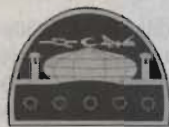




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USIM'S FACULTY OF QURANIC AND SUNNAH STUDIES

About the Faculty

The Faculty of Quranic and Sunnah Studies is one of the three pioneering faculties set up by the University. The Faculty's first intake of students commenced their studies from the 2000/2001 academic session. In the beginning there was only one programme being offered viz. Bachelor of Quranic and Sunnah Studies.

The Faculty of Quranic and Sunnah Studies is committed to further uphold the dignity of the Quranic and Sunnah studies in the national education mainstream. Among the initiatives taken by the Faculty are offering several new innovative programmes which integrate the classical Quranic and Sunnah Studies with other disciplines in accord with the aims and needs of the country. Two new programmes began to be offered viz. Bachelor of Quran Studies and Multimedia (Hons) and Bachelor of Sunnah Studies and Information Management (Hons) beginning the 2005/2006 academic session. Both programmes, offered in collaboration with the Faculty of Science and Technology, provide value added to students from the religious stream in Malaysia to further extend their knowledge besides their understanding of the core hard-skills on the Quranic and Sunnah Studies.



Dr. Adnan Mohamed Yusoff
 Dean, Faculty of Quranic and
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Vision of the Faculty

To uphold the dignity of the Quran and Sunnah in producing individuals with the basics of Islamic education and recent technology who could contribute to the society, the country and the world.

Objectives of the Faculty

Upholding the Mission of the University, the Faculty's objectives are:

1. To produce graduates who are capable to comprehend and derive jurisdiction from its original source of the Quran and Sunnah

2. To produce graduates with overall comprehension on Islamic thinking in `aqidah, syari`ah and ethics based on the Quran and Sunnah, and posses the comprehension on current thinking development.
3. To produce employees who are capable to perform perfectly their duties especially in the field of Quran and Sunnah studies, e.g. teachers, researchers, officers, IT system designers, information sources manager, entrepreneurs and others.

Programmes Offered

The Faculty of Quranic and Sunnah Studies offers a wide range of programmes at all levels, beside the involvement in research activities, publication and community services. Programmes offered at the undergraduate level are as follows:

1. Bachelor of Quran and Sunnah Studies (Hons)
2. Bachelor of Quran Studies and Multimedia (Hons)
3. Bachelor of Sunnah Studies and Information Management (Hons)

BACHELOR OF QURAN STUDIES AND MULTIMEDIA (HONS)

Bachelor of Quran Studies and Multimedia (Hons) programme is offered based on the fact that the Quran is the main source of knowledge in Islam. It encompasses various aspects of knowledge that comprise different fields such as theology, law, history, science etc. However, it is found that the main field stressed in the teaching of Quran is the one related to the classical knowledge of Quran and focused on deriving the jurisdiction about the Islamic practice and understanding only. As a result, most graduates in this field are incapable to interact with the technology and current scientific development. By offering this programme, the Faculty is able to produce graduates who possess integrated theoretical and practical skills in both fields of Quran and Multimedia. This is based on the need of the society for the employees with skills in the Quran and multimedia.

BACHELOR OF SUNNAH STUDIES AND INFORMATION MANAGEMENT (HONS)

Bachelor of Sunnah Studies and Information Management (Hons) Programme is offered based on the consideration that the fields of Sunnah Studies and Information Management are closely-related but they have never been offered by other Public Institutions of Higher Learning (IPTA) in Malaysia despite the high demand in these fields. This is because, the field of Sunnah Studies, which is considered as one of the main sources of Islamic Studies, consists of several main components of studies such as Hadis, Sirah, history etc. which contain valuable information and historical data (biography, geography, judiciary and etc.) that are needed in the understanding and studying of Islam and its civilisation. On the other hand, the field of Information Management generally emphasises on conventional aspects of managing data and information. Thus, offering a special programme which combines these two fields is very important in producing experts in Islamic information and library management which could be benefited by many agencies and institutions based on information and knowledge either academic, management etc.

The Faculty hopes to produce graduates with skills in both Sunnah Studies and Information Management fields, integrating theoretical and practical knowledge and able to serve in knowledge and information-based organisations like the libraries etc.

For more information, please contact the Faculty's Assistant Registrar at 06-798 8516.