

UniMAP RECORDS HIGHEST DIPLOMA STUDENTS ADMISSION

PAUH PUTRA – Universiti Malaysia Perlis (UniMAP) made history when it received the highest number of freshmen in the Diploma in Engineering programme.

A total of 528 students enrolled during UniMAP Orientation Week for the 2019/2020 academic session which is almost 120 percent of the projected number.

From the total number, 369 were male students while 158 students were female students who enrolled in six Diploma programmes offered.

UniMAP Vice Chancellor Prof Ir Ts Dr R. Badlishah Ahmad said the main attraction for students in choosing UniMAP diploma programme was that the programmes offered are specific to the fields needed for working in the industry.

He said this was because the curriculum offered was more comprehensive and hands-on and at the same time supported the transformation of Technical and Vocational Education and Training (TVET).

“Also, the main guarantee is that all UniMAP engineering diploma programmes are fully accredited by the Malaysian Qualifications Agency (MQA),” he said in his speech at the Dewan Kecemerlangan UniMAP during the briefing for new Diploma students and parents.

Also present were the Deputy Vice Chancellors of UniMAP and the university's top management.

R. Badlishah said among other guarantees was the marketability rate of the 374 Diploma students who graduated October last year.

“234 people choose to pursue their undergraduate studies with 90 percent of them choosing to continue their studies at UniMAP.

“101 have chosen to work in industries such as First Solar Malaysia Sdn Bhd, HP Malaysia Manufacturing Sdn Bhd, Intel Malaysia and Pentex

Medical (Penang) Sdn Bhd while a number have been improving their technical skills while in the process of job application,” he said.

UniMAP offers Diplomas in Computer Engineering, Electrical Engineering, Mechatronics Engineering, Microelectronics Engineering, Manufacturing Engineering and Metallurgical Engineering.

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Captions:

- UniMAP Vice Chancellor Prof Ir Ts Dr R Badlishah Ahmad delivering a speech at the Parents' Briefing Ceremony during the induction of the Diploma in Engineering students at Dewan Kecemerlangan, UniMAP Pauh Putra Campus.
- Parents and Diploma in Engineering freshmen posing for photos with UniMAP's top management.