

DISTINGUISHED ADJUNCT PROFESSORSHIP

1.0 Background

The UCSI University Distinguished Adjunct Professorship is a programme which aims to elevate the university towards academic and research excellence in the international arena. The objective of this initiative

4.0 Appointment

The Distinguished Adjunct Professor can by invitation, apply through the faculty/institute. The application and appointment processes are outlined as follows:

- 4.1** The faculty/institute will submit a nomination/proposal to the evaluation committee.
- 4.2** The evaluation committee, consisting of Dean/Director from the relevant faculty/institute, a panel of advisors (minimum one (1) internal [*within the faculty/institute*] and one (1) external [*outside of the faculty/institute*] expert in the field within UCSI University) and chaired by the Deputy Vice-Chancellor for Research and Postgraduate Studies, shall select and propose the candidate to TMM which, if agreed, will be forwarded to the Senate for endorsement.
- 4.3** The duration of the appointment for each Distinguished Adjunct Professor is up to a maximum of THREE (3) years, and renewable depending on his/her accomplished performance.
- 4.4** The appointment can be terminated by either party, by giving a notice in writing to the other party. (Note: the duration of termination notice is dependent upon the appointment period of the Distinguished Adjunct Professor and to be clearly spelled out in the Appointment Letter)

5.0 Scope of Engagement

The Distinguished Adjunct Professor shall:

- 5.1** Advise and assist in the development and implementation of the University's programmes and activities, including delivering guest lectures.
- 5.2** Contribute to increasing research outputs of the university with emphasis on collaborations, grants, publications, citations and research impacts jointly with UCSI academics.
- 5.3** Engage and assist in

7.0 Intellectual Property Rights and Acknowledgement

7.1 All research publications produced with UCSI University's funding must acknowledge through an affiliation with UCSI University.

7.2 The intellectual property (IP) rights of all research outputs