## UniMAP 2008 Intellectual Property 'Novelty Search' Workshop

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The Intellectual Property Management Division, Research & Development (R&D) Unit had organized a 'novelty search' workshop for researchers as well as post-graduates of the UniMAP cluster research on 26 June 2008 at the Kechor 5 Seminar Room. This workshop was aimed at exposing researchers to intellectual property matters and procedures in assessing research products before submission for the 'novelty search'.

The workshop was conducted by Pintas Group Sdn. Bhd., a renowned patent agent company amongst Malaysian and Singaporean universities. Pintas Group is part of Pengurusan Harta Intelek Malaysia. A total of 40 participants attended the half day workshop and all were most satisfied with the beneficial information they had received. Since most participants were young researchers, the workshop is aimed at heightening interest and commitment to research in UniMAP, most importantly towards the importance of patenting their research output.