



**NANYANG  
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# **CAREER FAIR 2016**

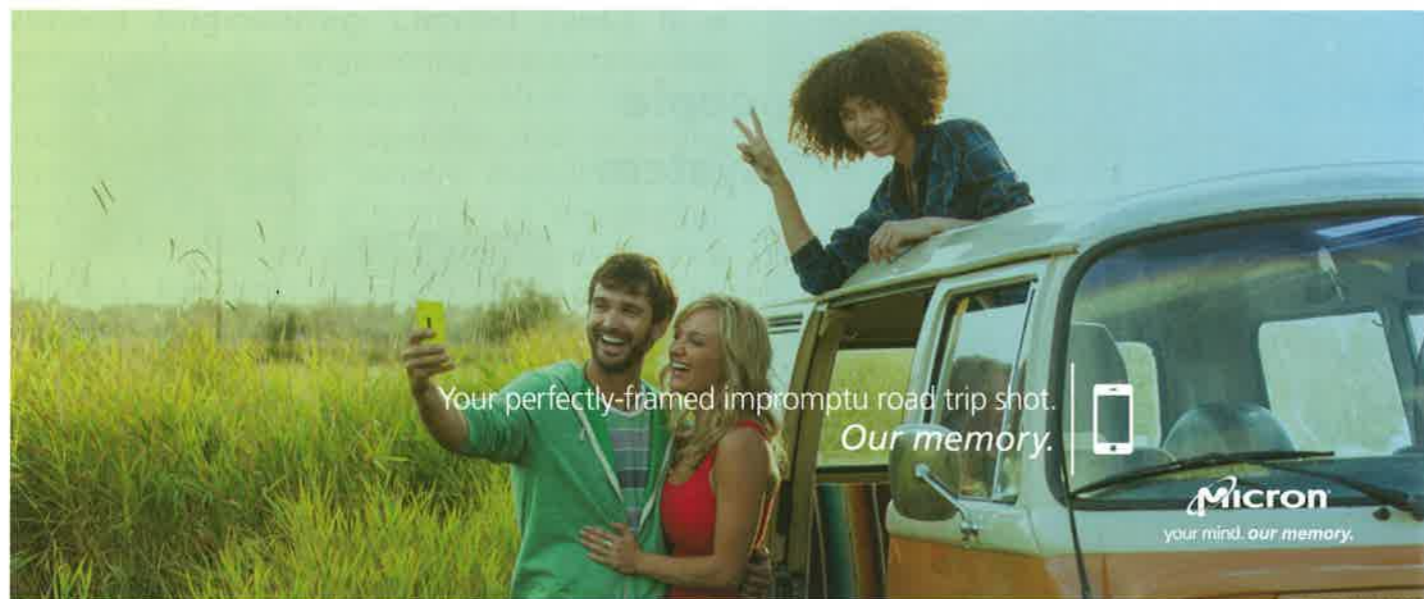
26 Jan, 29 Jan and 2 Feb 2016

10am - 6pm

Nanyang Auditorium Foyer & School of Biological Sciences Lobby



## **EVENT GUIDE**



**Micron Semiconductor Asia** is a subsidiary of Micron Technology, Inc. ('Micron').

Micron is a global leader in the semiconductor industry. For more than 35 years, Micron has dedicated itself to collaborating with customers and partners to engineer technology that drives innovation and transforms what's possible. Micron offers the industry's broadest portfolio of silicon-to-semiconductor memory solutions - starting with foundational DRAM, NAND, and NOR Flash memory, and extending to SSDs, modules, MCPs, HMC, and other semiconductor systems. This best-in-class technology powers leading-edge computing, consumer, enterprise server and storage, networking, embedded, automotive, industrial, and mobile products.

Micron is strategically located in Singapore to efficiently and effectively accommodate its global customers, while also serving as the base of the company's worldwide operations. Singapore is home to Micron's largest manufacturing footprint with three fabrication facilities, an upcoming fabrication facility expansion, and a test and assembly facility. Its presence in Singapore also includes a technology center supporting innovation across the company and a sales and marketing office that offers all Micron memory products to our regional customers.

Because Micron competes in a fast-paced, innovative industry and to meet customer requirements, the company values high standards. To meet these standards, a highly competent workforce must relentlessly innovate and improve processes, products, and services.

Micron provides opportunities for team members' personal and career development through challenging work assignments, training and educational programs. We hire, train, develop, and educate a workforce that is competent in performing job expectations by providing orientation, job specific training, professional certifications, external training and various continuous learning opportunities.

As Micron enters into a new era of growth, its presence in Singapore plays an important role in its worldwide operations and overall success.



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### PURSuing HER DREAM

For as long as she can remember, being a teacher was Ms Chong Wen Ee's life-long dream. However, as an introverted person by nature, her fear of speaking in public was an initial stumbling block for her in pursuing her passion. Hence, she studied Sociology to build her confidence and gain different insights to the social world, both of which enable her to be an asset at Edgefield Secondary School today.

### BRINGING SOCIAL STUDIES ALIVE

Being a Social Studies teacher, Wen Ee feels she has an advantage in making her lessons engaging as she is able to make thinking visible for students as compared to other subjects. She often brings in materials out of the textbooks to help students apply the skills and values learnt. For example, on the topic of healthcare in Singapore, she leveraged on authentic sources such as hospital bills, various accounts on healthcare in Singapore to illustrate to her students the relevance of healthcare to their lives.

While it is not uncommon for students to feel disconnected with the subject, Wen Ee feels it is particularly important to cultivate critical and analytical thinking in students through Social Studies to enable them to process the vast amounts of information they can access in this digital age accurately. "Over the years, the Social Studies syllabus has been revised to focus on the application of critical, analytical and reflective thinking rather than regurgitating content from the textbook."

### REALITIES OF TEACHING

Teachers have to put on many hats in schools. As Wen Ee puts it, "teaching only takes up 30% of your time in school and you will spend the remaining 70% of the time outside of the classroom with never-ending administrative duties, lesson preparations, CCA and managing parents." However at the end of the day, "her students are her motivation to press on". She recounts an incident with a student with unpredictable mood swings in her graduating class who missed almost all her Prelim examinations. Through her relentless perseverance and guidance, she helped her student regain her motivation and confidence. This made her realize that while "students may never remember exactly what you taught them in class, they remember you as a teacher and the interactions you had with them."

### WORD OF ADVICE

Two years into teaching has given Wen Ee many insights into her career as an educator. She firmly believes that one has to be very clear about their interests and motivations behind teaching. "No matter what subject you teach, it is your passion and interest that will drive the level of engagement in the students."

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