



Thong (on stage) shares his tips on Physics with participants during the workshop.

Sharing tips for exam success

WORKING hard is the cornerstone of any achievement but sometimes, it is not enough.

Students have been busy preparing for the SPM examination which started last Monday.

UCSI University provided SPM students with an invaluable opportunity to learn how to score in SPM subjects through its two-day SPM Revision Workshop.

To help ease stress levels, it even threw a concert-cum-dinner for the participants and parents after all the intense revision sessions.

Master teachers Thong Kum Soon (Physics), Lee Saw Im (Chemistry), Shirley Monica George (English) and Yeow Pow Choo (Additional Mathematics) trained the 1,300 students who registered for the sessions.

These teachers are experts in their respective subjects, with more than 20 years' experience of teaching and marking exam papers. They are authors of textbooks and reference books. Some even blog about their favourite subject.

The workshop was officially launched by UCSI deputy vice-chancellor, Student Affairs

& Alumni Assoc Prof Dr Jimmy Mok Vee Hoong.

The participants learned tips on answering questions as well as an overview of past-year questions.

To interject some fun during the workshop, the event organiser set up photo booths for participants to snap photos during intervals. Participants also had the opportunity to think about possible career pathways using UCSI's Career Matching and Guidance Test.

At the end of the two-day workshop, participants were treated to vocal and instrument performances from UCSI's Institute of Music students in a music festival. The prizes for winners of the Facebook competition and lucky draws were also given away.

The workshop is being held for the third time with *Majlis Guru Cemerlang Wilayah Persekutuan* as a school community programme. It is aimed at equipping students with the right skills and knowledge needed to face the SPM examination.