

July 2018



UNIVERSITI
TEKNOLOGI
MARA

76th ISSUE

info kampus

UITM SARAWAK BULLETIN



ISSN 2232-1576



SIGNING CEREMONY OF MEMORANDUMS OF UNDERSTANDING:

UiTM SARAWAK & SATOYAMA FARM SDN. BHD.

UiTM SARAWAK & GA CONSORTIUM SDN. BHD.

By: Serah Jaya

On 3 April 2018, *Universiti Teknologi MARA Sarawak* signed two Memorandums of Understanding (MoUs) with two companies namely Satoyama Farm Sdn. Bhd. and GA Consortium Sdn. Bhd. The signing of these MoUs provides a structured framework for both parties to promote interaction towards achieving common goals through joint projects and activities.

In his welcoming remarks, the Rector of UiTM Sarawak, Professor Dato Dr. Jamil Hamali said that it is timely for UiTM to proactively collaborate with new partners such as Satoyama Farm as well as GA Consortium in line with initiatives spearheaded by the Ministry of Higher Education Malaysia to strengthen Malaysian economic development through innovation and commercialisation programmes. Each side will pursue many significant activities such as sharing of expertise, usage of research facilities and attachment involving students' internship programmes. Both parties will also be looking into the possibility of joint technology development, joint technical services for industries as well as pursuing and executing projects together as a team.

Satoyama Farm Sdn. Bhd. is a company that uses biotechnology and molecular technology to enrich the soil for the growth of healthy plants and herbs which are subsequently used to produce animal feed for poultry. Signing on behalf of Satoyama Farm Sdn. Bhd., Mr. Peter Yap, the Chief Executive Officer said "We are delighted to sign this memorandum which will enable Satoyama Farm Sdn. Bhd. and UiTM Sarawak to strengthen their cooperation in research and development, improve opportunities for students in industrial training and set up an association to link the academia, government and private sectors which are doing research."

A memorandum of understanding was also signed between UiTM Sarawak and GA Consortium Sdn. Bhd. represented by Mr. Stanley Ajang, the Chief Executive Officer. GA Consortium Sdn. Bhd. is an environmental company with experiences as a solution provider to meet environmental needs. Currently, GA Consortium is carrying out River Rehabilitation Activities as well as researches and experiments to develop a Portable Water Treatment Plant to produce drinking water using an organic process.

The Rector of UiTM Sarawak, Professor Dato Dr. Jamil Hamali, also mentioned the formation of UiTM Sarawak Holding Sdn. Bhd. which will not only open doors for UiTM to carry out many new joint research initiatives but will also produce new synergies for both academic development and commercialisation of value-added products and services.

Group photo with Satoyama Farm Sdn. Bhd representatives

Group photo with GA Consortium Sdn. Bhd. representatives

Signing ceremony between UiTM Sarawak represented by Professor Dato Dr. Jamil Hamali and Satoyama Farm Sdn. Bhd. represented by Mr. Peter Yap

Signing ceremony between UiTM Sarawak represented by Professor Dato Dr. Jamil Hamali and GA Consortium Sdn. Bhd. represented by Mr. Stanley Ajang

PERTANDINGAN BOWLING

Tahniah kepada semua pemain dan pemenang pertandingan bowling. Syabas Persatuan Kekita yang berjaya menganjurkan pertandingan ini.





UNIVERSITI
TEKNOLOGI
MARA

Corporate Communications and International Relations Unit

**Universiti Teknologi MARA Cawangan Sarawak
Blok Pentadbiran, Kampus Samarahan 2
Jalan Datuk Mohd Musa
94300 Kota Samarahan
Sarawak, Malaysia**

**Tel: 082 - 678 130 | Fax: 082 - 678 110
E-mail: korporat_swk@uitm.edu.my
www.sarawak.uitm.edu.my**