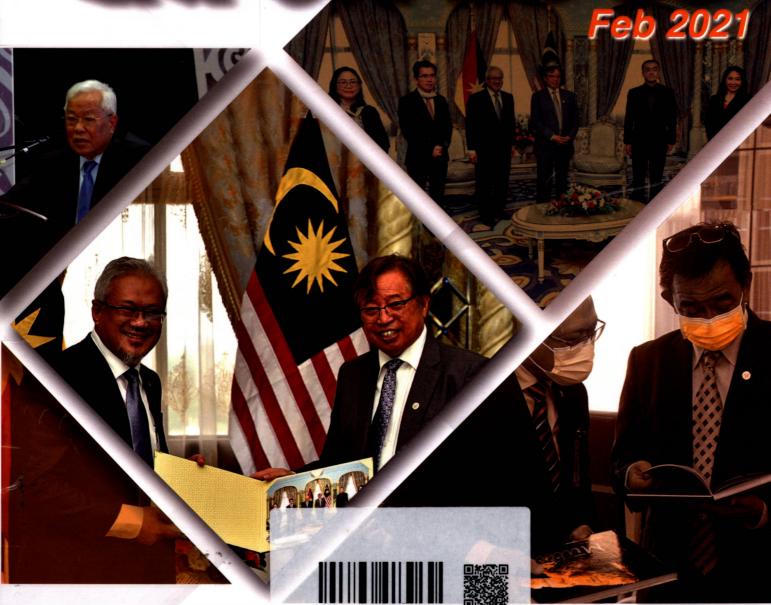




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SARAWAK pays courtesy visit to the Chief Minister of Sarawak

BESarawak, Sarawak Convention Bureau was selected as the Asia Pacific host of the Regional Hubs ICCA (International Congress and Convention Association) Congress 2020 which was running simultaneously alongside main ICCA Congress 2020 in Kaohsiung, Taiwan. The hybrid Regional Hub virtual event complemented the Global Congress which converged association executives, local and national industry professionals and ICCA members focusing on educational, networking and business escapade to share the latest developments and innovations within the world's business and travel sector affected by covid-19 pandemic.

The Sarawak Asia Pacific Regional Hub ICCA Congress 2020 chose the theme 'ICCA Tribe Legacy' carried on and expanded from the earlier theme "ICCA Global Tribes" in 2016. The hybrid Congress marked another milestone for Sarawak in the region's business events industry. In this event, Sarawak shared with fellow Congress participants the wider perspective that conventions bring both economic and long-term legacy impacts. Sarawak is one of the world's leaders in this conviction. This was the aftermath of a study conducted by Universiti Teknologi MARA Sarawak partnering with

Gaining Edge Australia on HOSTING CONVENTIONS IN SARAWAK – LEGACY IMPACTS. Gaining Edge founded in 2004, operates from seven cities worldwide advising the world associations, destination promoters and convention center developers.

The 1st International Conference on Education in the Digital Ecosystem (ICEdDE 2019) hosted by UiTM Sarawak co-funded by Sarawak Convention Bureau and the European Union ERASMUS+ programme was identified to have the potential to influence the

community's and policy makers' awareness on the importance of adopting best teaching innovative practices in the study. Associate Professor Dr Margaret Chan was invited to present a session entitled IMPACTING FUTURE EDUCATION: ICEdDE 2019.



Asia Pacific Host of THE REGIONAL HUBS ICCA 2020

UiTM Sarawak has been active in contributing towards developing soft skills among members in the society. This is possible via various trainings conducted over the year. One of the recent trainings was conducted with lecturers from International College of Advanced Technology Sarawak (i-CATS) on the 10th - 11th December 2020. The training involved several experienced lecturers from UiTM Sarawak: Dr Norseha Unin; Dr Sueb Ibrahim; and Associate Professor Dr Jati Kasuma, who were keen to share their experience and knowledge in teaching the current generation of students.

Centered on the objective to enhance the teaching skills of novice lecturers, the training was named Advanced Teaching Course for Lecturers. It was a valuable training perceived by the participants as they were exposed to several topics grounded on theoretical aspects of teaching such as 21st century teaching and learning, andragogy, pedagogy, innovative teaching methods, effective class and time management, and leadership and supervisory skills. All these topics were integrated to suit the needs of lecturers in i-CATS who teach diploma and degree levels of students who came from various background. The training which took two days to be completed ended with a mock teaching session to briefly evaluate the teaching performance of the participants.

Overall, the trainers were satisfied with how well the lecturers performed in terms of delivering their lessons and meeting students needs. Moreover, the participants have expressed the need for more training courses involving experienced lecturers from UiTM Sarawak as they perceived the positive effect of such trainings.

ADVANCED TEACHING

Course for Lecturers

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CONSULTATION PROJECT ON THE DEVELOPMENT OF GOVERNMENT GREEN PROCUREMENT GUIDELINES

FOR CONSTRUCTION INDUSTRY (GGP WORKS)

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A consultation project on the Development of Government Green Procurement Guidelines for Construction Industry (GGP works) was led by three UiTM branch campuses, namely UiTM Seri Iskandar, UiTM Samarahan and UiTM Shah Alam. It was jointly funded by the Economic Planning Unit (EPU) and the United Nations Development Programme (UNDP). The project was started in November 2019 and expected to be finished by December 2020. The main focus of the project was on the role of the government as the key catalyst to create a green market for construction works. It was also aimed at assisting the construction industry in implementing a more sustainable approach and on the purchase of sustainable technologies, products and services for water, energy, waste and material efficiency.



