

**THE UTILIZATION OF COMPUTER FACILITIES
AMONG THE DIPLOMA AND BACHELOR STUDENTS
FROM
THE DEPARTMENT OF INFORMATION STUDIES
AT MAIN CAMPUS.**

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ABSTRACT

Due to the Information Technology, Malaysia move one step ahead by provides their citizens with this new technology. With this new invention, people have no more limitation in gaining information. People can easily get the information through this computer telecommunication.

This study is tried to discover from the student's perception toward the computer for telecommunication. This study will evaluate the students from the Department of IS in the UiTM Shah Alam. The respondents wills be the Diploma and Bachelor students from the IS department.

In this study, the researcher tries to describe the difference in perceive level of competency do assisted the respondents in use the computer for communication. Moreover, the researcher also want to know what are the reasons that will force them in utilize the computer for telecommunication.

CHAPTER 1

INTRODUCTION

1.1 Background of the Study

Communication Process: An Overview

There was a time when man had to run for miles to deliver or carried messages. As technology improved, man began to think of more convenient ways of doing things. Soon the telegraph, telephone and radio came into place. When increasing thirst of current news, people began to search for new medium of communication to expedite the sending and receiving of news and information. The invention of satellite transmission cable to has enabled a larger population of views to receive information and a variety of entertaining programs in the com fort of their homes. Technology however did not stop there. More scientific and technology inventions began to develop.

Today there is a computer with the aid of this small, yet sophisticated tool, man is able to utilize the machine to do maunders that they never though in the past. Today computer can be used to help people send information across continents to communicate among people in foreign countrïes, to manage or analyze data and to do many other functions. These tasks can be done almost instantaneously. The exceedingly far and remote distance that used to create a geographical barrier to communicate, now can be reached communication and information retrieval is made possible due to the variety of computer networks that have been designed to enhance the objective.