



Top Research Scientist Award

by Ir. Prof. Dr. Dominic Foo Chwan Yee

Ir. Professor Dr. Dominic Foo Chwan Yee is currently the Advisor of the Chemical Engineering Technical Division (CETD).

Professor Ir. Dr. Dominic Foo Chwan Yee, an active member of IEM, was among the ten recipients being awarded the Top Research Scientist Malaysia (TRSM) by the Academy of Science Malaysia (ASM).

The award was presented by His Royal Highness Paduka Seri Sultan Nazrin Muizzuddin Shah Ibni Almarhum Sultan Azlan Muhibuddin Shah Al-Maghfullah, the Sultan of Perak. The award ceremony took place at Royale Chulan Hotel on 15 August 2016.

The Top Research Scientists Malaysia (TRSM) project was developed as part of ASM's focus on fostering a culture of excellence in science, technology and innovation (STI). To date, there are just over 100 top research scientists in the TRSM database.

Prof. Ir. Dr. Foo is the 2012/3 and 2013/4 sessions chairman, and now the advisor for the Chemical Engineering Technical Division (CETD). He is also the Director for the Centre of Excellence for Green Technologies (CEGT) at University of Nottingham Malaysia Campus. He is the Editor-in-Chief for *Process Integration and Optimisation for Sustainability* (Springer), and Subject Editor for *Process Safety & Environmental Protection* (Elsevier), among others. Prior to the TRSM award, Prof. Ir. Dr. Foo had won the 2009 Innovator of the Year Award (Institute of Chemical Engineers – IChemE), 2010 Young Engineer Award (Institute of Engineers Malaysia – IEM), 2012 Outstanding Young Malaysian Award, 2013 Society of Chemical Engineers Japan (SCEJ) Award for Outstanding Asian Researcher and Engineer, and 2014 University of Nottingham Vice-Chancellor's Achievement Award.