



### **Fatimah Abu Bakar (FAB)**

#### **Educationist in Communication and Leadership**

Director -Youth & Children Learning Development, Kiwanis Malaysia Academy

Fatimah Abu Bakar graduated in Linguistics from Toronto and in Education from Birmingham. As an educationist in communication and leadership for the last thirty-over years, she uses her rich experiences in nurturing leaders from diverse backgrounds. When she was a Head of Department for the Centre for Languages for various universities, she was appointed a panel member on the recruitment board for selection and promotion.

FAB (as better known amongst friends) was instrumental in setting up the Clinical School of the International Medical University in Seremban which is adjacent to the Seremban Hospital. She was the Senior Administrator for the IMU Clinical School which she was also responsible in the recruitment and promotion of staff throughout her tenure in this esteemed outfit.

In 2009, FAB was invited to join the PETRONAS Leadership Centre where she has kept a steep learning curve in the areas of leadership, coaching, talent acquisition, talent Management and employee performance management. She was involved in strategic planning and work-outs to produce the Key Performance Indicators for the Centre. FAB is also a certified leadership coach and a certified trainer for Crucial Conversation and leadership programs.

Her passion includes designing motivation and leadership camps for school and university students, travel to explore leadership games and programs in other countries and writing her vignettes of her childhood and teaching experiences in many places she has had the pleasure to contribute.

Currently FAB is the CEO of Celebrating Thinkers Sdn Bhd; a leadership and coaching training company based in Bangi. She aspires to develop more leaders for our beloved nation through nurturing and nourishing leadership experiential learning methodology as well as building a tri-partied ownership in learning and development in any high performing organizations. The synergistic relationship among superiors, learners and Celebrating Thinkers' facilitators and coaches would a learner's potentials and strengths could be unleashed and leveraged on to help him achieve more and do more for himself, his family, his community and his nation through his commitment to his organization he works for.

## HELLO, I AM FATIMAH ABU BAKAR



**DIRECTOR**  
Youth & Children  
Learning Development

**Kiwanis Club:**

Taman Tun Dr Ismail (TTDI)

**Position:** Director of Youth & Children Development

**Domain Expertise:**

Leadership, Coaching, Talent Acquisition,  
Talent Management, Employee Performance Management, Strategic Planning,  
Crucial Conversation Training, Social Development, Creativity, Motivation Speaker

**Achievements & Recognitions:**

- Prolific Motivation Speaker for RTM and Radio IKIM.
- Head of Department for the Centre for Languages for various universities, she was appointed a panel member on the recruitment board for selection and promotion.
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