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# 11 gather for UPMKB's facilitator empowerment workshop

**BINTULU:** Eleven facilitators and staff from the Student Management Office of Universiti Putra Malaysia Bintulu Campus (UPMKB) recently attended the Facilitator Empowerment Workshop.

The two-day workshop at UPMKB aimed to strengthen the facilitators' skills to handle credited co-curriculum courses while also assisting the university's efforts to improve students' soft skills.

According to the event's spokesperson Elyn Sherra Rison, among the activities carried out during the workshop were ice-breaking sessions, exposure to procedures for managing credited co-curriculum courses, writing official letters as well as exposure to protocol and official ceremonies.

"The facilitators were also

tasked with managing the closing ceremony of the workshop," she said in a statement.

She added that during the workshop, participants learnt the concept of credited co-curriculum and developed effective techniques in communicating information to students, especially in writing papers and protocols for official events.

Student Management Office head Mohamad Syukri Mohamad Adnan said the workshop was a positive step towards improving the quality of teaching and learning at the university level.

"It also shows UPMKB's commitment in empowering facilitators to support the implementation of credited co-curriculum courses at the university with more effectiveness," he said.