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Learn what it takes to be a model from a three-month course at UCSI University

Not just for the tall and beautiful

MODELLING is not all lucrative product endorsement contracts, jet-setting to exotic locations for photo shoots and walking down the runway wearing the latest designer gears.

It is a demanding profession that requires a high level of discipline and professionalism.

Rebecca Boon Cheng Yeen, Jenny Foh Jie Ni, Queen Adaora Nduji and Salamutu Queen Yunusa learned this and more about what it takes to be a model from a three-month course at UCSI University.

The four girls recently showcased their catwalk skills parading the creations of local designer Micky Tan and clothing retailer Isetan, Metrojaya and Blook Boutique as part of their graduation ceremony.

They were also presented with certificates for completing the course by UCSI University vice chancellor and group president Peter Ng.

A part-time programme, UCSI's modelling course provides an intensive and holistic foundation of the fashion and

modelling business.

It is delivered through a selection of master classes, including tuition and demonstrations from top professionals in the fields, delivered in practical yet fun ways.

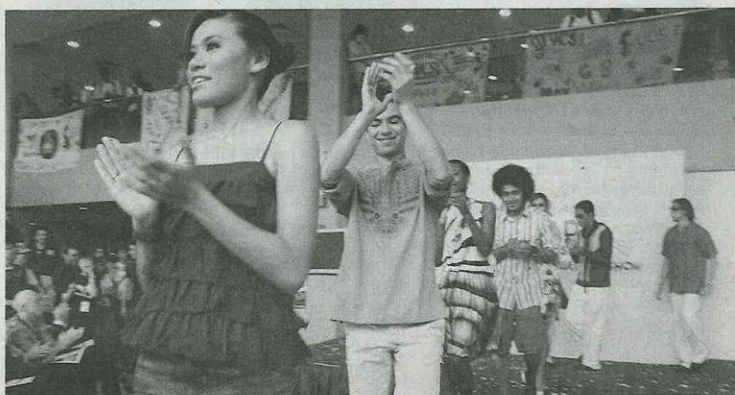
Through the course, students discover that modelling is not just for the tall and beautiful.

There is a wide opportunity to find work as models in fashion, commercials, television, videos and films.

In his speech, Ng stresses that modelling is not all about the glamour and the limelight associated with the industry.

"It teaches students to have self-confidence," he says, adding that students learn, among others, how to apply techniques in photographic modelling, grooming, as well as communication and effective planning skills over 12 weeks.

Course intakes are in January, May and September. Those aged 16 years and above, male and female, are encouraged to enrol.



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