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A photograph of four smiling students, two men and two women, is the background for the top half of the page. They are all wearing lanyards. The woman in the center is holding an open book.

Universiti Putra Malaysia

International Programmes

(Undergraduate)

BERILMU **B**ERBAKTI **I**
WITH KNOWLEDGE WE SERVE

Welcome to UPM

Being a student at UPM offers the best of times one can ever hope to enjoy in campus life. The environment here may be relatively peaceful and quiet, what with soothing green nature surrounding you wherever you turn. But there will always be something to interest or excite you and your friends for there is no end to what UPM has in store for you. The education you get here is of the highest quality and it is offered in a most vibrant environment. A reflection of this is the presence of more than 3500 international students from more than 50 different countries within its campus. Come join UPM today and be on your way to an exciting and fulfilling future.

Why Choose UPM?

Universiti Putra Malaysia (UPM) is one of Malaysia's premier universities with a long-established reputation for excellence in teaching and research. As one of the nation's five leading research universities (RU), UPM is highly committed to the discovery of knowledge and offers only the finest of learning experience to those who choose to make UPM the higher learning institution of their choice. A multidisciplinary university that has a 80-year history, UPM is strategically located within the Multimedia Super Corridor (MSC), a Malaysian Government designated zone designed to propel Malaysia into the information and knowledge era.

As one of the largest universities in Malaysia, UPM is also a key-player in contributing to the growth of learned and skilled human capital in the nation. UPM presently has more than 32,000 students enrolled in its 56 bachelor, 7 diploma and 47 postgraduate programmes at the Masters and PhD levels. Except for the diploma programmes which are offered exclusively at UPM's branch campus in Bintulu, Sarawak all other courses are offered at the main campus in Serdang, Selangor.

Knowledge is the core of all activities at UPM, as depicted in its slogan "With Knowledge We Serve". By upholding this philosophy in the execution of all its endeavours, UPM aims to inspire its academic community towards teaching and research excellence; and ultimately towards the material and spiritual betterment of society. UPM possesses all the necessary qualities to be at par with renowned local and international higher learning institutions and your decision to join UPM will promise you a world of opportunities that will certainly enrich your life and future.



About UPM

Vision

To become a university of international repute

Mission

To make meaningful contributions towards wealth creation, nation building and universal human advancement through the exploration and dissemination of knowledge



Faculty of Engineering

The UPM Campus

UPM has 2 campuses. The Main Campus, stretching over 1,214 hectares, is in Serdang, about 23 km south of Kuala Lumpur, the capital city of Malaysia, and approximately 45 km away from the Kuala Lumpur International Airport (KLIA).

UPM's branch campus in Bintulu, Sarawak stands over 715.16 hectares, and is surrounded by lush green forest rich with diverse types of flora and fauna.

Fast Facts*

No. of Academic Staff	2,902
No. of Faculties	16
No. of Inbound Visiting Academic Staff	2,162
No. of Undergraduates	17,678
No. of Postgraduates	14,357
No. of International Students	3,080
No. of Inbound Exchange Students	550
No. of Bachelor Programmes	56
No. of Diploma Programmes	7
No. of Postgraduate Programmes	47

*As at 2011



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Faculty of Medicine and Health Sciences

- Bachelor of Science (Dietetic)
- Bachelor of Science (Nutrition and Community Health)
- Bachelor of Science (Environmental and Occupational Health)

Faculty of Human Ecology

- Bachelor of Music
- Bachelor of Science (Human Development & Management)
- Bachelor of Science (Human Development & Information Technology)

Faculty of Economics and Management

- Bachelor of Economics
- Bachelor of Accountancy
- Bachelor of Business Administration

Faculty of Forestry

- Bachelor of Forestry Science
- Bachelor of Wood Science Technology
- Bachelor of Parks and Recreation Science

Faculty of Veterinary Medicine

- Doctor of Veterinary Medicine

Faculty of Engineering

- Bachelor of Engineering (Civil)
- Bachelor of Engineering (Electrical and Electronics)
- Bachelor of Engineering (Chemical)
- Bachelor of Engineering (Agricultural and Biosystems)
- Bachelor of Engineering (Mechanical)
- Bachelor of Engineering (Aerospace)
- Bachelor of Engineering (Process and Food)
- Bachelor of Engineering (Computer and Communication Systems)

Faculty of Agriculture

- Bachelor of Agricultural Science

Faculty of Educational Studies

- Bachelor of Education (Teaching Bahasa Malaysia as a First Language)
- Bachelor of Education (Teaching English as a Second Language)
- Bachelor of Education (Physical Education)
- Bachelor of Science (Human Resource Development)

Faculty of Food Science and Technology

- Bachelor of Food Science and Technology
- Bachelor of Science (Food Studies)

Faculty of Science

- Bachelor of Science (Honours)

Majors

- Biology
- Mathematics
- Statistics
- Physics
- Chemistry
- Industrial Chemistry
- Petroleum Chemistry
- Material Science
- Instrumentation Science

- Bachelor of Science With Education (Honours)

Majors

- Biology
- Chemistry
- Mathematics
- Physics

Faculty of Design and Architecture

- Bachelor of Landscape Architecture
- Bachelor of Science in Architecture
- Bachelor of Design (Industrial Design)

Faculty of Biotechnology and Biomolecular Science

- Bachelor of Science (Biotechnology)
- Bachelor of Science (Honours)

Majors

- Biochemistry
- Microbiology
- Cell and Molecular Biology

Faculty of Computer Science and Information Technology

- Bachelor of Computer Science

Specialisations

- Computer Systems
- Multimedia
- Software Engineering
- Computer Networks

Faculty of Modern Languages and Communication

- Bachelor of Arts

Majors

- English Language
- Malay Language and Linguistics
- Malay Literature
- English Literature

- Bachelor of Arts (Foreign Language)

Majors

- Arabic
- Mandarin
- French
- German

- Bachelor of Communication

Faculty of Environmental Studies

- Bachelor of Environmental Science and Technology
- Bachelor of Environmental Management

Faculty of Agriculture and Food Sciences (Sarawak Campus)

- Bachelor of Bioindustry Science

Academic Calendar

FIRST SEMESTER

12 September 2011 - 15 January 2012

SECOND SEMESTER

20 February 2012 - 24 June 2012

Admission Requirements

International candidates must possess an equivalent qualification of the Malaysian High School Certificate (STPM) or a Diploma recognised by the Malaysian Government.

Equivalent Qualification

1. A good pass in O-levels/its equivalent
2. A pass in the A-levels with at least a C Grade in three (3) subjects
3. A Band 3 in the Malaysian University English Test (MUET) or a TOEFL score of at least 550 or a score of 6 in the IELTS examination;

AND has fulfilled special requirements for the programme i.e. attaining the required grades in (sciences/arts) as specified for each UPM Bachelor programme

OR Equivalent Qualification

1. A pass in the Higher School Certificate (HSC)/its equivalent with at least a C grade in three (3) subjects or 65% in three (3) subjects in the Final Level of Secondary Education
2. A pass in the University Entrance Exam (for countries which seek such requirement for admission into universities)
3. A Band 3 in the Malaysian University English Test (MUET) or a TOEFL score of at least 550 or a score of 6 in the IELTS examination

AND has fulfilled special requirements for the programme i.e. attaining the required grades in (sciences/arts) as specified for each UPM Bachelor programme

OR Equivalent Qualification

1. A Diploma or its equivalent which is recognised by the Malaysian Government and the University Senate with a CGPA of at least 3.00
2. A Band 3 in the Malaysian University English Test (MUET) or a TOEFL score of at least 550 or a score of 6 in the IELTS examination

AND has fulfilled special requirements for the program i.e. attaining the required grades in (sciences/arts) as specified for each UPM Bachelor programme

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1. Go to <http://www.upm.edu.my>
2. Click on PROSPECTIVE STUDENTS
3. Click Application in the STUDY PROGRAMS link

For specific programme/faculty requirements, please visit the respective faculty's website :

Faculty of Agriculture :
<http://www.agri.upm.edu.my>

Faculty of Forestry :
<http://www.forr.upm.edu.my>

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<http://www.vet.upm.edu.my>

Faculty of Economics and Management :
<http://www.econ.upm.edu.my>

Faculty of Engineering :
<http://www.eng.upm.edu.my>

Faculty of Educational Studies :
<http://www.educ.upm.edu.my>

Faculty of Science :
<http://science.upm.edu.my>

Faculty of Food Science and Technology :
<http://www.food.upm.edu.my>

Faculty of Human Ecology :
<http://www.eco1.upm.edu.my>

Faculty of Modern Languages and Communication :
<http://www.fbmk.upm.edu.my>

Faculty of Design and Architecture :
<http://www.frsb.upm.edu.my>

Faculty of Medicine and Health Sciences :
<http://www.medic.upm.edu.my>

Faculty of Computer Science and Information Technology
<http://www.fsktm.upm.edu.my>

Faculty of Biotechnology and Biomolecular Sciences :
<http://www.biotech.upm.edu.my>

Faculty of Environmental Studies :
<http://www.env.upm.edu.my>

Faculty of Agriculture and Food Sciences (Sarawak Campus) :
<http://www.btu.upm.edu.my>

Fee Structure

Programme : APPLIED SCIENCE

	Duration	Fee per semester	Total Fees
1. Bachelor of Computer Science – Major in Computer Systems	4	RM 8,125 / USD 2,740	RM 65,000 / USD 21,950
2. Bachelor of Computer Science – Major in Multimedia	4	RM 8,125 / USD 2,740	RM 65,000 / USD 21,950
3. Bachelor of Computer Science - Major in Software Engineering	4	RM 8,125 / USD 2,740	RM 65,000 / USD 21,950
4. Bachelor of Computer Science - Major in Computer Networks	4	RM 8,125 / USD 2,740	RM 65,000 / USD 21,950
5. Bachelor of Science (Biotechnology)	4	RM 8,125 / USD 2,740	RM 65,000 / USD 21,950
6. Bachelor of Food Science and Technology	4	RM 8,125 / USD 2,740	RM 65,000 / USD 21,950
7. Bachelor of Science (Food Studies)	4	RM 8,125 / USD 2,740	RM 65,000 / USD 21,950
8. Bachelor of Agricultural Science	4	RM 8,125 / USD 2,740	RM 65,000 / USD 21,950
9. Bachelor of Environmental Science & Technology	4	RM 8,125 / USD 2,740	RM 65,000 / USD 21,950
10. Bachelor of Science (Dietetic)	4	RM 8,125 / USD 2,740	RM 65,000 / USD 21,950
11. Bachelor of Science (Nutrition and Community Health)	4	RM 8,125 / USD 2,740	RM 65,000 / USD 21,950
12. Bachelor of Science (Environmental and Occupational Health)	4	RM 8,125 / USD 2,740	RM 65,000 / USD 21,950
13. Bachelor of Science (Hons) – Major in Industrial Chemistry	4	RM 8,125 / USD 2,740	RM 65,000 / USD 21,950
14. Bachelor of Science (Hons) – Major in Petroleum Chemistry	4	RM 8,125 / USD 2,740	RM 65,000 / USD 21,950
15. Bachelor of Science (Hons) – Major in Material Science	4	RM 8,125 / USD 2,740	RM 65,000 / USD 21,950
16. Bachelor of Science (Hons) – Major in Instrumentation Science	4	RM 8,125 / USD 2,740	RM 65,000 / USD 21,950
17. Bachelor of Forestry Science	4	RM 8,125 / USD 2,740	RM 65,000 / USD 21,950
18. Bachelor of Wood Science Technology	4	RM 8,125 / USD 2,740	RM 65,000 / USD 21,950
19. Bachelor of Park and Recreational Science	4	RM 8,125 / USD 2,740	RM 65,000 / USD 21,950
20. Bachelor of Bioindustry Science	4	RM 8,125 / USD 2,740	RM 65,000 / USD 21,950
21. Bachelor of Science (Hons) – Major in Microbiology	4	RM 8,125 / USD 2,740	RM 65,000 / USD 21,950
22. Bachelor of Science (Hons) – Major in Cell and Molecular Biology	4	RM 8,125 / USD 2,740	RM 65,000 / USD 21,950

Programme : PURE SCIENCE

	Duration	Fee per semester	Total Fees
1. Bachelor of Science (Hons) – Major in Biochemistry	4	RM 7,500 / USD 2,530	RM 60,000 / USD 20,200
2. Bachelor of Science (Hons) – Major in Biology	4	RM 7,500 / USD 2,530	RM 60,000 / USD 20,200
3. Bachelor of Science (Hons) – Major in Mathematics	4	RM 7,500 / USD 2,530	RM 60,000 / USD 20,200
4. Bachelor of Science (Hons) – Major in Statistics	4	RM 7,500 / USD 2,530	RM 60,000 / USD 20,200
5. Bachelor of Science (Hons) – Major in Physics	4	RM 7,500 / USD 2,530	RM 60,000 / USD 20,200
6. Bachelor of Science (Hons) – Major in Chemistry	4	RM 7,500 / USD 2,530	RM 60,000 / USD 20,200
7. Bachelor of Science With Education (Hons) – Major in Biology	4	RM 7,500 / USD 2,530	RM 60,000 / USD 20,200
8. Bachelor of Science With Education (Hons) – Major in Physics	4	RM 7,500 / USD 2,530	RM 60,000 / USD 20,200
9. Bachelor of Science With Education (Hons) – Major in Chemistry	4	RM 7,500 / USD 2,530	RM 60,000 / USD 20,200
10. Bachelor of Science With Education (Hons) – Major in Mathematics	4	RM 7,500 / USD 2,530	RM 60,000 / USD 20,200

Programme : ARTS

	Duration	Fee per semester	Total Fees
1. Bachelor of Communication	3 ½	RM 5,000 / USD 1,700	RM 35,000 / USD 11,800
2. Bachelor of Arts – Major in English Language	3 ½	RM 5,000 / USD 1,700	RM 35,000 / USD 11,800
3. Bachelor of Arts – Major in Malay Language and Linguistics	3 ½	RM 5,000 / USD 1,700	RM 35,000 / USD 11,800
4. Bachelor of Arts – Major in Malay Literature	3 ½	RM 5,000 / USD 1,700	RM 35,000 / USD 11,800
5. Bachelor of Arts (Foreign Language) – Major in English Literature	3 ½	RM 5,000 / USD 1,700	RM 35,000 / USD 11,800
6. Bachelor of Arts (Foreign Language) – Major in Mandarin	3 ½	RM 5,000 / USD 1,700	RM 35,000 / USD 11,800
7. Bachelor of Arts – Major in Arabic	3 ½	RM 5,000 / USD 1,700	RM 35,000 / USD 11,800
8. Bachelor of Arts (Foreign Language) – Major in French	3 ½	RM 5,000 / USD 1,700	RM 35,000 / USD 11,800
9. Bachelor of Arts (Foreign Language) – Major in German	3 ½	RM 5,000 / USD 1,700	RM 35,000 / USD 11,800
10. Bachelor of Science (Human Resource Development)	4	RM 5,000 / USD 1,700	RM 40,000 / USD 13,500
11. Bachelor of Science (Human Development & Management)	4	RM 5,000 / USD 1,700	RM 40,000 / USD 13,500
12. Bachelor of Science (Human Development & Information Technology)	4	RM 5,000 / USD 1,700	RM 40,000 / USD 13,500
13. Bachelor of Environmental Management	4	RM 5,000 / USD 1,700	RM 40,000 / USD 13,500
14. Bachelor of Education (Physical Education)	4	RM 6,250 / USD 2,100	RM 50,000 / USD 17,000
15. Bachelor of Education (Teaching Bahasa Malaysia as A First Language)	4	RM 6,250 / USD 2,100	RM 50,000 / USD 17,000
16. Bachelor of Education (Teaching English as A Second Language)	4	RM 6,250 / USD 2,100	RM 50,000 / USD 17,000
17. Bachelor of Music	4	RM 7,500 / USD 2,530	RM 60,000 / USD 20,200

Programme : BUSINESS, ACCOUNTANCY AND ECONOMICS			
	Duration	Fee per semester	Total Fees
1. Bachelor of Economics	4	RM 6,250 / USD 2,100	RM 50,000 / USD 17,000
2. Bachelor of Accountancy	4	RM 6,250 / USD 2,100	RM 50,000 / USD 17,000
3. Bachelor of Business Administration	4	RM 6,250 / USD 2,100	RM 50,000 / USD 17,000

Programme : TECHNICAL			
	Duration	Fee per semester	Total Fees
1. Bachelor of Engineering (Civil)	4	RM 8,750 / USD 2,950	RM 70,000 / USD 24,000
2. Bachelor of Engineering (Electrical and Electronics)	4	RM 8,750 / USD 2,950	RM 70,000 / USD 24,000
3. Bachelor of Engineering (Chemical)	4	RM 8,750 / USD 2,950	RM 70,000 / USD 24,000
4. Bachelor of Engineering (Agriculture and Biosystems)	4	RM 8,750 / USD 2,950	RM 70,000 / USD 24,000
5. Bachelor of Engineering (Mechanical)	4	RM 8,750 / USD 2,950	RM 70,000 / USD 24,000
6. Bachelor of Engineering (Aerospace)	4	RM 8,750 / USD 2,950	RM 70,000 / USD 24,000
7. Bachelor of Engineering (Process and Food)	4	RM 8,750 / USD 2,950	RM 70,000 / USD 24,000
8. Bachelor of Engineering (Computer and Communication Systems)	4	RM 8,750 / USD 2,950	RM 70,000 / USD 24,000
9. Bachelor of Landscape Architecture	4	RM 8,750 / USD 2,950	RM 70,000 / USD 24,000
10. Bachelor of Design (Industrial Design)	4	RM 8,750 / USD 2,950	RM 70,000 / USD 24,000
11. Bachelor of Science in Architecture	3 ½	RM 8,750 / USD 2,950	RM 61,250 / USD 20,590

Programme : MEDICINE			
	Duration	Fee per semester	Total Fees
1. Doctor of Veterinary Medicine	5	RM 20,000 / USD 6,800	RM 200,000 / USD 67,300

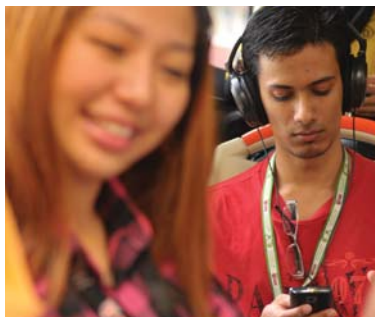
- Fees are subject to change
- Total fees quoted are for the entire duration of the respective programmes
- Fees quoted in USD are based on an exchange rate of 2.97 and are subject to change due to fluctuations of the exchange rate

Other Fees

*NON-RECURRING FEE (PAID ONLY ONCE)	RM	*RECURRING FEE (EVERY SEMESTER)	RM
Registration Fee	RM 85.00	Insurance	RM 6.50
Student Welfare Funds	RM 10.00	Health Insurance Scheme	RM 315.60
Miscellaneous Fees	RM 5.00	Laboratory Fee	RM 22.50
Computer Fee	RM 100.00	Health Fee	RM 20.00
Transportation Fee	RM 20.00	Library Fee	RM 50.00
Alumni Fee	RM 100.00	Meal Fee (M-card)	RM 425.00
Book Plan	RM 200.00	Transport Fee	RM 75.00
Oriention Fee	RM 200.00	Co-Curriculum Fee	RM 25.00
		Collegiate Fee	RM 17.00
TOTAL	RM 720.00 (USD 242)	TOTAL	RM 956.60 (USD 322)



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Life at UPM

Student Life

Cost of Living

The cost of living for international students studying at UPM is reasonably low compared to international standards, and can vary from USD 300 - 400 (not inclusive of accommodation) depending on individual needs. Necessary facilities and amenities are readily available within the campus and its vicinity to make the life of a student much easier.

Culture

Malaysian culture is an amalgamation of all the different ethnicities that are found within the country. At UPM, the cultural diversity is further enriched by the presence of close to 3500 international students who are enrolled in UPM.

Safety

Students' safety is taken seriously at UPM. UPM's security personnel patrol the campus frequently and are always at hand to offer assistance as and when necessary.

Entertainment & Shopping

UPM's main campus is a 20-minute drive away from Kuala Lumpur, the capital city of Malaysia. Students can access the nation's top entertainment, shopping and cultural centres via a rapid city rail service.

Currency

The monetary unit of the country is Ringgit Malaysia (RM). The exchange rate is valued at USD 1 = RM 2.97 (subject to change). Foreign currencies can be exchanged at banks and money changers.

Part-time Employment

Students can work during vacations with the permission of the Malaysian Immigration Department.

Facilities & Amenities

Accommodation

The on-campus accommodation provides great value-for-money and are situated in close proximity to campus facilities, transport and other important consumer services. There are two (2) types of accommodation within the UPM campus which are available for international students which include student apartments which comprise 2-bedroom and 1-bathroom flats, and residential colleges, which comprise twin sharing rooms with common facilities. International students are advised to reserve their accommodation before coming to Malaysia as apartments and rooms in residential colleges are limited. The cost of accommodation can vary from USD 100-300 a month.



Transportation

Students' transportation inside and outside of campus is well taken care of via the UPM coach services. Each student is expected to pay approximately USD 20 per semester for unlimited rides. UPM's Student Affairs Division has also allocated more than 20 university buses to cater to students' academic and co-curricular activities outside the campus. UPM's covered bus-stops are equipped with fans, lights and notice boards to maximize student comfort.

Food

There are many choices of cafeteria, restaurants and food stalls available within the campus and in the surrounding neighbourhood. Food can be obtained at any hour, for, besides the cafeterias at faculties, many eat-outs in the vicinity are open 24-hours. Among well-known fast-food joints available in the vicinity are McDonalds, Kentucky Fried Chicken to name a few.

Health & Welfare

All international students can access outpatient clinic services provided at the University Health Centre which is located within the campus. The health centre provides a comprehensive array of health services and is well-equipped with modern facilities and pharmaceutical amenities which enable the efficient provision of effective health and dental services to all registered students and staff. Among facilities and services available at the centre are medical, dental, x-ray, physiotherapy, ambulance service, dispensary, laboratory etc.

IT Facility

UPM's IT infrastructure provides a range of facilities and services to assist students with their IT-related needs. Wireless hotspots and access to the Internet and other online resources including Library e-resources/e-journals and student portals are readily available throughout the university.

Sports & Recreation

UPM's sports facilities are numerous and are aimed at encouraging and supporting its students in their sports initiatives. UPM's commitment to sports can be seen by the dedicated block for athletes, built at the University's Sixth College. UPM also has a swimming pool, a sports complex with a main stadium for track and field events, a multipurpose hall (for indoor games such as squash, netball, sepaktakraw, volleyball, basketball), a golf course, an equine park etc.

Amenities

Basic amenities available within the campus include post office, bank, book-shop, optical shop etc.



International Support Services

International Centre

The International Centre of UPM supports the university's mission to become a university of international repute. It is basically responsible for providing all the necessary support to international students who are studying at UPM. It also serves as a one-stop centre for information on the university's international activities.

International Student Association (UPMISA)

UPMISA is a student association for international students studying at UPM and is basically responsible for fostering a good relationship among all international students of UPM by organizing various interaction programmes and activities.

Knowing MALAYSIA

Malaysia is a bustling melting pot of races and religions where the Malays, Indians, Chinese and many other ethnic groups live together in peace and harmony. The multiculturalism that is unique to Malaysia has made Malaysia home to hundreds of colourful festivals. Malaysians love celebrating and socialising, and are very warm and friendly in nature. In Malaysia, a wonderful balance between modernisation and traditions can be clearly observed, even in bustling cities like Kuala Lumpur. The modern Malaysia's famous towering skyscrapers are beautifully contrasted with traditional wooden houses built on stilts found in villages.

Malaysia has a population of approximately 27 million. The country experiences tropical weather year-round. Temperatures are from 21°C (70°F) to 32°C (90°F).

Malay Language (Bahasa Melayu) is the national language in use, but English is widely spoken. The ethnic groups also converse in their various languages and dialects.





Anjung Putra (UPM's Main Entrance)

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