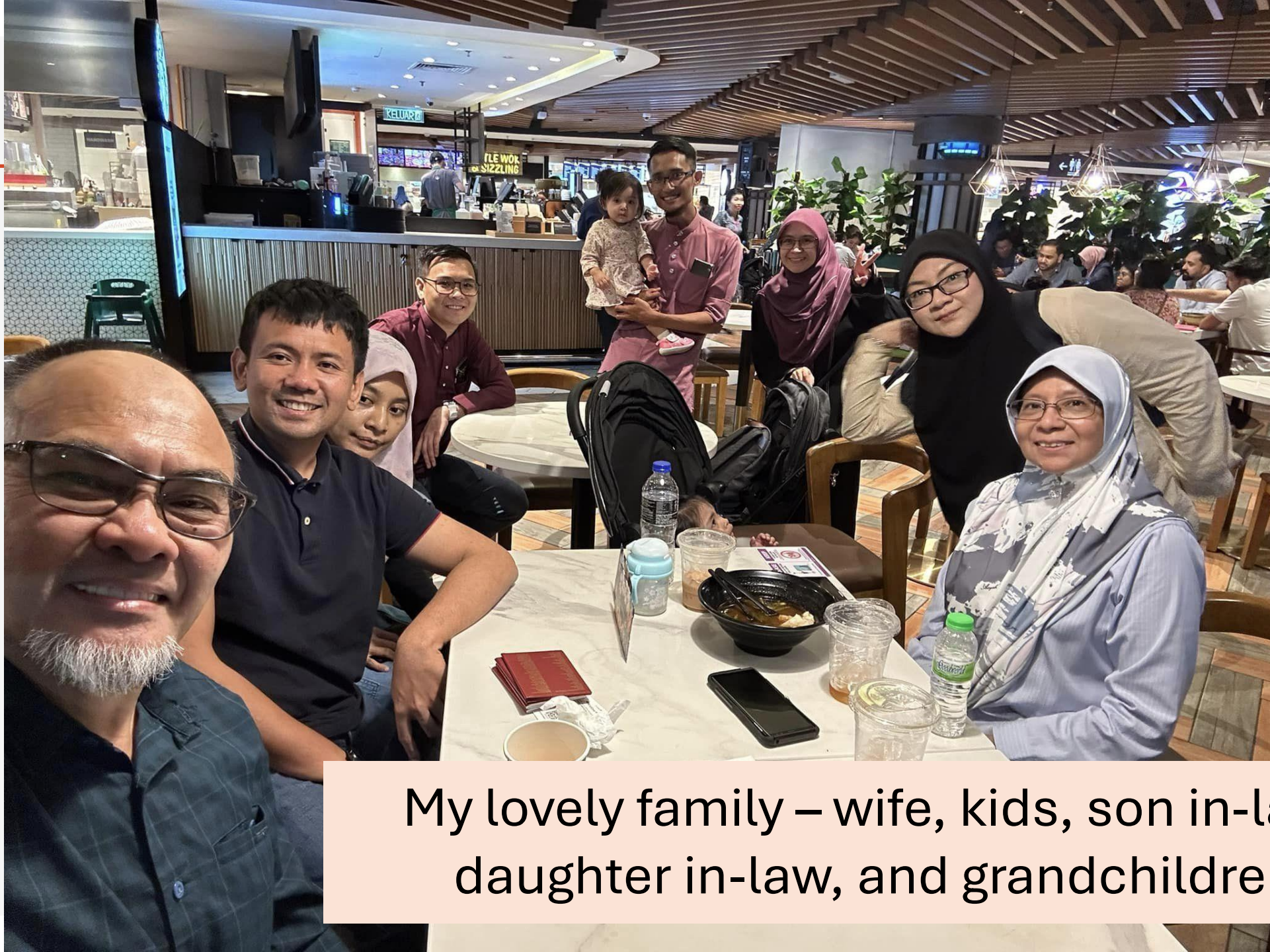
- **Point 1 – Early life experience in sports and leadership roles mold my behavior, goals, objectives and worldview – CORRECT VALUES + WORK HARD**
- **Point 2 – Understood at an early age to be successful you need to work hard, learn new skills and knowledge, university doesn't teach everything – WORK SMART**
- **Point 3 – keep on trying and doing until you become an expert – make mistakes to learn, think long term – UPDATE SELF – KNOW HOW +KNOW WHAT**
- **Point 4 – Make friends, learn from people – seniors are your mentors, talk and ask them – KEEP AND MAKE GOOD RELATIONSHIPS**
- **Point 5 – opportunity does not come twice – take it while it is still there – need to weigh and calculate all the risks and consequences – THINK LONG TERM**
- **Point 6 – Always remember that you only live once to make as much deeds as possible – hold on to the path of religion – BE HUMBLE, BUILD STRONG FAITH, NEVER STOP PRAYING AND SEEK HELP FROM CREATOR ALL THE TIME**



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