

1 AZEC Delegation Explores Sustainability Initiatives at MJIT-UTM



Group photo of visitor and MJIT-UTM



Visit to ALGAE iKohza

On 6 May, MJIT hosted a delegation from the Asia Zero Emission Community (AZEC), led by His Excellency Kishida Fumio, Former Prime Minister of Japan, reinforcing Malaysia-Japan collaboration in sustainable development and low-carbon innovation across ASEAN. The visit featured a tour of MJIT's leading research facilities, including the Algae and Biomass Research Laboratory, which focuses on microalgae-based solutions for renewable energy and carbon capture. Two key centres were introduced for potential collaboration: The Disaster Preparedness and Prevention Centre (DPPC), and The Malaysia-Japan Advanced Research Centre (MJARC). This visit marked a meaningful step in advancing regional cooperation in green technology, disaster resilience, and energy transition.

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2 Cultural Diplomacy Talk Highlights Malaysia-Japan Relations through Arts and Heritage



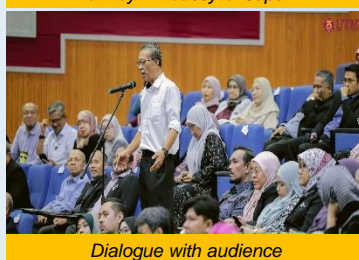
Group photo of speaker



Talk by Embassy of Japan



Cultural performance



Dialogue with audience

A Cultural Diplomacy Talk was successfully held on 20 May, organized by the Ministry of Tourism, Arts and Culture (MOTAC) through JKKK, in collaboration with MJIT and the Japan Foundation Kuala Lumpur. The event served as a platform to explore cultural diplomacy and foster international understanding through arts, heritage, and education. Centered on the theme "Malaysia and Japan – Exploring Cultural Diplomacy and Diversity," the program featured panel discussions on bilateral cultural relations, the integration of Japanese-style engineering education with Malaysian values, and the evolving impact of the Look East Policy. The event drew approximately 300 participants and featured a Malaysia-Japan mini exhibition, as well as cultural performances. This initiative reflects ongoing efforts to strengthen international cultural ties and promote mutual respect and appreciation between Malaysia and Japan.

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3 MJIT Showcases Academic Excellence at MYExpo Dili 2025



MJIT's representative



Engagement with students

On May 10, MJIT participated in MYExpo Dili 2025 in Timor-Leste. A key highlight was a follow-up visit to Universidade Nacional Timor Lorosa'e (UNTL), where both institutions explored collaboration in student and staff exchange, joint research, and co-hosting academic events. MJIT also conducted an engagement session with over 50 UNTL students, sharing insights into academic pathways. This visit reinforces UTM's commitment to regional cooperation and advancing human capital development in science and technology across Southeast Asia.

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