

A Visit from Fakultas Farmasi &
Sains Universitas Muhammadiyah
Prof. Dr. Hamka, Indonesia

Fostering Stronger Collaborative Ties

The Faculty of Pharmacy, Universiti Teknologi MARA (UiTM) Puncak Alam, warmly received a delegation from Fakultas Farmasi and Sains Universitas Muhammadiyah, Prof. Dr. Hamka (UHAMKA), Indonesia, on October 24, 2023. This visit marked a significant milestone in the renewal of the Memorandum of Understanding (MoU) between the two institutions, focusing on academic, research, and cultural exchange. The visit not only reaffirmed the commitment to academic cooperation but also emphasised the shared vision of advancing pharmaceutical education and research.



The faculty members and representatives of UiTM warmly welcomed the delegation from Fakultas Farmasi and Sains Universitas Muhammadiyah, Prof. Dr. Hamka, Indonesia. Dr. apt. Fith Khaira Nursal, the Deputy Dean of Academics; Mr. Kriana Efendi, the Deputy Dean of Student Affairs; and Ms. Yudi Srifiana, a senior lecturer, represented the UHAMKA delegates. Upon their arrival at the Faculty of Pharmacy, Puncak Alam Campus, Fakultas Farmasi, and Sains Universitas Muhammadiyah, Prof. Dr. Hamka, Indonesia delegation were warmly received by Dr. Norkasih Ibrahim, Deputy Dean of Industry, Community, and Alumni Network (ICAN), and Dr. Khuriah Abdul Hamid, creating a welcoming atmosphere for their visit.

The visit commenced with a productive 2-hour collaboration meeting held during lunch, which centred around exploring potential collaborative activities for the upcoming year of 2024. The discussions revolved around areas such as staff and student mobility, collaborative research initiatives, co-supervision of postgraduate research, and the possibility of joint publications. Following the meeting, the distinguished delegates had the opportunity to meet and exchange pleasantries with Professor Dato' Dr. Abu Bakar Abdul Majeed, the esteemed Dean of the Faculty of Pharmacy UiTM. The following day, a detailed discussion took place regarding research opportunities for potential postgraduate candidates. This discussion showcased the commitment of both faculties to promote academic excellence and nurture the growth of aspiring researchers. The visit concluded with a tour of UiTM's state-of-the-art facilities and laboratories, providing the delegates with a comprehensive understanding of the faculty's resources. This immersive experience demonstrated UiTM's dedication to providing a welcoming learning environment and sparked ideas for future collaborative projects.

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