

OFFICIATING SPEECH
4th INTERNATIONAL CONFERENCE ON MATHEMATICAL SCIENCES
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Assalamualaikum and Good Morning.

- The honorable Dean of Faculty of Science,
Professor Dr. Mohd Basyaruddin Abdul Rahman

 - Head of Department of Mathematics and Statistics,
Associate Professor Dr. Siti Hasana Sapar

 - The respected Conference Chairman,
Associate Prof. Dr. Nik Mohd Asri Nik Long

 - Respected conference committee members and participants.

 - Distinguished guests, ladies and gentlemen.
1. First and foremost, it is a great privilege and pleasure for me to welcome everyone to the **4th International Conference on Mathematical Sciences and Statistics (ICMSS2022)**.

2. Congratulations to the Department of Mathematics and Statistics, Faculty of Science, Universiti Putra Malaysia for their tremendous patience and effort in holding a big event like this to give room for collaboration and networking among researchers in Mathematics and Statistics all over the world.
3. As one of the top research universities in Malaysia, UPM is aggressively pursuing all possibilities to enhance research activities and develop long-term nation building strategies.
4. I am extremely grateful to see that the Department continuously strives to put UPM on the global map for its research, regardless of the Covid 19 pandemic that has changed our lives. On behalf of UPM, I hope that the Department will continue to support UPM to become sky-high in its research by organizing more ICMSS in the near future.
5. With the theme "Towards Intensified Research in Highly Mathematical and Statistical Based Technology," this conference repositions our research strategy with technology that we highly depend on. Mathematics and Statistics are no longer subjects that are purely manual, they now grow with the usage of technology that makes them alive and tangible. This creates realistic models that the people can relate to and see that Mathematics and Statistics do not only exist but are also extremely useful.

6. Given the current pandemic situation, let's not shy away from communicating. It has now become easier to meet everyone around the world, even if it is virtually. I hope that our international participants will continue to work with our researchers. I'm also confident that this conference will initiate and further strengthen collaborative ties with our local researchers.
7. Finally, I hope this conference will be a huge success and will become a place of fruitful discussions and collaborations for everyone who takes part.
8. With that, Ladies and Gentlemen, I hereby officially declare the opening of the **4th International Conference on Mathematical Sciences and Statistics 2022 (ICMSS2022)**.

Wabillahi Taufiq Walhidayah.

Wasalamualaikum Warahmatullahi Wabakatuh.

Thank you.