A UNIQUE FEAT

An ACCA Internally Assessed Module at TAR College chaired by Kho Sok Kee (second from right) with ACCA external examiners and ACCA education advisors.

Internally assessed ACCA programme sets TAR College apart

TAR College boasts of being the only institution outside Britain and Ireland to conduct ACCA via internal assessment. This privilege has been granted by ACCA since 1987.

The Internally Assessed ACCA programme is granted to institutions which have met ACCA’s stringent accreditation requirements including physical and manpower resources, high academic standards and superior management and administrative structure.

TAR College will be responsible for all assessment for specified papers, with ACCA adopting a monitoring and advisory role. External examiners will be assigned by ACCA to ensure the assessment at the college has the same rigorous academic and professional standards as the external papers of ACCA.

The benefits of this programme include the use of more varied and innovative learning and assessment methods, development of soft skills through coursework assessment, and the adoption of accounting developments both locally and globally.

As a leading provider of the ACCA qualification, TAR College has over three decades seen thousands of professional accountants graduate from its halls, serving the nation’s needs for finance professionals. With such an excellent track record, it is not surprising to find ACCA graduates from the college permeating almost all facets of the vibrant business environment both locally and overseas.

Some of its respected alumni include Teh Ben Chu, Deputy Accountant General (Operations), Ng Chee Hoong and Yong Kiam Fei, partners at BDO Bishop International Accounting Firm; and Yong Chee Kong, CFO, Asiatle Development Bhd.

ACCA at TAR College provides students with a truly unique experience combining innovative teaching and learning approaches. The curriculum has been creatively woven into the TAR College Diploma and Advanced Diploma that promises a much broader spectrum to prepare students for challenges of the global workplace.

In addition, students will have the distinctive advantage of completing the Advanced Diploma and ACCA simultaneously.

For the young aspiring accountant looking for an excellent package in a comprehensive campus environment, TAR College is the obvious choice.

With its Premier Plus status under the University and College Registration Scheme, TAR College is proud that first-rate education can be affordable. Students at the college enjoy a wholesome education and learning experience that is stimulating and enriching.

The School of Business Studies at TAR College offers internship programmes to all its students. The school works closely with the industry, making it a common phenomenon for employers to take in students to train as permanent staff. Internship providers number more than 60 and include the Big 4 international accounting firms, MNCs and public listed firms.

Head of the School of Business Studies Kho Sok Kee says: “Interviews are conducted on the campus and career talks by prospective employers have become more so a way of life on the campus. We are committed to taking employability to new heights.”

More than 300 accounting students gain valuable insights on the industry through these internship programmes each year.

A mini career fair will be held on March 20 at the main campus. Visit www.tarcs.edu.my for further details on the ACCA programme.