

ABOUT US

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**PUTRA INTERNATIONAL CENTRE
UNIVERSITI PUTRA MALAYSIA**







Director of i-PUTRA

Prof. Dr. Alyani Ismail

The International Centre (i-PUTRA) is Universiti Putra Malaysia's hub for internationalization, overseeing global engagement, student mobility, and strategic partnerships with institutions worldwide. i-PUTRA enhances UPM's visibility through academic collaboration, research exchange, and cultural integration.

Guided by UPM's motto, "With Knowledge We Serve," i-PUTRA is dedicated to fostering an inclusive and globally connected environment in line with the university's vision of becoming a leading research university of international repute.

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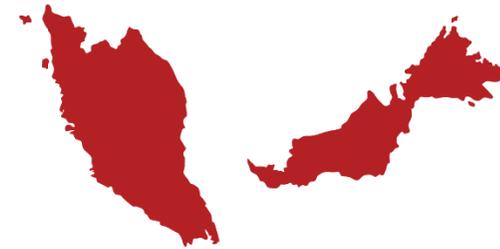


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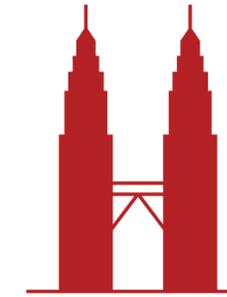
At a Glance :



Located in **Southeast Asia**



West & East Malaysia



13 States, **3** Federal Territories



Population **32.7** Million

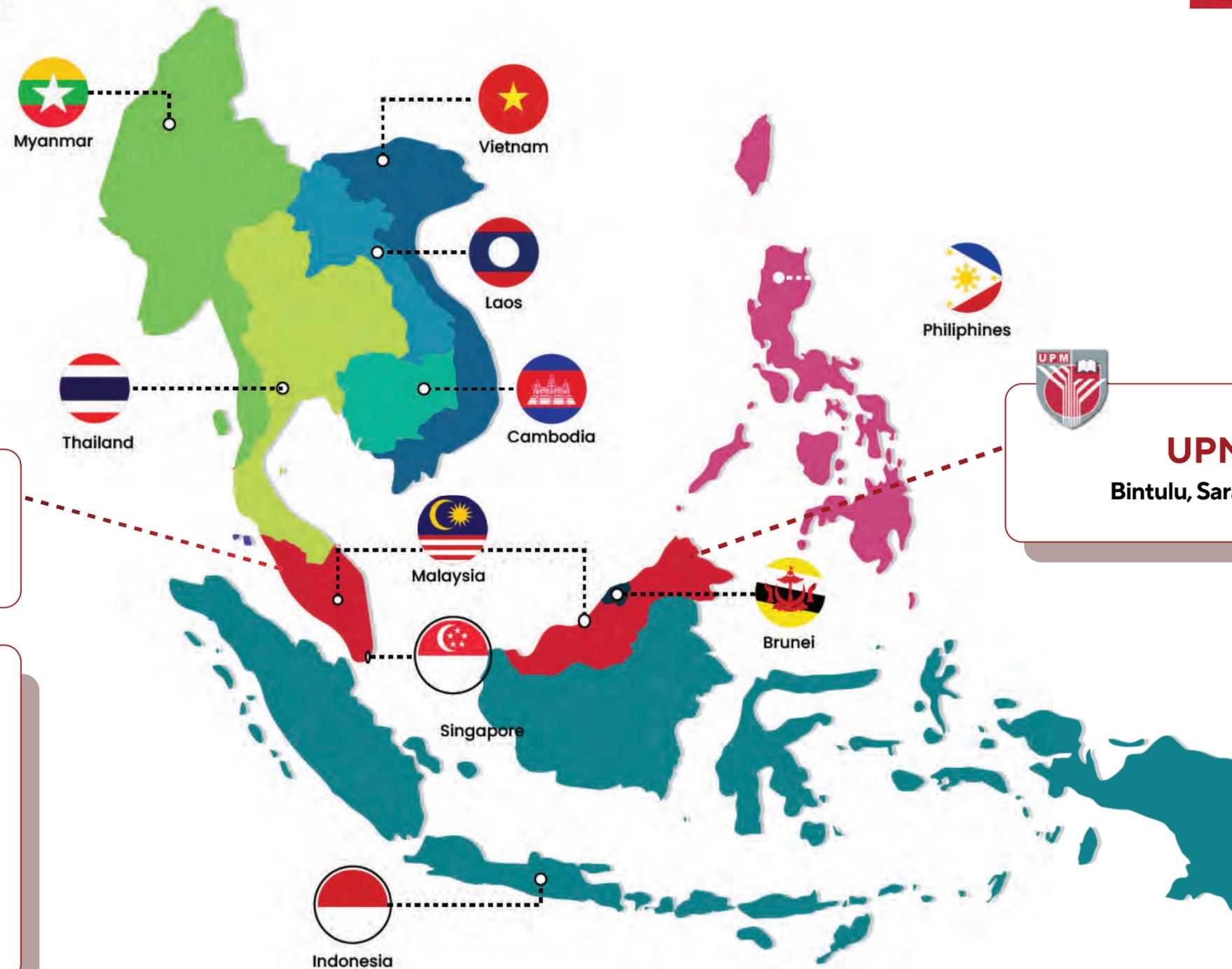


3 Main Races:
Malay, Chinese, Indian



Borders with **Thailand,**
Brunei, Singapore

UPM Campus



UPM Main Campus
 Serdang, Selangor, West Malaysia



24km from Kuala Lumpur



23.9km to Kuala Lumpur International Airport (KLIA)



14.5km to Putrajaya



UPM Sarawak
 Bintulu, Sarawak, East Malaysia





Dato' Prof. Ir. Dr. Ahmad Farhan Mohd Sadullah
Vice Chancellor



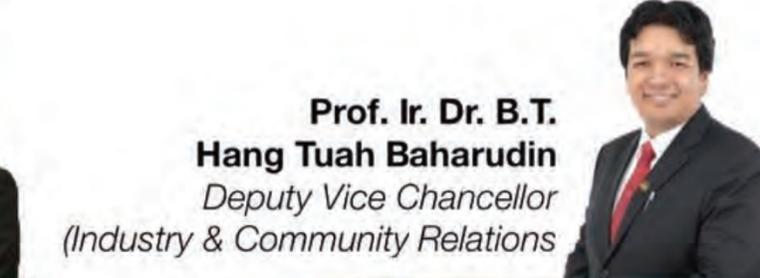
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*Director,
 UPM Sarawak*



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*Director,
 Development Office &
 Asset Management*





About Universiti Putra Malaysia

Vision

To become a university of international repute

Mission

To make meaningful contributions to the creation of prosperity and development of the nation and the well-being of all human beings through the exploration and dissemination of knowledge



Founded in 1931 and known internationally as one of the distinguished universities in the region



Awarded Self-Accreditation status (Academic Programmes Quality) in 2010



3000 Hectares
 Located within 30 mins to Kuala Lumpur, Putrajaya & KLIA



7,100+ Staff
 1,807+ Academic Staff
 5,257+ Non-academic Staff



84 Responsibility Centres



Accorded the status of "Research University" in 2006



Awarded Autonomy University status in 2012



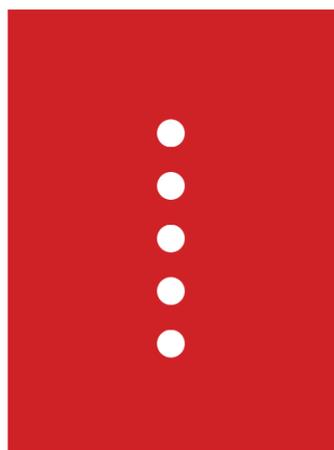
Universiti Putra Malaysia (UPM) is one of Malaysia's premier public Universities with an array of disciplines



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As of July 2025



INTERNATIONAL ACCREDITATION ACADEMIC PROGRAMMES



**Association of MBAs
(AMBA)**



AACSB Accredited
(Association to Advance
Collegiate Schools of Business)



EQUIS Accredited
(EFMD Quality Improvement
System)



**International Engineering
Alliance (IEA)**



Royal Society of Chemistry



**The Institute of Food
Technologists (IFT)**



**The Institution of
Environmental Sciences**

UPM RANKING ACROSS THE GLOBE

Ranked **134th** 

QS World University 2026

Ranked **22th** 

Best Asian University
 QS World University 2026

Ranked Top **200**  *by subject*

For 19 Subjects
 QS by Subject

Ranked **24th** 

In UI Greenmetric
 World University Ranking

Ranked **132th** 

In The Times Higher Education
 (THE) World University Rankings
 for Emerging Economies

Ranked **101-105th** 

In The Times Higher Education
 (THE) World University Rankings
 for Impact University Rankings

Ranked **81st** 

In The Times Higher Education
 (THE) World University Rankings for
 Asian Universities

UPM INTERNATIONAL STUDENT OVERVIEW

30,720+
Student Population



8,700+
International Students

UNDERGRADUATE

4,295 students



POSTGRADUATE

1,037 students



MOBILITY STUDENTS INBOUND/OUTBOUND

5,090

Remain
from last period



International Collaboration Programme



University of Newcastle, Australia
Programme(s) Jointly Awarded PhD



Naresuan University, Australia
Programme(s) Dual Master
& Dual PhD



Maejo University, Thailand
Programme(s) Dual PhD



**Sharif University of
Technology, Iran**
Programme(s) Jointly Awarded
Master & PhD



**University of Paris 1 Pantheon-
Sorbonne, France**
Programme(s) Cotutelle (PhD)



**Kyushu Institute of
Technology, Japan**
Programme(s) Double Master
& PhD

And **more** to come!



Global Partnership



**Staff
Mobility**



**International
Visit**



**International
Agreement
(MoU/MoA)**



**International
Consortium**

Asia **166**

Europe **31**

Oceania **6**

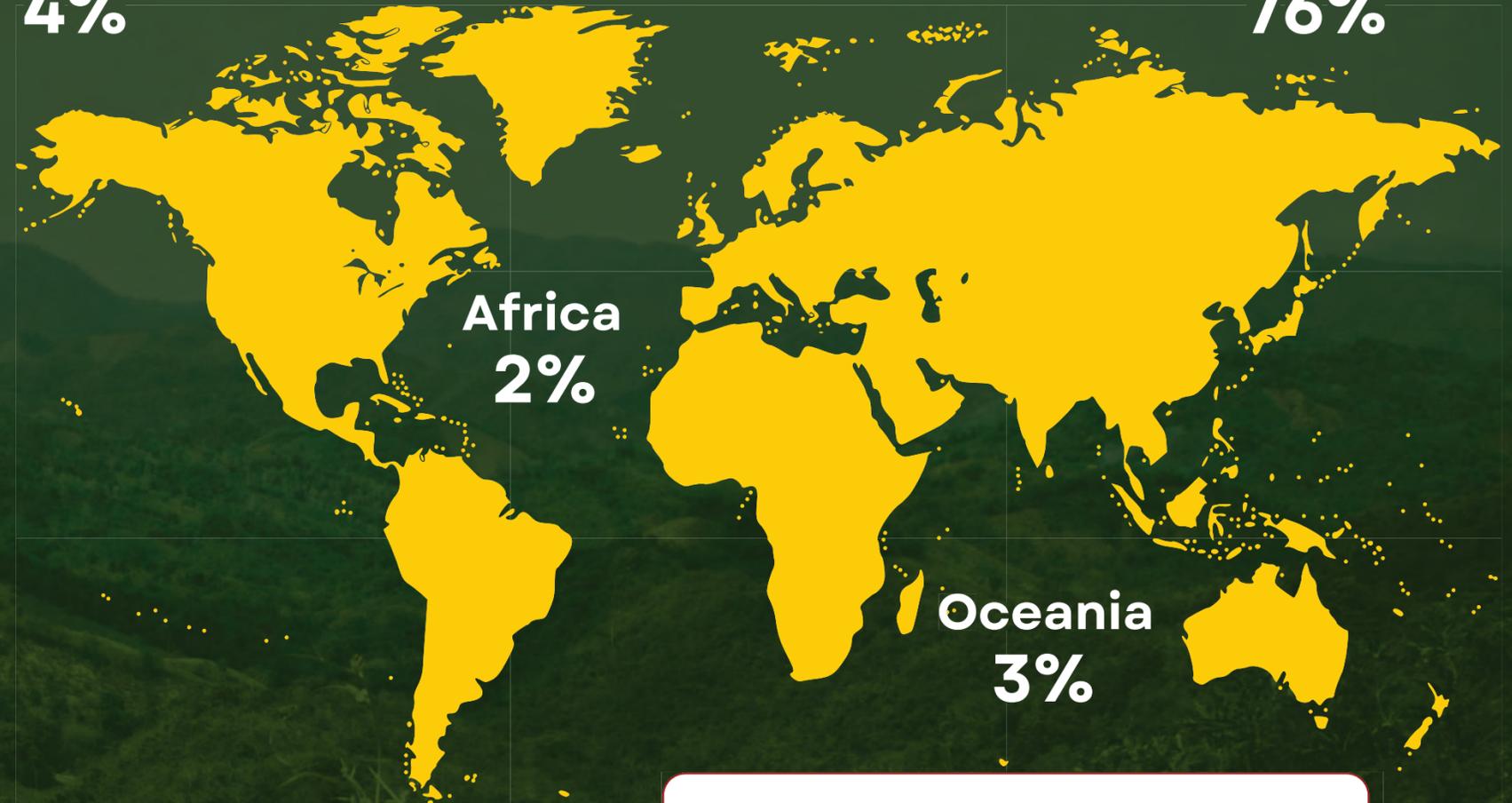
America **9**

Africa **5**

Global Partnership

International MoU/MoA : 217
Domestic MoU/MoA : 356

America 4% Europe 14% Asia 76%



Industries **245**

Government/
NGO **171**

Universities/
Institute **157**

Total Domestic &
International
Collaborations **573**



About i-PUTRA

i-PUTRA, the Putra International Centre, is UPM's hub for internationalisation. It builds global collaborations, manages student mobility, and connects UPM with international partners to foster cultural diversity and nurture globally minded graduates.



Our Vission & Mission



Vission

To become a leading centre for internationalisation of education in Malaysia



Mission

To make meaningful contributions in reinforcing the university's status as an internationally reputable institution by strengthening strategic global linkages, nurturing future global talents and providing first-class services.



OUR HISTORY

PUTRA International Centre started in 1994 and it was known as Public and International Affairs Division. Since then, there were several restructuring processes involving the changing of names, functions and job scopes. It was first known as Corporate Communications and International Division (2001), then International Relations Division (2002) and later, the International Centre (2009).

In 2011, the international portfolio has been reorganised and handled by UPM International Sdn. Bhd., a subsidiary company under the UPM Holding, the private arm of the university. However in 2013, for a better administration and supervision of international related matters, this portfolio was returned to UPM and managed by an office known as International Division (March 2013). Following the implementation of PG 200 strategy, this office underwent some improvisation and was rebranded as Putra International in May 2014.

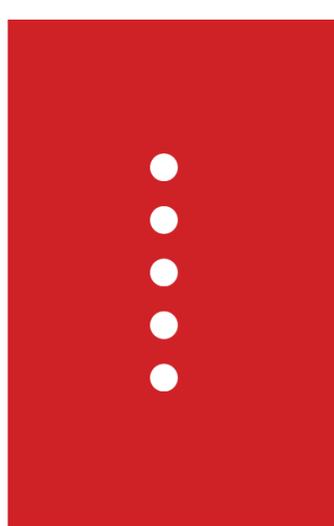
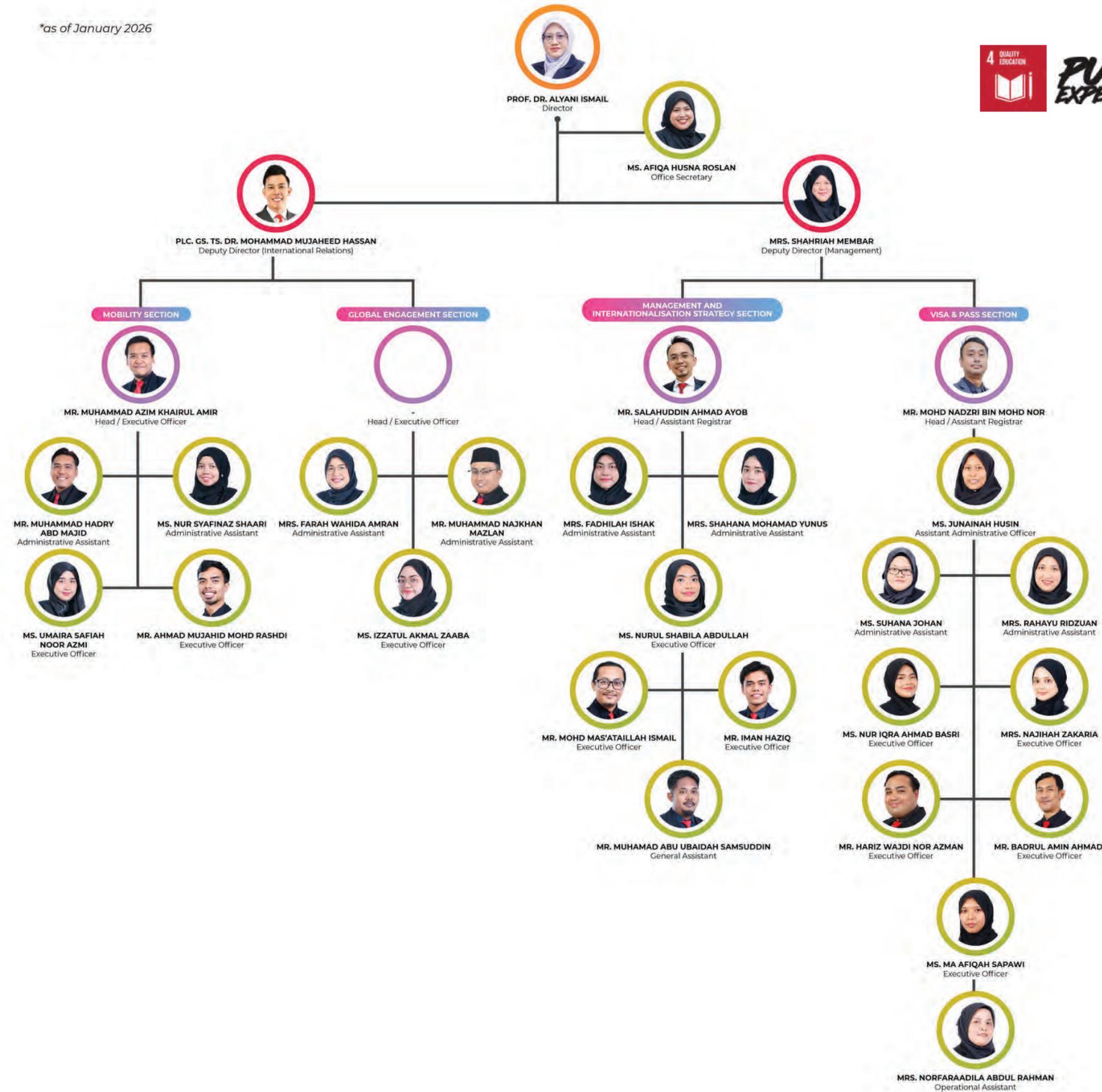


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i-PUTRA Organization Chart

Meet Our Team



Management of i-PUTRA

At the heart of i-PUTRA's success is a team of passionate leaders who inspire, collaborate, and guide the Centre's mission towards global excellence. Their unity and dedication reflect the spirit of international friendship and service that define Universiti Putra Malaysia.





MEET OUR TEAM

Management & Internationalisation Strategy Section

Aligned with UPM's Strategic Plan 2021–2025, this unit manages administration, human resources, & finance to support good governance, financial sustainability, and green practices.

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- **Responsible for providing a fair and equitable scope of assignments for all employees**
- **Responsible for the office’s financial management,** which covers managing accounts and office Trust accounts
- **Responsible for providing a conducive office environment for its employee**
- **Becoming the backbone for all activities organised by i-PUTRA.**





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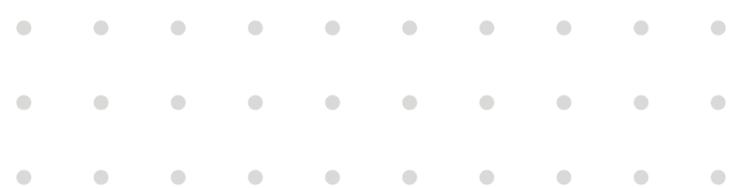
Visa & Pass Section

Provide first-class services to the international community regarding travel, visa and passport matters

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- **Provide first-class services** related to visa and passes
- **Strengthen the management of complaints** from the International community about Visas and Passes
- **Improve the management of documentation** related to visa and pass
- **Increase i-PUTRA's source of income** through the visa and pass management fees





MEET OUR TEAM

Global Engagement Section

Strengthen and enhance strategic global engagements that drive UPM's aspirations to be a university of international repute.

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- **Empower efforts** to obtain international project grants.
- **Strengthening relationships** with existing strategic partners of i-PUTRA
- **Encourage more overseas staff (inbound)** to participate in attachment programs at UPM.
- **Offer short-term professional training programs** to university/foreign agency staff.





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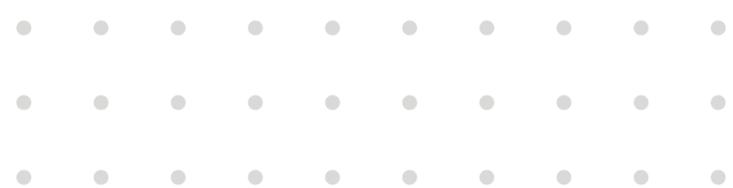
Mobility Section

Nurture future global leaders through world-class learning experiences as well as offer quality short-term programmes.

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- **Increase the participation of international students** in inbound student mobility programs
- **Enhance the participation of university students** in outbound student mobility programs
- **Promote cross-cultural and academic exchanges among different countries and ethnicities** through summer/winter programs and short-term programs



PUTRA Experience UPM Mobility Programme



UPM MOBILITY FLAGSHIP PROGRAMME

The PUTRA Experience by i-PUTRA offers global learning opportunities for both international and UPM students. It allows participants to explore new cultures, gain global experience, and build lasting friendships.

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Our Programme

- Putra Agriculture Summer Programme
- Tropical Forest Trail
- Fun with Nature
- Bio-Trek: The Life Science Experience
- PutraBioXplore: Discovering Nature A Journey of 700 miles in 7 Days
- VET Summer Programme
- Kuala Lumpur Summer Business Program @UPM
- ExplorENG Summer Programme (True Engineer Thru Exploration)
- Summer Crash Course Environmental and Occupational Health Professionals
- The CSiT@ CIST_TEX Summer Programme
- Putra Architecture Summer School 2.0 & 5.0
- International Summer School (ISS): An Interactive Multicultural Journey through Biodiversity
- Traditional Malay Sports, Nature and Culture
- Malaysian Food Heritage Summer
- Embracing Malaysian Cultural Diversity and Heritage
- Malay Culture and Language Programme
- Malaysia: Putra Language And Cultural Experience (MyPLACE)
- ESCAPADE: An Interactive Multicultural Journey through Languages



TAKK SKAL DU HA
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 BEDANKT
 KHAWP KHUN
 OBRIGADO
 S' EFHARISTÓ
 DANK
 DĚKUJI VÁM
 GAHM SA HAB NI DA
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