



**Kiwanis Malaysia Academy's SEN Symposium 2024**

**16 November 2024**

**Theme: Enriching the Lives of the Neurodivergent**

**Location: Royale Chulan Damansara**

<b><u>Time</u></b>	<b><u>Description</u></b>
8.00am	Registration & arrival of participants
9.15am	Welcome remarks by Emcee
9.30am	Welcoming remarks by Organising Chairperson of KMA SEN Symposium 2024- Desiree Kaur
9.35am	Speech by Chairman of the Kiwanis Khir Johari Foundation (KKJF) - Dato Stewart Labrooy
9.40am	Speech by CEO of Yayasan Sime Darby, Dr Hjh Yatela Zainal Abidin
10.00am	<b>Keynote address #1 “Employment Opportunities for the Neurodivergent Community”</b> by Dato’ Dr Amar Singh HSS, Consultant Paediatrician
10.30am	Tea Break
10.45am	<b>Plenary #1: “Skills Leading Towards Employment”</b> by Ivan Chin, ExtraOrdinary People Singapore
11.15am	Forum #1: <b>“Championing Neurodiversity - Employers’ Perspective and Case Studies”</b> Moderated by YB Datuk (Dr.) Ras Adiba Radzi Forum Panellists: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>- Mohd Afzanizam Mohd Badrin, National Project Coordinator, International Labour Organization (ILO)</li> <li>- Grace Gan Wei Cheng, Manager of Yayasan Gamuda, Enabling Academy (EA)</li> <li>- Florence Tan, Director, Corporate Sustainability &amp; Inclusion &amp; Diversity, PwC Malaysia</li> </ul>
12.30pm	Lunch & Exhibition Visit
2:05 pm	Speech by <b>Kiwanis Malaysia Governor, Olivia Chin</b>
2.10pm	<b>Official Launch Raven Glade's First Single - Karma! Trauma. Introduced by Awi Rafael</b>
2.30pm	Plenary session #2: <b>“A collaborative approach between stakeholders leads to meaningful employment for the neurodivergent community.”</b> By Ivy Philip, EmployAble
3.10pm	Forum #2: <b>“The Role of Education in Preparing Neurodivergents Towards Meaningful Employment”</b> <b>Moderator: Pn Nori Abdullah, We Rock The Spectrum Kids Gym &amp; Kita Family Podcast</b>



	<b>Speakers</b> <ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>- Prof Ruzita bt Mohd Amin, Head, Disability Services Unit, Student Affairs and Development Division, International Islamic University</li><li>- Prof. Datin Dr. Mariani Md Nor; Dean, Faculty of Education, Languages, Psychology and Music (FoELPM), SEGi University</li><li>- Loo Jianwen, Special Needs Self-Advocate</li></ul>
4.20pm	Closing performance
4.30pm	Closing Speech by Chairman of Kiwanis Malaysia Academy (KMA), Dato' Fatimah Saad
4.45pm	Tea Break & Networking
6.00pm	Ends



**Kiwanis Malaysia Academy (KMA)**  
**Enriching the Lives of the Neurodivergent – Training and Workshop for Stakeholders**  
**17 Nov 2024**  
**Location: Segi College, Damansara**

<b><u>Time</u></b>	<b><u>Description</u></b>
8.30am	Arrival & registration
9.00 am	Implementation of successful transition programs for neurodivergent Individuals by EmployAble
10.30 am	Tea Break
11.00 am	Journeying with neurodivergents post 18 neurodivergent by Extra.Ordinary People
1.00 pm	Lunch
2.00 pm	Breakout #1 : Preparing for employment and options for employment – enhancing self worth - EmployAble Breakout #2 : Monetising talents – The “how to”? - Extra.Ordinary People Breakout #3 : Support for Caregivers & teachers in the journey of the neurodivergent - Oasis Place
3.00 pm	Presentations by breakout groups
4.00 pm	Closing & presentation of tokens
4:30 pm	Tea Break & Networking
5.00 pm	Ends