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World's Libraries (Malaysia)

Universiti Malaysia Sarawak (UNIMAS)

http://www.unimas.my/

We had an interview with Ms. Haruna Minegishi (College of Systems Engineering and Science, Department of Bioscience and Engineering), who joined the PBLs (Project-based learning) which were held in Universiti Malaysia Sarawak for about two weeks in August 2017 and 10 days in August 2018.

> • Universiti Malaysia Sarawak: is a well-known university located in Borneo-the largest state in Malaysia.









[Malaysia] Population: about 32 million Capital: Kuala Lumpur Languages: Malay, Chinese, Tamil, English







Since Malaysia is an Islamic country, there are restrictions on food and time (for prayer). Foods were delicious but there were often very spicy. I found many different customs and things which I never seen in Japan.











for study abroad **Good for study English**

[one-stop one-question **TOEIC L&R test**

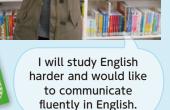
 \sim Express for reading \sim]



As the part of the PBL program, we made an electric-generating propeller by 3D printer last year. We had a competition by group to generate electricity by using water. I visited the university library to see a sample propeller with my Malaysian friend.

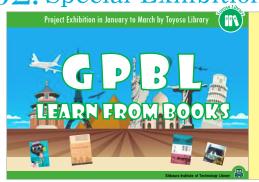
For the initial period of the time, I faced difficulty in English communication, but after this experience, I became more aggressive in talking with international students in my laboratory. It is good not to create a barrier to foreigners to master English.





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02. Special Exhibition







03. Library News



Graduates can use university libraries.



Using a library card, you will be able to use library services like lending/reading books, and order materials from other campuses' library. "It is very useful since the library has a lot of materials" a graduate who is using this service said. Application for the library card is available through the service counter at the library or library HP easily. Let's apply!

(Usage status of graduates)

(Apr.1st, - Nov.30th, 2018)

- 1. Graduate School
- 2. Department of Materials Science and Engineering
- 3. Department of Engineering and Design

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One of our student staff members received the President's Award (Global activity)!!

Award winner: Mr. Hayato Sato (Graduate school, Electrical Engineering and Computer Science) Award-giving ceremony: Tuesday, 19th March at the commencement

Award citation: He gave counsel to students who would like to study abroad and assisted with registration and living consultation



as student staff at the GLC (Global Learning Commons). He set up the "TOEIC moku-moku group" and contributed to GLC. Also, he actively introduced book materials to international students and contributed to the globalization of the library.

Small Exhibition "from graduates to current students"









Messages and recommended books from library student staff who will graduate from SIT in March 2019 are on display. Please take a look at useful books recommended by Sempai (seniors).

New arrival foreign books selected via [Book garden_Web] are on display!

There were over 100 participants (as the sum of three libraries) in the [Book garden_Web], which offers the opportunity to select books that students want to read in our library. In Shibau-

ra library, selected foreign books have just arrived to our library and are on display at the top of the rack for new arrival magazines. Participants said: "I can choose the book which I needed for a long time", "I want to suggest this service to our juniors".



4. Library Best5

Graded Readers

(Apr.1st,-Nov. 30th, 2018)



Roman holiday

Call number: 837.7/I12/Shiei-2, The number of books lent: 17

Call number: 837.7/O93/Shiei-1, The number of books lent: 16

The Phantom of the Opera

Call number: 837.7/I12/Shiei-3, The number of books lent: 16

The Albert Einstein story

Call number: 837.7/I12/Shiei-1, The number of books lent: 16

And Then There Were None Call number: 837.7/I12/Shiei-4, The number of books lent: 15

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The number of books lent by libraries (per person by faculty) (Apr.1st, -Nov.30th, 2018) The number of books lent Department of Architecture \$1 20.6 Department of Machinery and Control Systems 2 19.9 Department of Architecture and Building Engineering Department of Bioscience 14.1 and Engineering Department of Materials 13.9 Science and Engineering

