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Prof,

Please find enclosed a manuscript entitled: "Digital Approach for Lip Prints Analysis in Malaysian Malay population (Klang Valley): Scanning Technique" which I am submitting for consideration of publication as an article in the Jurnal Sains Kesihatan Malaysia, I-SIHAT 2019 special edition.

2. The paper demonstrates a new finding for lip print analysis in Malaysian Malay population in Klang Valley, Malaysia. Lip print analysis or cheiloscopy has become popular again ever since it was introduced in 1970's, however, it was mostly from the Indian nation. This study focussed more on Malay population in Malaysia, with more sampling (360 subjects in total, 180 males and 180 females), as compared to other researchers who used less than 300 subjects. The current study noted that type V was the dominant pattern in four lip sections (upper left, upper right, lower left, lower right) while type IV was the dominant pattern upper and lower middle of the lips, based on Suzuki & Tsuchihashi classification. Cheiloscopic research involving bigger Malay ethnicity is seldom published hence authors would like to share the results from this study for the benefit of identification process in forensic science, mainly in crime scene investigation.

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