

# Huawei techs up with UMS



Simon (fourth from left) presenting a memento to Tun Juhar as KY Mustafa (third right) and others look on during the courtesy call.

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**KOTA KINABALU:** International tech giant, Huawei has been working quietly with Universiti Malaysia Sabah (UMS), in the setting up of the first smart hospital in Malaysia.

The Hospital Universiti Malaysia Sabah (HUMS) will utilize state-of-the-art medical technology developed by Huawei.

In the tie-up with Huawei Technologies (Malaysia) Sdn Bhd, UMS board of directors' chairman, Datuk KY Mustafa said that the university has been working with the tech giant for the past one year.

"The university has received immense benefits from the cooperation especially in the aspect of developing

HUSM.

"UMS has many facilities brought by Huawei especially in the field of ICT for university staffers, academicians and students," he said.

The next generation will be seeing the fruition of HUSM, that will become the first smart hospital in the country, he added.

"The smart hospital will be different from other hospitals as it will be utilizing sophisticated system that will operate HUSM.

"It will be efficient, systematic and fast," he told reporters after accompanying Huawei officials led by its director-general of communications, Simon Ng, in paying a courtesy call on

Head of State, Tun Juhar Mahiruddin at

the Istana on Wednesday.

Once completed, HUSM will be able to look after the needs of patients from outside Sabah and around the world using the smart platform developed by Huawei.

Simon extended his gratitude to UMS for supporting its programmes, adding that HUSM would help undergraduates and staff alike in using the latest ICT.

"The students will be able to use the technology after they joined the job market," he said.

Present were UMS vice-chancellor, Prof Datuk Dr D Kamarudin D Mudin, and deputy vice-chancellor (research and innovation), Associate Prof Ts Dr Ramzah Dambul.