

**iNuSTEC2020, ANOTHER SUCCESSFUL EVENT  
BY MNS, UNITEN AND MALAYSIA'S NUCLEAR COMMUNITY**

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The International Nuclear Science, Technology and Engineering Conference 2020 (iNuSTEC2020) was held from 17 to 19 November 2020 with a special theme of "Sustainable Nuclear Science and Technology for Well-Being of Mankind." The annual Malaysia Nuclear Society's (MNS) conference was jointly organized by Universiti Tenaga Nasional (UNITEN) and Malaysian Nuclear Agency (Nuclear Malaysia) in collaboration with several local universities and industry partners.

The three-day virtual conference has gathered more than 70 participants from Malaysia and nuclear experts overseas, such as the Republic of Korea, the United States of America, and Germany. The event was also streamed live by the Skwad Media (SMU) UNITEN to thousands of online viewers through the MNS YouTube channel. The conference was officiated by Prof. Dato' Ts. Dr. Mohd Zamri Bin Yusoff, the Deputy Vice Chancellor of UNITEN.

In conjunction with the conference, MNS and Arey Solutions Sdn. Bhd. also organized Radiation Safety Refresher course for Radiation Protection Officer (RPO) on 18 and 19 November 2020. The refresher course was specially conducted for RPOs registered with the Atomic Energy Licensing Board (AELB) of Malaysia. On the 2<sup>nd</sup> and 3<sup>rd</sup> day of the conference, MNS organized Inter Varsity Nuclear Debate 2020. UNITEN's debate team won the final round of the debate competition. The competition has brought together local university students, especially the young nuclear generation, to discuss issues related to the nuclear landscape, technology and development.

The conference was officially ended by the closing remarks from Dr Siti A'iasah Binti Hashim, the Director General of Nuclear Malaysia. The conference was a successful event as 39 papers have been accepted to be published in the conference proceeding. The next conference, iNuSTEC2021, will be hosted by Universiti Teknologi Malaysia (UTM) Skudai, Johor, from 10 to 12 October 2021.



**Figure 1.** Officiating speech by Prof. Dato' Ts. Dr. Mohd Zamri Bin Yusoff, Deputy Vice Chancellor UNITEN.



Figure 2. Welcoming speech by Dr. Abdul Aziz Mohamed, President of MNS.

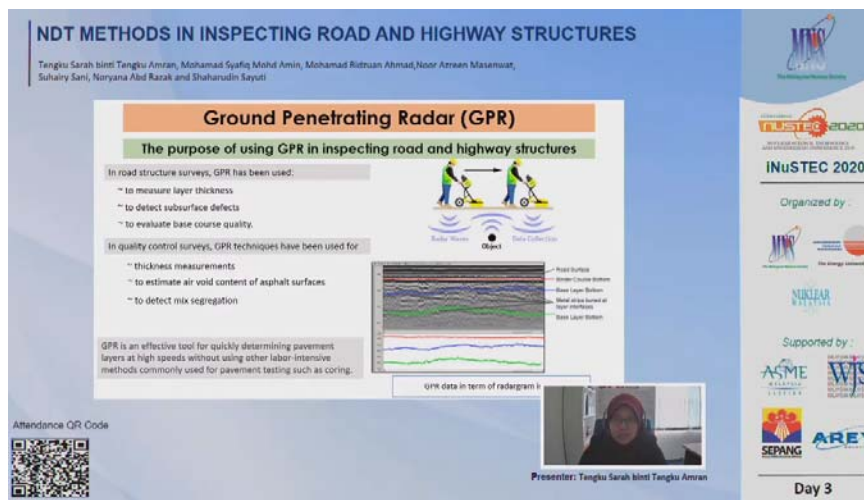


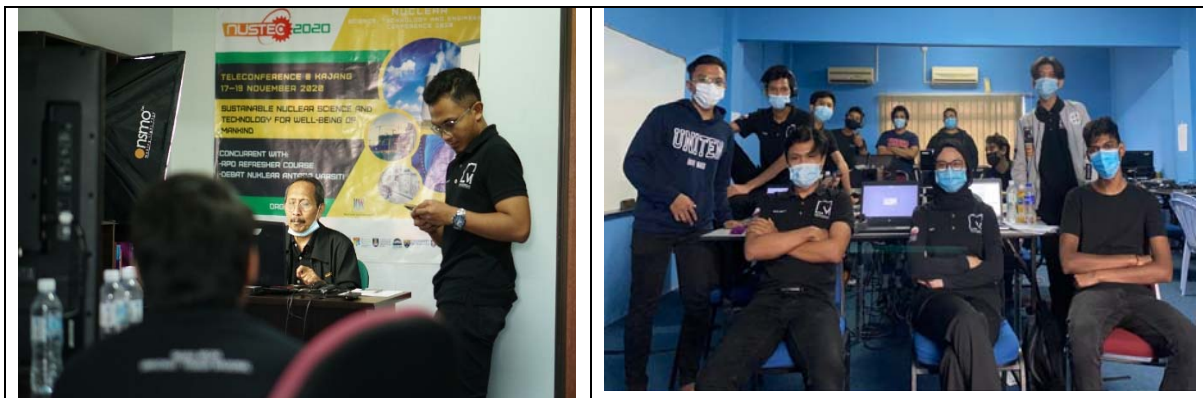
Figure 3. Presentation by one of the iNuSTEC2020 participants.



Figure 4. The final round of the InterVarsity Nuclear Debate 2020 between UNITEN and UiTM with nuclear expert judges.



*Figure 5. The conference was officially ended by the closing remarks from Dr Siti A'iasah Binti Hashim, the Director General of Nuclear Malaysia.*



*Figure 6. Skuad Media UNITEN (SMU) team has been very supportive and professional in providing technical support during the conference.*