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KOTA KINABALU: Fifty-nine University Malaysia Sabah (UMS) students in colourful gowns walked the streets of Kota Kinabalu during a parade yesterday.

The ceremony, also known as 'Town and Gown', is an annual event jointly organized by UMS and City Hall to foster closer relationships between the university and the city.

UMS Vice Chancellor Professor Datuk Seri Panglima Dr Kamaruzaman Ampon led the UMS board of directors and senate, and graduates were seen parading through the streets of Kota Kinabalu as early as 9am, towards City Hall, yesterday.

Mayor Datuk Abidin Madingkir and City Hall Director-General



Kamaruzaman (front, left), Mahmud (front, centre) and Abdul Hamid (front, right) during the 'Town and Gown' Parade yesterday.

Datuk Yeo Boon Hai were present to welcome the paraders.

Also present were UMS board of directors chairman Tan Sri

Datuk Abdul Hamid Egoh and UMS Sandakan Campus School of Agriculture Dean Professor Madya Dr Mahmud Hj Sudin.