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43rd International Federation of Asian and Western Pacific Contractors' Associations (IFAWPCA) Convention

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in May 2017

MBAM Site Safety Supervisor (SSS) Course Training Calendar 2017

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### **MAY 2017 BULLETIN**

MBAM successfully organized a series of events throughout the month of May and a big delegation attended an international convention at the end of the

month. The event-packed month only slows down a bit at the start of the puasa month on 27<sup>th</sup> May. This month saw the organization of several MBAM major events such as the MBAM Annual Safety and Health Conference, technical briefing and fellowship, several seminars, not to mention a number of courtesy visits to related organizations.

The following are the main events organized or attended by MBAM representatives in May 2017:-

# MBAM TRAINING ON CPR AND FIRST AID AT WORKPLACE

MBAM Safety and Health Committee organised a customized Training on CPR and First Aid on 5<sup>th</sup> to 6<sup>th</sup> May 2017 at MBAM Training Centre. The training was conducted by Mr Sam Ghee Wee Sim who has served with the St John Ambulance Malaysia (SJAM) for 20 years since

1996. He had been teaching First Aid for 13 years as a qualified trainer in Basic First Aid, Advance First Aid, First Aid Trainer and Emergency Medical Air Rescue Service.

The CPR training was practical oriented in compliance with DOSH Guideline on First Aid in workplace. The training was well received with 20 participants attending the two-day class. This comprehensive two-day course emphasized teaching first aid and cardiopulmonary resuscitation (CPR) skills to our participants in line with their construction work requirements with providing them knowledge to respond



Demonstration by Mr Sam Ghee and his assistant

emergencies at workplace or home. It included the latest first aid and CPR guidelines that meets federal and a variety of provincial and territorial regulations for Standard First Aid and CPR.



The practical oriented training for participants

BRIEFING BY CLAB
ON REHIRING
PROGRAMME
ORGANIZED BY MBAM
IN COLLABORATION
WITH UNITED
MALAYSIA
CONTRACTORS
ASSOCIATION (UMCA)

Briefing by CLAB on Rehiring Programme organized by MBAM in collaboration with United Malaysia Contractors Association (UMCA) was held on 6<sup>th</sup> May 2017 at UMCA Conference Hall, Jalan Loke Yew, Kuala Lumpur. It was attended by MBAM President, Mr Foo Chek Lee, MBAM HR Committee Member, Mr Mazlan Haron, MBAM Executive Director, Ms Loh Mei Ling, MBAM Senior Manager, Ms Lee Siew Mei, MBAM Assistant Manager, Mr Leon Leong, MBAM Executive Officer, Ms Abbie Ng and I.

The President of UMCA, Mr Leong Kien Keong welcomed the MBAM delegate to event. He thanked Construction Labour Exchange Centre Bhd (CLAB), Mr Abdul

Rafik Abd Rajis for agreeing to be the speaker for the talk and to MBAM President; Mr Foo Chek Lee, MBAM Assistant General Manager; Mr Michael Thong and team for the arrangement. Mr Leong urged his Association members to take note of the requirements and procedures for the rehiring programme in order to avoid running foul with the law.



Among the participants attending the briefing



Group photo with the members of UMCA

The said briefing touched on the following topics:-

- 1. Payment and Placement of Programme
- 2. Terms of Rehiring Programme
- 3. Application Process
- 4. Service Changes
- Additional Purchases Value such as Insurance GPA, SKIM, Employee Card and etc

In conclusion, it was a fruitful seminar and it was suggested for MBAM to hold more of such seminars in the future.

MBAM ANNUAL SAFETY & HEALTH CONFERENCE 2017

MBAM Safety & Health Committee has successfully organised the MBAM Annual Safety & Health Conference 2017 with the theme "Today's Challenges – Public Safety" on 16<sup>th</sup> to 17<sup>th</sup> May 2017 at the Sunway Resort Hotel & Spa. The event was officiated by the Director-General, Department of Occupational Safety and Health, Malaysia (DOSH), YBhg. Dato' Ir. Mohtar Bin Musri as the Guest of Honour.

The objectives of the Conference were to promote the importance of having good practices in Safety & Health by inculcating best practices of OSH Management System and policies to protect workers from occupational hazards and risks; to reduce incidents / accidents at work place; to enhance productivity and efficiency at workplace as well as to enhance the company's reputation through good safety record.

The highlight of the Conference was the Presentation of *MBAM's Safety & Health Awards 2017* by the Guest of Honour. The award presentation, which was a joint initiative between MBAM and the Lighthouse Club Kuala Lumpur, provide a platform to recognise and reward the achievements of those who have worked tirelessly to enhance and highlight the safety level of the project work site. The MBAM Golden Award for Leadership in Safety & Health was awarded to YBhg.

The VIPs with the winners of the MBAM Safety and Health Awards 2017



Dato' Dr. Ir. Johari Bin Basri while the MBAM Safety & Health Award for Site Personnel was awarded to Mr Teh Hang Loong.



The participants at the conference

MBAM wish to extend our heartiest appreciation to the following sponsors for their generosity in sponsoring this award.

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MBAM TECHNICAL LEGAL BRIEFING NO. 1/2017 AND MBAM FELLOWSHIP NO. 1/2017 The MBAM Technical Legal Briefing No. 1/2017 and MBAM Fellowship No. 1/2017 was sponsored by Lee Hishamuddin Allen and Gledhill (LHAG) at their new office premise in Menara 1 Dutamas on 12<sup>th</sup> May 2017. The talk attracted 51 participants.

The briefing was delivered by a number of speakers, with the first one, Dato' Nitin

Nadkarni, Partner, Energy, Infrastructure & Projects and International Arbitration, LHAG presenting on "LHAG's Practical Tips and Updates: Enforceability of LAD Clauses in Construction Contracts". The interesting talk covered key developments in the area and allowed participants to explore potential challenges and opportunities in their business. The second speaker was Dato' Seri Mohd Hishamuddin Yunus, Consultant Retired Judge, LHAG who presented on the topic "How Well Should You Know Your Arbitrator/Judge? Expectation of An Arbitrator/Judge". In this interactive session, the former judge enlightened members on the Do's and Don't in arbitration and litigation from his perspective.



During the fellowship gathering



Group photo of the speakers from LHAG with MBAM Council Members

The third speaker was Mr S. Saravana Kumar, Partner, Tax, GST and Customs, LHAG who presented a talk on "Recent Tax and GST Issues Facing Construction Contractors: Strategies to Manage the Taxman". After the talk, attendees and other guests were invited to the Fellowship where they were able to mingle and get to know each other better in a relaxed setting. Members were also given a brief tour of LHAG office. In total, 49 persons turned up for the Fellowship and it gave LHAG which joined MBAM as an Associate Member recently a chance to better understand the dynamics of MBAM and the industry it represents.

## GRADUATE ALUMNI PROMOTION TALK AT UITM

MBAM Assistant General Manager, Mr Michael Thong and MBAM Executive Officer, Ms Abbie Ng conducted the MBAM Graduate Promotion Presentation at Universiti Teknologi MARA, Shah Alam on 17<sup>th</sup> May 2017. The presentation was attended by 70 undergraduates majoring in

various disciplines. The objectives of the talk was to promote MBAM and the MBAM scholarships to the undergraduates who were taking up construction subjects in the University. Mr Michael Thong presented the MBAM corporate video and detailed out the terms and conditions of the MBAM Education Fund Scholarship awards.

Next on the stage to share their testimonials and experiences on the MBAM scholarships were the past MBAM scholarship recipients, Mr Hanis Nizar and Mr Mohd



Presenting the 60th MBAM Coffee Table Book as a token of appreciation

**COURTESY VISIT TO** 

**ECONOMIC AND** 

**COMMERCIAL** 

**COUNSELOR'S OFFICE** 

OF THE EMBASSY OF

es on the MBAM Nizar and Mr Mohd Abu Shahmah Bin Ramli who are also members of the MBAM Graduate



Mr Hanis Nizar sharing his experience with the undergraduates

Alumni Membership Working Committee. They shared their experiences on how the scholarship have helped them during their study period at the Universiti Teknologi MARA. Mr Hanis Nizar thanked MBAM for the scholarship fund. He added that with the fund from MBAM he was able to fully concentrate on his studies without worries about monetary problem. He proudly announced that he is the owner of WGS Construction. Next, Mr Mohd Abu Shahmah also shared some "tips" to students on how he applied for scholarship during his time. He encouraged students who needed financial support to consider applying for MBAM Scholarship fund as it does not come with any bond requirement.

MBAM organised a courtesy visit to the Economic and Commercial Counselor's Office of the Embassy of People's Republic of China in Malaysia on 18<sup>th</sup> May 2017. MBAM delegates were received by the Economic and Commercial Counselor, Madam Shi Zi Ming and Second Secretary of the Economic and Commercial Counselor's Office, Ms Lu Shi. Meanwhile, MBAM representatives led by MBAM President, Mr Foo Chek Lee were MBAM Honorary Life President, Datuk Lai Foot Kong, MBAM Honorary Advisor, Dato' Ng Kee Leen, MBAM Vice President, Mr Oliver Wee, MBAM Council Member, Dato' Astaman Abdul Aziz, MBAM Executive Director, Ms Loh Mei Ling, MBAM Manager, Ms Chai Min Fung and I.

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The purpose of the visit is to explore mutually beneficial cooperation and

work closely with the Embassy of the People's Republic of China in Malaysia. Mr Foo Chek Lee also stressed that the 'One Belt One Road Initiative' would deliver massive benefits to Malaysia in terms of excellent infrastructure, connectivity, social facilities, better living standards and abundance of business opportunities. MBAM Honorary Life President, Datuk Lai Foot Kong recalled that the relationship between Malaysian Contractors with the Embassy of People's Republic of China in Malaysia has started in 1986 where Malaysian Contractors paid a study visit to the People's Republic of China. MBAM enhanced and strengthen such relationship in September 2007



During the discussion with the Economic and Commercial Counselor, Madam Shi Zi Ming and Second Secretary of the Economic and Commercial Counselor's Office, Ms Lu Shi

where MBAM signed a Memorandum of Understanding (MOU) with the China International Contractors Association (CHINCA) at Yichang, PRC. Since then, MBAM members have been participating in the Annual International Infrastructure Investment and Construction Forum (IIICF), organized by CHINCA. The strong relationship with CHINCA is recognized when MBAM was awarded as the Best Partner by CHINCA on the occasion of the 10<sup>th</sup> Anniversary of the International Economic Cooperation Pavilion China-ASEAN Expo in 2013.



Group photo of Representatives from MBAM and Embassy of People's Republic of China

Madam Shi also noted that the China Government has been encouraging China International Contractors' to localize their business when doing business abroad to assimilate into the local mainstream society. As such, the concern about China Construction Corporations engaging local manpower and use of locally produced construction related building materials shall not became an issue in Malaysia.

At the end of the visit, both parties hope that there would be a closer working relationship between the two organizations even though there are already many Malaysian Construction Companies and China Corporations that have already established strong partnerships in the Malaysian Construction Industry.

TECHNICAL
MACHINERIES
BRIEFING NO. 2/2017
AND MBAM
FELLOWSHIP 2/2017

The Technical Machineries Briefing No. 2/2017 and MBAM Fellowship No. 2/2017 was organised on 19<sup>th</sup> May 2017 at the Sunway Machinery Division, USJ1. The event was sponsored by Sunway Construction Sdn Bhd, Sunway Enterprise (1988) Sdn Bhd (representing Case & Sany) and Inflextec Engineering Sdn Bhd (representing Potain). A total of 136 pax attended the talk while 123 pax attended the fellowship.

MBAM Deputy Secretary-General

1 and Chairman of MBAM Machinery Resources Committee, Mr Ong Ka Thiam delivered the welcome speech and handed token of appreciations to the speakers and representatives namely Head of Marketing, Construction Equipment, South East Asian, Pakistan and Japan, CASE, Mr Danilo Catalucci, Global Product Director, Manitowac Cranes, Mr Jean-Pierre Zaffiro and Vice President, Tower Cranes, Asia/Middle East, Manitowac Crane Group Asia Pte Ltd, Mr Christophe Simoncelli. In his speech, Mr Ong mentioned that the talk is a joint collaboration between the MBAM Publications and Outreach Committee and MBAM Machinery Resources Committee aimed at imparting product knowledge on machineries to members.



MBAM Vice President, Mr Chung Soo Kiong (1st from right) with the representatives from Sunway



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souvenirs of appreciation were handed to the of Machinery Head at Sunway Construction Group Berhad, Mr Kong Senior Heong Fook, General Manager, Sunway Enterprise (1988) Sdn Bhd representing Case and Sany, Mr Yeoh Yuen Chee and Mr Hon Yee Whey representing Inflextec Engineering Sdn. Bhd their sponsorship of the event. Besides product demonstration for the attendees, guests were also entertained by

the

fellowship,

a band and served with a variety of food and beverages. The fellowship enabled members to catch up with each other besides providing a platform for members to interact with MBAM as the umbrella association for construction related companies in Malaysia.

**MBAM FLAG HANDOVER CEREMONY TO CHIEF DELEGATES FOR 43<sup>RD</sup> IFAWPCA CONVENTION TO** SEOUL, KOREA

Approximately 40-MBAM delegates who registered for the 43<sup>rd</sup> IFAWPCA Convention, Seoul, Korea attended the MBAM Flag Handover Ceremony to Chief Delegate Mr Oliver Wee on 22<sup>nd</sup> May 2017. MBAM President, Mr Foo Chek Lee and Mr Oliver Wee were given an opportunity to say a few words before our departure for the 43rd IFAWPCA Convention. The purpose of the gathering was to enable MBAM delegation to meet and get know with each

other. A briefing with regards to the convention programme were also presented to all delegates. As MBAM will be hosting the next Convention, all delegates were also reminded to provide feedback and input to the Association after the Convention so that we could organise the best convention ever held!



President Mr Foo Chek Lee handover of MBAM Flag to Chief Delegate Mr Oliver Wee to 43rd IFAWPCA Convention

MBAM delegation practising our song performance



TRAINING ON ISO 9001:2015 **INTERNAL AUDIT** IN CONSTRUCTION **INDUSTRY** 

A one-day training on Auditing the ISO 9001:2015 Quality Management System in Construction Industry was successfully held on 22<sup>nd</sup> May 2017 at MBAM Training Centre. A total of 41 participants attended the training. The training was conducted by YBhg. Dato' Ir. K. Laxana Naidu who has over 18 years of experience in providing consultancy and training

on quality, environmental, safety and health (QESH) management systems.

The internal quality auditor course was held with the aim to provide a practical understanding and application of internal quality audit principles and practices. The course walked the participants through the requirements of ISO 9001:2015 standard with emphasis on new requirements, auditing requirements and guideline. Its enlightened internal quality auditors on auditing methods, techniques and skills required to conduct internal audits based on ISO 9001:2015 standard in their organization successfully.



Throughout the training, participants



The presentation of certificates of appreciation to Dato' Ir K. Laxana Naidu

were taught so that they are able to understand the audit purpose and principles, skills to conduct internal audit, planning of audits, conduct audit interviews, record audit findings and acquire hands-on audit experience in the practice sessions. This training event is one of MBAM's efforts in helping our members improve their productivity and services. Overall, the training was informative.

Among the participants of the ISO training

6 FULL DAY
SESSIONS TRAINING
PROGRAMME
SEMINARS &
WORKSHOPS –
SESSION 4

The 4<sup>th</sup> session of the collaboration with Sr Ong Hock Tek of BK Entrusty for the year continued on 23<sup>rd</sup> May 2017 at MBAM Training Centre. A total of 39 participants attended the seminar on

Defects & Practical Completion and Retention, Bonds and Insurances. The topic shared was very mind opening and received a lot of interest from participants especially on the





The attendees for the 4th session seminar

topic of when the contractor is actually responsible and liable for defects, as practical points were given to attendees on the issues and possible solutions to be explored. Overall the programme was a success with members getting a deeper insight into the topic which was also covered in previous articles published in The Master Builders Journal.

It is hoped more members will sign up for the final 2 series of training on the following dates:

- 6<sup>th</sup> July 2017; and
- 24<sup>th</sup> August 2017

Sr. HT Ong sharing his input during the seminar session

COURTESY VISIT TO
H.E. DATO' ROHANA
RAMLI, AMBASSADOR
OF MALAYSIA TO
REPUBLIC OF KOREA,
EMBASSY OF
MALAYSIA IN SEOUL

In conjunction with our visit to Seoul, Korea for the 43<sup>rd</sup> International Federation of Asian and Western Pacific Contractors' Associations (IFAWPCA) Convention on 29<sup>th</sup> May 2017. MBAM delegation consists of MBAM President, Mr Foo Chek Lee, MBAM Immediate Past

President, Datuk Matthew Tee, MBAM Deputy President, Tan Sri A.K. Nathan, MBAM Council Members, Mr Fong Tet Yong, MBAM Executive Director, Ms Loh Mei Ling, MBAM Assistant General Manager Mr Lenny Lim, MBAM Senior Manager, Ms Lee

Siew Mei, MBAM Senior Assistant Manager, Mr Mohd Farhan, MBAM IT & Admin Executive, Mr Muhammad Fadzley and MBAM Member, Ms Carmen Chu paid a courtesy visit to the Embassy of Malaysia in Seoul and had a meeting with H.E. Dato' Rohana Ramli, the Ambassador of Malaysia to Republic of Korea. Also present at the meeting were Officers from MATRADE, MITI and Tourism Malaysia. Both parties exchanged information and views with regards to the general development of the Korean & Malaysian construction industry as well as update on the preparation of the 44<sup>th</sup> IFAWPCA Convention 2018.



Meeting in session



At the end of the meeting, President thanked H.E. Ambassador of Malaysia, the Embassy and Tourism Malaysia for the support rendered to MBAM in particularly the on-site support of cultural performances and promotional brochures. H.E. Dato' wish MBAM all the best at our up-coming 44<sup>th</sup> IFAWPCA Convention.

Group Photo at the Malaysia Embassy in Seoul, Korea

**43RD INTERNATIONAL FEDERATION OF ASIAN AND WESTERN PACIFIC CONTRACTORS' ASSOCIATIONS** (IFAWPCA) **CONVENTION** 

The 43<sup>rd</sup> IFAWPCA Convention, Seoul Korea was successfully hosted by the Construction Association of Korea (CAK) from 30<sup>th</sup> May to 2<sup>nd</sup> June 2017. MBAM has emerged as one of the largest delegation at the said convention with a total of 71 participants. More than 1,000 overseas and local delegates from 18 members' Associations and 2 observer countries from the Asian and Western Pacific region have participated in this convention. MBAM delegation was led by Chief Delegate Mr Oliver Wee who represented MBAM to deliver a speech related to the "Convergence and Stepping Forward" during the 1st General Assembly of the IFAWPCA Convention. The convention was indeed a fruitful one where it has helped to raise awareness of the business value of the construction industry, as well as to strengthen international cooperation among IFAWPCA member countries.

Congratulation to the

following MBAM members who were presented Attendance Award at the Convention:

#### 15-Attendance Award

- Mr Aziz Bahaman
- Mr Lai Moo Chan b.

#### 5-Attendance Award

- Mr Dennis Tan Soo Huang a.
- Mr Fong Tet Yoong b.
- C. Mr Kenneth Liew Kiam Woon
- Ms Loh Mei Ling d.
- Dato' Sri Sukumar Subrayalu e.
- Mr Tan Kim Yoke



Handover of IFAWPCA Presidentialship to MBAM

MBAM would like to record our appreciation to the above MBAM Members for their continuous support and participation in the IFAWPCA Convention for the past years.

Datuk Matthew Tee has assumed the IFAWPCA President's role at the 2<sup>nd</sup> General Assembly while Ir. Chuan Yeong Ming was nominated as the IFAWPCA Secretary-General for term 2017-2018. In their acceptance speeches, both Datuk Matthew Tee and Ir. Chuan have pledged to give their upmost services to the IFAWPCA and its members to host a memorable and fruitful convention in the next IFAWPCA Convention in 2018. Special thanks was recorded to the host Construction Association of Korea for their splendid effort in organising a successful 43<sup>rd</sup> IFAWPCA Convention!



MBAM Delegation at 43rd IFAWPCA Convention

#### OTHER KEY EVENTS ATTENDED BY MBAM REPRESENTATIVES IN MAY 2017:-

#### 2<sup>nd</sup> May 2017

CITP Initiative Working Group On Contractor Registration was attended by me at Bilik Mesyuarat Kempas, Tingkat 32, Menara Dato' Onn, PWTC.

#### 3rd May 2017

Building Information Modelling (BIM) Implementation Training was attended by MBAM IT & Admin Executive, Mr Muhammad Fadzley and Mr Ng Joo Yee of Sunway Construction Sdn Bhd at University of Nottingham Malaysia Campus, Kuala Lumpur Teaching Centre, 2<sup>nd</sup> Floor, Chulan Tower, Jalan Conlay, Kuala Lumpur.

MAJECA Invitation to High-Speed Rail Symposium in Malaysia 2017 was attended by MBAM Council Member, Datuk Astaman Bin Abdul Aziz and MBAM Assistant General Manager, Mr Lenny Lim at Grand Ballroom, St. Regis Hotel, Kuala Lumpur.

#### 4th May 2017

Program Sembang TN50 Professional Muda Industri Pembinaan Anjuran Kementerian Kerja Raya was attended by MBAM PR Executive, Ms Tessa Hamid and Mr Anas Alam Faizli from Eversendai Corporation Berhad at Dewan Tan Sri Mahfoz Khalid, Kementerian Kerjaraya.

Courtesy Visit to Minister of Tourism & Cultural regarding 43<sup>rd</sup> and 44<sup>th</sup> IFAWPCA Conference was attended by MBAM President, Mr Foo Chek Lee, Immediate Past President, Datuk Matthew Tee, MBAM Vice President, Ir. Chuan Yeong Ming, MBAM Council Member, Datuk Astaman Abdul Aziz, MBAM Executive Director, Ms Loh Mei Ling, MBAM Senior Manager, Ms Lee Siew Mei and I at MATIC, Level 1, Jalan Ampang, Kuala Lumpur.

#### 9th May 2017

TC on Fire Properties of Building – Active Fire Curtain Barrier Assemblies –Part 2 Code of Practice for Application, Installation and Maintenance was attended by MBAM Assistant General Manager, Mr Michael Thong at Bilik ISO, Level 3, Block 3, SIRIM Complex, Shah Alam.

Special Meeting on KM Guidelines 2/2017 was attended by MBAM Public Relations Executive, Ms Tessa Hamid and I at Bilik Majlis, Blok Inovasi, Malaysia Productivity Corporation, Jalan Sultan, Petaling Jaya.

#### 11th May 2017

Mesyuarat Penyemakan Semula MS2593:2015 (Temporary Construction Site Workers' Amenities and Accommodation – Code of Practice) was attended by Ir. Quah Beng Teong and MBAM Senior Assistant Manager, Mr Mohd Farhan at Bilik Mesyuarat Diamond, Sunway Putra Tower, Kuala Lumpur.

#### 12<sup>th</sup> May 2017

PAM Awards and Annual Dinner 2017 was attended by me at Mayang Sari Ballroom, JW Mariott, Kuala Lumpur.

#### 13<sup>th</sup> May 2017

Malaysia Green Building Confederation 8<sup>th</sup> Annual General Meeting 2017 was attended by MBAM Council Member, Mr Lau Yew Mun at Sime Darby Convention Centre, Bukit Kiara, Kuala Lumpur.

#### 16th May 2017

IKRAM QA - Certification Advisory Committee (CAC) Meeting No. 1/2017 was attended by MBAM Deputy Secretary General I, Mr Ong Ka Thiam at Putra 2 Meeting Room, Palm Garden Hotel, IOI Resort, Putrajaya.

#### 17th May 2017

REHDA Conference – Modern Construction Technologies Conference (KCM) Exhibition Booth for IBS event was attended by MBAM Assistant Manager, Mr Leon Leong at Wisma REHDA, Petaling Jaya.

IKRAM QA - Certification Advisory Committee (CAC) Meeting No. 1/2017 was attended by MBAM Deputy Secretary General II, Mr Ong Ka Thiam at Putra 2 Meeting Room, Palm Garden Hotel, IOI Resort, Putrajaya.

MSPC Council meeting was attended by MBAM Assistant General Manager, Mr Lenny Lim at Wisma Vertitech, Jalan Kenari 4, Bandar Puchong Jaya.

Mesyuarat Jawatankuasa Teknikal Bahan Binaan (JTBB) CIDB Bil. 2/2017 was attended by MBAM Assistant General Manager, Mr Michael Thong at Bilik Sabah, Tingkat 3, Pusat Dagangan Putra, Kuala Lumpur.

#### 18th May 2017

Malaysian Institute of Arbitrators' 4<sup>th</sup> Annual Law Review & Conference Cocktails was attended by MBAM Vice President, Mr Oliver Wee at KLRCA, Bangunan Sultan Sulaiman, Selayang.

#### 19th May 2017

Majlis Perundingan Khas Jabatan Bomba dan Penyelamat Malaysia dan Badan Professional Bil. 2/2017 was attended by MBAM Treasurer-General cum Chairman of M &E Committee, Mr Kenneth Liew, MBAM M &E Committee Member, Mr Tony Kok, MBAM Assistant General Manager, Mr Michael Thong, MBAM Assistant Manager, Mr Leon Leong and representatives from BIPC & MALEA at Bilik Mesyuarat Tanjung, Ibu Pejabat, Jabatan Bomba dan Penyelamat Malaysia, Putrajaya.

Foreign Workers Taskforce meeting with Director General of Immigration was attended by MBAM President, Mr Foo Chek Lee at Department of Immigration, Putrajaya.

40<sup>th</sup> Annual General Meeting of MAJECA was attended by MBAM Public Relations Executive, Ms Tessa Hamid at Banquet Hall, 26<sup>th</sup> Floor, Bangunan AmBank Group, Jalan Raja Chulan, Kuala Lumpur.

#### 20th May 2017

Royal Institution of Surveyors Malaysia (RISM) - 56<sup>th</sup> Annual Dinner was attended by MBAM President, Mr Foo Chek Lee at Majestic Hotel, Kuala Lumpur.

#### 22<sup>nd</sup> May 2017

Program Dialog Tahunan SSM (KL) 2017 was attended by MBAM Assistant General Manager, Mr Lenny Lim at Auditorium Tun Dr Siti Hasmah, Tingkat 10, Menara SSM @ Sentral, KL Sentral, Kuala Lumpur.

Stakeholder Engagement session on Garis Panduan Mod Pengajian 2u2i was attended by MBAM Deputy Chairman -MBAM Education Committee, Mr Andrew Ong at Akasia 3, Kinrara Resort, Bandar Kinrara, Puchong.

#### 24 May 2017

Technical Committee – Construction Cost Information (TC-CCI) and meeting no. 1 was attended by MBAM Assistant General Manager, Mr Michael Thong at Bilik Mesyuarat Tualang, CIDB Malaysia, Tingakat 32, Menara Dato' Onn, Kuala Lumpur.

#### 25 May 2017

Mesyuarat Jawatankuasa Panel Penilai MCIEA 2017 Anugerah Khas (Keselamatan & Kesihatan) Bil. 1/2017 was attended by MBAM President, Mr Foo Chek Lee, MBAM Council Member, Mr Michael Yap and MBAM safety & Health Committee Member, Mr Ahmad Nazmi at Bilik Mesyuarat Sapphire, Tingkat 23, Sunway Putra, Kuala Lumpur.

Mesyuarat Jawatankuasa CITP Initiative Working group on Quality Bil: 3/2017 was attended by MBAM Assistant General Manager, Mr Michael Thong at Bilik Mesyuarat Diamond, Tingkat 23, Sunway Putra Tower, Kuala Lumpur.

#### 26th May 2017

Technical Committee on Construction Law Report Meeting no. 2/2017 was attended by MBAM Alternate Council Member, Mr Thomas Samuel and MBAM Assistant Manager, Mr Mohd Hanif at Bilik Mesyuarat Kempas, Tingkat 32, CIDB Malaysia, Kuala Lumpur.

Mesyuarat (1/2017) Jawatankuasa Standard Perindustrian Bagi Keselamatan Kebakaran (ISC M) was attended by MBAM Assistant General Manager, Mr Michael Thong at Bilik Mesyuarat Tanjung, Aras Bawah, Jabatan Bomba dan Penyelamat Malaysia, Putrajaya.

Progress Meeting with IPD OUM No. 1/2017 was attended by Chairman of MBAM Education Committee, Tan Sri Dato' Sri Sufri Haji Mohd Zin, Deputy Chairman of MBAM Education Committee, Mr Andrew Ong and MBAM Assistant Manager, Mr Mohd Hanif Ismail at METEOR House, OUM, Kuala Lumpur.

#### 29th May 2017

Focus Group on Registering Property (FGRP) Meeting No. 3/2017 was attended by MBAM Public Relations Executive, Ms Tessa Hamid at Bilik Majlis, Blok Inovasi, MPC, Petaling Jaya.

#### 31st May 2017

The Launching of Productivity Report 2016/2017 was attended by MBAM Public Relations Executive, Ms Tessa Hamid at Ministry of International Trade and Industry (MITI), Menara MITI, Jalan Sultan Haji Ahmad Shah, Kuala Lumpur.

Yours faithfully,

**MASTER BUILDERS ASSOCIATION MALAYSIA** 

DENNIS TAN
MBAM Secretary General

## MBAM SITE SAFETY SUPERVISOR (SSS) COURSE TRAINING CALENDAR 2017

		2017		
STATES	CLASS	APR	MAY	JUNE
KUALA LUMPUR	FULL TIME	27 Mar - 3 Apr	24 Apr - 5 May	
KUALA LUMPUR	WEEKEND	29 Apr - 21 May		
PENANG	FULL TIME	27 Apr - 5 May		
JOHOR	WEEKEND	31 Mar - 16 Apr		
KOTA KINABALU, SABAH	FULL TIME	20 - 27		
KUCHING, SARAWAK	WEEKEND	29 Mar - 5 Apr		
MIRI, SARAWAK	FULL TIME			
BINTULU, SARAWAK	FULL TIME		11 - 18	

Weekend (WE) Classes will be conducted on: **Saturday & Sunday**: 8.00 am to 7.00 pm

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