

ExCEL Activity Report

Malam Kebudayaan dan Pesta Tanglung UTM 2019

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Justification in joining the activity:

Malam Kebudayaan dan Pesta Tanglung UTM 2019 is an event held in Tasik Ilmu UTM on 29th and 30th of November 2019 to celebrate the Mooncake Festival. This event is the grandest event carried out by Persatuan Pesta Tanglung UTM (PTUTM). In this event, I have taken a role to be one of the members in Stage Decoration department. The main task is to draw the backdrop and design some of the decorations for the stage based on the festival's theme. The theme for Malam Kebudayaan dan Pesta Tanglung UTM 2019 is the four famous masterpieces in the Chinese History which are the Water Margin, The Three Kingdoms Era, The Journey to the West and A Dream of Red Mansions. The stage decorations are done according to the representative elements such as story characters from these four masterpieces. This event was a great opportunity for me to present creativity on the design and help me to improve drawing skill as well as social skill.

Graduate Attributes:

- a) Communication Skill: It is one of the important attributes that is emphasized throughout this event. Communication among the departments is essential from the preparation of the event until the end. I communicated with my teammates and members from other departments especially during the preparation to prevent misunderstandings and problems can be solved effectively through good communication.
- b) Thinking Skill: Thinking skill is also focused on this event especially during preparation. This skill is crucial for us to design and think the effective method to decorate the stage in a proper and attractive way. We have decided to combine the representative characters and elements from each masterpiece to draw the backdrop using suitable drawing materials so as to match the decoration with the theme.
- c) Leadership and Teamworking Skill: Leadership and Teamworking skills are also important in any organization. In this event, I am able to work together with my teammates and we get to know each other better since we are from different faculties. A strong teamwork ensures all the tasks to be completed in time and the event to be gone through successfully.

- d) Adaptability: Throughout this event, I can adapt to the new environment easier and faster because I was a first-year student at that time. I have to work with new friends in this event so adaptability is an important attribute.
- e) Global Citizen: It is also an attribute which is focused on this event. As a member of this event, I am able responsible to give reply when there are visitors asking questions about the event. For example, I have to explain to the visitors about the theme and other activities carried out in the event.
- f) Enterprising Skill: Enterprising skill is needed to ensure that our department will not spend over than the budget. We make used with recycled items to decorate the stage and we did not waste the painting used for the backdrop.

Content of the activity:

The event was held for two days which is on night of 29th November 2019 and 30th November 2019. As for Stage Decoration department, we have not much thing to do during the events because we have set up the decoration before the event started. We are separated into few pairs to other department to help in their booth during the event. There were many performances presented by famous singers and entertainers who are invited by PTUTM. There were some performances done by UTM clubs like Freedom Dance Crew, Flying Dance Studio, UTM Chinese Orchestra, UTM Wushu Team and so on. All of the performances and show were scheduled for the two days of the event. While the performances were going on, the Sales department and Game department stayed on their own booth to sell food and beverages to the visitors or carried out interesting games for the visitors to play with. After the event ended, we are responsible to pack up all the stage decorations and keep them well as we can reuse some of the materials in the next activity.