YOUR ADVANTAGES AT UCSI

INTERNATIONAL EXPERIENCE
Learn with international students from more than 80 countries on campus.

GLOBAL LINKAGES
Our collaborations with international universities provide global opportunities for our students. Our medical and engineering students are pursuing research stints in Harvard University, US, and Imperial College London, UK.

QUALIFIED LECTURERS
UCSI has twice the average number of PhD holders among its academic staff compared with other private universities in the country.

ENGINEERING EXCELLENCE
All of UCSI’s Engineering degrees are accredited by Engineering Accreditation Council Malaysia and recognised internationally under the Washington Accord.

PROFESSIONAL RECOGNITION
UCSI’s programmes are recognised by various international professional bodies including the Association of Chartered Certified Accountants (ACCA) and the Chartered Institute of Logistics and Transport. This allows our students to pursue international careers with a fully local degree.

WORLD RANKING
UCSI University has achieved the Tier 5 ‘Excellent’ rating in the national SETARA 2013. This is the highest rating achieved by top universities in the country. No other private institution of higher learning is ranked above UCSI University. We are also among the Top 300 Universities in the 2015 QS University Ranking for Asia.

STUDY HERE. ACHIEVE ANYWHERE.
UCSI UNIVERSITY
THE WORLD STUDIES HERE. SO SHOULD YOU.

UCSI is a leading comprehensive private university in Malaysia which contributes to the pursuit and expansion of knowledge. Despite its status as a young university – under 30 years – UCSI has always punched above its weight. It is ranked in the top 300 in the 2015 QS Asian University Rankings. It is also rated in Tier 5 – the highest rating accorded to universities in Malaysia – in the 2013 Rating System for Malaysia Higher Education Institutions, better known as Setara.

Synonymous with graduate employability and industry relevance, UCSI runs what is virtually Malaysia’s largest industry network – aptly themed Co-Op – which involves over 2,300 industry partners. Many of the world’s best companies like Accenture, Citibank and Petronas, among others, count UCSI as their partner university. This opens doors for students and staff in the area of structured internship programmes and job opportunities. Overseas industry partnerships are becoming increasingly common and UCSI students have gone on to complete internships at leading companies in Britain, Japan, Hong Kong and Singapore, among others. UCSI also benefits from accreditation and recognition from numerous professional bodies, paving the way to fast-track careers and professional paper exemptions for students.

Academic diversity is one of UCSI’s strongest points. The University offers an eclectic range of industry-acclaimed programmes in medicine, pharmacy, engineering, applied science, business, IT, architecture, social science, music, tourism management, creative arts and design at its campuses in Kuala Lumpur, Kuching and Marang. UCSI also stands out as the pioneer of biotechnology, food science and nutrition, aquaculture and music, among other fields, in Malaysia’s private higher education landscape.

UCSI’s excellent record in teaching and learning is increasingly complemented by its solid research output. Staff and students contribute greatly to this effort and the University constantly seeks new avenues to collaborate with industries, research institutes and world-class universities. This initiative has borne fruit. UCSI’s top medical and engineering students have been selected to pursue intercalated research programmes at Harvard and Imperial College, respectively. More developments are in the pipeline with collaborative partners in the Ivy League, Russell Group, Universitas 21 and Australia’s Group of Eight.

Internationalisation is another key focus of the University. Students from more than 80 countries study at UCSI and the University more strategic tie-ups with leading universities in France and Ireland are in the pipeline. With these unique strengths and more, UCSI stands out as a University that offers an education few can, provides experiences others can’t and delivers life-defining outcomes for students everywhere.
HARVARD PEDIGREE

“Harvard is at the forefront of research and I’m sure this exposure will help me in my aspirations to be a clinician-scientist.”

CHERISH CHONG
DOCTOR OF MEDICINE
Selected for Harvard Medical School’s Global Research Clinical Scholars Research Training Programme, Boston, USA.

CAMBRIDGE DISTINCTION

“My teachers raised my aspirations and helped me hone my thinking skills – essential traits that help me immensely at Cambridge.”

MICHAEL CHEAH
A-LEVELS
Currently studying Engineering at Cambridge University, England.

RISING STAR

“Studying at UCSI University was one of the best decisions I made in life. I enjoyed the classes and the rich cultural diversity on campus.”

RADEN MUHAMMAD FAJJAR
BA (HONS) IN MASS COMMUNICATION
Valedictorian, 2013 Tourist Ambassador for Batam City and the province of Riau in 2012.

MAKING GLOBAL IMPACT

“My experience organising the community-based 7th Annual Public Health Campaign gave me good practice for what I do now.”

ALVIN TEO KUO JING
BACHELOR OF PHARMACY (HONS)
Pharmacist with Médecins Sans Frontières (Doctors Without Borders).

INTERNATIONAL OPPORTUNITIES

“The A-Level programme at UCSI got me ready for life in Melbourne. I’d definitely recommend UCSI to my juniors.”

YOO SANGWON
A-LEVELS
14*, 4As. Academic merit scholarship (University of Melbourne). Only 10 such scholarships are awarded annually to international students.

IMPERIAL-BOUND

“To go to London for three months to pursue a high impact research programme is a dream come true. Thank you UCSI!”

SOH WEI MING & LEON TAN
BENG (HONS) CHEMICAL ENGINEERING
Selected for a three-month research programme at Imperial College London.

TECH WHIZ

“I was a flood victim once so I want to help others in the same situation. UCSI gave me the technical skills I needed to create my app, Banjir Alert.”

JOHN JOEL SAGUIT
BSC (HONS) MOBILE COMPUTING

LIFE ON CAMPUS

A choir of Indonesian students performing during the Discover Indonesia Night organised by UCSI’s Bhinneka Indonesia Student Association.

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For 14 years in a row, pharmacy students have organised the UCSI Public Health Campaign.

From catwalk to marketing, fashion design students showcase their works during the graduation showcase.

Culinary arts and hospitality students cooking up a storm in one of the fully-equipped kitchens on campus.

Marathons and races are highly popular among UCSI students, and even staff!

Engineering students having fun with their hot air balloon assignment.

With students from more than 80 countries at UCSI, festivals like Ponggal are celebrated together on campus.

Among the labs available in UCSI are the Pharmacy Postgraduate Lab, Cell Tissue Culture Lab, and IT R&D lab.
WITH MORE THAN 2,500 GLOBAL CORPORATE PARTNERS, UCSI UNIVERSITY HAS THE LARGEST INDUSTRIAL PLACEMENT PROGRAMME IN MALAYSIA.

For nearly 30 years, UCSI University has been challenging the idea of what an education should be. Promoting the Praxis® model - one that promotes the application of theory to practice - UCSI University is the first university in Malaysia to model this pedagogical approach.

Praxis® equips students with unrivalled industrial exposure and this is the reason UCSI has made it compulsory for students to undergo a Co-Operative Education Placement Programme (Co-Op). This furnishes them with quality academic knowledge and valuable industry experience.

UCSI programmes are internationally recognised. Transfer to leading universities in UK, Australia, New Zealand, Canada, USA, Poland and other nations.

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Our programmes are recognised by:
- Association to Advance Collegiate Schools of Business (AACSB) for the Faculty of Business and Information Science
- Association of Chartered Certified Accountants (ACCA)
- Board of Engineers Malaysia
- Certified Practising Accountants (CPA Australia)
- Chartered Institute of Logistics and Transport (CILT)
- Chartered Institute of Management Accountants (CIMA)
- Institute of Chartered Accountants in England and Wales (ICAEW)
- Malaysian Medical Council
- Malaysian Pharmacy Board
- Society of Actuaries
- Southeast Asian Directors of Music (SEADOM)
- AND MANY MORE...

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