

# Local Chapter Activity Report

## at the 11<sup>th</sup> UNISEC–Global Meeting

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# History of Local Chapter Activities



Established in July 2019, POC: Dr Norilmi Amilia Ismail, USM

- *Participated in CLTP in 2011, 2017 and 2018*
- *Participated in MIC in 2018 – Winner of Special IAF Award*
- *Attended 6th UNISEC Global Meeting 2018*
- *Participated in BIRDS-2 Program in 2016 – UiTMSAT-1.*
- *Involvement of university students in CanSat Competition organized by MYSA – 2019 & 2020*
- *Practical Space Projects organized by USM Space System Lab – High Altitude Balloon (HAB), Small Satellite System (MYSat)*



# History of Local Chapter Activities

*In May 2024, POC: **Dr Fatimah Zaharah Ali, UiTM***

- *Multination Collaborative 1U CubeSat Development Project (ASEANSAT) in 2021 – led by UiTM*
- *Hosting **46th Virtual UNISEC-Global Meeting** (20 July 2024) – Industry-Academia Collaboration for Sustainable Satellite Project*
- *Co-organized (UiTM) with Cybernet System for **National Space Imaging Payload Competition**, from Oct 2024 – Jan 2025*
- *Consultee in **57th Virtual UNISEC-Global Meeting** (Introduction to CubeSat Salon), hosted by UNISEC-Japan – 21 June 2025*





# UNISEC-Global Activities in 2024-25



## \*\*Number of

- Member Universities: 4 Universities (UiTM, USM, IIUM, UPM)
- Students: 27 (USM) + 47 (UiTM)
- Professors: 6 + 9 (involvement in the program)
- Others (Corporate members, etc.): 2 (companies involved in the program)



# UNISEC-Global Activities in 2024-25



- Co-organized by UiTM & supported by UNISEC for **National Space Imaging Payload Competition Grand Finale** (main organizer: Cybernet System): **16 Jan 2025**



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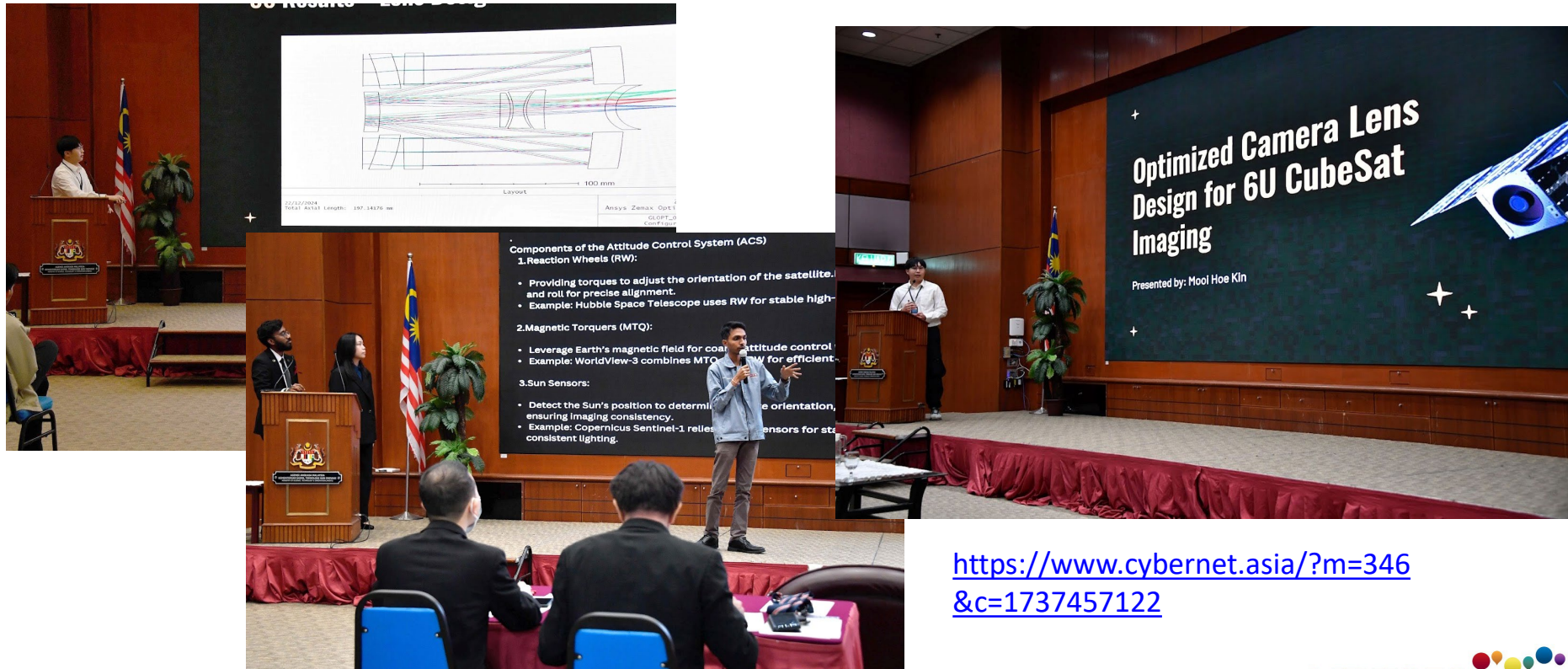
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# UNISEC-Global Activities in 2024-25

- **National Space Imaging Payload Competition Grand Finale: 16 Jan 2025**
  - held at the Malaysian Space Agency (MYSA) in Kuala Lumpur
  - launched in October 2024 in conjunction with World Space Week.
  - 15 participated teams, 11 selected for finale: academic institutions & commercial organizations.
  - Designing a high-resolution camera lens for 6U CubeSat using Ansys Zemax.



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# UNISEC-Global Activities in 2024-25

- Co-organized by **UiTM** & supported by **UNISEC** for **National Space Imaging Payload Competition Mission II** (main organizer: Cybernet System): **27 August – 29 October 2025**



- Open to academic institutions only – 8 teams
- Submission of full technical report on one of four predefined, space telescope–based design themes:
  - Compact Space Telescope for Low Earth Orbit (LEO) suitable for CubeSat deployment,
  - Wide-Field Space Survey Telescope,
  - Near-Infrared Space Telescope design
  - Creative Concept Design

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# UNISEC-Global Activities in 2024-25

## Plan for 2024-25 and beyond



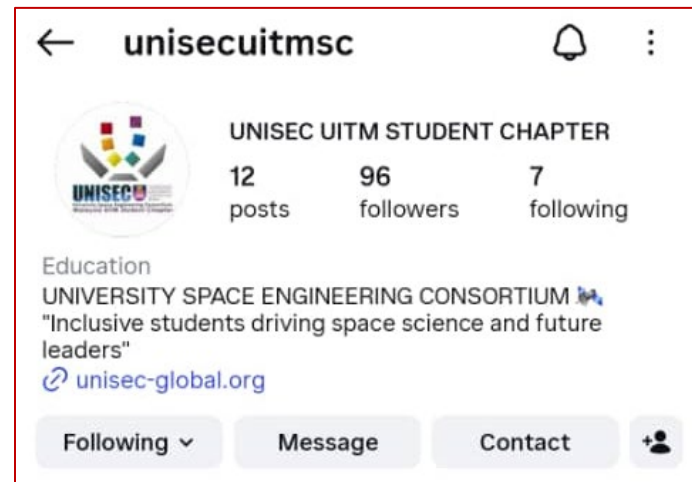
### UNISEC-Malaysia Student Organization (UNISON)

- Start in UiTM, open to all students from different background
- Expand to all UiTM students from all branches
- Expand to all university students in Malaysia

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- **UNISEC-Malaysia UiTM Student Chapter (SC)**
- **Official establishment: 1 July 2025**
- **47 members (5 executive councils + 6 portfolios)**
  - Humanitarian
  - Education
  - Technical
  - Multimedia
  - Social
  - Industry Relation
  - Student Advisory Council (to be added during next AGM)





# UNISEC-Global Activities in 2024-25

## Plan for 2024-25 and beyond

### Space STEM Education

- Team up with UiTM lecturers from other branches
- Awareness on space through STEM education



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- **Lead STEM Outreach Program: IoT Meets Space: Expanding STEM Horizons for Underserved Students at Selangor Through Satellite Prototyping**
- Grant awarded by IEEE TryEngineering Program
- 10 lecturers + 6 students as facilitators + 1 company
- 50 schools' students (participants) + 13 teachers (2 schools in rural Selangor, Malaysia)
- 3 phases:
  - Phase 1 & 2: Theoretical & Practical Training Workshops at each school
  - Phase 3: Final Competition → CanSat Operation Challenge (COC) at UiTM



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- *IoT Meets Space @ SMK Bandar Baru Salak Tinggi*
  - 12-13 August 2025





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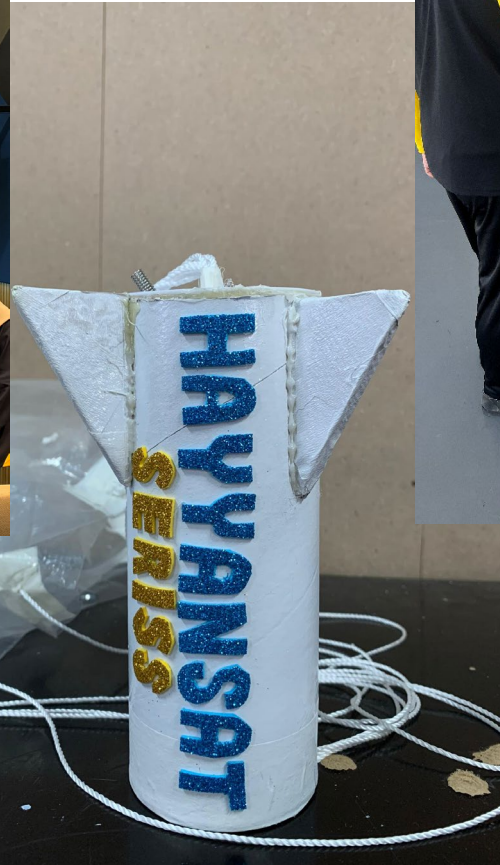
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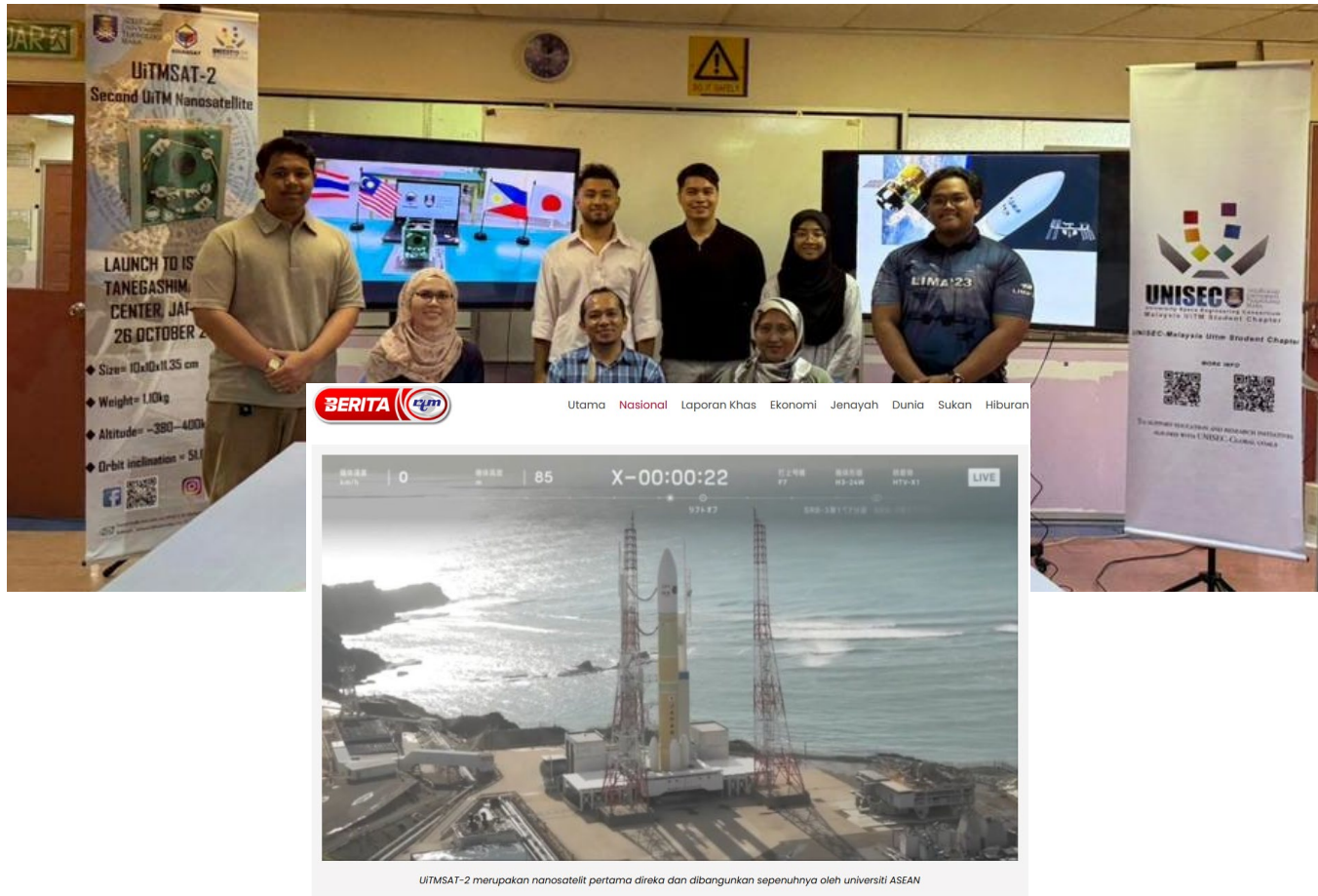
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# UNISEC-Global Activities in 2024-25

- *UiTMSAT-2 launching to ISS by JAXA's H3 F7 rocket – 26 October 2025*



**SHAH ALAM, 26 Oktober** – Universiti Teknologi MARA (UiTM) sekali lagi mencipta sejarah apabila berjaya melancarkan nanosatelit keduanya, UiTMSAT-2, ke Stesen Angkasa Antarabangsa (ISS) menerusi misi HTV-X1 yang berlepas menggunakan roket H3 F7 dari Tanegashima Space Center, Jepun pada pukul 8 pagi waktu Malaysia hari ini.



# UNISEC-Global Activities in 2024-25

- **Engineering Student Societies Expo in UiTM – 24-25 October 2025**
  - promote UNISEC-Malaysia UiTM SC
  - Introduced UNISEC-Malaysia's mission, activities, and opportunities
  - Engaged with students through direct interaction and information sharing
    - Increased awareness and interest among students (Electrical, Mechanical, Chemical)
  - Expanded the local chapter membership base: Recruit new members





# UNISEC-Global Activities in 2024-25

- Organized talk for final year students: **Building Engineers of the Future**
- 24 Oct 2025
- To prepare final-year students for professional engineering careers
- To expose students to industry expectations and real-world engineering practice
- To inspire future engineers to contribute responsibly to society and technology advancement



## ALUMNI- IN-ACTION

BUILDING **ENGINEERS**  
OF THE FUTURE

JUMAAT,  
24 Oktober 2025

9:00 - 11:00  
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**INDUSTRY INSIGHTS:  
SUCCEEDING BEYOND  
GRADUATION**

**Pelajar Tahun  
Akhir (Sem 7 & 8)  
Diwajibkan hadir**

  
Panelist  
**DATO' IR MOHD NOR**  
Metro Harapan Sdn Bhd  
CEO@Faculty

  
Panelist  
**IR HJ MOHD SALLEH**  
SHR Engineering  
Pengerusi Persatuan Alumni FKE UiTM

  
Panelist  
**AMEER YUSLAN**  
Schlumberger Asia Support Sdn Bhd



# UNISEC-Global Activities in 2024-25

- *UNISEC-Malaysia UiTM Student Chapter **Teambuilding** – 14 December 2025*
  - *to engage with new members*
  - *As preparation for AGM (potential new executive committee members)*
  - *to foster rapport and teamwork among existing and prospective committee members*
  - *Strengthened leadership continuity and chapter sustainability*





# Plan for 2025-26 and beyond

## *Space Outreach*

- *Using ASEANSAT as the platform*
- *Students to be exposed on satellite operation through Ground Station*
- *Students' understanding on telemetry data.*





# Plan for 2025-26 and beyond

- Organize an ASEAN-level space technology summits and activities
  - To strengthening international visibility and student leadership development
- *Visits to other UNISEC chapters for mutual collaboration and joint programs:*
  - *UNISEC-Thailand*
- Participation in the 12th UNISEC Meeting:
  - to expose and motivate student members



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*THANK YOU*

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