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**ACADEMIC QUALIFICATION (Selected)**

(Qualification), (Year), (Institution).

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- 1) Certificate of Completion Commit to Higher Altitude & Master Performance (CHAMP) training program (2018) (AIA Premier Academy)
  - 2) First Introductory Sales Training (FIST) 2.0 (2017) (AIA Premier Academy)
  - 3) TBE Takaful Basic Examination (2017) (Islamic Banking and Finance Institute Malaysia)
  - 4) **Doctor of Philosophy (History) (2015) (National University of Malaysia)**

**Dissertation - The History of the Look-To-The-East Idea: Japanese Interests in the Malaysian Socio-Economic Development (1906-1980)**

**5) Master of Business Administration (2012) (Universiti Tenaga Nasional)**

**Case Study - Desaru Enterprise Berhad: The Needs of Training Department and Salary Payment**

**6) Bachelor of Social Sciences with Honours (International Relation) (2008) (National University of Malaysia)**

**Thesis - Look East Policy: Implications on Malaysia-Japan Relationship**

7) Business and Accounting Course (2017) (Ayam Pak Sheikh Academy)

8) Food Handling & TY2 Injection Course (2017) (Ayam Pak Sheikh Academy)

9) Theory and Practical Training of ABS APS Kiosk (2017) (Ayam Pak Sheikh Academy)

10) Certificate of Attendance an in-house training on Real Estate Practises & Procedures (2012) (Reapfield Academy Sdn Bhd)

11) Certificate of Completion Financial Skills Uptiering Skills (2010) (Sage Interactive Sdn Bhd)

12) Certificate of Completion Business English Communications Skills Programme (2009) (Al-Ikhlas Cambridge Language Centre)

13) Sijil Tinggi Persekolahan Malaysia (2004) (Sekolah Menengah Kebangsaan Sultan Salahuddin Abdul Aziz Shah)

Malaysian University English Test: Band 4

**PROFESSIONAL MEMBERSHIP**

(Organisation), (Role), (Year).

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Colloquium (International Conferences Organizer) (December 2018 - Present)

London Journals Press (UK) (Council of Franklin Member) (August 2018 - Present)

Malaysian Historical Society Selangor Branch (Member) (October 2015 - Present)

Nonfiction Authors Association (Authority Member & Beta Reader) (July 2015 - Present)

**AWARDS AND RECOGNITIONS (Selected)**

(Name of Award/Recognition), (Awarding Institution), (Year Awarded).

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**2005**

Best Student for History Subject in STPM Year 2004, Sekolah Menengah Kebangsaan Sultan Salahuddin Abdul Aziz Shah, 2005.

## **2012**

Recipient of Research University Fellowship Scheme, National University of Malaysia (1 September 2012 - 28 February 2013).

Recipient of Research Materials Financial Assistance, National University of Malaysia (January - December 2012).

## **2013**

Recipient of Research University Fellowship Scheme, National University of Malaysia (1 Mac 2013 - 31 August 2013).

Recipient of Research University Fellowship Scheme, National University of Malaysia (1 September 2013 - 28 February 2014).

Recipient of Research Materials Financial Assistance, National University of Malaysia (January - December 2013).

Recipient of Overseas Conference Financial Assistance, National University of Malaysia, 2013.

## **2014**

Recipient of MyBrain 15 (MyPhD) Postgraduate Scholarship program, Ministry of Higher Education Malaysia (February 2014 - December 2015).

Manuscript entitled 'Sejarah Perkembangan Pelaburan British di Semenanjung Tanah Melayu, 1910-1941' (The Historical Development of British Investment in Malaya, 1910-1941) won Second Place, University/Public Category in Pertandingan Menulis Esei Sejarah Malaysia 2013 (Malaysian Historical Essay Writing Competition 2013), organized by Malaysian Historical Society with the cooperation of Ministry of Education Malaysia, 2014.

## **2015**

Recipient of Journal Assistance, Ministry of Higher Education Malaysia, 2015.

Recipient of Thesis Allowance, Ministry of Higher Education Malaysia, 2015.

Recipient of Graduate on Time Award and Outstanding Student Award in conjunction with Appreciation Ceremony for PhD Graduates and Supervisors, Faculty of Social Sciences and Humanities, National University of Malaysia, 2015.

The Youngest Ph.D. in History Holder and the sole Malaysian achieved a Ph.D. in History in conjunction with the 43rd UKM Convocation, National University of Malaysia, 2015.

Certificate of Appreciation for Acceptance of Research Results, National Archives of Malaysia, 2015.

**2017**

Recipient of Dana Penerbit UKM, National University of Malaysia, 2017.

eBook for sale titled *Sejarah Perkembangan Nasionalisme Melayu Sebelum Kemerdekaan* on www.bookrix.com used as reference material for Majlis Amanah Rakyat teaching instructor, 2017.

## **CAREER HISTORY**

(Post), (Organisation), (Period).

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### **Socioeconomic Researcher, Research for Social Advancement (Full Time)**

29/05/2019 - Present

Providing relevant and reliable analysis on social, economic and political issues affecting Malaysians with the aim of promoting open and constructive discussions that result in effective policies and good governance to address those issues.

### **AIA Premier Financial Consultant, AIA Public Takaful Bhd. (Full Time)**

16/11/2017 - 14/11/2018 (AIA Start Up 36: Rookie Level)

Under KL Nazrizz Agency. Assist prospect in terms of giving opinion on their financial needs and risk management from four aspects, namely Life Takaful, Medical, Critical Illness and Personal Accident. Help customers make a claim and service customer after sales (request for policy change, nominee).

### **Ayam Pak Sheikh Kiosk Owner, APS Food Sdn. Bhd. (Full Time)**

02/02/2017 - 15/11/2017

Ayam Pak Sheikh Kiosk is a Fried Chicken Kiosk with a system of Standard Operating Procedures for Malaysian Street Fast Food. My kiosk introduced 20 menus in 1 kiosk to serve foods that are quick, healthy and appropriate to the times. My kiosk also introduced an integrated and centralized network for food delivery services. Kiosk location initially at Rasa Village Food Court, Mydin Mall USJ in Subang Jaya, then move to Section 24 in Shah Alam.

### **Natural Executive, Cuckoo International (MAL) Sdn. Bhd. (Full Time)**

01/01/2016 - 03/01/2017

Representative of the Cuckoo brand, tasked with sharing the Cuckoo brand and products to Malaysians.

### **Research Assistant & Tutor, History Program, School of History, Politics and Strategy, Faculty of Social Sciences and Humanities, Universiti Kebangsaan Malaysia (Full Time)**

01/09/2012 - 31/12/2015

Determine the goals of the research project and the research methods. Also review and analyze data during the course of the project. Published research results in conference proceeding, journals, books and ebooks. Assist my supervisor managing tutor classes related to social and economic history during the colonial period in Malaysia and Southeast Asia for undergraduate students.

**Business Consultant & Executive Capital Contributions Planning, Koperasi Dana Usahawan Global Berhad (Full Time)**

07/01/2009 - 30/04/2010

Tasked with sharing cooperative services to Malaysians. Also buy and sell different types of currencies in an attempt to make a profit, with FXPRIMUS as the broker. Searching clients to make investment.

**Research Assistant, International Relations Program, School of Social Sciences, Universiti Malaysia Sabah (Full Time)**

03/01/2009 - 13/11/2009

Determine the goals of the research project and the research methods. Also review and analyze data during the course of the project.

**Sales Executive, Allison Grey Success Publishing (Full Time)**

01/07/2008 - 31/12/2008

Selling books and eBooks through marketing channels. The role includes planning, advertising, public relations, product development, distribution, and research.

**RESEARCH INTEREST**

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History of Malaysia, History of Japan, Issues of Poverty, Income Distribution, Social Mobility, Economic Development & Social Policy

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**Chief Editor**

**2016**

SSRG International Journal of Economics and Management Studies, 2016 (*Non-ISI/Non-SCOPUS Cited Publication*)

**Associate Editor**

**2017**

Research Analysis & Evaluation, 2017 (*Non-ISI/Non-SCOPUS Cited Publication*)

**2016**

Journal of Hotel Management and Tourism Research, 2016 (*Non-ISI/Non-SCOPUS Cited Publication*)

International Journal of Humanities and Social Science Research, 2016 (*Non-ISI/Non-SCOPUS Cited Publication*)

Journal of Art and Social Sciences, 2016 (*Non-ISI/Non-SCOPUS Cited Publication*)

### **2015**

Business, Management and Economics Research, 2015 (*Non-ISI/Non-SCOPUS Cited Publication*)

### **Guest Editor**

### **2017**

American Journal of Sports Science, 2017 (*Non-ISI/Non-SCOPUS Cited Publication*)

### **International Advisory Board**

### **2017**

Shodh Samiksha Aur Mulyankan, 2017 (*Non-ISI/Non-SCOPUS Cited Publication*)

### **Editorial Board Member (Selected) (Total 95 Journals)**

### **2019**

International Journal of Strategic Management & Marketing, 2019 (*Non-ISI/Non-SCOPUS Cited Publication*)

Medcave Journal of Business Management, 2019 (*Non-ISI/Non-SCOPUS Cited Publication*)

### **Reviewer (Selected) (Total 237 Reviewers)**

### **2019**

Journal of Business Strategy Finance and Management, 2019 (*Non-ISI/Non-SCOPUS Cited Publication*)

Global Journal of Interdisciplinary Social Sciences, 2019 (*Non-ISI/Non-SCOPUS Cited Publication*)

### **Book Reviewer (Selected) (Total 8 Reviewers)**

### **2015**

Nonfiction Authors Association, 2015  
Reviewer/judge for the Nonfiction Book Awards program  
(Fifteenth Times Reviewer for Award-winning Books)

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## **JOB & ACADEMIC REFERENCES**

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**Professor Dr. Nordin Hussin** (Ph.D. Main Supervisor)  
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### **CHARACTER REFERENCES**

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**Victor bin Anthony Aga** (Best friend for 15 years)  
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