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## Head's Message

Dear Colleagues and Friends,

I would like to extend my warmest greetings to you all in my new role as Head of the Department of Pharmacy and Pharmaceutical Sciences here in NUS. As a pharmaceutical scientist by training and registered Pharmacist from Italy, I have been in this Department for more than 18 years. ...

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## OUR ALUMNI...JOURNEYING BEYOND



### **Trailblazing with Dr Wee Xue Ting (Class of '10 and '16): The Founder of iRx Clinical Pharmacy**

From her early days in Khoo Teck Puat Hospital (KTPH) to starting iRx Clinical Pharmacy, join us as we explore the journey of Dr Wee Xue Ting who founded her own clinical pharmacy service to care for the larger community and support Healthier SG.

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### **INSIDE AND OUTSIDE THE CLASSROOM**



**Welcoming Class of 2028 into our Pharmily!**

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**Youth Expedition Project  
Dispense A Dream AY23/24 (YEP-DAD'23)**

The Freshmen Orientation Programmes held over the months of June to August welcomed our Pharmacy and Pharmaceutical Science freshmen with open arms through fun and exciting activities! Read to learn more!

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YEP-DAD'23 is an annual overseas community service project to make a difference for communities in need. This year, we returned to Cambodia and collaborated with WAH foundation to engage with local healthcare centres and schools.

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#### FROM THE RESEARCHER'S BENCH...



### Wonders of Pharmacy: Advanced Drug Delivery Systems

Do you know how nanotechnology can be applied to prevent, diagnose and treat major diseases like cancer? Dr Tang Wei shares with us bite-sized information of her research and how she hopes it can translate to real-world clinical applications.

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#### WHAT'S UP



#### RESKILL AND UPSKILL

**MASTER OF SCIENCE IN PHARMACEUTICAL SCIENCE AND TECHNOLOGY**

**MASTER OF PHARMACY IN CLINICAL PHARMACY**

**Regular Admission Now Open**

Application Period:  
1 Jun 2024 - 15 Sep 2024 (Jan 2025 Intake)  
1 Oct 2024 - 15 Mar 2025 (Aug 2025 Intake)

Scan the QR code for detailed information about the Programmes



CONGRATULATIONS!

2024  
*class of*



Over 250 graduates, including the first cohort of Bachelor of Pharmacy programme, from the Department celebrated a milestone achievement at the Commencement Ceremony on 11 July 2024. The momentous occasion was presided by Mr Tharman Shanmugaratnam, President of the Republic of Singapore and NUS Chancellor, and graced by NUS President Professor Tan Eng Chye. Congratulations, Class of 2024!



## UPCOMING EVENT

25 August 2024

NUSPS PAYM Fit, Fun, Fruit

21 September 2024

[NUS Homecoming 2024](#)

29 September 2024

[Health T.A.G. @ Pharmacy Week 2024](#)

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