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Malaysia

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MIRI CITY

Miri is regarded as Sarawak's most cosmopolitan city with a population of more than 350,000 comprising the entire spectrum of the state's over 20 ethnic groups, as well as a large expatriate community.

Weather



Malaysia is an equatorial country, with fairly uniform temperatures throughout the year. It is mostly summer all-year round and only a short rainy season in the later months. The average daily temperature ranges from 23oC - 32oC.

Leisure

Leisure in Miri consists of a splendid waterfront, marina, shopping malls, two 18-hole golf courses, also sports recreation such as bowling and archery. Miri is also home of two Malaysia's premier annual international music festivals, Borneo Jazz and Miri Country Music Festival.



Dining

In Miri, we have a diversity of cuisines to satisfy your taste buds. It varies from hawker food, local cuisines and also international franchises.



Nature

A major tourism gateway and base to explore Sarawak's most spectacular natural attractions such as beaches, rainforests and national parks. Sarawak is renowned for its natural beauty and attractions, which includes the famous Mulu Caves, a UNESCO World Heritage Site.

We are also a popular diving destination due to the abundance of spectacular patch reefs.

Travel

We have direct air links to regional hubs such as Kuala Lumpur, Singapore, Johor Bahru, Kuching and Kota Kinabalu. We are also a 2 hour drive away from our neighbouring country, Brunei.



History

Miri is often referred to as the 'Oil Town of Malaysia' as it is home to the country's over 100-year-old petroleum industry, as well as Sarawak's 'Resort City' given its scenic seaside location and being the gateway city to the area's world renowned natural attractions.

Accommodation

A range of stays will help you to experience more about Miri, which includes 5-star hotels, boutique inns and also localized homestays. This will make your experience in Miri quite exceptional.



Cultural Diversity

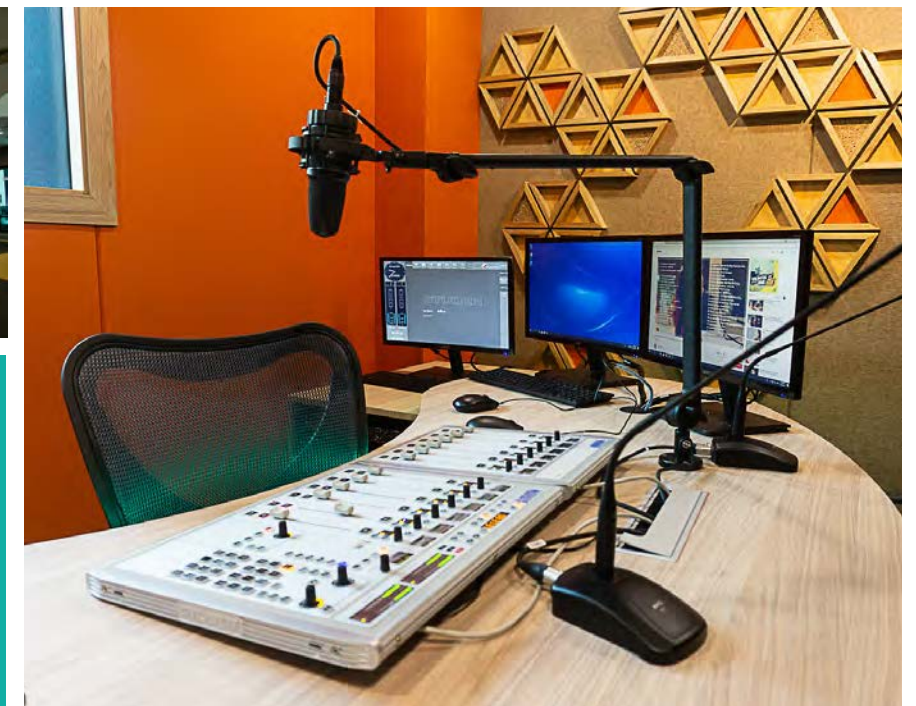
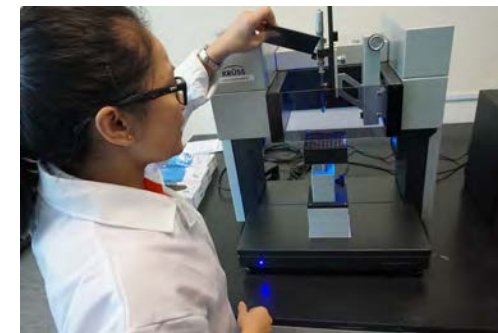
Known as Bumi Kenyalang or 'Land of the Hornbills', Sarawak is Malaysia's largest state and home to some 27 ethnic groups making up a population of close to 2 million; each with its own distinct language, culture and lifestyle.



LIFE AT CURTIN MALAYSIA

With so much to see, do and experience, university life can be an exciting and fulfilling experience.

To ensure it's not a daunting one, Curtin Malaysia offers a range of services and support programmes to make your time at university enjoyable, inclusive and productive.



A GLOBAL UNIVERSITY

THE ABERDEEN-CURTIN ALLIANCE

The Aberdeen-Curtin Alliance was established in early 2017, combining 500 years of academic strength, history and tradition at Scotland's University of Aberdeen with the ambition and innovation of Curtin University.

Start your career with our globally recognised courses and extensive industry connections. You will be immersed in technology-rich environments and inspired by innovation, creativity and high-impact research.

Curtin University has campuses in Western Australia, Singapore, Malaysia, Dubai and Mauritius, and partnerships with more than 130 institutions around the globe.

Depending on your course, you could study at one of our campuses or one of our partner institutions. Some courses allow you to switch between campuses while others can be studied online.

Curtin's growing international reputation has seen it rise up the university rankings in recent years. The University is now ranked in the top one per cent of universities worldwide in the prestigious Academic Ranking of World Universities 2019.

When you graduate, you'll join our alumni network of more than 230,000 graduates.

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Second in the world for mineral and mining engineering

QS World University Rankings by Subject, 2019

TOP 1%

Curtin University is ranked in the top 1% of universities in the world.

ARWU 2019



86% of research output rated 'world standard or above'

Excellence in Research Australia 2015

DUBAI

At Curtin Dubai, you'll study in a city famed for its luxury lifestyle, architecture and geographical importance. The campus provides flexible access to highly regarded programs for students in the Middle East, India, Africa and Central Asia.

MAURITIUS

Two thousand kilometres off the south east coast of Africa, the tropical island of Mauritius blends cultures from Europe, Africa and Asia. Here you'll receive an internationally recognised education and can sample a variety of exciting leisure activities and sports.

SINGAPORE

Singapore is one of the world's most cosmopolitan cities and one of the major economic hubs of Asia.

Curtin Singapore is the perfect place to immerse yourself in the world of international business and commerce or you could choose to study mass communications or nursing here.

MALAYSIA

Located near the city of Miri, Sarawak, on the island of Borneo, Curtin Malaysia has a beautiful garden campus nestled between the world's oldest rainforest and the South China Sea. Campus facilities are set amidst lush greenery and the area's natural wonders, rich biodiversity and unique cultural heritage offer interesting opportunities for out-of-the-classroom learning and leisure travel.

KALGOORLIE

The Kalgoorlie Campus puts Curtin students in the heart of WA's historic mining region.

PERTH

Perth is a stunning, vibrant and multicultural city and the ideal place to mix study with sports, activities, dining and relaxation.

Our largest campus is located just six kilometres from the city centre. It is a place of inspiration, with technology-rich learning spaces, high-impact research and a wide range of courses that prepare you for your future career.

Consider some of the benefits of living and studying abroad:

- Learning a different language
- Immersing yourself in a new culture
- Making new friends
- Building your resume
- Improving your English
- Developing new perspectives

EXCITING STUDY OPPORTUNITIES



TRANSFER OPTIONS

Example: Bachelor of Engineering (4 years)

Malaysia	Year 1	Year 1-2	Year 1-3	Year 1-4
Perth	Year 2-4	Year 3-4	Year 4	-

Example: Bachelor of Commerce (3 years)

Malaysia	Year 1	Year 1-2	Year 1-3
Perth	Year 2-3	Year 3	-



CAMPUS MAP



Over 1000 FREE parking spaces across the campus.

* Project scheduled for completion in 2020

AZMAN ISLAMIC CENTRE

HERON 3
• Recreation & Event Centre

BLOOMBERG TRADING ROOM*

HERON 2
(Lance Twomey Building)
• Faculty of Business
• Collaborative Online Learning Room

HERON 1
(John Curtin Building)
• Campus Reception
• Administration Offices
• Student Central
• International Division
• Student Study Area

FALCON 4
• The Library
• The Auditorium

FALCON 2
• Student Drop-off Zone
• Shoplots

ENGINEERING RESEARCH LAB*

HORNBILL 1
• ICT Labs
• ICT Helpdesk

SKYLARK 3
• Faculty of Engineering and Science
• Distributed Learning Space

LAKESIDE APARTMENTS 4*

HORNBILL 2
• HDR Centre
• FYE Studios

FALCON 3
• Food Court

SKYLARK 2
• Faculty of Engineering and Science

SKYLARK 1
• Faculty of Engineering and Science

KINGFISHER 7
(Lambir)

KINGFISHER 4
(Mulu)

AUSTRALIA AVENUE

KINGFISHER 6
(Niah)

BIO VALLEY PARK

KINGFISHER 5
(Multipurpose Hall)

KINGFISHER 2
(Similajau)

FALCON 1
• Harry Perkins Lecture Theatre

PRINIA 1
• Curtin Malaysia Graduate School
• Office of Student Affairs
• Office of R&D
• Student Learning Commons
• Foundation Learning Space
• Radio Studio

PRINIA 2
• Faculty of Humanities

PRINIA 3
• Distributed Learning Space

KINGFISHER 3
(Sibuti)

KINGFISHER 1
(Logan Bunut)

DIGITAL CENTRE FOR EXCELLENCE*

NEW RUGBY PITCH*

STUDENT ACCOMMODATION

Safe, convenient and affordable, close to area shops, services and public amenities.

ACCOMMODATIONS TO SUIT YOUR NEEDS

Need a place to stay? Curtin Malaysia can help you find accommodation either on or off our campus. Safe, comfortable and modern accommodation is available to suit a range of budgets.

Curtin Malaysia currently has four student accommodation options: Lakeside Apartments I & II (within the campus); Curtin Villa and Curtin Water II (in the immediate neighbourhood).

Alternatively, Housing Services can assist you to arrange private

accommodation close to the campus. Rental will vary depending on the type of accommodation and location.

ON-CAMPUS ACCOMMODATION

Our on-campus accommodation is a popular way to stay close to the campus and reap all the benefits. Due to high demand, we recommend you apply for student housing as soon as you apply to study at Curtin Malaysia.

WANT MORE OPTIONS?

Living off-campus may be the answer. A range of accommodation options are available in the suburbs surrounding

the Curtin Malaysia campus. You'll benefit from close proximity to public amenities and shopping, with rental prices varying depending on the type and location of the accommodation you choose.

For more information about student housing, including photographs and rental fees, visit: accommodation.curtin.edu.my/accommodation-options/



FACILITIES	LAKESIDE APARTMENTS 1	LAKESIDE APARTMENTS 2	CURTIN VILLA	CURTIN WATER 2
ROOM TYPES	Dormitory Flat	Apartment	Terrace-type Houses	Double Storey Terrace Type
NO. OF BEDS AVAILABLE	230	72	252	266
UTILITIES ALLOWANCES	RM50/ month	RM50/ month	RM37.50/ month	RM50/ month
INTERNET ACCESS	✓	✓	✗	✓
KITCHEN FACILITIES (REFRIGERATOR & COOKING STOVE)	✓	✓	✓	✓
LAUNDRY	Coin Operated	Coin Operated	Token Operated	Coin Operated
PARKING	Free	Free	Free	Free
SECURITY & SHUTTLE SERVICES	✓	✓	✓	✓
DISTANCE TO CAMPUS	On Campus	On Campus	1 KM	3.5 KM



RENTAL FEES

LOCATION	ROOM TYPE	RENTAL RATE (RM) PER PERSON PER MONTH
LAKESIDE APARTMENT 1	Single room air-conditioned	RM 550
	Twin sharing room air-conditioned	RM 420
	Twin Sharing Ceiling Fan	RM 340
LAKESIDE APARTMENT 2	Single room air-conditioned	RM 600
	Twin sharing room air-conditioned	RM 470
	Twin sharing room air-conditioned	RM 340
CURTIN VILLA	Single room air-conditioned (Deluxe)	RM 500
	Single room air-conditioned (Standard)	RM 420
	Twin sharing room air-conditioned	RM 340
CURTIN WATER 2	Corner : Twin sharing air-conditioned ensuite	RM 500
	Corner : Deluxe single air-conditioned	RM 580
	Corner : Standard single air-conditioned	RM 560
	Corner : Twin sharing air-conditioned	RM 480
	Intermediate : Twin sharing air-conditioned ensuite	RM 470
	Intermediate : Deluxe single air-conditioned	RM 530
	Intermediate : Standard single air-conditioned	RM 510
Intermediate : Twin sharing air-conditioned	RM 430	

*Fees are under review and may be subjected to change

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