

UMS ranks among top 220 in Asia

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KOTA KINABALU: Universiti Malaysia Sabah (UMS) is currently ranked among 220 best universities in Asia, said its Vice Chancellor Datuk Dr Mohd Harun Abdullah.

He said the university's current position is based on the QS Asian University Rankings 2016 released recently.

The UMS was among 250 best universities in Asia last year, he added.

"It has gone up 140 positions when compared with its ranking in 2012," he noted.

He attributed the achievement to the commitment of university staff towards reaching international level excellence.

"If in the past we were less known on the global stage, now we're on the right track for world class recognition," he said.

He disclosed that UMS aims to be among 100 best universities in Asia five years from now and various efforts have been taken towards getting there.