UTM Spring Course 2024 18 Feb- 9 March 2024

Program name	SS14: Accelerating Green Development in Asia	
Dates	1. 18 Feb- 9 March 2024 in Kuala Lumpur/Malacca/ Johor Bahru (3-Weeks)	
Program outline	 This program is based in UTM (Kuala Lumpur and Johor Bahru). Students will attend lectures and visits on sustainable development and cultural diversity. The course is designed to highlight and showcase various sustainable development initiatives in Malaysia and Asian countries. 	
Attainment objectives	 To acquire global leadership skills, and cross-cultural communication skills To have a vision of working in global settings in the area of sustainable development. To improve the abilities on gathering information, presentation skills and teamwork through fieldwork in overseas. To deepen the understanding of the history, culture, economy and natural environment in Malaysia. 	
Required preparatory study	Students will be provided with program outlines and reading material about 1-2 week prior to the program Students are recommended by the International Office of home country.	
Grading criteria & evaluation	Lectures, Group & Individual assignments, Peer teaching, Group Presentation	
Advice	 All participants are advised to bring their own laptop or notebook to prepare the team project. Disciplined behaviours are required for both lecture and fieldwork classes. 	
Webpage info	https://www.facebook.com/utmsummerschoolSS14/ http://www.utm.my/mytree/ss14/	
Program Director	Prof Dr. Lee Chew Tin E-mail: ctlee@utm.my	
Teaching plans	In classroom lectures: 10 Hours Technical tours: 20 Hours Team project discussions: 16 Hours Formal Evaluations: 3h	
Online Application	http://www.utm.my/mytree/ss14/	
Due Dates	Application period: 15 October – 5 December 2023 Payment Due: 10 December 2023	
Program Fee	USD1,700/student (USD1,600/pax for a group >15 students) ☐ All transports during program are provided (for visits, airport transfers, lectures) ☐ Transports are Not provided during Free & Easy ☐ Accommodations are included. ☐ Partial Meals are provided.	

Date	Programs			
	Week 1 Kuala Lumpur - Malacca City			
18/2/24 Sun	Arrival @Kuala Lumpur International Airport (KLIA) Airport Pick up by UTM buddies Hotel Check-in			
19/2/24 Mon	AM Tour 1 UTM Kuala Lumpur campus/ Malaysia-Japan International Institute of Technology 2h Welcome Lunch provided. PM Tour 2 KL Central Walking Trail			
20/2/24, Tue	AM Tour 3 Green Building PM Free & Easy** (own transport)			
21/2/24, Wed	AM Tour 4 Industry Visit 1 Free & Easy** (own transport)			
22/2/24, Thur	AM Check out/ Departure to PM Arriving Malacca Historic City/Hotel Check -in Tour 5 Malacca City Walking Trail			
23/2/24, Fri	Free and Easy @ Malacca			
24/2/24, Sat	Noon Check out / Departure to UTM Johor & Hotel Check-in			
Week 2: UTM - Johor				
25/2/24 Sun	AM Course Briefing & Ice-breaking & Group bonding PM Tour 6 UTM Green Campus Tour			
26/2/24 Mon	AM Tour 7 Malay Cultural Village PM Tour 8 Johor Bahru City Tour			
27/2/24 Tue	AM Lecture 1 Glossary on Low Carbon City & Sustainable Development Goal (SDGs) Lecture 2 Competent Writing & Presentation Skills 2h Lunch provided PM Team Project Discussions 2h			
28/2/24 Wed	AM Lecture 3 Low Carbon City Development 2h Lecture 4 Sustainable Consumption and Production (SCP) Lunc provided PM Tour 9 Industry Visit 2 Tour 10 Kota Iskandar & Forest City Green Township			
29/2/24 Thur	Team Project Discussion 4h			
1/3/24 Fri	Social Outing 2 days-1 night (Dinner provided)			
2/3/24 Sat	AM Breakfast provided Noon: Check-out and return to UTM			
3/3/24 Sun	Free & Easy			
	Week 3: UTM - Johor			
4/3/24 Mon	AM Lecture 5 Empowering Green Action by Youth 2h (Including 15 min Presentation by each University's representative to present the green initiatives in their home campus) PM Team Project Discussion: University's role in promoting SDGs, 2h			
5/3/24 Tue	Team Project Discussion 4h			
6/3/24 Wed	Team Project Discussion 4h			
7/3/24 Thur	[EVALUATION] Group Presentation Closing Ceremony & Awards Farewell Dinner & Gift Exchange (Meal provided) (Students will exchange gifts)			
8/3/24 Fri	Free & Easy or Hotel Check-out (if desired)			
9/3/24 Sat	Hotel Check-out (Senai/KL/Singapore)			

Fee				
Included	Program Fee (Lectures), Airport transfers (for students Group, KL/Senai/Singapore), Transportation for visits/tours, inter-city transfer (Kuala Lumpur-Malacca-Johor), Accommodations in KL/Malacca/Johor, Social outing, Partial meals as stated in program.			
Excluded	Meals, Insurance, Transportation during Free & easy time.			

Remarks:

- 1) For return flights, it is good to fly from the Senai Airport (15 min from UTM Johor by bus) although we could also cover airport transfer from Kuala Lumpur International Airport (KLIA) or Singapore Changi Airport.
- 2) UTM Johor to KLIA will take about 3.5 hours by bus.
- 3) Complimentary Airport transfer services via Kuala Lumpur or Singapore are only provided for a group of students and NOT individuals.

Cancellation Policy:

Cancellation policy for SS14 Accelerating Green Development in Asia (18 Feb- 9 March 2024)				
	Personal Reason	Medical Reasons (e.g. COVID-19)		
On or before 1 January 2024	A full-refund for a cancellation on or before January 1st (subject to 10% tax + 6% service charge and currency loss).			
On or after 2 January- 10 February 2024	50% refund of the fee after reduct 16% (tax and service) of the fee paid + currency loss.	-		
On or after 11 February 2024	No Refund	Full refund after reduct 16 % (tax + service charges) + currency loss		