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PERPUSTAKAAN HAMDAN TAHIR (USM)

• Introduction of The Project

For this group assignment project we have choose Perpustakaan Hamdan Tahir at University Sains Malaysia Kubang Kerian, Kelantan. We have chosen the system that being used by their library that is Kohar system. Kohar system is a new system that being used by Hamdan Tahir Library. It is because before they used this system, they already have an experience in using two systems that call Phinix system and Ilmu Perdana system. So based on the project and based on the research that we have done, there are a few thing that make the library change their system to Koha. By the way, based from this three system that being used by Hamdan Tahir library, they have their own advantage and disadvantage. Koha system is an open source system. It means this system can be used by public and it's open to all USM student and staff and they can use this system every time they need.

Koha system is a kind of web based. So, it doesn't need any software to install this system. Koha system serves as a landing page for librarians who are interested the most advanced and cost effective open source automation solution on the market. So, by using this research we know how the Koha system being function and how this system can help student in their study. The system is easy being used by user and the interface of the system is easy to understand by new user. By using this system, we know that, student and staff can access the book or journal that they want by only access by using this Koha system.

Organization Background

The Medical Library University Sains Malaysia was incepted in 1979, concurrent with the establishment of the School of Medical Science. The library was officially operational in February 1980 at the main campus in Penang. A large number of the collection and staff were transferred from the Penang Campus to the University branch in Kubang Kerian in 1984 and was temporarily located at level 8 of Hospital building. In November 1985, the collection and staff were subsequently shifted to its permanent building which houses the current library. In 1990, the remaining collection as well as staff of the Medical Library was completely moved from the main campus to Kubang Kerian. The Kubang Kerian campus was appropriately renamed as the Health Campus in 2001, thus bringing about the change of the libraries name to the Health Campus library. On 2nd October 2005, the library was given the honor to bear the name Hamdan Tahir Library in memory of the University's second Vice Chancellor, Tun Dato' Seri Utama (Dr.) Hj. Hamdan Bin Sheikh Tahir.

Corporate vision, mission, objective and goal

As usual in every organization they will have their own vision, mission, objective and organization goal. So, it goes same with Hamdan Tahir Library in USM. This library also has their own target and their own Principe that use by their organization to make sure their library can achieved their own target to be one of the best libraries in Malaysia.

I. Vision

- To be a major catalyst towards development of knowledge, outstanding scholarship and lifelong education for sustainable development.

II. Mission

To become an academic library which treasures valuable resources and renders quality services in supporting University Sains Malaysia as the center of excellence in teaching, learning, research, consultation and human development that contributes in the advancement of knowledge.

III. Objective

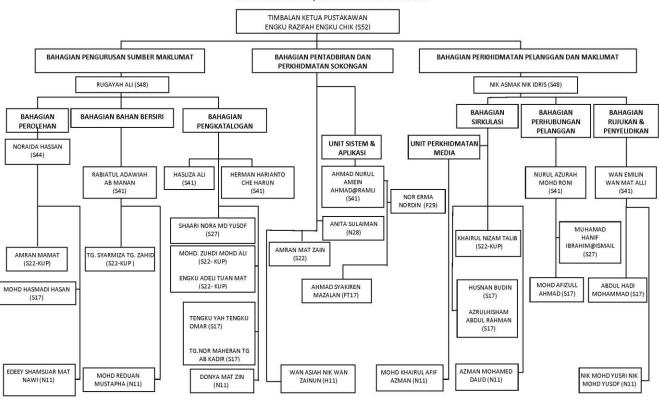
- The objective of Hamdan Tahir Library is to provide library resource in order to support and fulfill the needs in teaching, learning, research and consultation.
- Next is, to plan and provide effective and precise information services to sustain as well as maintain excellence of the University in teaching, learning, research and consultation.
- Other than that, is to develop strong collection in new disciplines in meeting the needs of the customer
- Finally, to implement customized services focusing on medical and health disciplines as well as to become a one-stop reference centre to the local community.

IV. Goals

- Committed to provide excellent service to meet the needs and customer satisfaction through continuous improvement program committed.

Organization Chart

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