



Malaysia Int'l Chapter Administration Form 2015

Int'l Chapter Administration Form - Governance	
1. How many times did the executive committee conduct governance business during 2015?*	4
2. How many members were there in the executive committee during 2015?*	4
3. How did the executive committee communicate with one another during 2015?*(Check all that apply.)	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Email <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Teleconference <input type="checkbox"/> ACS Network <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Other - Meeting
4. Did a member of your Int'l chapter attend the Int'l Chapter Leaders Track at the 2015 ACS Leadership Institute?*	<input type="radio"/> Yes <input checked="" type="radio"/> No
5. Did your Int'l chapter have a succession and/or leadership development plan during 2015?*	<input checked="" type="radio"/> Yes <input type="radio"/> No
6. How did your Int'l chapter identify future leaders and get them into the leadership pipeline during 2015?*(Check all that apply.)	<input type="checkbox"/> Self-nomination <input type="checkbox"/> Solicitation or advertising <input type="checkbox"/> Identify active committee members <input type="checkbox"/> Formal leadership training <input type="checkbox"/> Long term plan <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Outreach to new members <input type="checkbox"/> Arm-twisting <input type="checkbox"/> Other -
7. Did your Int'l chapter conduct an officer election during 2015? *	<input type="radio"/> Yes <input checked="" type="radio"/> No
8. Did your Int'l chapter conduct its elections electronically during 2015?*	<input type="radio"/> Yes <input checked="" type="radio"/> No
9. How many members voted in your Int'l chapter officer election in 2015?*	0
Questions 10-12 provide the opportunity for your Int'l chapter's leadership to communicate successes, challenges, goals, and progress towards meeting those goals. We want to hear from you! Please use the required comment boxes to share your thoughts about your Int'l chapter. In questions 11 and 12, do not feel limited by having spaces indicated for the top three goals. Other goals can be added in the comment box if needed.	

<p>10. 2015 Chair's report: Please provide a narrative of the past year's activity/successes/challenges:*</p>	<p>In past year, we have successfully established our flagship program, Global Innovative Challenges in collaboration with Universiti Technology Malaysia (UTM). This is the second time we have run this program successfully and last year we have received participation from our neighbour country, Indonesia. In collaboration with Universiti Sains Malaysia (USM), we have run a series of outreach activity engaged high school students to promote chemistry as their career pathway. Moreover, we have also supported two mega 'carnival-liked' events at state level, namely Penang International Science Festival and also Chemistry Carnival Johor". The turnout rate for these two events has exceeded 10,000 people! In addition, PISF activity was assisted by the USM Student Chapter. Besides, we have co-organized with School of Chemical Sciences, USM on International Conference of Young Chemists (ICYC2015) and saw the presence of many participants from various countries. Furthermore, by working with University Putra Malaysia, our chapter also involved in supporting the 27th Regional Symposium of Malaysia Analytical Sciences. In collaboration with Academy Science Malaysia, 3 of our chapter officers also served on the question committee (under chemistry division) for National Science Challenges (NSC) 2015. NSC is a national level competition involved more than 20,000 high school students.</p>
<p>11. 2016 Chair's goals for the Int'l Chapter</p>	
<p>a. Please list your top 3 goals:</p>	<p>Focus to advance member's professional careers.</p>
	<p>Enhance scientific-based programs.</p>
	<p>Initiate income generation projects.</p>
<p>b. What are your concerns and challenges?*</p>	<p>- Inclusive member participation throughout nations. - Financial sustainability</p>
<p>12. 2016 Chair-Elect's goals for the Int'l Chapter</p>	
<p>a. Please list your top 3 goals:</p>	<p>Reaching out to current members in Malaysia by having more relevant activities within all regions</p>
	<p>Promote chemistry by organizing outreach engagements with public and high school students</p>
	<p>Link up with industries in order to expand the ACS networking.</p>
<p>b. What are your concerns and challenges?*</p>	<p>-To generate income for the chapter in order for the chapter to be more sustainable. -To retain members as well as to recruit more members.</p>

Int'l Chapter Administration Form - Organization

<p>1. Did your Int'l chapter have any active committees with two or more members during 2015?*</p>	<p><input checked="" type="radio"/> Yes <input type="radio"/> No</p>																																																						
<p>a. If the response to 1 (above question) is YES, please select the committee and enter the chair's name.</p>	<table border="0"> <tr> <td><input type="checkbox"/></td> <td>Awards</td> <td></td> </tr> <tr> <td><input checked="" type="checkbox"/></td> <td>Budget/Finance</td> <td>Dr Hooi Ling Lee</td> </tr> <tr> <td><input type="checkbox"/></td> <td>Career assistance/Employment</td> <td></td> </tr> <tr> <td><input checked="" type="checkbox"/></td> <td>Chemistry Olympiad</td> <td>Dr Mohd Bakri Bakar</td> </tr> <tr> <td><input checked="" type="checkbox"/></td> <td>Community Activities</td> <td>Dr Jitkang Lim</td> </tr> <tr> <td><input type="checkbox"/></td> <td>Continuing Education</td> <td></td> </tr> <tr> <td><input checked="" type="checkbox"/></td> <td>Educational</td> <td>Dr Mohd Bakri Bakar</td> </tr> <tr> <td><input type="checkbox"/></td> <td>EHS</td> <td></td> </tr> <tr> <td><input type="checkbox"/></td> <td>Environmental</td> <td></td> </tr> <tr> <td><input type="checkbox"/></td> <td>Government Affairs</td> <td></td> </tr> <tr> <td><input checked="" type="checkbox"/></td> <td>Industry Relations</td> <td>Dr Jitkang Lim</td> </tr> <tr> <td><input type="checkbox"/></td> <td>Long Range Planning</td> <td></td> </tr> <tr> <td><input checked="" type="checkbox"/></td> <td>Membership/Membership Retention</td> <td>Dr Mohd Firdaus Abdul Wahab</td> </tr> <tr> <td><input type="checkbox"/></td> <td>Mentoring</td> <td></td> </tr> <tr> <td><input type="checkbox"/></td> <td>Minority Affairs</td> <td></td> </tr> <tr> <td><input type="checkbox"/></td> <td>Newsletter/Publications</td> <td></td> </tr> <tr> <td><input type="checkbox"/></td> <td>Nominations</td> <td></td> </tr> <tr> <td><input type="checkbox"/></td> <td>Professional Relations</td> <td></td> </tr> </table>	<input type="checkbox"/>	Awards		<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	Budget/Finance	Dr Hooi Ling Lee	<input type="checkbox"/>	Career assistance/Employment		<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	Chemistry Olympiad	Dr Mohd Bakri Bakar	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	Community Activities	Dr Jitkang Lim	<input type="checkbox"/>	Continuing Education		<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	Educational	Dr Mohd Bakri Bakar	<input type="checkbox"/>	EHS		<input type="checkbox"/>	Environmental		<input type="checkbox"/>	Government Affairs		<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	Industry Relations	Dr Jitkang Lim	<input type="checkbox"/>	Long Range Planning		<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	Membership/Membership Retention	Dr Mohd Firdaus Abdul Wahab	<input type="checkbox"/>	Mentoring		<input type="checkbox"/>	Minority Affairs		<input type="checkbox"/>	Newsletter/Publications		<input type="checkbox"/>	Nominations		<input type="checkbox"/>	Professional Relations	
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2. How many subsections were active in your Int'l chapter during 2015?*	0
3. How many subsection meetings were held by your Int'l chapter during 2015?*	0
4. How many topical groups were active in your Int'l chapter during 2015?*	0
5. How many topical group meetings were held in your Int'l chapter during 2015?*	0
6. How many dues-paying affiliate members were in your Int'l chapter during 2015?*	0
7. What was the approximate number of active volunteers in your Int'l chapter during 2015?*	20
8. Please estimate the number of new volunteers in your Int'l chapter during 2015?*	20
9. Please indicate all the ways that your Int'l chapter recognized volunteers during 2015.* (Check all that apply.)	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Certificates <input type="checkbox"/> Awards <input type="checkbox"/> Letter to volunteer supervisor <input type="checkbox"/> Letter to volunteer <input type="checkbox"/> Recognition at an event <input type="checkbox"/> Recognition on web <input type="checkbox"/> Recognition in newsletter <input type="checkbox"/> Other -

Int'l Chapter Administration Form - Communications

1. How many Int'l chapter meetings were held during 2015?*	0
2. On average, how many members attended a Int'l chapter meeting during 2015?*	0
3. How does the Int'l chapter's leadership communicate information to its members?*	Via Chapter email and Facebook page.
3a How Often do these communications occur:	
3a1 Number of newsletters published:*	0
3a2 Number of meeting notices:*	0
4. What social media does your Int'l chapter use?	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Facebook <input type="checkbox"/> Twitter <input type="checkbox"/> LinkedIn <input type="checkbox"/> Other -
5. Did your Int'l chapter have a website during 2015?*	<input type="radio"/> Yes <input checked="" type="radio"/> No
5a. If the answer to 5 (above question) is YES, what was the URL for your Int'l chapter's website?	
6. Did your Int'l chapter post its Annual Report on your website during 2015?*	<input type="radio"/> Yes <input checked="" type="radio"/> No

Int'l Chapter Administration Form - Nomination

1. Our Int'l Chapter would like to self-nominate for the Int'l Chapter Outstanding Performance Award.	<input checked="" type="radio"/> Yes <input type="radio"/> No
2. Please provide a summary self-nomination statement of 500-word or less. The summary statement should highlight Int'l Chapters 2015 activities to support your nomination.	In 2015, ACS Malaysia Chapter has successfully organized various national level activity of all nature. We started our year by having a series of outreach activity involved multiple high school in northern part of Malaysia. This activity is aimed to promote chemistry as an attractive

	<p>career pathway to the young generation. Approximately, more than 300 high school students have benefitted from this activity. In addition, in conjunction with our chapter mission on outreach, we have also supported two mega carnival-like event, namely Carnival Chemistry Johor and Penang International Science Festival, in cooperation with state government and also Academy Science Malaysia (ASM). These two events has attracted more than 1,000 visitors to our booth and learned about ACS Malaysia, more importantly, chemistry in general.</p> <p>On Sept 28, 2015 we have successfully organized our flagship program, South East Asian Global Innovation Challenges (SEA-GIC), with theme focused on Sustainable Approaches for Global Water Security. This competition not only attracted participants from more than 10 universities in Malaysia but also from our neighbouring country, Indonesia. Through this program, it is our intention to facilitate soft-skills development among the local graduate and at the same time promote critical thinking to use chemistry knowledge to solve problems related to water security. This vision is welly aligned with the focus of International Year of Chemistry 2011 which is to highlight the role of chemistry in solving global problem. Moreover, our chapter has also successfully co-organized International Conference of Young Chemist 2015. Again, this conference provides an effective platform to foster exchange of idea and information related to chemistry among the young chemist and at the same time allow ACS members to get together. Furthermore, our chapter has also supported the 28th Regional Symposium of Malaysian Analytical Sciences which is spearheaded by our advisory board members.</p> <p>With assistance from our chapter, Universiti Sains Malaysia has successfully established its own ACS student chapter. Together with their advisors, three student members from this newly established USM student chapter, have attended 250th ACS National Meeting at Boston. In fact, not only our student members has branched out from Malaysia, two of our chapter members have also supported ACS activity in Thailand by servicing as facilitator in Building Opportunity out of Science (BOOST) Trainer Institute. Besides, our chapter has also hosted various visits by our colleagues from ACS International Office and support their activity in promoting ACS to local community. In view of our active engagement and contribution to the international activity of ACS, our chapter has also been conferred with Salutes to Excellence Award and P3 Award in 2015.</p>
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Int'l Chapter Administration Form - Supporting Materials

File Name	File Size	Brief Description
Photos of Events in 2015.pdf	5.38 MB	Photos of Events in 2015

Int'l Chapter Administration Form - Approval

Comments

Approved & Submit for Review Ricardo McKlmon 06/09/2016

This form has been submitted for your approval. Please review each tab for completeness and accuracy, make any necessary edits, and save all changes before approving this form. After the form is approved, it will be submitted for review. The approved form will be placed in read only mode and no additional edits will be allowed. Your approval will submit this form as part of your official annual report to ACS.

Int'l Chapter Administration Form - Reasons for Return

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