

Senator Datuk Yunus Kurus and Nadzri welcoming the VC and UMS-KAL director Prof. Madya Dr Ismail Ali (far right) at the Labuan Square.

## UMS Labuan Campus holds annual march

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LABUAN: The Universiti Sabah Malaysia-Labuan International Campus (UMS-KAL) continues to hold its annual Town and Gown march as a gesture signifying the symbiotic relationship between the institution and Labuan Corporation as the local authority.

UMS Vice Chancellor Prof. Datuk Dr Harun Abdullah led the senate, lecturers and graduating students, resplendent in their gowns and mortars, in the march by walking from Memara Perbadanan Labuan to Labuan Square.

The 40-minute journey of 1.5km was symbolic of the graduates' three-four years of study at UMS-KAL, culminating in their degrees.

The VC called on the graduates, who would be receiving their scrolls at the

university's main campus in Kota Kinabalu, to promote Labuan as a centre of excellence in unity, understanding and harmony.

Meanwhile, Labuan Corporation CEO Datuk Nadzri Osman urged UMS-KAL, the sole institution of higher learning on the island, to help build Labuan as an academic hub in the region.