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Charting New Frontiers

Dr. Che Zuhaida Leads
Malaysia's Space Law Moot Competition 2025



Dr. Che Zuhaida Saari of USIM's Faculty of Syariah and Law is spearheading Malaysia's journey in space law through the Space Law Moot Court Competition (PMPA) 2025, scheduled for 5–7 December at USIM. The event, organised with MOSTI and other partners, trains law students through simulated court proceedings in space law cases.

Impact on the Community

Dr. Che Zuhaida has been instrumental in shaping Malaysia's space law landscape, contributing to the Space Board Act 2022 and serving in national treaty committees. Her leadership underscores USIM's pioneering role in embedding Syariah perspectives into global legal discourse. By making space law part of undergraduate study since 2016, USIM has positioned itself at the forefront of a fast-growing field tied to navigation, telecommunications, and global governance.



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Looking Ahead

With PMPA 2025, USIM aims to nurture the next generation of space lawyers capable of addressing legal challenges in outer space. The university envisions becoming a regional hub for ethical and Syariah-aligned space law, preparing Malaysia not just to participate, but to lead responsibly in the global space era.





USIM and IDEAS Autism Centre
Unite for

Merdeka Celebration

IDEAS Autism Centre, together with USIM's UMMI, hosted a Merdeka Celebration at USIM. The event, attended by USIM Pro-Chancellor YAM Tunku Zain Al-'Abidin, featured the launch of a Quran Teaching and Learning Model for the OKU community, developed with UIS and UKM.

Why It Matters

The collaboration reflects the powerful synergy between academia and NGOs in advancing inclusivity. Since its founding in 2012, IDEAS Autism Centre has championed rehabilitation and social enterprise for children with autism, and USIM's involvement strengthens this mission. Together, they highlight education, research, and community engagement as tools for empowerment.

Continuing the Journey

Building on this momentum, USIM and IAC aim to expand joint initiatives through student volunteerism, awareness programmes, and shared resources. The

partnership demonstrates a long-term commitment to embedding inclusivity in the nation's development journey, beyond symbolic celebrations.



A Decade of Care

USIM Healthcare Marks 10 Years of Specialist Services

Healthcare Sdn. Bhd. (UHSB) celebrated the 10th anniversary of its Specialist Clinic with a vibrant Open Day at AEON Mall Nilai. The event offered free screenings, dental checks, physiotherapy, speech therapy, and medical consultations.

Children enjoyed fun health activities, while shoppers joined lucky draws, received vouchers, and met specialists in dermatology, surgery, and family medicine. More than a community fair, the celebration reflected a decade of growth, service, and commitment to accessible care.



The Bigger Picture

The anniversary marked more than a milestone—it showcased USIM Healthcare’s evolving role as a trusted healthcare provider beyond hospital walls. Over the years, the Specialist Clinic has built credibility by combining affordability with high-quality services. The event’s strong turnout reinforced UHSB’s vision of bringing healthcare closer to daily life, promoting wellness while strengthening public trust. It also highlighted the clinic’s contribution to USIM’s wider mission of integrating professional expertise with community impact.

What’s Next

As UHSB enters its second decade, the focus is on expansion and innovation. Plans include broadening specialist offerings, enhancing outreach through technology, and deepening ties with the community. The clinic aims to remain at the forefront of patient-centred care—making services not only available but approachable and engaging. With stronger networks and a clear mission, USIM Healthcare is ready to deliver lasting value and greater impact for the people it serves.

Breaking Barriers

USIM Develops Special Font to Empower the Hearing-Impaired with Quran Literacy

USIM and He & She Sdn. Bhd. have signed an MoU to develop Malaysia's first Halal Barista Certification Module. The partnership covers seminars, workshops, training, and research initiatives, combining academic expertise with industry experience.



Why This Innovation Counts

This initiative addresses a long-standing challenge faced by the hearing-impaired: distinguishing connected Arabic letters. By reimagining khat into an inclusive design, USIM has created a tool that bridges gaps in Quranic education. The project also highlights the university's commitment to inclusive research, innovation, and community empowerment, ensuring no group is left behind in spiritual literacy.

Towards the Future

The Rasm IshaRI font is set to expand nationwide, with plans to integrate the mobile application into classrooms, families, and religious institutions. With continued collaboration between USIM and Yayasan RI, the innovation is poised to transform Quran literacy for the hearing-impaired,



paving the way for broader accessibility and inclusivity in Islamic education.

Smart Syariah



USIM's ILA Chatbot Shines at ASEAN AI Malaysia Summit 2025

At the ASEAN AI Malaysia Summit 2025, USIM introduced the Islamic Family Law Assistant (ILA) Chatbot, the first of its kind in Malaysia. Developed by FSU's Legal Clinic and SDEC, the chatbot uses Microsoft Azure to provide guidance on Islamic family law, integrated with the e-Konsultasi platform for hybrid consultations.

The Bigger Picture

ILA represents a major step in bridging traditional legal frameworks with modern technology. It demonstrates USIM's role in ethical AI innovation, ensuring public access to accurate and Shariah-compliant legal literacy. The strong response at the summit reflects the demand for smart solutions in legal services, and positions USIM among leading institutions shaping the AI landscape in Southeast Asia.

What's Next

Currently in prototype, ILA will undergo further refinement through user feedback. With continued development, it has the potential to become a national reference point for AI-powered Islamic legal support, advancing USIM's aspiration to lead in Syariah-tech innovation.



Strengthening Syariah Justice

USIM and MUIS Seal Strategic MoA

USIM, through its Faculty of Syariah and Law (FSU), signed a Memorandum of Agreement (MoA) with the Sabah Islamic Religious Council (MUIS). The event, held at USIM's Faculty of Major Languages Studies Hall, was witnessed by senior leaders of both institutions and the Sabah State Government. This partnership focuses on the Diploma in Syariah Judiciary and Legal Practice (DIJAP), an off-campus programme at Universiti Malaysia Sabah (UMS) to produce graduates equipped with legal and ethical competencies in syariah law.



Why It Matters

The MoA represents a strategic alignment between academia and state authority in strengthening the human capital of syariah judiciary. Beyond sponsoring tuition fees, the collaboration signals the shared vision of USIM and MUIS to build a sustainable pipeline of skilled syariah professionals. This partnership also opens doors in related areas such as halal governance, expanding Sabah's ability to harness the economic and legal dimensions of Islamic law.

Moving Forward

Moving forward, the MoA is expected to strengthen syariah institutions in Sabah, offering more opportunities for research, training, and policy development. For USIM, it demonstrates the university's role in shaping national and regional Islamic legal education. Together, USIM and MUIS are laying the foundation for a future where the syariah judiciary is more resilient, professional, and capable of meeting the needs of both society and industry.



Brewing Innovation

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The Bigger Picture

This initiative strengthens USIM's leadership in halal lifestyle education, embedding ethical practices across the food and beverage sector. For students, it offers hands-on training and industry readiness, while for academia, it enriches teaching and innovation agendas. For the halal industry, it sets a new standard of professional certification aligned with Islamic principles.

Way Forward

The collaboration is expected to create sustainable value for both education and industry. By bridging theory with practice, the Halal Barista Module will not only shape skilled graduates but also contribute to Malaysia's global halal ecosystem.



USIM Cadet Wins National Best SISPA Award

Rising Star

USIM student Nurul Syafiqkha Azman, 23, was named Best Cadet at the 16th National Kor SISPA Commissioning Ceremony in Shah Alam. She was among 918 cadets commissioned with the rank of Second Lieutenant (Civil Defence) and stood out as one of 24 top officers across Malaysia.

Looking Ahead

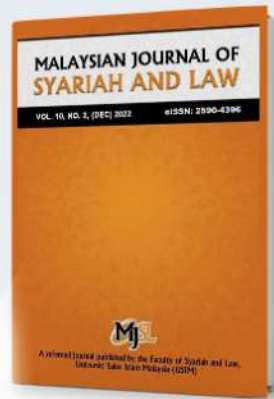
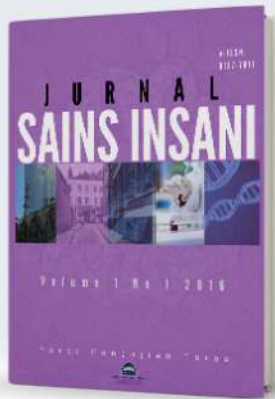
Nurul's achievement highlights the importance of SISPA in shaping leadership, resilience, and civic responsibility. Balancing academics and rigorous training, she embodies the holistic development USIM fosters in its students. The award also demonstrates the university's commitment to producing graduates who excel in both knowledge and service.

Nurul Syafiqkha Azman

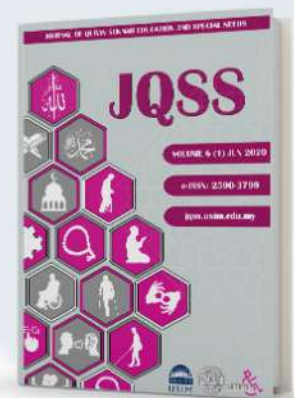
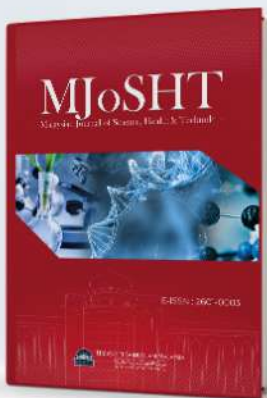


Moving Forward

Aspiring to be an educator, Nurul hopes her success inspires peers to pursue excellence in academics and co-curricular activities. Her story reinforces USIM's role in nurturing disciplined, well-rounded leaders who will contribute to both community and nation.



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“Bandingan (derma) orang-orang yang membelanjakan hartanya pada jalan Allah, ialah sama seperti sebiji benih yang tumbuh menerbitkan tujuh tangkai; tiap-tiap tangkai itu pula mengandungi seratus biji. Dan (ingatlah), Allah akan melipatgandakan pahala bagi sesiapa yang dikehendaki-Nya, dan Allah Maha Luas (rahmat) kurnia-Nya, lagi Meliputi ilmu pengetahuan-Nya”

Surah Al-Baqarah: Ayat 261

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