



UMP GARNERED 18 MEDALS AND A SPECIAL AWARD AT ITEX 2013

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Universiti Malaysia Pahang (UMP) won 18 medals and one special award in the International Invention, Innovation and Technology Exhibition 2013 (ITEX '13) held at Kuala Lumpur Convention Centre (KLCC) from May 9-11, 2013.

UMP took home 12 gold medals and six silver medals.

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It was even more gratifying when a research work by Associate Professor Dr Abdurrahman Hamid Nour of the Faculty of Chemical & Natural Resources Engineering (FSKKA) titled – 'Water as an Alternative Energy and Pollutant Control' won the judges' heart who awarded him with a gold medal and named him as the recipient to Henry Goh Special Award (Best Green Technology Invention).

His work was about water as an alternative energy in controlling pollution.

Dr. Ahmad Ziad Sulaiman, also from FSKKA, won gold medal for his research titled, 'Effect of Ultrasound on Enzymatic Extraction of *Eurycoma Longifolia* (Tongkat Ali) for Cosmeceutical and Nutraceutical Application'.

The research focused on methods to increase herbal extraction yield of *Tongkat Ali* that used a fusion of ultrasound-enzymatic technology. It was