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Diversity: Raffles Singapore June 2017 Graduation Ceremony, Exhibition, and Fashion Show

14th June 2017

Raffles College of Higher Education (Raffles Singapore) celebrated the commencement of our June 2017 graduating cohort! Over the past 26 years, Raffles Singapore is proud to share the success stories of its alumni such as Alfie LEONG, Designer of the Year in the President's Design Award 2013 and mastermind behind local label Mu and multi-label pop-up WE, and Shannon LEE, Design Manager in Benjamin Barker. Our other talents include:

Name of Designer:	Competition/Title of Award:
Lionel TAY	Singapore Design Awards 2017 - Platinum Award
Tubagus Rofi ALMANSYURI	Safety Starts with Me Competition 2017 - Gold & Consolation prizes
Irene HO	Designer for style icon, Lynn Yeow-DE VITO
Sean LOH and Sheila Agatha WIJAYA	Harper's Bazaar Asia New Generation Awards in Malaysia and Indonesia, Martell's Rise Above Award 2016, and Elle Emerging Designers Award 2016
Caroline TAN	Designer of "Rebecca Caroline" label

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Here are some of the highlights of 2017:

Fashion Design:



Students: **AMORADO Jezelle Maxine Hautea (Philippines), DE GUZMAN Ma Renee (Philippines), and Yvonne LEE Xie Phei (Malaysia)**

Event: **DMC Craft Masters Challenge 2017(Group Category)**

Award: **Third Prize**



Students: **Ommar YOHANSHA (Indonesia), Timami PRAMESI (Indonesia), and Irene ANTONIUS (Indonesia)**

Event: **Artyzen Habitat Uniform Design Project**

Award: **Grand Winner**

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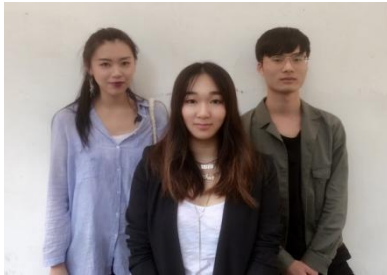
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Our Raffles Singapore Fashion Designers participated in a recent collaboration with Hewlett-Packard (HP).

The students experimented with the Tyvek material from HP, and adopted an unconventional approach of dressmaking techniques so as to portray the best possibilities of the material provided by HP.

Here are a few snapshots of some of our students' creations:



Students: **LIU Yisha (China), TANG Jiaying (China), and JIN Lin Long (China)**

Event: **Raffles Singapore Fashion Design department's collaboration with Hewlett Packett (HP)**

Award: **Certificates were presented**

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Students: Elaine ONG Tse SE Huey (Malaysia), Jeffrey GOH Jao Ren (Malaysia), and Yvonne LEE Xie IE Phei (Malaysia)

Event: Raffles Singapore Fashion Design department's collaboration with Hewlett Packett (HP)

Award: Certificates were presented

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Jewellery Design:



Students: **QIN Meiyi (China), LIU Yanbin (China), and LI Zhiyu (China)**
Event: **Gems for Generation 2017 (Finalists)**



Student: **LI Zhiyu**
Event: **On Cheong 80th Anniversary in collaboration with Raffles Singapore 2017**
Award: **Grand Winner**



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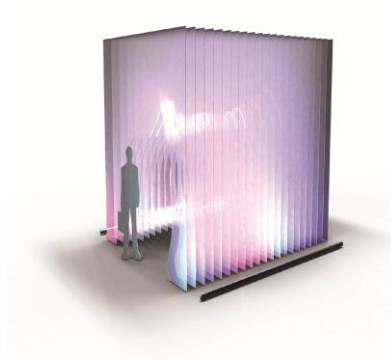
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Product Design:



Students: **CAO Lunle (Singapore), Vanessa RIADI (Indonesia), and Elvian CHAELEFIN (Indonesia)**

Event: **“iLight” Marina Bay 2017 (Installation of “Passage of Inner Reflection”)**

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Visual Communications

Graphic Design:



Students: **Shilvi HUANG (Indonesia)** and **Sheirly Novia HERRYANTO (Indonesia)**
Event: **Singapore Design Awards 2017**
Award: **Gold Award**



Students: **Talissa ANDHARA (Indonesia)** and **NGUYEN Thao Uyen (Vietnam)**
Event: **Singapore Design Awards 2017**
Award: **Special Mention Award**

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Students: **Kevin TRINIDAD (Philippines), Manish Anil KUMAR (India), and Monica HUTAMA (Indonesia)**

Event: **FEVO Prepaid Mastercard® Card Art Competition 2017**

Award: **Grand Winners**



Student: **Nathaniel MANNAWI (Indonesia)**

Event: **Safety Starts with Me Competition 2017**

Award: **Silver**

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Student: **Ichaya PONGPITAK (Thailand)**
Event: **Safety Starts with Me Competition 2017**
Award: **Consolation**



Student: **Marshia SETIAWAN (Indonesia)**
Event: **Safety Starts with Me Competition 2017**
Award: **Bronze**

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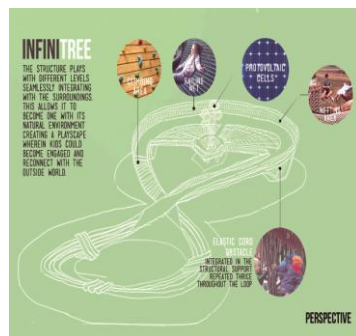
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Student: **Ganbold NYAMBAYAR (Mongolia)**
Event: **Singapore Motor Sports Association Logo Design Competition**
Award: **Grand Winner**

Interior Design:



Student: **Grace VELARDE Charmille Roldan (Philippines)**
Event: **HDB "Play for Thrill"**
Award: **1st Prize and Most Popular Prize**

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Student: **PRATIKA KULKARNI (India)**

Event: **HDB "Play for Thrill"**

Award: **Merit Prize**

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Graphic and Interior Design:



Students: Raffles Graphic Designers' **Mandy LI Jia Yun, Monica HUTAMA, Sienny SEPTIBELLA, Theresa ZHU Jing, and YE Yunyi** and Interior Designers **MOE Zaw Tint, LUA Boon Hong, and JI Bing Chen**

Event: **Raffles Inspires – A Secret Postcard Shop**

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Amongst the 290 Advanced Diploma and Bachelor graduates of the June 2017 graduation, a few impressive students have been making waves in the design industry.

Raffles Designer Nathaniel MANNAWI won the Silver Prize in the Poster Design (Open Category), in the Safety Starts With Me Competition 2017. Organised by the Workplace Safety and Health (WSH) Council, the annual competition is a platform for individuals to showcase their creativity to spread the message of the importance of safety and health.

His winning entry was showcased during the launch of the National WSH campaign 2017 and he had the honour of presenting his design concept to the Secretary-General of the National Trades Union Congress (NTUC), Mr CHAN Chun Sing.

Moreover, in celebration of Raffles Hotel Singapore's 130th anniversary, Raffles Singapore had the opportunity to design "The Secret Postcard Shop" (a pop-up store). Our Interior Designers MOE Zaw Tint, LUA Boon Hong, and JI Bing Chen came up with the design of the store.

In addition, five Raffles Graphic Designers' submissions were selected to be printed into postcards for sale to the public to raise funds for Autism Association (Singapore). Sienny SEPTIBELLA, YE Yunyi, Theresa ZHU Jing, Monica HUTAMA, and Mandy LI Jia Yun's works were showcased in "The Secret Postcard Shop".

Moving on, Raffles Singapore June 2017 Graduation Ceremony will not be complete without the fashion showcase. This year, 20 graduates from the Bachelor of Fashion Design programme showcased their graduation collections down the catwalk.

Guests included Mr Alfie Leong, Designer of the Year in the President's Design Award 2013 and mastermind behind local label Mu and multi-label pop-up WE, Mr Shannon Lee, Design Manager in Benjamin Barker, as well as Singapore designer, Miss Ee-lyn Tang Pulham who were the judges for our students from the Advanced Diploma in Fashion Design programme.

Our other prominent guests include The Godfather of Singapore Fashion, Mr. Daniel BOEY, Mr Vishal Adhvani from N J Bhagwan & Co Pte Ltd, Mr Jonathan Chan, together with appointed external examiners, Miss Sandy Black, Mr Dan B Trowsdale, Miss Christy Wong, Miss Shireena Schroff Macharam, and Miss Wieteke van Zanten.

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External examiner, Professor Sandy BLACK, Fashion and Textile Design and Technology, London College of Fashion, shared that she simply enjoyed her first experience at Raffles Singapore and was impressed by the students' efforts and creations and how they made the show come to life as she found herself immersed in the heart and soul of the show. Fashion/Creative Director, Daniel BOEY, added that not only was he pleasantly surprised by the fresh, creative and unusual ideas, but that he was practically 'shopping on the runway'!

At the same time, Paragon Shopping Centre, a supporter of Raffles Privato, a Raffles Fashion Design incubator since 2010, announced the selected designers to retail their labels at Paragon:

Name of Fashion Designer:	Name of Collection:
Oviana RABELLA	"Nostalgia"
LAI Linlu Lily	"Venus De Milo/ Eternal Beauty"
Patricia NAR Chuan Yuh	"East Meets West"
Shannon SUTIONO	"Egon Schiele Life and Deaths"
Cindy SOFIAN	"Marchese Da Marchesa"
SHI Le Doristina	"Split & Inconsistent"
Maria Vinnie WIJAYA	"Scintillate Stars"
Henry XU Zhiwei	"Grunge"
CHENG Lu Michaela	"Incongruous Collision"
NAN Qian Simon	"K-Fashionism Swag on Infinity"

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Here are our top students for the other faculties:

Name of Programme:	Name of Designer:
Advanced Diploma in Entrepreneurship and Small Business Operations	YOONG Pei Xuan
Advanced Diploma in Interior Design	Velarde Charmille Grace ROLDAN
Advanced Diploma in Digital Media Design	LUO Jiantai
Advanced Diploma in Visual Communication Design	Ardine Devina RASAK
Advanced Diploma Animation Design	Ceileen Syamriani TANDRA
Advanced Diploma Fashion Marketing and Management	Maeve Lynn TJAHYADI
Advanced Diploma in Jewellery Design	Kristina Lim BALZOMO
Advanced Diploma in Product Design	Leon FAUST
Advanced Diploma in Fashion Design	1 st Prize: Ma Renee Angela Esquillo DE GUZMAN 2 nd Prize: Vanessa ARIFIN 3 rd Prize: Angeline and Cindy NATALIA
Best Business Marketing Proposal	CHEN Davina Jenny Lii CHUNG Se Hyuk EE Wei Jin Maria Angelica Torres CRUZ

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In conclusion, here is a summary of our graduation rate from our June 2017 Graduation Ceremony:

DEGREE CLASSIFICATION	NUMBER	PERCENTAGE
FIRST CLASS	16	10%
CLASS TWO, DIVISION ONE	59	36%
CLASS TWO, DIVISION TWO	57	35%
THIRD CLASS	33	20%
Total	165	100%

Our Raffles Graduation Ceremony, Exhibition, and Fashion Show is only made possible with the dedicated team of **International Creative Practitioners**, support from **RSG Non-academic Team** and the determination from the **REC Corporate Communication and Branding team** in defining Raffles' branding and experiences!

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