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Head's message

“Happy New Year and Happy Lunar New Year to everyone! I hope that your new year has started well, with in person gatherings and celebrations and of course, travel. Each new year signals new beginnings, and this new year is especially poignant in view of the ‘lost’ past few years. ...”

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ALUMNI FEATURE

Going where your passion takes you

- Dr Ng Xinyi (Class of '09)



Going where your passion takes you

If you have found your passion, follow it! Dr Ng Xinyi (Class of '09) discovered her interest in patient-centered outcomes research during her final year project experience as an undergraduate. Fast forward to today, she is now a visiting scientist at the U.S. Food and Drug Administration examining risks and benefits of treatments.

Continue reading to find out how her story unfolded.

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DEPARTMENT HAPPENINGS



DTEC workshop on peer learning and peer evaluation

Together with the Centre for Development of Teaching and Learning (CDTL), the Department Teaching Excellence Committee (DTEC) organized a workshop on peer learning and peer evaluation on 9 Dec 2022. Staff came together to share and explore tools for effective peer learning and peer evaluation.

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Successful reach out to career advisors and teachers from junior colleges and specialized schools!

The inaugural career advisor's networking session was successfully held on the 2nd Nov 22 with attendance by 13 junior colleges and specialised schools in Singapore. They were introduced to the two undergraduate programs in the Department and went on laboratory tours to see the teaching and learning facilities.

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New year, new members to our Pharmily!

Dr Lisa Brennan (Senior Lecturer) and Dr Elaine Lo (Adjunct Assistant Professor) have joined the Department as faculty staff recently. Read their self-introduction in the article here.

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DEPARTMENT HAPPENINGS



Pharm.D. debate sessions AY 2022/23

The Pharm.D. debate sessions are back this semester. If you are our staff, student or alumni and curious about current and trending healthcare topics, we invite you to attend the debates. More information has been sent to your email so look for our email in your inbox to register!

STUDENT LIFE



Back to school: a peek at the semester's new normalcy

Whose event is that? I think I know.
Its creator is quite happy though.
Full of color like a vivid rainbow,
Where everybody chirps hello.

Educational, fun and deep,
The activities we promise to keep,
[xPharm](#), [SPOTS](#) or [Winter Interhouse](#),
NUSPS events always draw crowds!

Restrictions have lapsed,
New adventures begin.
Stay tuned for more
Activities within!

JOIN US IN CELEBRATING THESE ACHIEVEMENTS!

Faculty Awards 2022

- Teaching Assistant Award (Full-Time): **Mr Eng Chun Heng**
- Faculty Teaching Excellence Award: **Dr Chng Hui Ting**
Dr Leroy Koh
- Honour Roll: **Dr Han Zhe**
- Outstanding Service Award: **Miss Liew Kai Wei, Adreana**
Ms Wong Winnie

Others

Dr Shruti Bhatt selected as EMBO Global Investigator Network
All alumni and colleagues who received the National Awards (COVID-19)



Happy 2023 and Happy Lunar New Year from all of us at NUS Pharmacy!

(Photo taken during Department Retreat on 6 January 2023)



UPCOMING EVENT

- 4 February 2023 [NUS Admissions & Faculties Sharing for Poly Students](#)
- 6 - 10 February 2023 [YEP Valentines Day Fundraiser \(Sci x Valentines Day\)](#)
- 23 March 2023 [Pharmacy-based Immunization Delivery Certificate Training Program](#)
- 17 - 19 April 2023 [Cardiometabolic, Renal & diabetes Optimisation Unified Services \(C-RIOUS\) Workshop](#)

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