

UNIMAS FACA Students' Animations Selected in International Film Festivals in 2023





Siti Zainab's, Liew Hui Chee's, and Wendy Jee's animation posters.

Faculty of Applied and Creative Arts (FACA) students from the Animation programme showcased their creative works at the international level, namely the Student World Impact Film Festival (SWIFF) 2023 (USA), The Brazosport Arts in Media (BAM!) Festival 2023 (USA), and Australia Animation Film Festival (AniMate) 2024 (Australia).

Student World Impact Film Festival (SWIFF) 2023 (USA)



Their animations were the products of their GKC3223 Final Year Project 1, GKC3234 Final Year Project 2, and GKC2163 Experimental Animation courses. They have achieved various feats in those festivals.



SWIFF 2023 Official Selection and Honorable Mention laurels and certificates of achievements for Siti Zainab's, Liew Hui Chee's, and Wendy Jee's animations.

Our talented animation students have achieved something truly extraordinary. Out of a staggering 13,868 film submissions from 120 countries, "The Journey" and "Are You OK?" have risen to the top as two of the very best. Both animations were nominated for the Best Animation Award at the acclaimed 2023 Student World Impact Film Festival! But that's not all! We're thrilled to share that "Lifestyle" and "Snatch" have received Honourable Mention at this prestigious festival. Congratulations to our UNIMAS FACA Animation students, Siti Zainab, Liew Hui Chee, and Wendy Jee, for their outstanding achievement at SWIFF 2023. SWIFF is based in the United States, and it is the largest student film festival in the world.



Siti Zainab's animation "The Journey" was also chosen as an Official Selection in the Brazosport Arts in Media (BAM!) Festival features short films and animations by high school and university students. The festival has two divisions: Texas students and national/international students. The festival took place in Clute, Texas, in cooperation with the City of Clute, Texas, Sam Houston State University.

The Brazosport Arts in Media (BAM!) Festival 2023 (USA)



BAM! Festival 2023 Official Selection Laurel for Siti Zainab's "The Journey" animation.

Australia Animation Film Festival (AniMate) 2024 (Australia)



AniMate Semi-Finalist Laurel for Liew Hui's animation "Snatch".



Liew Hui Chee's animated film "Snatch", also known as "Ubau", has been selected as a Semi-finalist for the Australia Animation Film Festival (AniMate), which is an international animation film festival based in Sydney, Australia. AniMate is an annual event for Australia's growing animation fans, professionals, and filmmakers' community.

Once again, congratulations to our Animation students and lecturers. May their achievements inspire their juniors to do the same in the future!





