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# Dean's Message



**Welcome** to the first issue of Postgraduate Post for 2022!

The first quarter of this year was a busy period for IPSis. We had a series of Virtual Postgraduate Open Week and also participated in Jom Masuk IPT organised by Department of Higher Education, MOHE. In addition to that, promotion to the international markets has also begun since many countries reopening their borders.

IPSiS is also looking into means of collaborating with other departments in UiTM. For the past months, we paid a courtesy visit to the offices of Deputy Vice Chancellor of Academic & International, Research & Innovation, Industry, Community and Alumni Network and Student Affairs. These visits gave an opportunity to have fruitful discussion on strengthening the policy and procedures for UiTM postgraduates students.

On another note, 2022 marks an important milestone for IPSis since we are celebrating our 25<sup>th</sup> anniversary. The celebration was launched during the Hooding Ceremony in January. Many activities and events have been lined up to commemorate the Silver Jubilee's celebration throughout the year. We will keep you updated with more details on our website and social media.

Till then...take care!

**Prof. Ir. Dr. Zuhaina Hj Zakaria**





# Editorial Board

**Assalamualaikum**  
and Greetings,

Welcome to the first edition of the PGS Post in 2022. We hope that this issue will provide significant information about IPSis initiatives and activities. We also highlight the current postgraduate achievements and news from faculty. We are looking forward to expanding the highlights of the PGS Post bulletin to make it more interesting and beneficial for the readers. On behalf of the editorial board, I would also like to thank to IPSis members, postgraduate students, and the Centre for Graduate Studies (PPS) who have contributed to the success of this edition. We hope all of you will enjoy reading this first edition of the first edition.

Best regards and enjoy reading.



**Assoc. Prof. Dr. Khalilah Abdul Khalil**  
*Editor-in-Chief*



**Sr. Dr. Siti Mazzuana Shamsuddin**  
*Editor*



**ChM. Dr. Hussein Hanibah**  
*Editor*

# *IPSis' meet and greet :* A visit to the Deputy Vice-Chancellors office

**13<sup>th</sup> January 2022:** The Dean of Institute Graduate Studies (IPSis); Professor Ir. Dr Zuhaina Zakaria has made an official visit to the Deputy Vice Chancellor of Research and Innovation (TNCPI), Professor Ts. Dr Norazah Abd Rahman at the Office of the Deputy Vice-Chancellor (Research and Innovation). This official visit was arranged to discuss the possible collaboration between TNCPI and IPSis in elevating the numbers of the university's publications which may then increase the university's MyRA score. Resulting from the official visit, TNCPI has agreed to hold a meet and greet session with the postgraduate students of UiTM and to award tokens to postgraduate students who have succeeded in publishing research findings in Q1 and Q2 high impact journals.

Also present in the official visit was Associate Professor Dr Siti Farhana Zakaria; IPSis' Deputy Dean, Associate Professor Dr Khalilah Khalil, Head of Graduate Studies (Strategic Planning & Academic Quality) and Associate Professor Dr Aman Ihsan Mamat, Head of Graduate Studies (Research).



**IPSis team with Deputy Vice Chancellor of Research and Innovation (TNCPI), Professor Ts. Dr Norazah Abd Rahman.**



**IPSis team with Deputy Vice Chancellor of Industry, Community and Alumni Network (TNCICAN), Professor Dr Mohamad Hariri.**

**1<sup>st</sup> March 2022:** The official visit of the Dean of Institute Graduate Studies (IPSis) along with its managing staff to the Office of the Deputy Vice Chancellor of Industry, Community and Alumni Network (TNCICAN) has opened the opportunity to discuss IPSis' involvement in promoting UiTM's postgraduate programmes to the industry level. IPSis introduced the BeSpoke course as one of the initiatives in increasing the enrolment of UiTM's postgraduate students. TNCICAN and IPSis will cooperate in promoting the BeSpoke programme and observations towards this course will be conducted in order to fulfill the industry's demand. Also present in the official visit were Professor Madya Dr Siti Farhana Zakaria; IPSis' Deputy Dean and Ts Dr Khairul Safuan Mohammad, Head of Graduate Studies (Coursework) and Dr Siti Mazzuana Shamsuddin, Head of Graduate Studies (Academic Development, Resources and Student).

**3<sup>rd</sup> March 2022 :** As one of the responsible departments under the wings of the Deputy Vice Chancellor of Academic and International (TNCAA), Professor Ir. Dr Zuhaina Zakaria, the dean of Institute of Graduate Studies (IPSis) along with management have made an official visit and were welcomed wholeheartedly by the TNCAA; Prof. Datin Dr Suzana Sulaiman.



**IPSis team with Deputy Vice Chancellor of Academic and International, Professor Datin Dr Suzana Sulaiman**

This official visit invite opportunities for IPSis to deliver IPSis' Strategic Planning 2022-2025 and closely discuss the issues related to the affairs of UiTM's postgraduate students. The Dean of IPSis handed over "Book of IPSis' Strategic Planning 2020-2025" to TNCAA and presented IPSis' excellent achievements especially their achievement in the enrolment of international postgraduate students in the year 2021. The new criteria guidelines in appointing supervisors for PhD programmes set by MQA were also discussed thoroughly since it is one of the challenges faced in achieving the targeted number of postgraduate student enrolment set by the university. The Deputy of Vice Chancellor of Academic and International, Prof. Datin Dr Suzana Sulaiman promised to bring this issue to the MQA in order to gain solutions regarding the matter.

**11<sup>th</sup> April 2022 :** The Dean of Institute Graduate Studies (IPSis) along with management team had a chance to arrange an official visit to the Deputy Vice Chancellor of Student Affairs, Prof Dr Mohd Sazili Shahibi. The main agenda of the official visit was to discuss the college's facilities and transit for postgraduate students, especially the international students who are undergoing their studies in UiTM. Matters related to the postgraduate student's activity fund were also discussed during the visit.

The Deputy Vice Chancellor of Student Affairs agreed to discuss the respective matters and few actions will be arranged along with other related parties. Further discussions will be made thoroughly in the near future.

The Office of the Deputy Vice Chancellor of Student Affairs will be cooperating with IPSis in ensuring the wellbeing of postgraduate students of UiTM.



**IPSis team with Deputy Vice Chancellor of Student Affairs, Professor Dr Mohd Sazili Shahibi.**



# PGS Boost:

## IPSis Virtual Open Week on the move

The Institute of Graduate Studies (IPSis) makes a consistent initiative step by offering an alternative venue for faculties to promote their postgraduate programs virtually via Virtual Open Day (VOW) booth. This virtual event is a live mode medium for potential postgraduate students to get an view about the courses which matches their needed according to convenience learning style from corresponding faculty representative personally.

Two VOW sessions were held in the months of January and February 2022 and it was more than 1500 potential applicants had engaged, and about 173 free application pins were successfully issued. It will be more VOW coming up throughout 2022 and thank you for a great support and commitment from faculties!!!

IPSis UiTM **Virtual Postgraduate**  
Open Week  
March 2022 Intake  
17<sup>th</sup> - 23<sup>rd</sup> January 2022  
Plan your postgraduate education journey from the comfort of your home  
Get Free BSN PIN worth RM50. First come first served

IPSis UiTM **Virtual Postgraduate**  
Open Week  
March 2022 Intake  
21<sup>st</sup> - 27<sup>th</sup> February 2022  
Monday - Friday: 9.30 am - 4.30 pm  
Saturday & Sunday: 9.30 am - 3.30 pm  
Plan your postgraduate education journey from the comfort of your home  
Get Free BSN PIN worth RM50. First come first served

# PGS Boost: JOM MASUK IPT 2022 !!!

JOM MASUK IPT 2022 was held by the Malaysian Ministry of Higher Education. The primary objective of this event is to reach the potential candidate physically in order to assist and respond to any questions regarding the application. It also to promote the programs to the potential candidate in order to inculcate them to continue their studies at the postgraduate level. Several government and private universities as well as colleges were participating in this event. The event was held in four states (Penang, Perak, Sarawak, and Negeri Sembilan), with the University Teknologi MARA booth anticipated to be one of the most visited booth by visitors from various background and fields. JOM MASUK IPT 2022 was attracted over 3,000 attendees and over 100 free application pins for postgraduate study at UiTM were issued. Next JOM MASUK IPT 2022 is imminent and hope will be more postgraduate applications sign with UiTM.



Promoting postgraduates programs at JOM MASUK IPT 2022



# PGS Boost: Outreach internationally

And as part of the plan to a targeted international students 3000 by 2025, the Institute Graduate Studies (IPSiS) is strategizing to ramp up the numbers. Universiti Teknologi Mara (UiTM) was represented in two education fairs which were in Saudi Arabia and Uzbekistan in May 2022. The response from potential students from both countries was excellence.



Promoting postgraduates programs in Saudi Arabia.



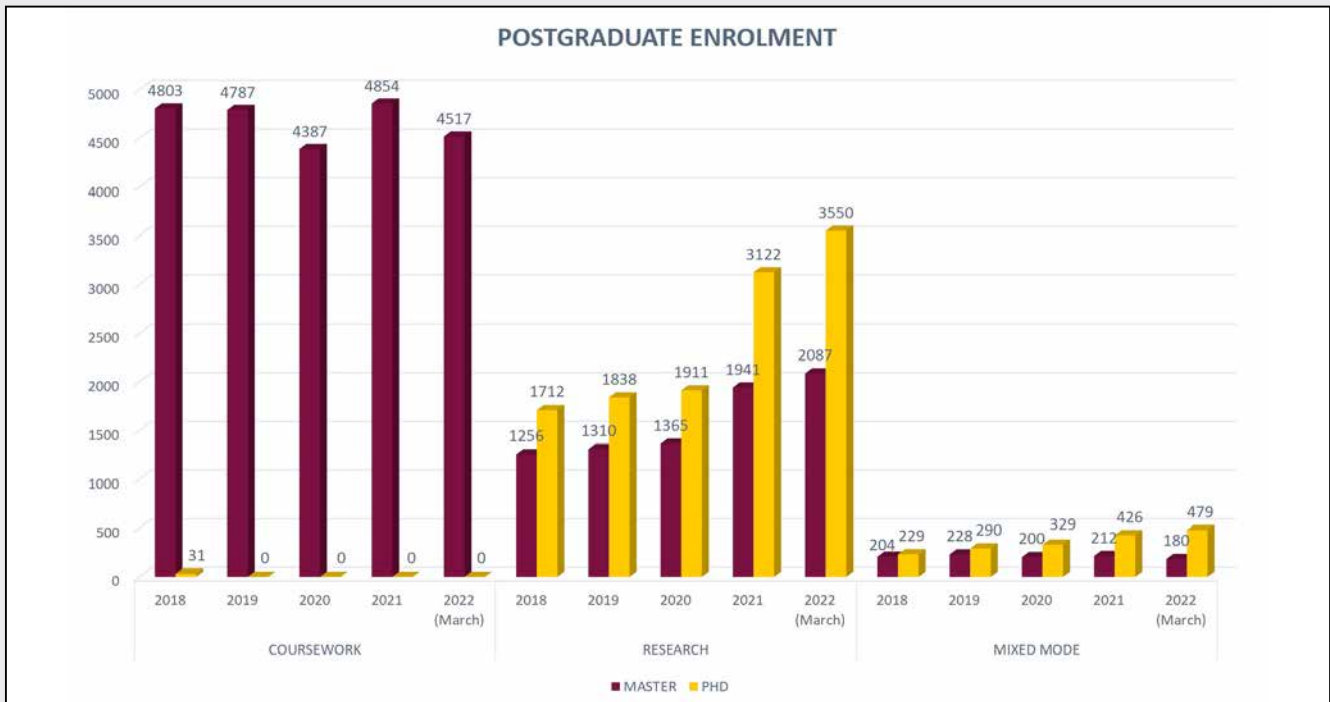
UiTM at The Biggest Education Malaysia Expo in Saudi Arabia.



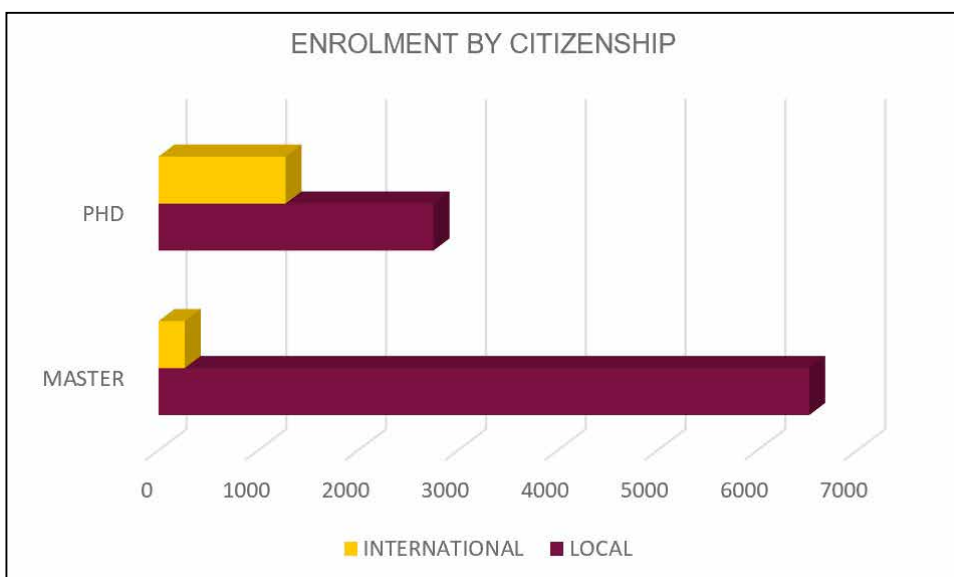
Discussion with between UiTM and University Al-Bukhari Tashkent.

# PGS Boost on track....

At UiTM, we have keep ourself updated with the recent used of technology. All applications and registration for both local and international students are now made available online. Our virtual registration platform are one of the most outstanding platform, which enable students from all over places to register as a student from their convenient location. It has made distance inexistence and the global reach out becomes no longer a dream...

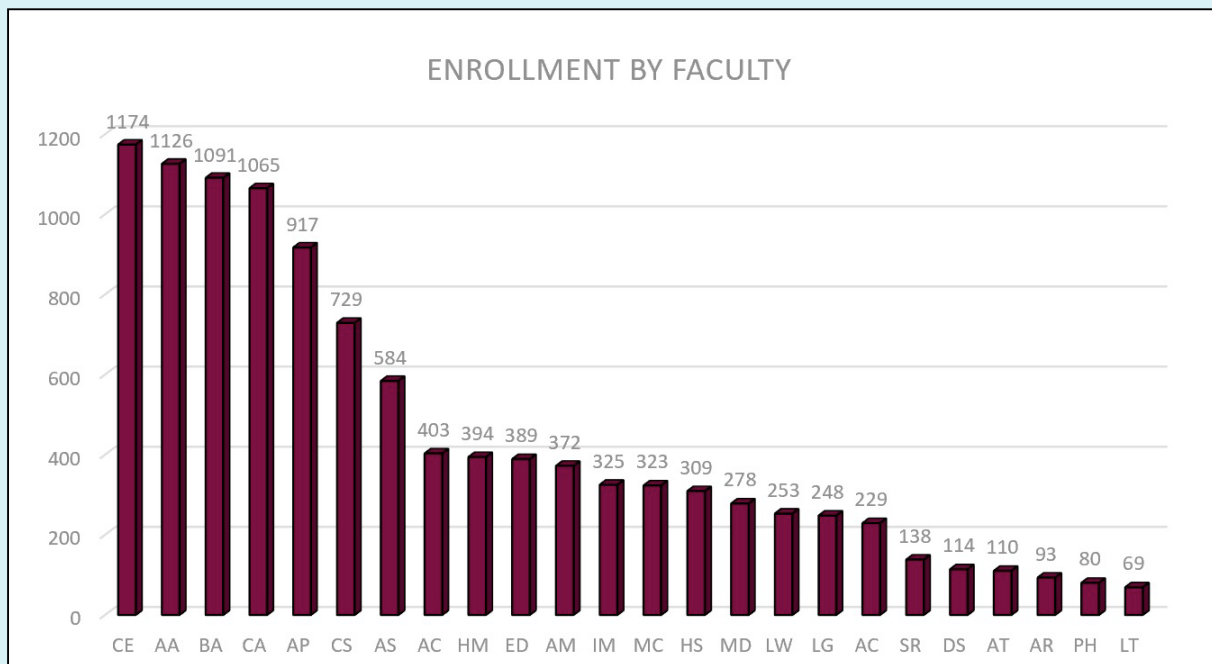


UiTM's postgraduate program has always be a top choice and gaining more attention from both local and international candidates. As evidence, the data shows consistent enrolment for master's and PhD level for coursework programs from 2018 to 2022 and the increasing number of enrolment for both research and mixed mode programmes.

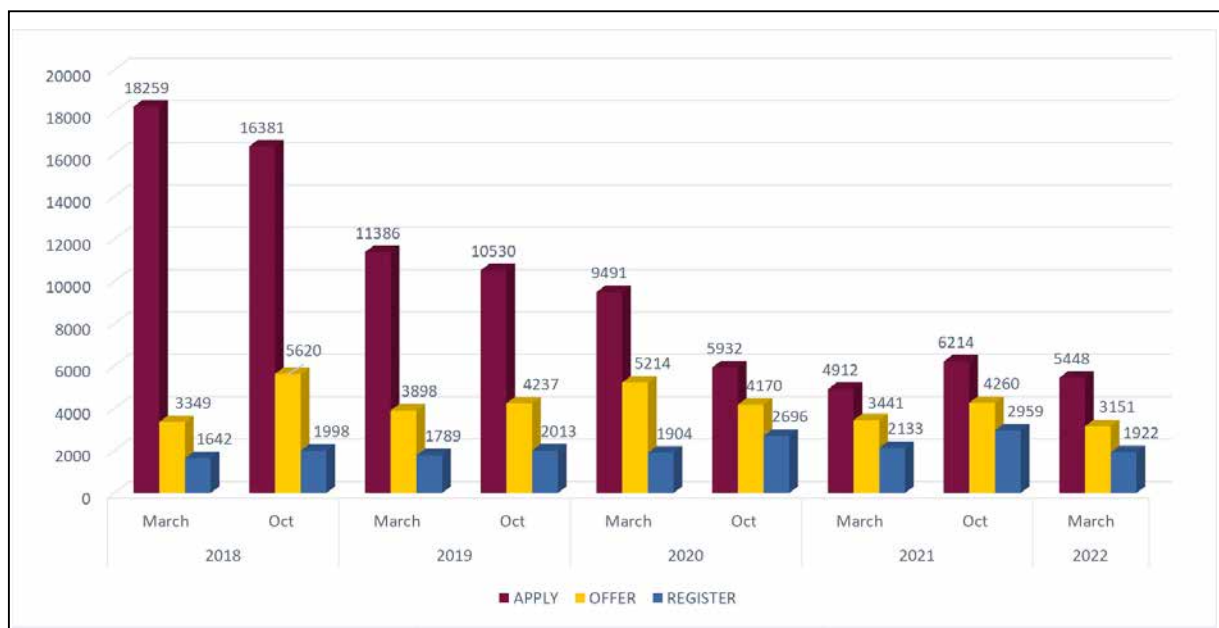


As of 11<sup>th</sup> May 2022, the total post-graduate enrolment has reached 10,813 and the number is contributed mostly (85.8%) by the local students.





The top five faculties with highest enrolment are the College of Engineering, Arshad Ayub Graduate Business School, Faculty of Business and Management, College of Creative Arts and Faculty of Architecture, Planning and Surveying.



Comparing the data from March 2018 to March 2022, it clearly shows a reducing number (29.8 %) of applications received. However, the number of offers made and total registration by semester is rather fluctuating with the percentage of offers compared to number of applications varies between 18.3 percent to 70.3 percent while the percentage of registered students also varies between 35.6 percent to 69.5 percent.

2018		2019		2020		2021		2022	
PROGRAMME CODE	Grand Total	PROGRAMME CODE	Grand Total	PROGRAMME CODE	Grand Total	PROGRAMME CODE	Grand Total	PROGRAMME CODE	Grand Total
BA774	1931	BA774	1906	BA707	471	AD950	476	CAAD950	332
BM751	1829	BA750	1516	EE750	467	BA950	401	BA950	232
BM750	1364	AD750	1047	AM770	454	BA750	360	ED950	191
AD750	1152	BA707	988	BA774	445	AA701	332	AA701	164
AM770	1097	BA775	811	EM750	434	AA700	322	BA750	163

Programmes offered by the faculty of Business and Management became the top three programmes in terms of its popularity in 2018. The pattern has changed, of which one of the programmes offered the Faculty of Art and Design or currently rebranded as the College of Creative Arts was in the third place in 2019. However, the Faculty of Business and Management remains among the top five in the ranking with four of its programmes became the top in the list of five. Research programmes in engineering has gained attention in 2020 and became the top 2 and five for electrical and mechanical engineering, respectively.

A different pattern emerged again in 2021 whereby the College of Creative Arts, the Faculty of Business and Management, and Arshad Ayub Graduate Business School has dominated the chart and the year 2022 has again shows an interesting change when one of the programmes offered by the Faculty of Education come into the play of becoming the third most popular programme applied.

Overall, data from the Admission and Intake has shown an encouraging pattern resulting from the commitment given by all parties involved. Together we strive towards achieving the aspiration of becoming the globally renowned university.

## In Touch: Kelantan Edition

The top management team from the Institute of Graduate Studies (IPSiS) paid an official visit to the UiTM campus in Kota Bharu, Kelantan, on the 7-9 February 2022. One of IPSiS' endeavours to personally meet the postgraduate team at the branch campuses is this campus visit activity. Professor Ir Dr Zuhaina Haji Zakaria, the dean of IPSiS UiTM, is leading the visit. The session was officiated by Assoc. Prof. Dr. Haji Zulkifli Mohamed, rector of UiTM Kelantan and it was followed by the management team engaged in a series of interactive discussions. The conversation addressed a wide variety of issues, with the main goal is to provide the most up-to-date information on the postgraduate admissions process and procedure at branch campuses. A hybrid session between UiTM Kelantan postgraduate students and Assoc. Prof. Dr Aman Mohd Ihsan Mamat, Head of Graduate Studies (Research Programme), was also successfully conducted during the campus visit. Throughout the session, postgraduate students engaged in active engagement and exchanged questions and answers in order to dispel any concerns or hesitation.

During this visit, a collaborative virtual promotion session with UiTM international agent was held as part of the branch campus marketing effort, specifically to recruit potential foreign students to UiTM Kelantan. With significant support from Assoc. Prof. Dr. Zuhail Hussein, the director of the postgraduate department at UiTM Kelantan, this session was panelised by ChM. Dr Hussein Hanibah (Promotion & Marketing Coordinator) and Dr. Zurina Ismail (Recruiting & Admission Coordinator) from IPSiS. More than 30 foreign agents were present during the session. YOU MAY EXPECT TO SEE US AT YOUR PLACE SOON.





# Hooding Ceremony

## PhD Graduands

Congratulations to all PhD Graduands who are able to attend the ceremony successfully. Institute of Graduate Studies (IPSiS) would like to thank you to all and those who contributed to make this ceremony happened during the pandemic time. We wish every graduand best of luck with their path of journey after graduation. Do not forget the UiTM tagline, Unleashing Potentials, Shaping the Future.



# Strategic Planning Workshop

Universiti Teknologi Mara (UiTM) has set a goal for quality improvement to attain a higher level of excellence towards Globally Renowned University by 2025 (GRU). Thus, Globally Competent is strategized for 2022 to be in a road map in order to accomplish the goal.



In consistent to the planning, IPSis was conducted a Strategic Planning Workshop at Bangi Resort Hotel, 16-18 March 2022 to review of past achievements and brain storm on SWOT (Strength, Weakness, Opportunity, Thread) analysis. Four strategic objectives were set to achieve IPSis main strategic goal, "Postgraduate Excellence". Strategies within each objectives were determined and prioritized, and action plans and activity worksheets were constructed.



## Main Focus: Postgraduate Excellence





# IPSis Silver Jubilee Celebration: Former Deans Homecoming Event

Institute of Graduate Studies (IPSis) was excited to host former deans homecoming event which held on 18 March 2022 at UiTM Hotel Shah Alam. There were five former deans were in attendance for the event, Professor Dr Ahmad Sazali Hamzah (2008-June 2010), Professor Dr Zubaidah Zainal Abidin (2010 – June 2011), Associate Professor Dr Siti Halijah Shariff (2011- April 2016), Associate Professor Ts. Dr Mohammad Nawawi Hj Seroji (2016-2017) and Professor Dr Haslinda Yusoff (2018-2020). It was a beautiful event with all presence former deans expressed their experiences and aspiration for the success of the institution in years to come.



## *A Visitor from* Education Malaysia Division (BEM) of Department of Higher Education (JPT)

Education Malaysia Division (BEM) of Department of Higher Education (JPT) paid a visit to IPSis on 11th May 2022. It was a fruitful discussion regarding on the engagement evaluation process.



*New*  
**Postgraduate  
Students  
Briefing**



**New Postgraduate  
Students Briefing Session**

1 April 2022  
8.30am to 12.00pm  
Watch via IPSis Youtube  
<https://www.youtube.com/c/IPSisUiTMChannel>

About 1300 new postgraduate students were successfully registered for March 2022 intake. In conjunction with that, an online New Postgraduate Students Briefing session was held on the 1st of April 2022. The briefing was broadcasted live via IPSis's youtube channel. During the session, students were briefed about campuses, postgraduate academic rules and regulation, services by UiTM Library and information about UiTM Postgraduate Society.

The session was started with the welcoming speech by the Dean of IPSis, Prof. Ir Dr. Zuhaina Zakaria followed by the briefing by IPSis management team. Positive feedbacks were received where students feel delighted over the very engaging session between the management and participants.

On behalf of UiTM, we would like to congratulate all new postgraduate students on their new endeavors and all the best



# UiTM Endowment Scholarship Selection



UiTM is providing an opportunity for excellent Malaysian and international students to pursue their undergraduate and postgraduate studies at Universiti Teknologi MARA (UiTM) by offering them the UiTM Endowment Scholarship, the first of its kind in UiTM. The scholarship will not only cover academic tuition fees but also a rewarding monthly allowance. Application was opened from 10th to 22rd of January 2022. For year 2022, 8 scholarships were offered. After the closing date, 173 applications were received and after thorough selection, only 33 applications made through to the final selection stage. During the final stage, all candidates were interviewed via an online platform by 14 distinguish panels from UiTM. The interview session was held on the 8th of March 2022. After deliberation, 7 candidates were selected to receive the UiTM Endowment Scholarship.



# TNCPI and PG Research *Get Together*



To encourage PG students to write, a get together session between Deputy Vice Chancellor (Research and Innovation), Prof. Ts. Dr. Norazah Abdul Rahman and Postgraduate research students was held on the 7th March 2022 at Anjung Seri Budiman, UiTM Shah Alam. The session was held physically and live streamed via UiTM youtube channel.

During the session, presentations were delivered by esteemed speakers such as IPSis Deputy Dean, Associate Professor Dr. Siti Farhana Zakaria, Prof. Datuk Dr. Abu Bakar Abdul Majeed from Research Management Centre, UiTM and Prof. Dr. Nooritawati Md Tahir, Director of Research Nexus, UiTM. A sharing session from past year's winner of various postgraduate awards also being held to motivate students to excel in their



research journey. The awardees invited are Dr. Siti Sara Ibrahim from Deputy Rector of Research, UiTM Rembau, Dr. Azaitun Akma Shahrin, Dental Clinical Specialist, Ministry of Health and Dr. Anis Mardiana Abdullah, Ministry of Transport.

Students who successfully published in Q1 and Q2 indexed publication were also celebrated in this event. Each students received cash incentive amounting RM300 per publication. The incentives were given with the hope that other students will get motivated to write and publish more in various high impact journal worldwide.





# IPSis *Silver Jubilee* Celebration: Iftar with the orphanage



Ramadhan, it's time of the year where one would take a minute to reflect on oneself and to give back to the community. This year, it is more special and meaningful as IPSis is celebrating its silver jubilee. Our spiritual journey takes a different path with a collaborative effort between UiTM Postgraduate Society(UiPS) and Kelab Staf IPSis. It was a special Ramadhan moment this year as we celebrate Buka Puasa with 25 orphans/ children from Teratak Nur Barakah at Mardhiyyah Hotel and Suites, Shah Alam, Selangor. Prior to the berbuka puasa, staff of IPSis joined by UiPS team, put hands together to set up a mini library corner at the Teratak Nur Barakah, Shah Alam.

The berbuka puasa started off with a heart-warming speech by the Dean of IPSis, Prof. Ir. Dr. Zuhaina Zakaria Berjaya and followed by recitation of du'a by Mr. Abdalmalek I. A. Aburabee from UiTM Postgraduate Society (UiPS), followed by distributing of Hari Raya gifts, Duit Raya to the children. IPSis also manage to contribute RM4000 to the management of Teratak Nur Barakah. Guests were then treated to a sumptuous berbuka puasa spread composing of traditional Hari Raya delicacies followed by the photography session.



# Achievements

## FSG GO GLOBAL

## Congratulations

## to PG's FSG Muhammad Faiz Aizamddin

tadTalks™ (thesis & dissertation) is a special program for international graduate students to share their postgraduate experiences. The program is also part of the Annual Research Forum at Qatar University, which is hosted by the Office of the Vice President of Research and Graduate Studies. The program is inspired by the renowned TED Talks program, following the same format where speakers give short 15-minute talks to share their perspectives on graduate research-level experiences to inspire other graduate students to take on the challenge of conducting effective research for the benefit of local, regional and international communities.

Ten postgraduate students were flown in from various countries such as Qatar, New Zealand, Italy, Malaysia, South Africa and other nations to participate in the program at the College of Law, Qatar University. Malaysia was represented by Muhammad Faiz bin Aizamddin, a PhD student at the Faculty of Applied Sciences, UiTM Shah Alam.

*Best wishes for next adventure,  
School of Graduate Studies,  
Faculty of Applied Sciences,  
UiTM*





## *The First* Post-Graduate Research Symposium 2022 (PEERS'22)

Faculty of Computer and Mathematical Sciences (FSKM), UiTM Shah Alam

Prepared by: **Dr Nor Hapiza Mohd Ariffin & Dr Shuzlina Abdul Rahman,**

Faculty of Computer and Mathematical Sciences (FSKM),  
Universiti Teknologi MARA, Shah Alam.

The Post-Graduate Research Symposium 2022 (PEERS'22) was successfully organised on 5 March 2022 at Universiti Teknologi MARA's Faculty of Computer and Mathematical Sciences (FSKM) in Shah Alam. It was coordinated by the Centre of Information Systems Studies, or Pusat Pengajian Sistem Maklumat (PPSM) and Center of Postgraduate Studies, FSKM. In keeping with the Fourth Industrial Revolution (IR 4.0) and the Malaysian Ministry of Higher Education (MOHE), this symposium will serve as one of FSKM's industry outreach activities.

The event was held in hybrid mode, featured 40 students as participants and 13 industry panellists who served as a jury judging student research. The event was officiated by the Dean of the Faculty, Professor Ts. Dr Haryani Harun, who welcomed the attendance of professionals from the industry who helped provide advice and suggestions for improving the research that had been conducted.

Three keynote speakers, Mr Mohd Fazlin Shah (Director, Digital Solutions), Mr Mansor bin Latiff (Manager, MYREN Network Sdn Bhd) and Mr Mohd Dzulkaedah Zaharuddin (Assistant Vice President, Sime Darby Property) shared their knowledge and experiences to our students.

This one-day symposium allowed postgraduate researchers to present their work while also providing and receiving constructive feedback from the industry. The aim is to provide a platform for postgraduate student in promoting their ideas and accomplishments to the industry. Associate Professor Dr Shuzlina Abdul Rahman, the Head of Information Systems Studies, expressed her hope that this event will become an annual event for the faculty in the future in her role as event director.



Opening by Dean



Keynote Speaker



Morning session with the keynote speakers and participants



Zulaikha, the postgraduate student presenting her findings



Online session where the student present remotely



Afternoon session with the keynote speaker and participants



Some of the industry players and PEERS committee

# News from Faculty

## UiTM-FSKM Go Collaborative Learning with Industries and International Experts

**Sofianita Mutalib and Syarifah Ruzaini Syed Aris**

Faculty of Computer and Mathematical Sciences (FSKM), Universiti Teknologi MARA, Shah Alam.

Faculty of Computer and Mathematical Sciences (FSKM), Universiti Teknologi MARA (UiTM) Shah Alam lecturers embark with collaborative teaching and learning delivery through industrial talks in Master academic courses started October 2020. For semester October 2021 – February 2022 academic session, the guest lecturer session continued for Master programmes in FSKM. The industrial talks were delivered through webinars which involved esteem invited speakers from the industry and international experts. The webinar sessions were the initiative of two master programmes at which are Master of Data Science, Master of Science in Applied Statistics and Master of Science In Cybersecurity And Digital Forensics. The entire event was a collaborative effort from the lecturers of FSKM and postgraduate students.

The invited speakers are the key persons in several big companies such as TM One, Malaysian Communications and Multimedia Commission (MCMC), Celcom Axiata Berhad, Affin Bank Group, Serba Dinamik Group Berhad, Malaysian Armed Forces, Johor Port and National University of Singapore, as one of international speaker.

Every session observed high number of participants which consists of postgraduate students and lecturers, with overall about more than 200 postgraduate students had participated in all sessions. The implementation of the webinar sessions is considered a success especially considering the facts that we are in the middle of a pandemic. The collaborative learning with industries and international experts was a great exposure to the postgraduate students with regards of the skills required in the industries, various research and projects to be undertaken as well as latest trends in businesses. Positive responses were received from the participants among others highlighted the opportunity given to communicate and discuss current issues and findings with the industrial speakers and international experts in a very interactive way. This further motivates them in producing innovative ideas throughout their studies.

**TIPS FROM INDUSTRY: RESEARCH DESIGN**

January 8th 2022 3 PM - 6 PM

<https://bit.ly/industryCS779>

**Dr Azman Ali**  
TM ONE

**ORGANIZED BY:**  
Center of Information Systems Studies and Master of Data Science  
Faculty of Computer and Mathematical Sciences

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**MEDICAL IMAGE ANALYSIS using Deep Learning Techniques**

January 23rd 2022 8 AM - 11 AM

<https://bit.ly/GL779>

**Assoc. Prof. Dr Carol Hargreaves**  
National University of Singapore

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Guest Lectures for Master of Data Science.

**PPSP GLOBAL WEBINAR SERIES 2022**

**Port Performance Management: Johor Port Practices**

SATURDAY | JAN 29, 2022  
08:30 a.m. - 12:30 p.m.

**Dr. Nazry bin Yahya**  
Principal  
JP Skills Centre, Johor Port

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FACULTY OF COMPUTER AND MATHEMATICAL SCIENCES (FSKM)

<https://bit.ly/PPSPGWSS>

Guest Lecture for Master of Science in Applied Statistics.

**CYBER CRIME: Legal Aspects from MCMC Perspective**

SUNDAY 9 January 2022 2:30pm to 4:30pm

**YBKH. DATIN HJH MAIZAIRAN ZAINAL ABIDIN**  
Head of Prosecution Department (Legal Sector)  
Malaysian Communications and Multimedia Commission (MCMC)

**ORGANIZED BY:**  
Center for Computer Technology and Networking Studies (CTN), FSKM, UiTM

Guest Lectures for Master of Science in Cybersecurity and Digital Forensics.

**CYBERSECURITY, GOVERNANCE & RISK MANAGEMENT FOR CRITICAL NATIONAL INFRASTRUCTURE**

JANUARY 29, 2022  
10:00-12:00 PM  
UiTM SHAH ALAM, FSKM

**SPEAKERS:**

- TS. IZWAN KUNAWAN AMAT SARUAN  
HEAD OF TECHNOLOGY SECURITY WITH BANK GROUP
- MUHAMMAD MUSLIM HANIS  
HEAD, CYBER THREAT & INCIDENT MANAGEMENT  
CELECOM Axiata BERHAD
- ASSOC. PROF. COL (R) DATO' TS DR HUSIN JAZRI  
DEPUTY VICE PRESIDENT & SECURITY AND RESILIENCE CHIEF  
BERDA GROUP
- BEAR ADMIRAL DATO' SHAMSUDDIN HJ LUDIN  
DIRECTOR GENERAL, CYBER CYBER AND ELECTRONIC SECURITY  
MALAYSIAN ARMED FORCES

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# The China-Asean 5G & IR 4.0 Summit Forum

In the mid of May, The South-East Asia Hainan-Hongkong Express Cable System (SEA-H2X) comes into force. The SEA-H2X cable system consists of at least 8-fiber pairs between Hong Kong SAR and Singapore, with a design capacity of 160 Tbps to meet the growing bandwidth requirement in the region. This submarine cable connects Hong Kong SAR China, Hainan China, the Philippines, Thailand, Malaysia (Borneo Island), and Singapore, with options to extend to Vietnam, Cambodia, Malaysia Peninsula, and Indonesia. The SEA-H2X cable system is targeted to be ready-for-service in 2024, which will effectively meet the demand for network bandwidth and high-speed connectivity in Asia, helping to build a new network ecosystem for 5G evolution, providing a greater boost to the flourishing ASEAN digital industry.

**The China-Asean 5G & IR 4.0 Summit Forum**, a joint venture between Asia China Education & Cultural Association (ACEC) and Huawei, China's leading global provider of Information and communications technology, is co-organised by Universiti Teknologi MARA (UiTM) and the university's excellent centre, Malaysia Institute of Transport (MITRANS). Other organisations that joins UiTM in co-organising the forum include China-ASEAN Alliance of Universities for Electronic Information Innovation of CAIH (CAAUEII), Asia Centre for Leadership and Civilisation (ACLC) and BRI Culture Centre (BRICC).

The forum was successfully held at Huawei Technology Centre Kuala Lumpur the past Saturday at 10am! The combined online and offline forum attracted many scholars and experts from the ASEAN countries to join the event. This was a fantastic platform to share and learn more about the technology wave's innovation and talent upgrading opportunities!

The Vice Chancellor of UiTM, Professor Datuk Ts. Dr. Hajah Roziah Mohd Janor, in her opening speech indicates that the forum is an important platform for discussion, collecting innovative ideas and practical solutions for digital transformation, especially in the 5G era. She says UiTM is riding the waves of IR4.0 and aspires to lead in the transformation process.

"UiTM is currently active in doing research related to various fields including analytics, machine learning and artificial intelligence. We have outstanding researchers who successfully secured both national and international grants, for example, recently UiTM researchers secured an industry grant in Digital Sandbox leveraging Big Data analysis to perform cyber security track venison from Data Sonic Berhad. Recently, we also embark on assurance analytics, a project focuses on big data analytic aspects of auditing, planning to implement sustainable data analytic in auditing."

Other invited guests from UiTM who join Professor Datuk Roziah at the forum are Deputy Vice Chancellor (Office of Industry, Community & Alumni Network) Professor Dr. Mohammad Hariri Hj Abdullah, Dean of Faculty of Computer and Mathematical Science Professor Ts. Dr. Haryani Haron, Director of Transnational Education Department, Institute of Continuing Education & Profesional Studies (ICEPS) Dr. Wan Norbani Wan Noordin, Deputy Dean of Institut Pengajian Siswazah (IPSIS) Associate Professor Dr. Siti Farhana Zakaria, Deputy Director of Malaysia Institute of Transport (MITRANS) Dr. Siti Zaharah, Head of Department of Computer Technology & Networking, Faculty of Computer & Mathematical Science Associate Professor Dr. Mohammad Yusof Darus, and Programme Coordinator of IPSIS Dr. Hussien Hanibah.



**Photo 1:** Mr. Yang Chengcheng, the Regional Executive Director of Asian-China Education & Culture Association (left), accompanied by Mr. Oliver Liu, the Vice Chancellor of Huawei ASEAN Academy Malaysia (right), presents the International Industry Academia Research Collaboration White Paper to Prof. Datuk Ts. Dr. Hajah Roziah Mohd Janor, the Vice Chancellor of Universiti Teknologi MARA.

This forum was guaranteed to bring scholars and experts fruitful knowledge about the new wave of technology from various perspectives. Among the discussions, the Huawei Industry-Academia-Research Innovation Showcase was definitely the focal point:

- Display of the latest 5G development trends and application solutions.
- Industrial automation upgrade during the pandemic.
- ICT and smart campus solutions.
- Digital technology application and sustainable development solutions in the ASEAN region.
- Huawei Smart City management centre-experience the real-time global interconnection system.



**Photo 2 :** Huawei's Technology Department representative demonstrates to invited guests the real-life applications and trends of today's industrial-technological integration

With 5G accelerating the development of Industry Revolution 4.0 (IR4.0), co-organiser Universiti Teknologi MARA (UiTM) keeps working together with ACEC and Huawei to provide an international research collaboration platform for the development of local Industry 4.0 in Malaysia.

As an internationally acclaimed institution of learning, UiTM has taken that approach, capitalising on the chance to provide an international research platform for Malaysian IR4.0 development by:

- Bringing in professionals from various fields to share the knowledge and skills required to improve Malaysia's technology development landscape.
- Introducing mature technology application courses to develop globally competitive talent for the 5G era.
- Through an industrial-academia- research cooperative alliance, students and academics could study and work abroad.

This was a series of events initiated by the China-ASEAN Alliance of Universities for Electronic Information Innovation. Following the first China-ASEAN Smart City Forum, which received an overwhelming response from international scholars and experts, the second forum featured an even more distinguished line-up of speakers!



**Photo 3 :** Group photo with experts and honorary guests



**Photo 4 & 5:** Group photo session of UiTM team with organiser



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Menjadi Hiasan di Aidilfitri,  
Mesej Dikirim Pengganti Diri,  
Tanda Ingatan Tak Lupa Dihati,

Selamat Hari Raya, Maaf  
Zahir dan Batin



**Natasha,**  
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Selamat hari raya  
maaf zahir batin buat  
semua warga UiTM,  
khususnya di IPSis .  
Moga raya tahun ini  
lebih bermakna buat  
kita semua.



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Strategic Planning &  
Academic Quality

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Sepuluh jari tersusun rapi,  
Bunga Melati pengharum hati,  
Ucapan dikirim pengganti diri,  
Memohon maaf setulus hati..

Mohon Maaf Zahir  
dan Batin



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Admission

Selamat hari raya  
maaf zahir batin buat  
semua warga UiTM,  
khususnya di IPSis .  
Moga raya tahun  
ini lebih bermakna  
buat kita semua.

Salam dihulur  
tanda ingatan  
Semoga ukhwah yang  
terjalin kekal berkekalan  
Selamat Hari Raya Aidilfitri  
Maaf Zahir dan Batin

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Semoga segala  
amalan Ramadhan  
dengan penuh keikhlasan  
diterima Allah.  
Salam Aidil Fitri.  
Maaf Zahir  
dan Batin.

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Academic



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kita raya.....

**Fazley,**  
Administration



Raya Aidilfitri Hari Yang Di Nanti  
Hias Diri Bersampin Dan Berkebaya  
Izinkan Saya Menyusun Sepuluh Jari  
Serta Ucapan Maaf Dan  
Selamat Hari Raya!

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Resources & Students



Salam Aidilfitri buat  
semua warga IPSis dan  
UiTM. Hati² ketika pulang  
ke kampung halaman.  
Maaf zahir batin

Jambangan indah lagi berseri  
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Ucapan dikirim pengganti diri  
Tanda ingatan tak lupa dihati



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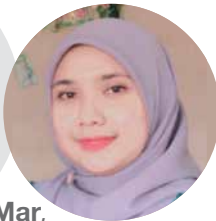
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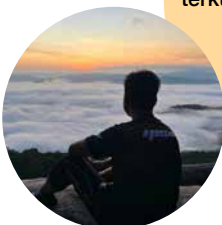
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maaf zahir dan batin...  
semoga syawal kali ini  
akan mengutuhkn lagi  
silaturrahim sesama  
kita.

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Zahir dan Batin  
Takbir sudah bergema,  
Syawal sudah tiba  
Selamat Hari Raya,  
Ampun maaf dipinta

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Salam Aidilfitri buat  
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terkurang, terpoyo dan ter yang  
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