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Nationality: Malaysian  
Current Position: Head, Enzyme and Microbial Technology Research Centre, Universiti Putra Malaysia, Malaysia

### **Education**

1989 B.Sc. in Microbiology, Universiti Sains Malaysia.  
1994 MS in Biotechnology, Universiti Putra Malaysia  
1998 Doctor of Engineering, Molecular Biology, Kyoto University, Kyoto Japan

### **Academic Positions and Employment**

1998-2001 Lecture, Department of Biochemistry and Microbiology, Faculty of Science and Environmental Studies, UPM  
2001-2003 Associate Professor, Department of Biochemistry and Microbiology, Faculty of Science and Environmental Studies, UPM  
2004-2006 Associate Professor, Department of Microbiology, Faculty of Biotechnology & Biomolecular Sciences, UPM  
2004-2005 Head Department, Department of Microbiology, Faculty of Biotechnology & Biomolecular Sciences, UPM  
2006-2011 Deputy Dean (Research & Graduate Studies), Faculty of Biotechnology & Biomolecular Sciences, UPM  
2007-to date Professor, Faculty of Biotechnology & Biomolecular Sciences, UPM  
2013-to date Head, Enzyme and Microbial Technology Research Centre, Universiti Putra Malaysia, Malaysia

### **Other Experience and Professional Memberships**

2011- to date Asian Pasific Protean Association (APPA) Council Committee  
2012 Universiti Malaysia Terengganu, Ahli Lembaga Penasihat Program Sarjana Muda Sains (Biokimia dan Biologi Molekul ) Jabatan Sains Biology, Fakulti Sains  
2007-2010 Academic Advisor for Universiti Industri Selangor (UNISEL) 2. University Industry Malaysia  
2006-to date Editorial Board of Pertanika Journal of Science & Technology  
2006-2010 Chief Editor of BioTech Communication, FBSB  
2004-2006 Archaea's Editorial Review Board  
2002-to date Assessor for Malaysian Qualifications Agency (MQA) in the area Science and Applied Sciences and Molecular Biology and Biotechnology  
2004-2006 Exco member, Malaysian Microbiology Society  
2003-to date As an Expert in setting up National Biotechnology Criteria and Standards for National and Public Universities  
2000-to date Life member, Malaysian Microbiology Society  
2000-2004.1 PS-NRC/DOST/LIPI/VCC-Large-scale cooperative research program in the Field of Biotechnology

### **Research Area**

- 1) Microbial screening for lipolytic and proteolytic microorganisms
- 2) Growth of microorganisms and production of enzymes
- 3) Genetic manipulation of microbes for enhancement of enzyme production and properties
- 4) Bioremediation
- 5) Purification and characterization of enzymes
- 6) Protein tailoring: Modification of proteins for enhancement of enzymic properties
- 7) Enzymic transformation of fats and oils (particularly palm oil fractions)
- 8) Stereoselective reactions of enzymes
- 9) Enzymic reactions in organic solvents
- 10) Mechanistic studies of enzymes in detergent formulation
- 11) Biosynthesis of surfactants
- 12) Microbial transformation of fats and oils

- 13) Structural Biology: Protein Structure and Function
- 14) Protein Crystallization-Ground and Microgravity
- 15) Product Scale-up for pre-commercialization

#### **Completed Research Works (Project Leader)**

1. Discovering lipase inhibitor compounds from Malaysian plants for obesity treatment
2. Space crystallization of Industrially Importance Proteins on board The Japanese Experimental Module (JEM)- ER (PS) BIOTEK
3. Space crystallization of Industrial enzymes onboard The Japanese Experimental Module (JEM)- Inisiatif GBMI)
4. Space Crystallization of Industrial Enzymes onboard The Japanese Experimental Module (JEM)
5. Detergent for Machine-Wash (DMW) Containing Locally Produced Thermostable Enzymes
6. The effect of microgravity on structure conformation of industrially important proteins. )- International Collaborative Research/Institute of Protein Research, Osaka University, Osaka, Japan
7. Comparative structural analysis of industrially important protein crystals grown conventionally to the crystals grown in space (2012).- )- International Collaborative Research/Institute of Protein Research, Osaka University, Osaka, Japan
8. Comparative structural analysis of industrially important protein crystals grown conventionally to the crystals grown in space (2011)- )- International Collaborative Research/Institute of Protein Research, Osaka University, Osaka, Japan
9. Production of New Novel Thermostable lipase for industrial application- Special CRDF –MTDC
10. Molecular engineering of an organic solvent tolerant lipase for biotechnological application-ScienceFund
11. Crystallization of industrially important enzymes/protein in space- Angkasawan ScienceFund;
12. Structure and function of extremophilic proteins, Topdown
13. Molecular cloning and expression of an organic solvent tolerant lipase gene from locally isolated *Staphylococcus* sp.-ScienceFund; Development of selected industrial enzymes/proteins from psychrophiles- R & D Initiative Biotechnology;
14. Understanding the behaviour of lipase S5 enzyme in the presence of organic solvents and water-FRGS;
15. Structure and function of extremophilic proteins, Top Down IRPA Grant;
16. Expression and characterization of organic solvent tolerant lipase from *Bacillus sphaericus* 205y-IRPA
17. Enhancement of enzymatic activity and thermostability of lipase- IRPA
18. Molecular cloning, sequencing and expression of organic tolerant lipase gene from locally isolated *Bacillus* sp.-IRPA
19. Cloning of thermostable lipase gene from locally isolated microorganism- UPM Short Term Research Grant;
20. Thermostable enzyme from hyperthermophilic microorganisms- UPM Short Term Research Grant;

#### **On-Going Research (Project Leader)**

1. Structural and functional analysis of extremophilic and microgravity influenced industrially important enzymes (2017)- International Collaborative Research/Institute of Protein Research, Osaka University, Osaka, Japan
2. Enzymatic Acidolysis Using Lipase from *Geobacillus* sp. strain ARM to Produce Cocoa Butter Substitute
3. Mixed Hydrolases for efficient and greener detergent machine-wash formulation

4. Structure investigation towards deciphering the structure and function of thermostable DNA polymerase isolated from *Geobacillus* sp.
5. Development and enhancement of eco-friendly automatic dishwashing detergent (ADD) containing enzymes for domestic and industrial use

**Number of Postgraduate Students Supervised:**

| *Postgraduate | PhD                   | Master                |
|---------------|-----------------------|-----------------------|
| Graduated     | Main = 15<br>Co- = 19 | Main = 25<br>Co- = 30 |
| Ongoing       | Main = 7<br>Co- = 8   | Main = 6<br>Co- = 16  |

**\*International post-graduate students: 20 (Iran, Iraq, Libya, Indonesia, China, Thailand, Nigeria, Bangladesh, Yemen, Sudan)**

**Awards of Merit**

| No | Award Title  | Award Authority   | Level         | Year |
|----|--|---|---------------|------|
| 1  | Top Research Scientist Malaysia  | Academy of Sciences Malaysia  | National      | 2013 |
| 2  | Knight Degree of The International Order of Merit Of Inventors                     | International Federation Invention Association (IFIA)   | International | 2009 |
| 3  | National Intellectual Property Award 2008 (First Prize Winner Individual Category) | Malaysia Intellectual Property Corporation (MyIPO) and the Ministry of Local Entrepreneurship and Consumer Affairs (KPDNHEP). | National      | 2008 |
| 4  | Saintis Cemerlang 2005   | Kementerian Pendidikan Tinggi   | National      | 2005 |
| 5  | Vice Chancellor Fellowship Award (Excellence in Research)                          | University Putra Malaysia   | University    | 2009 |
| 6  | Excellence Researcher Award  | University Putra Malaysia   | University    | 2008 |
| 7  | Excellent Service Award  | University Putra Malaysia   | University    | 2016 |
| 8  | Excellent Service Award  | University Putra Malaysia   | University    | 2009 |
| 9  | Excellent Service Award  | University Putra Malaysia   | University    | 2005 |
| 10 | Excellent Service Award  | University Putra Malaysia   | University    | 2000 |

**G. SENARAI PENERBITAN (Sila masukan nama pengarang, tajuk, nama jurnal, jilid, muka surat dan tahun diterbitkan) (List of publications – author (s), title, journal, volume, page and year published)**

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4. Nurul Hazwani Shamsudin<sup>1</sup>, Chee Fah Wong<sup>1\*</sup>, Raja Noor Zaliha Raja Abd. Rahman<sup>2</sup> and Mohd Shukuri Mohamad Ali<sup>2</sup> (2017) Tight Repression Of Elastase Strain K Overexpression By Pt7 (A1/O4/O3) Shuttle Expression System. Galeri Warisan Sains 1(1) (2017) 20–22
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6. Mohtar, N.S., Abdul Rahman, M.B. , Abd Rahman, R.N.Z.R., Leow, T.C., Salleh, A.B., Mat Isa, M.N (2016) Expression and characterization of thermostable glycogen branching enzyme from geobacillus mahadia Geo-05. PeerJ Volume 2016, Issue 12, 2016, Article number e2714 Open Access
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10. Norhayati Yaacob, Mohd Shukuri Mohamad Ali , Abu Bakar Salleha, Raja Noor Zaliha Raja Abdul Rahmana, Adam Thean Chor Leowa, Toluene promotes lid 2 interfacial activation of cold active solvent tolerant lipase from Pseudomonas fluorescens strain AMS8. Journal of Molecular Graphics and Modelling 68 (2016) 224–235
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21. Siti Nurbaya Oslan<sup>1,2</sup>, Abu Bakar Salleh<sup>1,2,6\*</sup>, Raja Noor Zaliha Raja Abd Rahman<sup>1,3,6</sup>, Thean Chor Leow<sup>1,4,6</sup>, Hafizah Sukamat<sup>2</sup> and Mahiran Basri<sup>1,5,6</sup> (2015) A newly isolated yeast as an expression host for recombinant lipase *Cellular and Molecular Biology Letters*, Volume 20 (2015) pp 279-293
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