Edinburgh Business School
So, You Think You Want to Be an Accountant?
Quiz Competition 2023

TERMS & CONDITIONS OF PARTICIPATION

A. GENERAL RULES

1. So, You Think You Want to Be an Accountant? Quiz Competition 2023 (“the Competition”) is organized by Heriot-Watt University Malaysia (“HWUM”)

2. The Competition is open to all Form 5 students in all public/private schools, as well as Year 11 students at all international schools in Malaysia.

3. Registration fees are not required.

4. The Competition will be conducted in English.

5. Participants are required to obtain parental/guardian’s consent and complete the Online Registration Form. By signing the Online Registration Form, parents/guardians and participants agree to the Terms and Conditions contained herein and are deemed to have read, understood, and accepted the said Terms and Conditions as expressly stated herein.

6. Participants are required to “like” and follow HWUM’s official social media accounts prior to joining the Competition as listed below:

   (a) Facebook: www.facebook.com/hwumalaysia
   (b) Instagram: www.instagram.com/heriotwattmalaysia
   (c) Twitter: www.twitter.com/hwumalaysia

7. Registration closing date is [6/08/2023]. Incomplete Online Registration Forms will be void and disqualified. HWUM (Heriot-Watt University Malaysia) will not entertain nor be in any way responsible for any dispute arising from incomplete or inaccurate entry details or any delay in submission.
8. After the Online Registration Form has been submitted, participants will receive an auto-generated email as confirmation of their registration. This email will also contain a Unique ID which will be used to sign into the quiz platform later.

9. A second email will be sent out closer to the competition start date on [6/08/2023]. Participants are required to key in their NRIC or Passport number and Unique ID in the sign-in page to access the quiz.

10. The Competition is split into three rounds: Qualifying [7 – 13/08/2023], Semi-Final [18 – 20/08/2023] and Final [29/08/2023], and HWUM reserve its right to change any of the dates stated herein as it deems necessary. Only one attempt is allowed under each round.

11. Qualifying and Semi-Finals will be conducted online in a hybrid format, while the Final stage will take place in person at HWUM. If you are unable to attend the final event at HWUM on the day of the Final stage for any reason, HWUM reserves the right to automatically cancel your participation without further liability to you. HWUM further reserves its right to replace your participation in the Final stage with another participant as HWUM deems fit without notice to you.

12. As a general guide, the scope of the Competition includes, but is not limited to, SPM Form 4 Prinsip Perakaunan syllabus and SPM Form 5 Prinsip Perakaunan syllabus. General knowledge of commerce and economics is also included.

13. It is the participant's responsibility to ensure uninterrupted internet connection during the quiz. Participants cannot request a fresh or continued attempt on grounds of internet connectivity issues.

14. In the event of disputes regarding all aspects of the Competition, the judging panel's decisions shall be final and binding, and no correspondence will be entertained.

15. HWUM reserves the right to reject the redemption of any prizes if it believes that the results leading to the prize-winning were achieved through unlawful or illegal means.

16. Any entries received after the stipulated deadlines will be disqualified.

17. Only individual participation is allowed. Entries on behalf of another person or joint submissions are not allowed.
18. HWUM takes no responsibility for entries lost, incomplete or delayed. Proof of completion and submission of the quiz is not proof of receipt.

19. HWUM accepts no responsibility and shall not be held liable for any damage, losses, or liabilities suffered by the participants because of participation in the Competition.

20. HWUM shall not be held liable for any failure to comply with its obligations in the event the cause of the failure is beyond the reasonable control of HWUM.

B. PRIZES

1. There are two prize categories, which are the Individual Prize category and the Top 3 Educational Institutions category. The prizes are as follows:

(a) Individual Prize Category:
(i) 1st Place: RM 2,000
(ii) 2nd Place: RM 1,000
(iii) 3rd Place: RM 800

(b) Top 3 Educational Institutions Category:
(i) 1st Place: RM 2,000
(ii) 2nd Place: RM 1,000
(iii) 3rd Place: RM 800

2. The 3 (THREE) winners of the Individual Prize category will be the participants with the most correct answers to the questions in the quiz AND with the shortest completion time.

3. If there is a tie, the participant with the earliest time of quiz submission will be selected as the winner.

4. HWUM will use its best efforts to announce the winners on the same day as the final stage, after the decision is made by the appointed judges. This announcement will be broadcasted live via HWUM’s Facebook page on August 29, 2023, or any other dates that may be determined by HWUM in due course.

5. All winners will be required to provide proof of identification (NRIC or Passport) and their personal bank account details when claiming the prizes.

6. HWUM shall use photos and information provided by the winners for marketing and publicity purposes. Consent will be sought from the winners prior to doing so.
7. Three educational institutions including, but not limited to, public/private schools, international schools, and tuition centers with the highest number of student participants will be selected to receive prizes of the Top 3 Educational Institutions category.

8. HWUM reserves the right, in its absolute discretion, to substitute the prizes for either or both categories with items of similar value at any time without prior notice to any party including all participants. All prices are non-transferable and non-refundable.

C. MISCELLANEOUS RULES

1. By entering the Competition, each participant hereby agree that HWUM, its employees, officers, directors, agents and representatives shall not be held liable or responsible for damages, losses, injuries, rights, claims or actions of any kind in connection with the Competition, or resulting from acceptance, possession, use/misuse or prizes, or participation in the Competition, including without limitation, personal injury, death, property damage and claims based on publicity rights, defamation or invasion of privacy. Each participant further agrees that HWUM shall not be responsible or liable for any entries that are late (including delayed data transmission), tampered with, garbled, incomplete, misdirected, lost, mutilated, delayed, corrupted, duplicated or otherwise not in compliance with these Terms and Conditions.

2. Each participant further agree that he/she has been fully advised of the nature and extent of the activity that may take place and represent to HWUM that he/she is physically and mentally able to participate in the Competition without special accommodations or additional supervision by HWUM.

D. DISCLOSURE AND USE OF PERSONAL DATA

PERSONAL DATA PROCESSING STATEMENT RELATING TO PARTICIPANTS (this "Notice") IN ACCORDANCE WITH PERSONAL DATA PROTECTION ACT, 2010 ("PDPA") AND PUBLICITY

1. The PDPA governs the processing of the participant's personal data ("Personal Data") by HWUM. This Notice is issued to the participants to inform that this is the basis on which the processing of Personal Data is done by HWUM.

2. Purpose: The participants irrevocably and unconditionally consent and permit HWUM to use, publish or feature the participants' and/or their pictures (which may include the
3. Transfer: The participants' Personal Data will be kept confidential by HWUM, but the participants agree that for the purposes set out in Paragraph D (2) above, HWUM may transfer or disclose such Personal Data to the following parties within or outside of Malaysia:
   - Other partners or any participating partners which owe a duty of confidentiality to HWUM.
   - HWUM’s agents or contractors under a duty of confidentiality to HWUM providing administrative, telecommunications, data processing or other services to HWUM in relation to the Competition (such as but not limited to professional advisers).
   - Any affiliates that owe a duty of care to HWUM.
   - Heriot-Watt University located in Edinburgh, Scotland.
   - Any law enforcement agency and/or regulatory body for compliance with applicable laws, rules, regulations, codes and/or guidelines and/or any person or entity to whom HWUM is under a binding obligation to make disclosure under the requirements of any law, rule, regulations, code and/or guideline and/or order of any competent court of law, law enforcement agencies and/or regulatory bodies.

4. Access: The participants have the right to request access to and to request correction of the relevant participants' Personal Data. Nothing herein contained shall limit the rights of any participant under the PDPA.