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**Faculty of
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Master of Science (Information Technology) by Research

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SCAN TO APPLY



ADMISSION REQUIREMENTS

- (i) A Bachelor's degree (Level 6, MQF) in Computing or related fields with a minimum CGPA of 3.00, as accepted by the university Senate; OR
- (ii) A Bachelor's degree (Level 6, MQF) in Computing or related fields with a minimum CGPA of 2.00 and not meeting a CGPA of 3.00 can be accepted subject to a thorough rigorous assessment by the faculty; OR
- (iii) A Bachelor's degree (Level 6, MQF) in Non-Computing field with a minimum CGPA of 2.50 can be accepted subject to a thorough rigorous assessment by the faculty to identify the appropriate prerequisite courses that equivalent to their working experience in the Computing or related fields; OR
- (iv) A Bachelor's degree (Level 6, MQF) in Non-Computing field with a minimum CGPA of 2.50 can be accepted subject to appropriate prerequisite courses; OR
- (v) Other qualifications equivalent to a Bachelor's degree (Level 6, MQF) in Computing or related fields recognised by the Government of Malaysia must fulfil the requirement on item i or ii.

English Language Proficiency Requirements (International Candidates only)

- (a) International applicants or non-English speaking countries applicants must achieve a minimum of Band 4 in MUET or equivalent to CEFR (Low B2) such as Band 5.5 in IELTS, score of 46 in TOEFL iBT and score of 51 in PTE; OR
- (b) Fulfil the general language requirement outlined by the university.

Criteria on Conferment of Degree

1. Produce at least one (1) article published / accepted in Scopus / WoS indexed journals before submitting the final dissertation.
2. Present research work at least once at any conference and publish in Scopus indexed proceedings.

DURATION OF STUDY

Full Time 2 – 6 semesters | Part Time 4 – 8 semesters

PROGRAMME STRUCTURE

Study areas under the Master of Science (Information Technology) by Research programme are:

1. Information Systems
2. ICT for Development
3. Knowledge Management
4. ICT Research Methodology
5. Enterprise Systems
6. Action Research
7. Human Computer Interaction
8. Web Development Usability
9. Intelligent Knowledge-based Systems
10. Information Visualisation
11. Web Engineering
12. E-commerce

FEES	LOCAL (MYR)		INTERNATIONAL (MYR)
	MODE	FULL TIME	PART TIME
Registration	730.00	730.00	3080.40
Semester 1	2033.00	1923.00	4380.00
Semester 2	2008.00	1898.00	4380.00
Semester 3	2033.00	1923.00	4380.00
Semester 4	2008.00	1898.00	4380.00
Semester 5	2033.00	1923.00	4380.00
Viva Voce	1000.00	1000.00	1000.00
Total Fees	11845.00	11295.00	25980.40

Graduate On Time Schedule

Semester	Activities	Milestones	Assessments
1	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Attend Research Methodology Course • Write research proposal • Learn to use reference manager software (Mendeley) and document preparation system (LaTeX) 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Pass Research Methodology Course • Pass Proposal Defence • Pass Progress Report 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Research Methodology Course • Proposal Defence • Progress Report
2	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Write dissertation chapter 1, 2 and 3 (Introduction, Literature Review and Methodology) • Attend Research Literacy Course • Write review/survey paper 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Submit review/survey paper to a Scopus/WoS indexed journal • Pass Progress Report 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Progress Presentation • Progress Report
3	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Conduct experiment or field work • Write dissertation chapter 4 (Results and Findings) • Attend Research Literacy Course 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Present research work at a conference • Pass Progress Report 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Progress Presentation • Progress Report
4	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Write dissertation chapter 5 (Conclusion) • Write journal article • Prepare a complete dissertation 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Submit article to a Scopus/WoS indexed journal • Submit Dissertation 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Pre-Viva • Viva Voce • Dissertation