

Learning social responsibility

THROUGH its unique syllabus, the MBA in Oil and Gas Management programme under the Faculty of Business and Information Science at UCSI University's Terengganu campus is designed for graduates who have completed their degree in various fields. Namely, engineering, business administration and accounting, to name a few – in the area of business administration.

This course focuses on building management skills – particularly in the oil and gas industry and its related sub-sectors – and caters to working professionals who seek to equip themselves with the essential business knowledge and professional competencies needed for today's workplace demands.

In a Praxis university that advocates the application of theory to practice, students are furnished with more than just an academic experience. There are abundant opportunities for students at the university to participate in various associations, activities and events such as off-campus talks and industry trips, among others, that enable them to experience the fun yet intellectual spheres of campus life.

Take for example the Seventh Offshore Asia Conference and Exhibition which was held at the Kuala Lumpur Convention Centre (KLCC) in February earlier this year and attended by all the students from this programme.

Celebrated as the region's pre-



Second from bottom right): UCSI University students Irienah bt Rosli, Nur Saidah Nabihah and Mohammed Al-Dhabby in the midst of an interactive ice-breaking session with teenagers from the Darul Akhyar Orphanage during the two-day Affinity Camp.

mier conference and exhibition for the offshore exploration and production (E&P) industry, the annual gathering showcased the latest advances in technologies, products, ideas and services in the sector from an Asian perspective.

In essence, the world-class conference was a brilliant meeting of minds where more than 30 speakers presented their case studies from unique angles and each expressed expert opinions on

current issues, challenges and solutions associated with E&P activities across the region.

Monglen Onoye Orobosa, a Nigerian student currently pursuing the MBA in Oil and Gas Management, said the conference/exhibition "served as an excellent platform for students to network with industry leaders and acquire in-depth oil and gas knowledge."

She added that talks were also conducted by top-notch oil and gas

companies to discuss topics such as liquefied natural gas and E&P technologies, to name a few.

Dedicated to improving the quality of life of local communities, UCSI University is deeply committed to social responsibility and has aided the less fortunate through numerous campaigns, programmes and charity drives.

One such programme was the recent two-day "Affinity Camp" at the Darul Akhyar Orphanage in Batu

Rakit, Kuala Terengganu, which hoped to inspire university students to become proactive, responsible and innovative individuals, and nurture healthy social interactions between the students and their surrounding communities.

During the outing, the students bonded with 147 teenagers between the ages of 13 and 17 through various activities.

From an educational aspect, a workshop was conducted by the university's students and staff, focusing on Sijil Pelajaran Malaysia (SPM) and Penilaian Menengah Rendah (PMR), where the teenagers were furnished with valuable insight into effective studying methods for both national examinations.

There are many interesting activities in the pipeline to ensure that students are exposed to rich experiences throughout their MBA in Oil and Gas Management course at the University's Terengganu campus.

■ To find out more about UCSI University's MBA in Oil and Gas Management course – only available at the Terengganu campus, feel free to pay us a visit from Sunday to Thursday (8.30am – 6pm) for course counselling, call UCSI's counsellors at 09 - 628 1889 / 1880 or email www.ucsi.edu.my/onlineenquiry for any enquiries. You may also visit the UCSI University website at www.ucsi.edu.my.