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AITI ESSAY WRITING COMPETITION PRIZE CEREMONY MUTIARA BALLROOM, SHERATON UTAMA HOTEL 27 MAY 2007

The Authority for Info-communications Technology Industry of Brunei Darussalam (AITI) held the **AITI Essay Competition Prize Ceremony** on **27th May 2007** at the **Mutiara Ballroom, Sheraton Utama Hotel, Bandar Seri Begawan**. The event was held in conjunction with the World Telecommunication and Information Society Day to celebrate the winners of AITI's Essay Writing Competition and increase awareness of World Telecommunication and Information Society Day which carried the theme "Connecting The Young: the opportunities of ICT".

The Guest of Honour was **Yang Mulia Dato Paduka Dr Hj Ismail bin Hj Duraman, Vice Chancellor, Universiti Brunei Darussalam**.

Amongst the invited guests were **Mr. Michael Gibbs, Chief Executive of CfBT**, Director of Schools, parents, teachers and students from various schools who participated in the competition.

The program for the morning included welcoming remarks by Hj Ibrahim Ali, Chief Executive of AITI and followed by a presentation of prizes to 38 students; 12 received certificate of distinction while the remaining received certificates of merit. The winners from each category along with their school and prizes are as follows:

Primary School

Topic: Why I Use The Internet

Name	School	Prize
Dk Nurhidayah bte Pg Hj Sulaiman	Sekolah Rendah Tungku	First Prize <ul style="list-style-type: none">▪ Cash Prize \$100.00▪ Champion's trophy▪ Certificate of Distinction
Shannon Osman bte Md Ali	PDS School	Second Prize <ul style="list-style-type: none">▪ Cash Prize \$75.00▪ First runner-up trophy▪ Certificate of Distinction
Ak Yussof bin Pg Ali	Sekolah Rendah Dato Marsal	Third Prize <ul style="list-style-type: none">▪ Cash Prize \$50.00▪ Second runner-up trophy▪ Certificate of Distinction
Consolation Winners of equal order		
Ak Md Ayub bin Pg Abdul Ghani	Sekolah Rendah Dato Marsal	<ul style="list-style-type: none">▪ Consolation trophies

Danyal Johan	St. George's School	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ▪ Certificate of Merit
Nur'Amalina bte Maidin	Sekolah Rendah Tungku	
Chin Xin Ying	Chung Hwa Middle School	
Nurul Hamimah binti Hj Awang	Sekolah Rendah Dato Marsal	
Muhd Faizul Amin bin Jasli	Sekolah Rendah Lumapas	
Cheong Sui Lan	St. George's School	

Lower Secondary School

Topic: The Importance Of Responsible Internet Use

Name	School	Prize
Dk Najwa Naqibah Pg Hj Md Khanapiah	Sekolah Tinggi Perempuan Raja Isteri	First Prize <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ▪ Cash Prize \$150.00 ▪ Champion's trophy ▪ Certificate of Distinction
Hanisah bte Hamdan	Sekolah Menengah Pehin Dato Seri Maharaja	Second Prize <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ▪ Cash Prize \$100.00 ▪ First runner-up trophy ▪ Certificate of Distinction
Radin Abdul Malik Wafri bin Radin Sufri	St.Andrew's School	Third Prize <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ▪ Cash Prize \$75.00 ▪ Second runner-up trophy ▪ Certificate of Distinction
Consolation Winners of equal order		
Yong Chin Yee	Anthony Abell College	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ▪ Consolation trophies ▪ Certificate of Merit
Muhd Fadli bin Hj Awang Zaini	St. Andrew's School	
Siti Nur Zaitun binti Zakaria	Anthony Abell College	
Jeremiah Gaing	Sekolah Menengah Sayyidina Hassan	
Ivan Wong Weei	Chung Hwa Middle School	
Han EeHing	St. Andrew's School	

Upper Secondary School

Topic: How Can AITI Promote The Use of ICT

Name	School	Prize
Mohd Zulfadilah Izzudin bin Hj Mohd Daud	Sekolah Menengah SMJA	First Prize <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ▪ Cash Prize \$200.00 ▪ Champion's trophy ▪ Certificate of Distinction
Lim Chiao Yin	Maktab Sains Paduka Seri Begawan Sultan	Second Prize <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ▪ Cash Prize \$150.00 ▪ First runner-up trophy ▪ Certificate of Distinction
Muhd Aqil bin Abdul Razak	Sekolah Menengah Sultan Sharif Ali	Third Prize <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ▪ Cash Prize \$100.00 ▪ Second runner-up trophy ▪ Certificate of Distinction

Consolation Winners of equal order		
Goh Jia Lin	Sekolah Menengah Sayiddina Hassan	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ▪ Consolation trophies ▪ Certificate of Merit
Leon Lim Yu Jin	St. Andrew's School	
Benjamin Tang Jia Ming	St. Andrew's School	
Iqhwan Iskander bin Hj Caesar	St. Andrew's School	
Rasyad Faiz bin Hj Amir	St. Andrew's School	
Elena binti Karim	St. Andrew's School	
Erwan bin Mugit	St. Andrew's School	

Tertiary Level

Topic: Connecting The Young: the opportunities of ICT

Name	School	Prize
Lim Chien Hau	Maktab Sains Paduka Seri Begawan Sultan	First Prize <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ▪ Cash Prize \$500.00 ▪ Champion's trophy ▪ Certificate of Distinction
Wan Bazlaa Syafiqah bte Hj Abdul Karim	International School Berakas	Second Prize <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ▪ Cash Prize \$400.00 ▪ First runner-up trophy ▪ Certificate of Distinction
Nicholas Shim Kim Lung	Pusat Tingkatan Enam, Berakas	Third Prize <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ▪ Cash Prize \$300.00 ▪ Second runner-up trophy ▪ Certificate of Distinction
Consolation Winners of equal order		
Christie Kam Voon Ying	Laksmiana College	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ▪ Consolation trophies ▪ Certificate of Merit
Dk Nurul Aqilah binti Pg Hj Mohd Khanapiah	Maktab Duli Pengiran Muda Al-Muhtadee Billah	
Norhakimah binti Hj Mohd Sani	Maktab Duli Pengiran Muda Al-Muhtadee Billah	
Tan Li Sei	Maktab Duli Pengiran Muda Al-Muhtadee Billah	
Izyan Shazwani	Pusat Tingkatan Enam, Berakas	
Maisarah Khairunnisa bte Abdul Halim	Maktab Duli Pengiran Muda Al-Muhtadee Billah	

There was also a launching for AITI's website by the guest of honour. The website reflects AITI's new corporate image and it can be viewed at www.aiti.gov.bn.

AITI would also like to thank CfBT for supporting the competition, and the Ministry of Education, Universiti Brunei Darussalam and Institut Teknologi Brunei for endorsing the AITI Essay Competition.

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