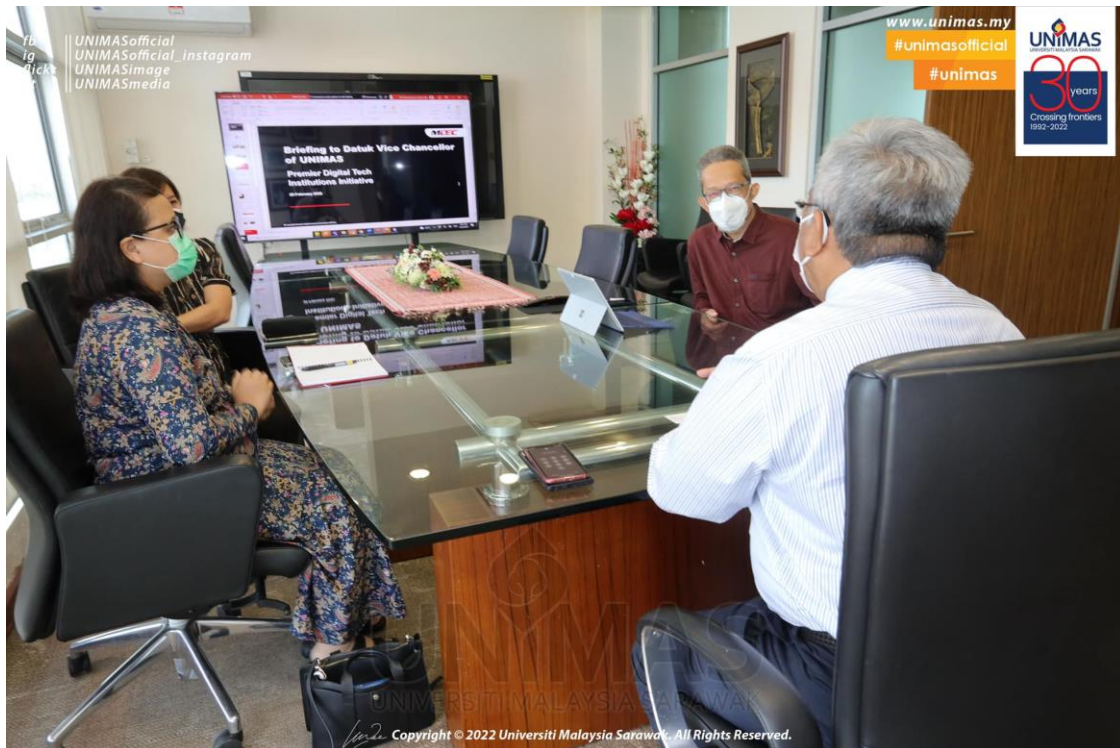
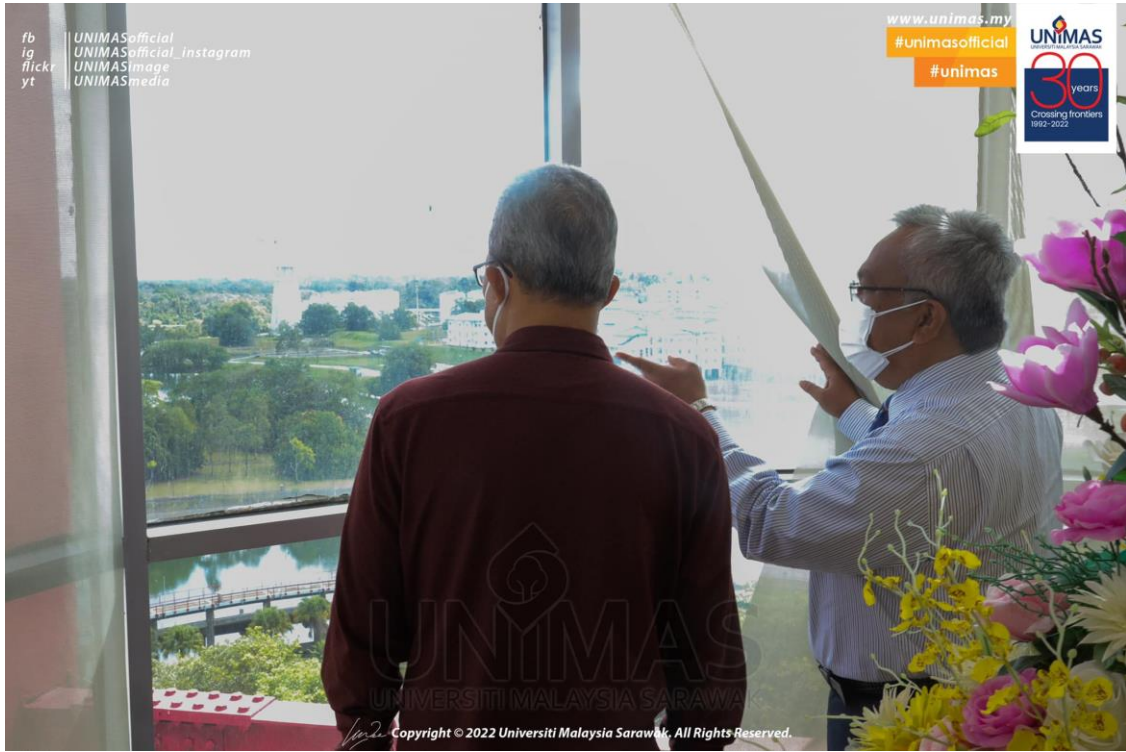


# MDEC Recognises UNIMAS As One Of Malaysia's Premier Digital Tech Institutes





Kota Samarahan, 25 Feb: Universiti Malaysia Sarawak (UNIMAS) becomes one of the 16 Higher Education Institution in Malaysia as the Premier Digital Tech Institute (PDTI), joining the likes of Universiti Malaya, Universiti Teknologi Malaysia, Taylor's University and Multimedia University.

MDEC has recognised UNIMAS as one of the preferred universities in the country when it comes to digital technology and IT courses for tertiary. As PDTI, they are responsible to improve the quality CS-related programmes graduates to meet industry demands and to ensure strong future-ready Digital Economy talent pipeline for Malaysia.

Awarded by Malaysia Digital Economy Corporation (MDEC), a total of eleven universities and five polytechnic schools received the PDTI status since it was introduced in August 2017.

Last year, UNIMAS Faculty of Computer Science and Information Technology went through a rigorous assessment where Faculty Dean Associate Professor Dr Kartinah Zen and members presented evidence related to industry collaboration in technological research, industry partnership & experience, final year projects, internship and graduate employability to the evaluators.

The PDTI status was announced by MDEC Senior Manager, Digital Talent Pipeline (Tertiary) , Mr Nik Naharudin Mohd Nasir to Vice Chancellor Datuk Prof Dr Mohamad Kadim Suaidi today during his courtesy visit to the university.

Also present include Head of Strategic Associate Professor Dr Sze San Nah, Deputy Dean of Industry and Community Engagement Dr Sarah Samson Juan.

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