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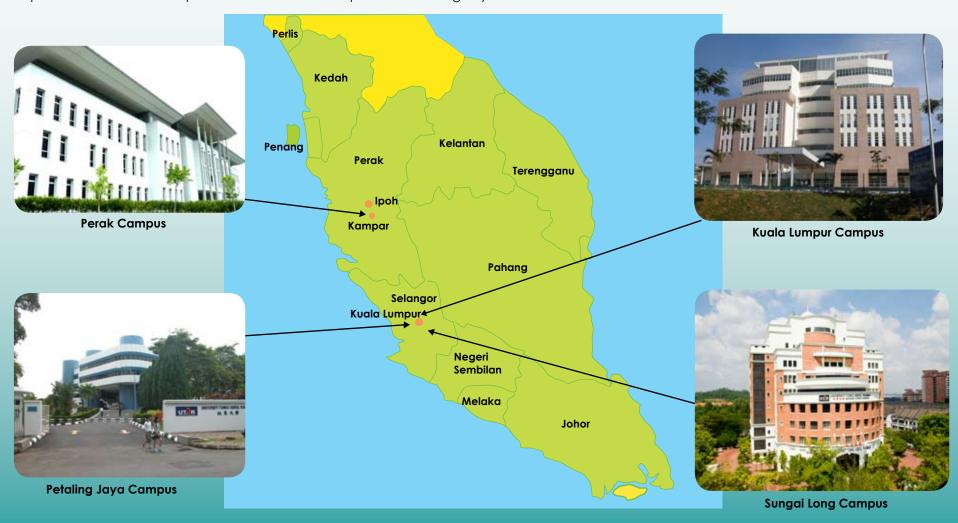
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oday, after a decade of transformative and successful journey, UTAR has carved a name in the educational map as an internationally recognised research-focused university.

At the heart of UTAR lies a vision to create a university of excellence. It is this great vision that has guided the University to achieve impressive growth since inception.

Our campuses

UTAR has come a long way since its humble beginnings in a single campus of rented premises. UTAR now owns the premises in Sungai Long and Kampar. The other two campuses are located in Setapak and Petaling Jaya.



Petaling Jaya Campus

Established in 2002, the pioneer campus is now situated in Section 13, Petaling Jaya, Selangor Darul Ehsan.

The Faculty of Creative Studies (FCI), Centre for Extension Education (CEE), Centre for Foundation Studies (CFS), Institute of Chinese Studies (ICS PJ), and Institute of Postgraduate Studies and Research (IPSR) are located in this campus.



Institute of Chinese Studies



Centre for Foundation Studies (PJ)



Faculty of Creative Industries

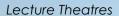


Institute of Postgraduate Studies and Research, and Centre for Extension Education

Kuala Lumpur Campus

Established in 2004, Kuala Lumpur Campus is located in Setapak and has a modern purpose-built complex. This campus houses the Faculty of Engineering and Science (FES).







Laboratories and Workshops



7-storey Administration and Staff Buidling



Sungai Long Campus

Established in 2005, Sungai Long Campus is located in the heart of Bandar Sungai Long, Cheras. The Campus has a 10-storey purposebuilt building and houses two faculties - Faculty of Accountancy and Management (FAM) and Faculty of Medicine and Health Sciences (FMHS).

In tandem with the exponential growth, the University sets to build a purpose-designed city campus building on the adjacent piece of land which was acquired in 2009.



The new city campus building is expected to be ready by 2014.





Perak Campus

Built on a 1300-acre piece of land, the flagship campus is located in the growing township of Bandar Barat Kampar in Perak. Strategically located off the North-South highway, Perak Campus is 190 km or a two-hour drive from Kuala Lumpur.

Flanked by picturesque mountains, dotted with scenic lakes and located within a growing township, Perak Campus offers a conducive, environment-friendly and community-fostering setting that enhances and fulfils the learning, teaching, research, and social needs of students and staff.

The Campus welcomed its first batch of 500 students in May 2007. The Campus is now serving over 12,000 students pursuing 43 programmes including postgraduate programmes. The Campus currently offers

5 Doctorate, 5 Master's, 31 Bachelor's (Honours) and 2 Foundation Certificate programmes. Within a short span of four years, the Campus has nurtured 3,175 graduates.

To cater to the phenomenal growth, the Campus has ventured into the second phase of the campus development which is expected to be completed by mid-2012. With the completion of the second phase, the Perak Campus will have 15 buildings in this lake view campus.

The physical transformation of the Perak Campus from an ex-tin mining waste land into a vibrant ultra-modern campus has helped inject life into this once quiet old town, transforming it to a renewed bustling university town.



UTAR Perak Campus Buildings (Phase 1A)



Heritage Building



Learning Complex I



Student Pavilion I



Faculty of Science



Faculty of Engineering and Green Technology

UTAR Perak Campus Buildings (Phase 1B)





University Administration Block

Library



Faculty of Business and Finance



Lecture Complex I



Engineering Workshop

UTAR Perak Campus Building (Phase 2)



Artist's Impression of the Grand Hall



The Grand Hall (under construction) as at 18 November 2011



Student Pavilion II



Lecture Complex II (under construction) as at 11 December 2011



Block N and Block O (under construction) as at 18 November 2011

UTAR Perak Campus - Magnificent Contrasts

















The Bird Sanctuary of UTAR Perak Campus



Grey Heron, Ardea cinerea



Grey Heron, Ardea cinerea



Blue-eared Kingfisher, Alcedo meninting



Olive-backed Sunbird, Cinnyris jugularis



Grey Heron, Ardea cinerea



Abbott's Babbler, Malacocincla abbotti



Grey Heron, Ardea cinerea



Grey Heron, Ardea cinerea



White-throated Kingfisher, Halcyon smyrnensis



Grey Heron, Ardea cinerea



Grey Heron, Ardea cinerea



Yellow-vented Bulbul, Pycnonotus goiavier



Our Faculties, Institutes and Centres

Started with three pioneer faculties: the Faculty of Accountancy and Management, Faculty of Arts & Social Science, and Faculty of Information & Communication Technology, UTAR now has 9 faculties, two centres and two institutes in four campus locations.

Petaling Jaya Campus

- Faculty of Creative Industries
- Institute of Chinese Studies
- Institute of Postgraduate Studies and Research
- Centre for Extension Education
- Centre for Foundation Studies

Sungai Long Campus

- Faculty of Accountancy and Management
- Faculty of Medicine and Health Sciences

Kuala Lumpur Campus

Faculty of Engineering and Science

Perak Campus

- Faculty of Arts and Social Science
- Faculty of Business and Finance
- Faculty of Engineering and Green Technology
- Faculty of Information and Communication Technology
- Faculty of Science
- Centre for Foundation Studies

Programmes offered

Faculty of Accountancy and Management

- Bachelor of Accounting (Hons)
- Bachelor of Building and Property Management (Hons)
- Bachelor of Economics (Hons) Global Economics
- Bachelor of International Business (Hons)
- Master of Business Administration
- Master of Business Administration (Building Management)
- Master of Business Administration (Corporate Governance)
- Master of Commerce (Applied Accounting)
- Master of Philosophy
- Doctor of Philosophy

Faculty of Arts and Social Science

- Bachelor of Arts (Hons) English Education
- Bachelor of Arts (Hons) English Language
- Bachelor of Communication (Hons) Advertising
- Bachelor of Communication (Hons) Journalism
- Bachelor of Communication (Hons) Public Relations
- Bachelor of Social Science (Hons) Psychology
- Master of Philosophy (Social Science)
- Doctor of Philosophy (Social Science)

Faculty of Business and Finance

- Bachelor of Business Administration (Hons)
- Bachelor of Business Administration (Hons) Banking and Finance
- Bachelor of Business Administration (Hons) Entrepreneurship
- Bachelor of Commerce (Hons) Accounting
- Bachelor of Economics (Hons) Financial Economics
- Bachelor of Finance (Hons)
- Bachelor of Marketing (Hons)
- Master of Philosophy
- Doctor of Philosophy

Faculty of Creative Industries

- Bachelor of Arts (Hons) Early Childhood Studies
- Bachelor of Arts (Hons) Game Design
- Bachelor of Arts (Hons) Graphic Design and Multimedia
- Bachelor of Arts (Hons) Journalism in Chinese Media
- Bachelor of Communication (Hons) Broadcasting
- Bachelor of Corporate Communication (Hons)
- Bachelor of Media and Creative Studies (Hons)
- Bachelor of Arts (Hons) Digital Animation
- Master of Communication
- Master of Communication (By Research)







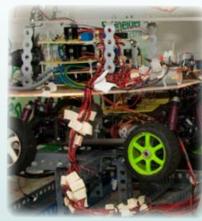
Faculty of Engineering and Green Technology

- Bachelor of Engineering (Hons) Electronic Engineering
- Bachelor of Engineering (Hons) Environmental Engineering
- Bachelor of Engineering (Hons) Industrial Engineering
- Bachelor of Engineering (Hons) Petrochemical Engineering
- Bachelor of Science (Hons) Construction Management
- Master of Engineering Science
- Doctor of Philosophy (Engineering)

Faculty of Engineering and Science

- Bachelor of Engineering (Hons) Biomedical Engineering
- Bachelor of Engineering (Hons) Chemical Engineering
- Bachelor of Engineering (Hons) Civil Engineering
- Bachelor of Engineering (Hons) Electronic and Communications Engineering
- Bachelor of Engineering (Hons) Electrical and Electronic Engineering
- Bachelor of Engineering (Hons) Electronic (Computer Networking)
- Bachelor of Engineering (Hons) Materials and Manufacturing Engineering
- Bachelor of Engineering (Hons) Mechanical Engineering
- Bachelor of Engineering (Hons) Mechatronics Engineering
- Bachelor of Science (Hons) Actuarial Science
- Bachelor of Science (Hons) Applied Mathematics with Computing
- Bachelor of Science (Hons) Architecture
- Bachelor of Science (Hons) Financial Mathematics
- Bachelor of Science (Hons) Physics
- Bachelor of Science (Hons) Quantity Survey
- Bachelor of Science (Hons) Software Engineering
- Master of Computer Science
- Master of Engineering Science
- Master of Information Systems
- Master of Mathematical Sciencezs
- Master of Science
- Doctor of Philosophy (Information and Communication Technology
- Doctor of Philosophy (Mathematical Sciences)
- Doctor of Philosophy in Engineering
- Doctor of Philosophy in Science













Faculty of Information and Communication Technology

- Bachelor of Computer Science (Hons)
- Bachelor of Information Systems (Hons) Business Information Systems
- Bachelor of Information Systems (Hons) Information Systems Engineering
- Bachelor of Information Technology (Hons) Communications and Networking
- Bachelor of Information Technology (Hons) Computer Engineering
- Master of Computer Science
- Doctor of Philosophy (Computer Science)

Faculty of Medicine and Health Sciences

- Bachelor of Medicine and Bachelor of Surgery (MBBS)
- Bachelor of Chinese Medicine (Hons)
- Bachelor of Nursing (Hons)
- Bachelor of Physiotherapy (Hons)

Faculty of Science

- Bachelor of Science (Hons) Agricultural Science
- Bachelor of Science (Hons) Biochemistry
- Bachelor of Science (Hons) Biomedical Science
- Bachelor of Science (Hons) Biotechnology
- Bachelor of Science (Hons) Chemistry
- Bachelor of Science (Hons) Logistics and International Shipping
- Bachelor of Science (Hons) Microbiology
- Bachelor of Science (Hons) Statistical Computing and Operations Research
- Master of Science
- Doctor of Philosophy (Science)

Institute of Chinese Studies

- Bachelor of Arts (Chinese Studies)
- Master of Arts (Chinese Studies
- Master of Arts (Chinese Studies) By Research and Coursework
- Doctor of Philosophy (Chinese Studies)

Centre for Foundation Studies

- Foundation in Arts
- Foundation in Science



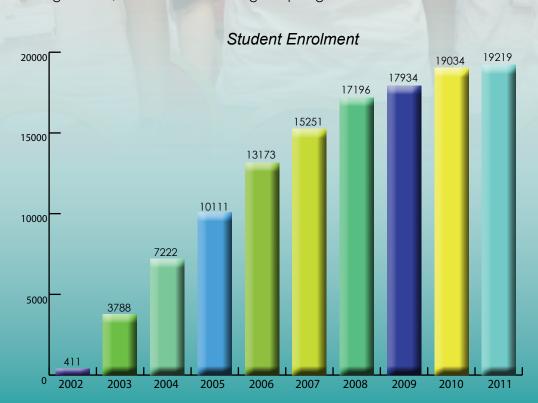








UTAR welcomed its first intake of 411 students on 10 June 2002. Over the years, the student enrolment has increased steadily. The University is currently serving over 19,000 students including 548 postgraduate students.



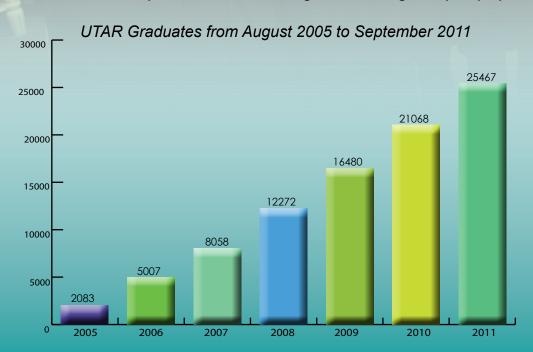


Students making their pledges at Mass Call in FAM in May 2007



Since its pioneer cohort of 2,083 graduates in the inaugural convocation in August 2005, UTAR is proud to have nurtured a total of 25,467 graduates.

UTAR has produced a long-standing record of high graduate employability as our every graduating class speaks of this tradition of success. Based on our alumni survey, more than 97% of our graduates are gainfully employed within six months of graduation.

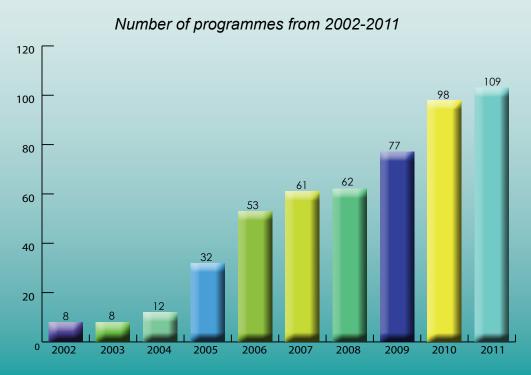




UTAR March 2011 Convocation - First PhD awarded



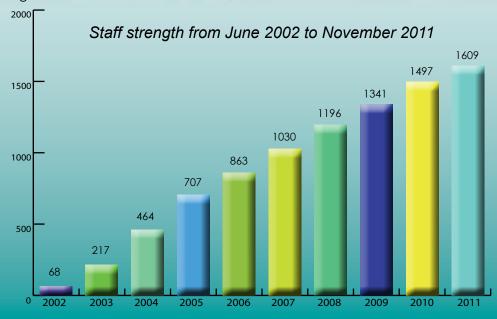
Our programme portfolio has grown from the initial eight Bachelor's (Honours) degree programmes to existing 109 undergraduate and postgraduate programmes in a comprehensive range of disciplines and expertise including medical and health sciences. Our programmes now comprise 11 Doctorate, 23 Master's, 64 Bachelor's (Honours), four Foundation Certificate programmes and seven Part-time degree programmes.







One of the University's top priorities has been human capital development which underpins the strengths and achievements of the university. Each phase in UTAR's growth has been well matched by a parallel increase in academic, administrative and support staff. Over the years, the staff strength has grown from an initial 68 to over 1,600.





Senior Management Committee meeting in progress



UTAR Excellence Awards

One of the factors that propel an organisation to run at its best is the committed workforce that shows unreserved dedication towards the organisation. Having such a workforce, UTAR has become one of the most well-established higher learning institutions in the nation. Started with mere 68 employees, today UTAR has 1600 staff serving in its four campuses. As recognition to its outstanding workforce, Universiti Tunku Abdul Rahman presents Excellence Awards every year to honour staff members who have demonstrated exceptional achievement in their work.

The excellence awards are given in four categories:

- Teaching Excellence Award
- Staff Service Excellence Award
- Research Excellence Award
- Innovation Excellence Award



UTAR Excellence Award Winners of 2009



Research Excellence Award
Assoc Prof Dr Ramesh T. Subramaniam
Faculty of Engineering and Science
Kuala Lumpur Campus



Teaching Excellence Award
See Yuen Chark
Department of Electrical and Electronic
Engineering
Faculty of Engineering and Science
Kuala Lumpur Campus



Innovation Excellence Award
Assoc Prof Dr Tay Yong Haur
Department of Internet Engineering and Computer Science
Faculty of Engineering and Science
Kuala Lumpur Campus

UTAR Excellence Award Winners of 2010



Research Excellence Award

Associate Professor Dr Chong Kok Keong

Department of Electrical and Electronic

Engineering

Faculty of Engineering and Science

Kuala Lumpur Campus

Teaching Excellence Award

Mr Paul Davidson

Centre for Foundation Studies

Department of Science and Engineering

Petaling Jaya Campus



Staff Service Excellence Award
Ms Lee Hui Ken
Library
Sungai Long Campus

