

UMS-GIST Joint Postgraduate Symposium and Internship Programme



Lecturers and students involved in this symposium

Having an MoU with one of the well known academic institute in South Korea, Gwangju Institute of Science and Technology, UMS particularly SST has carried out a lot of academic collaboration between UMS and GIST. The recent collaboration was the UMS-GIST Postgraduate Symposium and Internship Programme. The purpose of this programme was to allow knowledge sharing between UMS and GIST postgraduate students as well as exposing Korean students to life as students in UMS. Prof. Kyoung Woong Kim, from the Faculty of Environmental Science and Engineering, Gwangju Institute of Science and Technology, Korea (GIST) head the Korean delegation of 4 Korean students. They arrived in Kota Kinabalu on 25th December 2010. The internship programme started on the 26th December 2010 until 7th January 2011. The postgraduate symposium was held on

the 27th December 2010 at Bilik Mesyuarat Utama, SST. Research findings of 4 postgraduate students from GIST and 5 students from SST were presented in this symposium. This one day symposium became a platform of beneficial discussions and knowledge sharing amongst Postgraduate students and lecturers especially to improve the research amongst postgraduate students. During their stay in Sabah, particularly in UMS, the students from GIST visited many places of research interest such as Mamut copper mine, Ranau and Manukan Island. This is the first time SST became a host for an internship programme as such and the success of this one will open opportunities for many more to come.

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Exchange of momentos between Prof. Kyoung Woong Kim and Prof. Mohd. Harun Abdullah



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