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Otto Steinmayer, Visiting Assoc. Prof., English Department, FSSS

Activities, Universiti Malaya 2009-2011

Session 2009-10

Teaching:

Semester 1:

Post-graduate:

- ACGB 6104, The Renaissance
- ACGB6182, Research Methodology

Undergraduate (Education Faculty)

- PXET1107, Writing About Literature
- PXET2105 Poetry I v. 1

Semester 2:

Post-graduate:

- ACGB6388, Literature of the Augustan Age

Undergraduate:

- ACEA2313, Effective Writing
- PXET3108, Language of Literature (Education Faculty)

Post-graduate Supervision:

- Faridah binti Ibrahim
- Mohammad Sedigh Javanmiri (MA), supervisor
- Joel Jacob a/l M. K. Jacob (MA), supervisor
- Erfan Maji (MA), second supervisor
- Ismail Salami (PhD), second supervisor
- Zare Baravati Peyman (PhD), supervisor

Departmental duties:

Assisting in the organization of a department-hosted conference, "Found in Translation," scheduled for 23-25 July 2010.

Conferences:

- Invited Speaker: "Imagined Communities Revisited: Identity, Nationalism, and Globalisation in Asia-Pacific Literatures and Cultures." 13th Biennial Symposium on Literatures and Cultures of the Asia-Pacific Region. Hosted by the Department of English, IIUM, Kuala Lumpur, 20-23 November 2009. Presented talk: "Sarawak and Semanjung over 20 Years."
- Malaysia-Singapore Forum: "Challenges In The New Century." Presented by the Faculty of Arts and Social Sciences, Universiti Malaya and National University of Singapore. Kuala Lumpur, 7-8 December 2009. Presented talk: "Kpg Stunggang Dayak, Lundu, Sarawak: A Community Re-imagined over 20 Years."

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Session 2010-11

Teaching:

Semester 1:

Undergraduate:

- ACEA1111 Basic Techniques of Writing
- PXET1107, Writing About Literature (Education Faculty)
- PXET2105 Poetry I v. 1 (Education Faculty)

Post-graduate:

- ACGB 6104, The Renaissance
- ACGB6182, Research Methodology

Undergraduate (Education Faculty)

Semester 2:

Undergraduate:

- ACEA2112 Background to English Literature
- ACEA2313, Effective Writing

Post-graduate:

- ACGB6388, Literature of the Augustan Age

Post-graduate Supervision:

- Faridah binti Ibrahim
- Mohammad Sedigh Javanmiri (MA), supervisor
- Joel Jacob a/l M. K. Jacob (MA), supervisor
- Erfan Mojib (MA), second supervisor. Completed dissertation and submitted
- Ismail Salami (PhD), second supervisor
- Zare Baravati Peyman (PhD), supervisor

Publications achieved:

- "Letter from Lundu" [6]. *Borneo Research Bulletin*. vol. 39 (2008) 279-281.
- "Letter from Lundu" [7]. Forthcoming in *Borneo Research Bulletin* vol. 40

Publications pending:

"Power System Control Using Artificial Intelligent Techniques - A Review" co-author with Lokman Hassan (Ph.D. candidate, Engineering Faculty) forthcoming in *International Review of Electrical Engineering* (ISI indexed)

Departmental duties:

Participated as Committee Member in the organization of a department-hosted conference, "Found in Translation," 23-25 July 2010, handling registration.

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Faculty liaison with student organization LIDRA (Literary and Dramatic Society).

Conference:

"Found in Translation,": 23-25 July 2010, jointly sponsored by the Faculty of Arts and Social Sciences, and the Faculty of Language and Linguistics, UM. Served on the organizing committee, chaired a session of papers, and presented at the evening "fringe" session.

One of three editors of the book to present the proceedings of the FiT conference.

Colloquium:

"(In)/gendering culture: a colloquium." 2 December 2010, sponsored by the Department of English, Faculty of Arts and Social Sciences, UM. Presented paper "Grammatical Gender and Biological Sex Reconsidered."