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Get the Cosmopoint edge in multimedia learning

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THE saying: "You will never know if you do not try" augurs well for Norisah Bahrom, a student at Cosmopoint College of Technology (Cosmopoint).

She never knew where she would be heading when she first registered as a student for the Diploma In Multimedia Programming at the college in May 2000.

She was, after all, only a data-entry clerk with a leading telecommunications company. Now all that is behind her. She was recently honoured with the Model Employee award from Prime Minister Datuk Seri Dr Mahathir Mohamad in conjunction with the 13th Workers Day gathering at Stadium Putra in Bukit Jalil.

Upon acquiring the Diploma in Multimedia Programming from Cosmopoint, she became an Assistant Multimedia Designer with Celcom Multimedia Services Division in Serdang.

"I'm really grateful to my family and employer for giving me a chance to pursue my career in Multimedia Design and choosing Cosmopoint to continue my studies was the right choice."

She was a student at Cosmopoint's main campus in Jalan Raja Laut, Kuala Lumpur for about two years.

Cosmopoint offers diploma programmes in Information Technology, Multimedia Application, Computer Graphics Design and E-Secretary that are fully accredited by the National Accreditation Board (LAN) at its main campus.

With the broadest network of 15 centres nationwide, Cosmopoint has produced more than 7,000 graduates since it started operations 12 years ago.

Some of our earlier graduates are pioneers in the industry because at that time there were only a handful of local private colleges offering programmes in Multimedia Programming and Animation besides the Public Universities which were fully backed by the Government, said Cosmopoint president Datuk Idrus Mohd Satha.

Cosmopoint has a study system that emphasises more on hands-on practical training where the complete grading is not only based on final exam but will also include evaluation of students' competency in completing assignments, projects and their presentation skills.

Idrus went on to say that Cosmopoint has been producing quality and competent graduates since their very first batch of students.

These graduates have produced award winning multimedia products that is of international standard. Among their achievements are the awards they received for their interactive CD-ROM titled 'Windows To Malaysia' that won the Multimedia CD-ROM Title of The Year 1997 awarded by Pikom (Persatuan Industry Komputer Malaysia) and also the best Website windowstomalaysia2000.com awarded by Cari.com.

These products were produced by the Cosmopoint multimedia development team comprising of majority Cosmopoint graduates who were absorbed into its corporate services division.

Cosmopoint also develops its own courseware with a curriculum that is designed along the Edexcel Foundation, UK latest curriculum guidelines and the courseware are being delivered in lectures using interactive multimedia mode projected through LCD projectors.

All its lecture rooms and computer laboratories are equipped with LCD

projectors.

With a standardised syllabus and courseware, the required quality of lectures according to lesson plans throughout its broad network of campuses nationwide can be closely monitored and controlled.

Its centres nationwide are well equipped with international standard facilities and presently they have a total of 8000 students pursuing various programmes in the certificate level, skill enhancement and corporate training and also diploma courses.

Its centres are located in Kuala Lumpur, Petaling Jaya, Klang, Seremban, Sungai Petani, Kuantan, Johor Baru, Muar, Kota Baru, Kota Kinabalu, Malacca and Penang.

Currently they are accepting registration at all its campuses nationwide for its June intake.

Parents and SPM/STPM leavers are invited to attend their free ICT Awareness Preview at 10.30am on May 31 at any of its centres.

For more details, call 03-26942300 or 03-26949455. Information on the courses are available at www.cosmopoint.com.my.