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Good afternoon, I am Professor Yeoh Peng Nam, Dean of the School of Pharmacy in IMU.  
Welcome!

Dr Mei Ling Young, Provost IMU, Dato Ted Mohr,  
Deans: Professor Dato' Dr Kew Sang Tong (Medicine);  
Professor Toh Chooi Giat (Dentistry)  
Professor Chu Wan Loy (Post Graduate)  
Associate Deans,  
Honoured Guests, Sponsors, Parents, Friends,  
Staff and students of IMU:

We are gathered here today to celebrate Excellence.

We recognise and will be awarding Prizes to students from our graduating cohorts in Medicine, Dentistry, Pharmacy, Nursing, Chinese Medicine, Chiropractic and Psychology who have shown excellence in their academic performance and in co-curricular activities.

Students, Congratulations!

Not too long ago we have welcomed you into IMU as freshmen. We have told you about the IMU vision, mission, IMU 8 learning outcomes and insisted that you should follow our dress code and learn to be professional healthcare workers. Today you are examples of the IMU polished product!

We have enjoyed the time that you have spent with us. We hope you have enjoyed your time with us too and have formed memories to treasure.

As you now proceed to the first step of your career in healthcare and as an Alumnus of IMU, do not forget your link with IMU; there is always an invisible umbilical cord which we do not want you to cut.

Let me emphasise that we are always interested to hear from you. Share with us your struggles, your development, your progress and your successes. Come back now and then to talk and share your experiences with the current students. It will be very beneficial for them to hear stories about work and lessons learnt in the real workplace.

On behalf of IMU let me wish that you will acquire

Wisdom, compassion, and courage: the three universally recognized moral qualities of men according to *Confucius*