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## 大華資產管理簽署備忘錄 提供馬大生實習與培訓

(吉隆坡6日訊) 马来亚大学(马大)电脑科学和资讯工艺院系代表该大学, 与大华资产管理(马来西亚)有限公司签署谅解备忘录, 为马大电脑科学系在籍生铺展成功的数据分析职业生涯。

该谅解备忘录将展开两年合作, 而该公司将为马大电脑科学和资讯工艺院系首20名优秀学生提供参与一年期的实习计划和定制培训课程的机会, 有关的学生通过其实习计划可在群组内学习、掌握人际关系技巧, 并获取在职学习经验。

马大校长拿督阿都拉欣哈欣指出, 这次的合作将为该大学的学生带来与行业相关的实习和培训计划, 铺展成功的数据科技职业生涯。

他说, 随着我国市场对于数据分析师的需求增长, 马大也意识到必需培育擅长于电脑运算和分析的毕业生, 并且让毕业生在步入职场前进行实习及培训。

### 林雪莲: 数据技能需求增

大华资产管理(马来西亚)有限公司首席执行官林雪莲指出, 该合作在工业革命4.0的环



阿都拉欣哈欣指出, 该合作将为马大学生铺展成功的数据科技职业生涯。



林雪莲指出, 工业革命4.0增加了市场对于数据技能员工的需求。

境下, 变得极为关键和及时, 而有关革命也增加了职业市场对于数据技能员工的需求。

她说, 如今的相关毕业生必需掌握数据、自动化和最新科技为主的适当科技, 才能在未来的工作环境下取得成功。

另外, 该谅解备忘录除了提供实习和培训计划, 双方也将联手为逾1200名电脑科学和资讯工艺系大学生, 举办编程马拉松或金融科技实验室等的科学竞赛。

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*A MoU was signed to mark a two-year collaboration for both organisations to provide a customised training and internship programme that focuses on data analytics*

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According to Universiti Malaya Vice-Chancellor, Datuk Ir. (Dr) Abdul Rahim Hashim, the nation's premier university is always looking for strategic partnerships with leading industry players such as UOBAM (Malaysia).

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Lim Suet Ling, Chief Executive Officer, UOBAM (Malaysia), said, "We are honoured to be given the opportunity to collaborate with a renowned tertiary institution such as Universiti Malaya. We look forward to sharing with the University's FCSIT and its computer science students our regional expertise and training programmes to help these students become the next generation of data analytics professionals.

"This collaboration is both critical and timely against the backdrop of the Fourth Industrial Revolution[1] that has resulted in an increased demand for digitally-skilled employees. Graduates need the right skills to succeed in the workplace of the future that will be dominated by data, automation and the latest in technology. UOBAM (Malaysia) is proud to support an industry-academic initiative as part of our effort to nurture young talent so that they can become future industry leaders."

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