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SUSTAINABLE EXPERIENTIAL LEARNING IN ENVIRONMENTAL ISSUES, ECOSYSTEM, TECHNOLOGY & COMMUNITY ENGAGEMENT IN PENANG





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ABOUT THE PROGRAM

AIM

This program offers experiential learning on environmental sustainability, water waste management, ecosystems, and technology, as well as community engagement.

DELIVERY METHOD

Hands-on activities with local students and communities, industrial talk and tour

IMPACT OF THE PROGRAM

- Participants learn about the unique biodiversity and ecology of the Penang Hill rainforest ecosystem.
- Participants learn about Malaysia's wetland system in order to increase environmental

consciousness and the importance of natural resource preservation.

- Participants value the mangrove area for the preservation of sustainable ecosystems.
- Participants acquire hands-on experience and exposure to industry in the field of sustainable technology.
- Increase participants' sustainability environmental awareness by providing them with the opportunity to observe the state of Malaysian coastlines and the forms of waste that contaminate them.
- Through the community engagement program, participants learn about and experience the distinctive local cultural diversity.



Sustainable Water Resource Management

The Sustainable Water Resources Management Program at the River Engineering and Urban Drainage Research Centre (REDAC) introduces participants to Malaysian storm water management methodologies and practices.

Sustainable Environment

Penang Hill & The Habitat excursion exposes participants to the rainforest ecosystem's unique biodiversity and ecology.

Sustainable Ecosystem

The Centre for Global Sustainability Studies (CGSS) Sustainable Ecosystem Program will bring participants closer to nature and expose them to the Malaysian constructured wetland system.

HIGHLIGHTS OF THE PROGRAM

Sustainable Technology

Visiting industries in the Bayan Lepas Free Industrial Zone provides participants with practical experience and industrial exposure in the field of sustainable technology.

Community Engagement

The community engagement program in Balik Pulau, Penang, will provide participants with a Community Engagement one-of-a-kind local cultural diversity experience and understanding.



To learn about biodiversity and environmental conservation in Penang.

To learn the function of the BIOECODS system on-site. To learn about the function and role of selected plants in constructed wetland system.

To participate in planting mangrove saplings as a natural buffer to prevent land erosion and protecting aquatic life ecosystems.

To develop a comprehensive understanding of sustainable technology and its practical applications.

To improve the coastal ecosystem and maintain the natural beauty of seaside area.



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PROGRAM DESCRIPTIONS

Program content

This program offers experiential learning on sustainable environment, water management, ecosystem and technology. The program involves various outdoor activities, hands-on activities, industrial talk and an engagement with local communities.

Minimum number of participants: 20

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PROGRAMME DETAILS



NATURE EXPLORATION AT THE HABITAT PENANG HILL

Sustainable Water Resources Management Activities with REDAC

- BIOECODS Campus Cycling and Walking Tour
- Planting of Wetland Plants
- Rafting Challenge

Sustainable Ecosystem Program by CGSS in Merbok, Kedah

Mangrove Replanting
SDG Board game

PROGRAMME DETAILS



SUSTAINABLE TECHNOLOGY VISIT TO KEYSIGHT TECHNOLOGIES BAYAN LEPAS, FREE INDUSTRIAL ZONE

COMMUNITY ENGAGEMENT PROGRAM BALIK PULAU, PENANG

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