

YM Tengku Ahmad Rithauddeen Award Essay Writing Competition

Terms and Conditions

1. The question and criteria for this Award are:

Topic: Corruption: what does it mean to your generation? How can corruption, in your view, be reduced or eliminated in Malaysia?

Criteria:

- The submission should be between 1,500 to 2,000 words;
 - Must be an original piece of work;
 - Demonstrates a good understanding of the issues of corruption;
 - Well-written and inspiring with a persuasive call to action on the issues;
 - Demonstrates an understanding of the obstacles to those actions;
 - Provides thoughtful suggestions; and
 - May want to make references to the 17 Sustainable Development Goals (SDGs) in the writing.
2. The competition is open to all students aged 17 to 21 years of age (as of 31 December 2019) in Malaysia. Submission must be by a single author.
3. The following prizes will be awarded:
- First prize: RM 2,000.00
Second prize: RM 1,500.00
Third prize: RM 1,000.00
4. The winning submissions will be selected by a panel of judges from the University of Nottingham and the United Nations Association of Malaysia. The judges will also name for commendation 5 further entries.
5. Only one (1) entry per student is permitted.
6. Entries by previous winners of the competition will not be considered.
7. Entries to the competition must be unique (i.e. not published elsewhere or submitted to other essay competition) and original in content. Entries found to contain plagiarism will be disqualified. A bibliography acknowledging references to existing work is required.
8. Submission as well as a completed entry form signed by the author should be sent via e-mail (as attachment in word or pdf format) to UNAM_Awards@nottingham.edu.my.
9. The deadline for submission is **13 September 2019, Friday**.

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