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CHAPTER 1

INTRODUCTION

1.1 Introduction

This chapter starts with the background of study, whereby it identifies issues, discovering the research problem, research questions, and research objectives. It is also includes the scope of study, significance of study and provides the definition of terms and concludes with a discussion on the remaining chapters.

1.2 Background of study

Globalisation has resulted in enormous changes in education as students, lecturers and ideas cross borders more than ever before (Harman, 2004). A proper career choice made by students can increase the career development consequently, lessens unemployment rate. Making a decision about career choice is one of the critical aspects of an individual's life as the choice will have impact on a person's entire future and the type of role that will be played by the individual in the society. (Isaac O. & Ayoka M., 2014).

Students tend to take a glance at few factors that pull in them when searching for work (Nurul, 2016). According to Kochhar S.K. (2005), knowledge on how to make career choice is a fundamental ability that everybody needs. The choice an individual makes on their career choice may affects the student entire life. Brown D. (2002) states that the way to choose a profession as one