



# **STUDENT** **MOBILITY** **PROGRAMME**

***AN ENRICHING  
LEARNING EXPERIENCE  
AT UCSI UNIVERSITY***



# ABOUT UCSI

UCSI is acclaimed as one of Malaysia's foremost private universities. But did you also know that UCSI stands out for the following reasons:



**The #1**  
private university in  
MALAYSIA in the QS World  
University Rankings 2019.



The only Malaysian private  
university to make the  
TOP 500 in the QS World  
University Rankings 2019.



Malaysia's best private  
university in the QS Top  
100 under 50 list that ranks  
the world's universities  
under 50 years old.



**The 1st**  
university in Asia to  
facilitate industry  
placement for students  
each year.

**TOP 2%**  
IN THE WORLD

UCSI's 481st rank in the  
QS World University  
Rankings 2019.  
Places it in the top 2% of  
all Universities  
worldwide.



UCSI is ranked as a **top  
100 university worldwide**  
for performing arts in the  
QS World University  
Rankings by Subject 2018.



**ASIA'S FASTEST  
RISING UNIVERSITY**

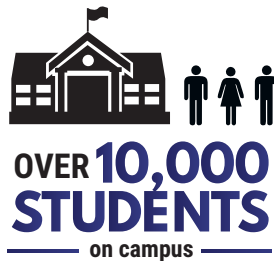
UCSI is Asia's most  
improved university after a  
131-spot climb in the QS  
University Rankings: Asia  
2018 exercise.



UCSI is rated in Tier 5 (Emerging  
Universities) in SETARA 2017,  
placing it on par with established  
foreign branch campuses  
in Malaysia.



**Over 30%**  
of UCSI's student population is  
international.



**OVER 10,000  
STUDENTS**  
on campus



UCSI students obtain a  
merit-based government  
scholarship or grant.



**OVER 33%**

of UCSI's academic staff  
are PhD holders and a  
further 17% are pursuing  
their doctorate.

The 2015 average at  
private higher  
education institutions  
in Malaysia is 16%.



OF OUR CO-OP  
PARTNERS  
WOULD LIKE TO  
**REHIRE**  
UCSI INTERNS.

**MORE THAN  
4,000**



GLOBAL COMPANIES PROVIDE OUR  
STUDENTS WITH INTERNSHIP.

**110 NATIONALITIES**  
on campus. The world studies here.







# WELCOME TO MALAYSIA

Malaysia is South East Asia's multicultural hub celebrating ethnic, cultural and religious diversity among its people. English is widely spoken and understood here.

Peninsular Malaysia is separated from East Malaysia (Sabah and Sarawak) by the South China Sea. From its pristine beaches to highland getaways and national parks, Malaysia's landscape is equally diverse and fascinating.

Enjoy the idyllic beaches of Redang and Perhentian or discover the Taman Negara National Park with its unique flora and fauna.

The cities of George Town (Penang), and Melaka; Gunung Mulu National Park and Kinabalu National Park are among the locations in the 'UNESCO World Heritage Sites' list.

The capital of Malaysia, Kuala Lumpur, is well-known for its skyscrapers and luxurious shopping malls and one can spend their leisure time exploring the city.

There are also many cultural events and festivals to experience such as the Borneo Jazz Festival, the Kelantan International Kite Fest and the Putrajaya International Hot Air Balloon Fiesta among others.





The best of Malaysia is represented by its beautiful and interesting attractions, both traditional and modern, a delight to the senses and a joy to the spirit.

Studying in Malaysia is an enriching experience where students get to immerse themselves in the natural beauty of the country while being welcomed by the warmth and hospitality of the people.

Malaysia's many attractions provide a getaway for students who want a break from their busy routines. Students may explore and discover these interesting sites at their own leisure.

You may also get to know a bit about Malaysians and their lifestyles through their cuisine, their many religions and their traditional customs.

Students will be exposed to the different cultures of Malaysia and this will make their learning experience more rewarding and diverse.

Studying in Malaysia can be exciting and fun. So start your journey here and discover the best of Malaysia.







## MALAYSIA's QUICK INFO

1

Kuala Lumpur is the world's eighth most visited city according to forbes.com

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A preferred destination for students from everywhere around the globe.

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A multiracial country where English is widely spoken.

6

It's summer all year long here.

3

Kuala Lumpur was named the fourth best shopping city in the world by CNN Travel (2014).

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Kuala Lumpur the world's most affordable city in 2016 and 2017 (QS World's Best Student Cities Guide).

4

With the fifth highest Gross Domestic Product per capita in South East Asia according to the IMF (April 2018).

8

One of the most diverse countries in Asia according to Business Insider US.



# MALAYSIA'S DESTINATIONS:



## DISCOVER AND LEARN WHILE YOU TRAVEL



### KUALA LUMPUR

Kuala Lumpur or KL is home to many of Malaysia's famous landmarks. The must-visit places in KL are:

- The iconic Petronas Twin Towers
- Sultan Abdul Samad Building
- China Town and Little India
- Central Market
- Batu Caves
- Perdana Botanical Gardens
- Menara KL Tower
- Islamic Arts Museum Malaysia
- Aquaria KLCC



### MELAKA

Attractions in Melaka include A Famosa, a fortress built by the Portuguese in 1511. The Baba-Nyonya Heritage Museum as well as Jonker Street and the Stadthuys, a building once the residence of Dutch governors, are also among Melaka's famous places to visit.



### PERHENTIAN ISLAND

A small archipelago with two main islands, the Perhentian Islands are the perfect places to unwind and take a break. These islands boast powdery white sands, an amazing turquoise blue sea and tall palm trees. The islands are fringed by coral reefs, and the underwater life is rich with sea turtles and many species of tropical fish; perfect for those who enjoy scuba diving and snorkelling.



### MOUNT KINABALU

Towering 4,095 metres above northern Borneo, Mount Kinabalu is the highest mountain between the Himalayas and the island of New Guinea. It is renowned worldwide for its flora and fauna biodiversity. Visitors who wish to gain the full Mount Kinabalu experience may climb to the peak of the mountain accompanied by a guide.



### TAMAN NEGARA

Taman Negara encompasses a tropical rainforest about 130 million years old. You will get the chance to walk on the world's longest canopy walkway, visit the aborigine village and participate in activities such as caving, fishing, camping, etc.





# STRATEGICALLY LOCATED IN **KUALA LUMPUR**





# WELCOME TO UCSI MALAYSIA'S #1 PRIVATE UNIVERSITY

***UCSI University opens doors for students everywhere. It collaborates with the world's leading universities, engages the best minds and partners with global companies.***

UCSI University stands out as Malaysia's best private university, ranked in the top 2% of all universities in the world. Ranked 481 in the QS World University Rankings 2019, UCSI is the only private university in Malaysia to make the top 500. It is also one of only six Malaysian universities to meet this benchmark, along with the nation's five research universities. Going further, UCSI is also in the Top 70 in the 2019 QS Top 100 Under 50 list that ranks the world's best young universities under 50 years old.

These latest milestones cap a memorable year for UCSI. The University was previously distinguished as Asia's fastest rising university in the QS University Rankings: Asia 2018 after making a meteoric 131-spot climb. It is also ranked as a global top 100 university for performing arts in the QS World University Rankings by Subject 2018 – a remarkable distinction based solely on the merits of its Institute of Music. Additionally, UCSI is rated in Tier 5 (Emerging Universities) – the highest rating achieved by universities under 15 years old – in SETARA 2017, on a par with established foreign branch campuses in Malaysia.

Long renowned for its excellent track record in teaching and learning, UCSI is quickly making a name for itself in research and innovation. The number of research publications has increased by 155% from 2013 to 2016 while the University's cumulative impact factor score has increased by 957% over the same period. The number of UCSI's Scopus/ ISI publications has also doubled from 2015 to 2016, reflecting the increasing focus on scholarly pursuit.







*The isometric view of UCSI's Kuala Lumpur campus after its recent expansion.*

This distinction opens doors for UCSI students and staff when it comes to collaboration with the world's best companies, research institutes and universities. Since 2014, UCSI's top students have been annually selected to advance high impact research at Harvard University, Imperial College London, the University of Chicago and Tsinghua University, among others. A batch of Pharmacy students also furthered research at the University of British Columbia and more endeavours are in the pipeline with leading universities in the Ivy League, the Russell Group, Universitas 21 and Australia's Group of Eight.

More than 10,000 students from over 110 nations study at UCSI, making the campus a vibrant melting pot of culture and diversity. UCSI also partners with more than 4,000 global companies to provide students with structured internship programmes and job opportunities. These tie-ups provide most UCSI students to undergo at least two months of internship each year. 97.8% of UCSI's industry partners state that they would like to rehire UCSI interns on the basis of their performance, capabilities and professionalism.

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.



*The artist's impression of UCSI's education city.*



# ALL FACULTIES OFFER A RANGE OF COURSES FOR THE **STUDENT MOBILITY PROGRAMME**



## APPLIED SCIENCES

- Aquaculture
- Aquatic Science
- Biotechnology
- Food Science
- Nutrition



## ARCHITECTURE



## BUSINESS

- Accounting
- Actuarial Science
- Finance and Investment
- Logistics Management
- Marketing



## CREATIVE ARTS AND DESIGN

- Fashion Design
- Game Design
- Graphic Design
- Multimedia Design



## ENGINEERING

- Chemical
- Civil
- Communication and Electronic
- Electrical and Electronic
- Mechanical
- Mechatronic
- Petroleum



## ENGLISH LANGUAGE AND COMMUNICATION



## ENGLISH FOR TERTIARY EDUCATION



## HOSPITALITY AND TOURISM MANAGEMENT

- Culinary Arts
- Event and Tourism Management
- Hotel Management
- Hospitality Management



## INFORMATION TECHNOLOGY

- Business Information Systems
- Computer Science
- Technopreneurship



## MASS COMMUNICATION



## MEDICINE

- Nursing
- Optometry



## MUSIC

- Classical Music
- Contemporary Music



## PSYCHOLOGY

You can view the detailed list of courses and subjects offered by the various faculties and its specific requirements on the website:

[ucsiuniversity.edu.my](https://ucsiuniversity.edu.my) or [ucsiuniversity.edu.my/smp/](https://ucsiuniversity.edu.my/smp/)



# THE ADVANTAGES OF UCSI UNIVERSITY'S STUDENT MOBILITY PROGRAMME



## FLEXIBILITY

At UCSI University, we value your convenience and time. With flexible programmes ranging from 4-12 months or beyond, and 12-18 credit hours per semester, you may choose the amount of time you wish to spend away from your home institution. Although our semesters start in January, May and September, a programme may be tailored for your needs if you wish to join us at any point in time that does not corroborate with our semesters.\*



## INDUSTRY TRAINING AND INTERNSHIP PROGRAMME OPPORTUNITIES

The industrial training and internship programmes offered at UCSI University add on to your overall educational experience while opening doors for you in terms of career planning. Connect with our 4,000 industry partners and gain valuable hands-on training and skills related to your studies. The UCSI University's Co-operative Placement Programme will help you establish and facilitate career opportunities that will build your future.



## SOCIO-CULTURAL EXPERIENCE

To complement the learning experience here, visits to various tourist attractions around Kuala Lumpur will be organised. Also, through the various co-curricular activities, students will benefit socially, culturally and intellectually in terms of leadership and character development. Students may also participate in activities which introduce Malaysian culture and help them to adapt to the new environment.

\* Subject to the number of students applying for the same intake.

## SEMESTER BASIS

Long semester Jan / May (4 months) 4 - 5 subjects	Short semester (2 months) 3 subjects	Industry placement (2 months)
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## ACADEMIC YEAR BASIS

Long semester Jan - April (4 months) 4 - 5 subjects	Long semester May - August (4 months) 4 - 5 subjects	Short semester September - October (2 months) 3 subjects
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Industry placement (2 months)

## CUSTOMISED ARRANGEMENT

(2 - 6 months) 3 - 5 subjects	Industry placement (2 months)
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## FEES

### Pre-visa approval

Application fee (inclusive of EMGS visa processing fee)	RM1,970
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### Post-visa approval

Registration fee	RM450
International student administration fee	RM500
*Refundable deposit (cautionary, library, student bond)	RM1,000

Subject/ internship fee + facilities fee (Based on course selection)	RM4,500
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^The fees are based on a minimum of 3 subjects. Additional subjects will cost RM1,500 – RM2,050 each. Remaining subjects to be added upon approval of course selection.

### On-campus

Accommodation rental (air-conditioned: twin-sharing) (Block E ) – Free wifi	RM750 (per month)
*subject to availability Accommodation deposit (Refundable)	RM2,000



# FACILITIES AT UCSI UNIVERSITY

Enjoy state-of-the-art facilities while you study here ranging from wireless connectivity on campus, advanced laboratories and resource centres, an Olympic-sized swimming pool and a dance studio to sports facilities such as basketball and badminton courts as well as a gymnasium.

There are 10 computer labs at UCSI University's KL Campus. The labs are equipped with over 400 computers and 15 servers, which are connected to the campus' local area network.

The Engineering facilities include the Make Lab, the Geomatic and Concrete Lab, the Power Machine and Control Lab, the Thermo Fluid Lab and the Instrumentation Lab among others.

Other than that, the Institute of Creative Arts and Design has its own lab specially designed for students in the 3D animation programme. The lab is equipped with a hi-fi audio system and computers outfitted with the standard software available for 3D animation.

The other facilities include but are not limited to a recording studio, ensemble rooms and a keyboard lab for Music students.

UCSI University also has Medicine labs, Social Sciences labs, Pharmacy labs, Hospitality facilities and Applied Science labs. All these facilities cater for the needs of the students according to their academic programmes and contribute to their learning experience.



*Library and Resource Centre*



*Conference Rooms*



*Multipurpose Hall*



*Dewan Tan Sri Ahmad Razali  
(DETSAR)*



*Recital Hall / Auditorium*



*Active Learning Classrooms  
(ALCS)*



*Applied Science Labs*



*Engineering Labs*



*Pharmacy Labs*



## COST OF LIVING

International students studying in UCSI will find the cost of living affordable and manageable. This, of course, will vary according to the lifestyle and needs of each individual student. Banks, clinics, eateries and shops are readily available in the vicinity of the campus.

## ACCOMMODATION

There are a few options for international students in terms of where to live. Choose from UCSI University's on-campus residential halls or the off-campus condominium-styled accommodations that are within walking distance to the University. Temporary accommodation at UCSI's affiliate hotel – Le Quadri – is also available upon request.



*Music Facilities*



*Creative Arts and Design Facilities*



*Medicine Labs*



*Hospitality Facilities*



*Finance Department*



*Registrar's Office*



*Course Counsellor*



*Laurent Bleu Clinic*



*ATM Machines*



*Cafeteria*



*Free UCSI Shuttle Bus Services*

For further information, please visit UCSI's website:  
[ucsiuniversity.edu.my/smp/accommodation/](http://ucsiuniversity.edu.my/smp/accommodation/)



# STUDENT TESTIMONIALS



**JEON YONWOO**  
**SOUTH KOREA**  
**CAMBRIDGE A-LEVELS**

UCSI University is fully equipped with modern, state-of-the-art facilities such as high standard labs and a good resource centre among others. The students are active, passionate and dedicated organising many activities to participate in.



**TANGZHENG (DENNIZ)**  
**CHINA**  
**DIPLOMA IN CULINARY ARTS**

UCSI University is diverse with students from various countries with different cultural and religious backgrounds. Lecturers are helpful and students are friendly and gracious. They made me feel right at home.



**CHEN YUNG-CHIEH**  
**TAIWAN**  
**DOCTOR OF MEDICINE**

UCSI University hosts many foreign students from different countries. Lecturers are always ready to guide and give advice. The University is easily accessible and transportation is readily available.





**KHOLMURODOVA INTIZOR**

**UZBEKISTAN**

**FOUNDATION IN ARTS (MANAGEMENT AND INFORMATION TECHNOLOGY)**

UCSI has been instrumental in making me a successful and knowledgeable student. I have learned to achieve my goals in life and to focus on the path I choose.

**JESUS FERNANDEZ RODRIGUEZ**

**SPAIN**

**BACHELOR OF CLASSICAL MUSIC (HONS)**

Being a student in UCSI's Institute of Music has been a great experience. Here, the lecturers strive towards achieving excellence. UCSI has a large number of international students and this, as well as help from local students, have assisted me in adapting to the different cultures in Malaysia.



**NG CHO YI**

**HONG KONG**

**BACHELOR OF ARTS (HONS) MARKETING**

I think the most valuable experience I have gained studying here is meeting people from different countries, learning their various cultures and customs. Lecturers are experienced and are ready to share these experiences with students. This inspires me. UCSI University is a delightful place to study and I gained more than I expected here.



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