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Uniten's winning team

UNIVERSITI Tenaga Nasional (Uniten) has once again emerged champion in the 15th National Mandarin Debate Championship recently, defeating the team from Multimedia University (MMU).

The championship was hosted by Universiti Malaya.

The Uniten team took away a trophy and RM5,000 prize. The winning team, comprising 10 group members, faced and defeated other debaters from 24 public and private Malaysian universities. The final round of the competition was held at Dewan Sivik, Petaling Jaya, in front of hundreds of supporters.

"Every team that participated gave their best. We are especially excited to become the team to represent Malaysia in the World Mandarin Debate Championship, which will be held in China in November," said Chen Men Ein, 19, a College of Engineering student from Uniten who also won best speaker award in the final stage.

The debate topics, which ranged from politics to economics, were debated in Mandarin, with the final topic being "The degradation of values and policies are the most critical challenges faced in the current state of Malaysia".

"For the past two years, we have joined many competitions in Malaysia and Singapore and from each competition, we have learned from our opponents," said Yau Jia Min, 20, from the College

of Computer Science and IT.

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With limited resources, the team had to make use of whatever time they had to train with the team alumni.

This highlights the emphasis the university places on soft skills development and in producing graduates who can meet the needs of their industry.

Among the new courses offered by Uniten are Entrepreneurship and Venture Management (EVM) and Cyber Security and Graphic Management, in keeping with the evolving working environment.

Uniten, one of Malaysia's first private universities, is wholly-owned by the public-listed Tenaga Nasional Bhd, one of the largest utility companies in Southeast Asia.

Though relatively new as a university, Uniten is moving rapidly towards establishing itself as a regional centre for educational excellence.

For more information, visit www.uniten.edu.my.

Regional excellence



Uniten's winning debate team (from left) **Ng Kaiding, Pang Xiao Tao, Yau Jia Min, Chen Min Ein and Yap Jia Ying.**

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Gamuda Bhd (Gamuda Bhd Industry News)	4	0	0
Multimedia University (Multimedia University)	6	0	0
Universiti Malaya (UM) (Universiti Malaya (UM))	1	0	0
Universiti Tenaga Nasional (Universiti Tenaga Nasional)	15	0	0