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UUM ONLINE: In efforts to confront and surmount the challenges of institutional management on their journey towards sustained success, Universiti Utara Malaysia (UUM) and Universiti Sultan Zainal Abidin (UNiSZA) forged a collaborative link yesterday morning by signing a Memorandum of Understanding (MoU) at the Visitors' Lounge, Vice-Chancellor's Office, UUM.

The Vice-Chancellor of UUM, Prof Dato' Seri Dr Mohamed Mustafa Ishak, and the Vice-Chancellor of UNiSZA, Prof Dato' Dr Ahmad Zubaidi A Latif, sealed the MoU on behalf of their respective universities in the presence of senior officials from both UUM and UNiSZA.

The Vice-Chancellor of UUM said in his speech that UUM was immensely gratified with having been able to establish cooperation for the first time with a university of an east coast state to embark on a maiden collaborative journey that will prove beneficial to their endeavours in their respective niche areas.

"UNiSZA offers a wide spectrum of programmes in the fields of study such as Science and Islamic Studies, which UUM does not. Even so, I am convinced that both these universities have great potential for striding forward by means of this collaboration.

"If we invest the required effort and have proper planning in place, we can achieve the success that we desire although each university will have to contend with its own phase of challenges. Though each of these challenges will be temporary in nature, it will still take time to achieve the success we want," he said.

He added that the School of Law at UUM and its counterpart at UNiSZA could look into working on joint programmes, in particular mobility programmes, as well as a series of out-of-class activities such as debates, moot court competitions, and sports.

Through such programmes, he said, the law students of both institutions could camp in one place and carry out the various planned activities.

Meanwhile, the Vice-Chancellor of UNiSZA, Prof Dato' Dr Ahmad Zubaidi, said that, although UNiSZA would be celebrating its 10th anniversary this year, the university still needed guidance from a long-established and well-known university such as UUM.

"We need ties that are close and strong in order to face the global challenges of the future and, in this respect, I hope UUM will be able to give UNiSZA its utmost cooperation so that we can move boldly forward and confront our challenges with industry," he said.

Also present at the event were the Deputy Vice-Chancellor (Research and Innovation), UUM, Prof. Dr. Noor Azizi Ismail, Members of the University Management Committee, UUM, and senior UNiSZA and UUM officials.



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