



Universiti Putra Malaysia (UPM) achieved the biggest leap when it went up 61 places to be among the world's top research universities (RU), moving up from 331st last year to 270th in Quacquarelli Symonds (QS) World University Rankings 2016/2017 issued today. This is UPM's best ever achievement to be ranked among world's top 300 universities since its ranking participation 10 years ago. UPM also came in second as Malaysia's top universities compared to 5th spot last year.

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UPM is Malaysia's Most Innovative university, 3rd in ASEAN, 73rd in Asia



Universiti Putra Malaysia (UPM) is ranked the top Innovative University in the country by Reuters Top 75: Asia's Most Innovative Universities issued yesterday by Reuters, the world's leading news agency based on educational excellence of the

institutions in doing the most to advance science, invent new technologies and help drive the global economy. [READ MORE](#)

## UPM wins grand prize in 2016 National Intellectual Property Award

In yet another achievement, Universiti Putra Malaysia (UPM) won the grand prize of 2016 National Intellectual Property (AHIN) Award under the Organization (Best Management of Intellectual Property) category today for the fourth time since the introduction of AHIN in 2006. UPM received RM30,000, a championship trophy, an accompanying trophy, World Intellectual Property Organization trophy and an appreciation certificate which were presented by Minister of Domestic Trade, Cooperative and Consumerism, Datuk Seri Hamzah Zainudin to UPM Vice-Chancellor (Research and Innovation), Prof Dato' Dr. Mohd Azmi Mohd Lila. [READ MORE](#)



## UPM's turnkey home project for Orang Asli in Kachau Luar, Semenyih



Universiti Putra Malaysia (UPM) handed over two keys of houses which were built at about RM42,000 with elements of environmental sustainability, safety and comfort, for Orang Asli in Kampung Kachau Luar, Semenyih recently. This Charity Home Building Project for Orang Asli which was led by Senior Lecturer from Civil Engineering Department of UPM Faculty of Engineering, Dr. Syazwani Idrus which also consists Assoc. Prof. Ir. Dr. Raizal Saifulnaz Muhammad Rashid, Dr. Fauzan Mohd Jakarni, Dr Nuzul Azam Haron, Prof. Dr. Ratnasamy Muniandy, Aminuddin Amdam and Mohd Razali Abdul Rahman commenced in September 2015. [READ MORE](#)



# UPM Researchers Develop Kit to detect chemicals using pet fish

A team of researchers from Universiti Putra Malaysia (UPM) has succeeded in developing an easy-to-use, fast and cost-effective kit for rapid toxicity screening of chemicals or compounds using ornamental zebrafish. Called “Danio Assay”, the kit was developed using the embryos of Zebra Danio fish, scientifically known as “Danio Rerio”, to determine the level of toxicity of chemicals in daily goods, especially food, cosmetic and medicine. [READ MORE](#)

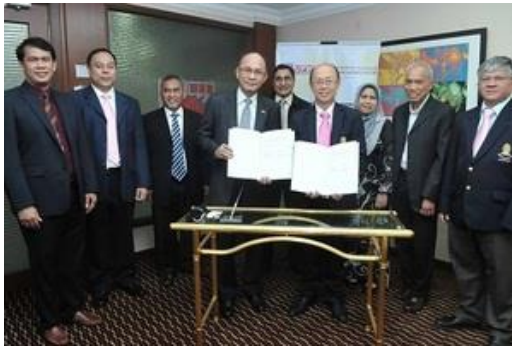
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Prof. Dr. Latiffah A. Latiff who is a lecturer at Community Health Department of the Faculty of Medicine and Health Sciences, Universiti Putra Malaysia (UPM), has been named the recipient of 2016 Top Research Scientist Malaysia (TRSM). The accolade saw her receiving a certificate of recognition and a trophy from Perak Sultan, Sultan Nazrin Muizzuddin Shah. [READ MORE](#)



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## UPM And Chulalongkorn University seal MoA on exchange of academic staff

Universiti Putra Malaysia (UPM) and University of Chulalongkorn, Thailand, signed a Memorandum of Agreement (MoA) to pave the way for exchange of academic staff and students to strengthen research in the field of Biotechnology. [READ MORE](#)



## UPM And United Nations INIA pioneer research on multi-disciplinary ageing

The Malaysian Research Institute of Ageing (IPPM) and Universiti Putra Malaysia (UPM) signed a Memorandum of Understanding (MoU) with the International Institute of Ageing, United Nations - Malta (INIA) to pioneer a collaborative multidisciplinary research on ageing. [READ MORE](#)



## UPM signs MoU with Bioversity International

Universiti Putra Malaysia (UPM) and Bioversity International have signed a Memorandum of Understanding (MoU) to develop collaborative opportunities to enhance the performance of UPM in research, particularly in agriculture, forestry and biotechnology in the international arena. [READ MORE](#)



## 236 trained, 53 companies set up via UPM Agri-Entrepreneur Incubation Programme

The Agri-Entrepreneur Incubation Programme run by Universiti Putra Malaysia (UPM) since 2012 has so far saw the training of 236 people, with 53 companies successfully set up by participants. [READ MORE](#)

## UPM-JPNIN's cross-cultural module for stronger integration, patriotism



races, particularly younger people. [READ MORE](#)

The Centre for Curriculum and Student Development (PKPP) and the Office Of Deputy Vice-Chancellor (Student Affairs And Alumni) of Universiti Putra Malaysia (UPM), in collaboration with the Department of National Unity and Integration (JPNIN), have created a cross-cultural module to enhance unity, national integration and patriotism among the people of various

## Second College UPM takes up challenge by holding Mobility Programme to Perth

The Supreme Council of the Second College Undergraduates 2015/2016 Session, with the cooperation of College of Management, Universiti Putra Malaysia (UPM), recently took up the challenge of holding a mobility programme for two weeks to Perth, Western Australia. [READ MORE](#)



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