



## ANNEX C: PROFILES OF AWARD RECIPIENTS AND BRIEF INFO ON THEIR CAPSTONE PROJECTS

### About Capstone

The capstone project is the culminating experience of the PCICS programme, where students bring together everything they have learnt to tackle real-world challenges. This independent research project gives students the chance to develop innovative solutions to actual problems faced by industry and society.

More than just an academic exercise, the capstone project bridges the gap between classroom learning and professional practice. Students apply their knowledge and skills to create meaningful solutions, preparing them to make an immediate impact in their chosen careers upon graduation.

This hands-on approach ensures graduates are not only academically prepared but also equipped with the practical experience and problem-solving abilities that employers value most.

### Profiles of Award Recipients

<b>Full Name:</b>	Siti Aida Binte Zulkifli
<b>Brief Write Up:</b> Ustazah Siti Aida Binte Zulkifli graduated from the International Islamic University Malaysia (IIUM), majoring in Usuluddin and Comparative Religion. She is currently working at MUIS at the Religious Talent Department (Talent Management) unit. She was conferred the <b>Valedictorian Award</b> for the 2026 Graduation Ceremony. Ustazah Siti Aida's group Capstone Project focused upon the Socio-Religious thoughts of Ahmad Lutfi and Abdullah Basmeih in Majalah Al-Qalam, contributing to Singapore's Islamic Intellectual Heritage.	

<b>Full Name:</b>	Nur Izzati Binte Jasmani
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**Brief Write Up:**

Ustazah Nur Izzati Binte Jasmani graduated from University of Malaya, Malaysia. She majored in Islamic History and Civilisation. She was conferred the **Top Student Award for the Understanding Our Social World Module** as well as the **Top Graduate Award for the 9<sup>th</sup> PCICS Cohort**. Ustazah Nur Izzati currently serves as a Teacher at Eden School, a special education school. Her Capstone Project examined the impact of social media as a platform for dakwah and how it influences the religious outlook of Muslim youth in Singapore.

**Full Name:**

Hannani Binte Rehan

**Brief Write Up:**

Ustazah Hannani Binte Rehan is a graduate of International Islamic University Malaysia (IIUM). Ustazah Hannani was **conferred four Top Student Awards for Islam in Singapore, Understanding Our Social World, Contemporary Issues in Islam, and Classical Texts in Perspective**. She was conferred the **Top Graduate Award for the 10<sup>th</sup> PCICS Cohort**. She is a Junior Research Fellow under Singapore College of Islamic Studies' (SCIS) Research Programme in the Study of Muslim Communities of Success (RPCS). Ustazah Hannani's Capstone project supported Harmony Centre's public education initiatives by providing educational articles and artworks focusing on Singapore's multi-religious context.

**Full Name:**

Nur 'Atiqah Binte Heri Purnomo

**Brief Write Up:**

Ustazah Nur 'Atiqah Binte Heri Purnomo graduated from the International Islamic University Malaysia (IIUM), majoring in Sociology and Anthropology. Currently she is a freelance tutor. Ustazah Nur 'Atiqah was conferred the **Top Student Award for Islam in Singapore module**. Her Capstone group project examined the impact of social media as a platform for dakwah and how it influences the religious outlook of Muslim youth in Singapore.

**Full Name:**

Abdullah Bin Mohamad Ashikin



**Brief Write Up:**

Ustaz Abdullah Bin Mohamad Ashikin graduated from Al-Azhar University, Egypt. He majored in Arabic Language and Literature. He is currently a teacher at Madrasah Irsyad Zuhri Al-Islamiah. He was conferred the **Contemporary Issues in Islam Top Student Award**. His capstone project examined the influence of visiting foreign religious speakers on Singapore's Muslim community, addressing concerns about their impact on local religious beliefs, practices, and social cohesion.

**Full Name:**

Ahmad Zahid Bin Fauzan

**Brief Write Up:**

Ustaz Ahmad Zahid Bin Fauzan graduated from Al-Azhar University, Egypt with a degree in Islamic Jurisprudence. Currently, Ustaz Ahmad Zahid teaches Islamic Religious Studies at Madrasah Aljunied Al-Islamiah. He was conferred the **Methodologies of Teaching Islam in Contemporary Societies top Student Award**. His Capstone research paper examined Project Arif's role in supporting and strengthening young Muslim families, focusing on understanding the rationale behind its institutionalisation and intended community impact.

**Full Name:**

Effa Nur Umairah Binte Saharudin

**Brief Write Up:**

Ustazah Effa Nur Umairah Binte Saharudin graduated from Al-Azhar University, Egypt. She graduated with a degree in Islamic Jurisprudence. She was conferred the **Classical Text in Perspective Top Student award**. Her Capstone group project examined the impact of social media as a platform for dakwah and how it influences the religious outlook of Muslim youth in Singapore.

**Full Name:**

Nur Zuhaidah Binte Md Yusof



**Brief Write Up:**

Ustazah Nur Zuhaidah Binte Md Yusof graduated from the International Islamic University Malaysia (IIUM), majoring in Usuluddin and Comparative Religion. She is currently working at ILHAM as an Assistant Executive at the Strategic Development unit. She was conferred the **Top Student award for the Islam in Singapore module**. Ustazah Nur Zuhaidah's Capstone project supported Harmony Centre's public education initiatives by providing educational articles and artworks focusing on Singapore's multi-religious context.

**Full Name:**

Nur Hannani Binte Aznim

**Brief Write Up:**

Ustazah Nur Hannani Binte Aznim graduated from Kuwait University with a degree in Quranic Interpretation and Prophetic Tradition. Ustazah Nur Hannani is a Senior Teacher at Cordova Education Centre. She was conferred the **Methodologies of Teaching Islam in Contemporary Societies Top Student award**. Her Capstone project included producing a Cyberwellness guideline video for Madrasah primary school students by bridging Islamic values with modern digital citizenship in an increasingly technology-integrated world.