

## Embracing Different Cultures and Exercising Entrepreneurship Skills through Real World Practice

KLMUC students from the Faculty of Management and Business Technology host the Yes  
3.0 Programme in Sabah

**Sabah, 17<sup>th</sup> of November 2016-** As part of the institution's effort to uphold its core stance 'Real World Practice,' students from Kuala Lumpur Metropolitan University College (KLMUC), under the Faculty of Management and Business Technology held the Youth Entrepreneurship & Social Responsibility Program (YES 3.0), held from the 9<sup>th</sup> until the 13<sup>th</sup> of November. The five day affair saw a variety of insightful activities meant at instilling entrepreneurship experience and the awareness for social responsibility amongst the students.

The students that made their way to Kampung Kaung, Kota Belud, all come under the Entrepreneurship Club which is part of the Faculty of Management and Business Technology. Some of the activities included a visit to Desa Cattle Farm, hiking and jungle tracking, community services such as the harvesting of crops at Kaung Paddy Hill, and a group cleanup at Sungai Kedamaian.

A particularly interesting activity was the visit to the Pekan Nabalu Village Market, in which the students assisted local entrepreneurs with their daily business, from selling products to managing their stalls and small shops.

Student programme leader, Norhafizah binti Abdul Hamid from the programme of Business and Management Technology under the Faculty of Management and Business Technology said, 'I am thrilled to be given the opportunity to visit Sabah as part of my practical learning experience. At the same time, I am also able to exercise good citizenship in giving back to the community through some of our activities, I have always been mesmerised by Sabah's beauty and its rich culture, I am happy to share this experience with my fellow classmates and friends.'

Cultural activities were also included into the programme such as a *Rewang* activity, in which students and villagers came together in preparing food. Dances and performances were also exhibited to portray the rich culture of the *Kadazan Dusun* people, in which Kampung Kaung plays host to.

International student Opeyemi Olajide Adebisi, a student of the Information Technology programme from the Faculty of Management and Business Technology said, “Being an international student at KLMUC, it always gives me great pleasure to learn about the different races and cultures of others, particularly here in Kampung Kaung the *Kadazan Dusun* people have been exceptionally welcoming and friendly. At the same time, I can apply some of the entrepreneurship skills learnt at KLMUC through some of the activities here. This is the great thing about KLMUC, it gives its students a chance to explore the outside world through ‘Real World Practice.’”

The programme concluded with a barbeque dinner and a visit to the Filipino market, which is famous for its local produce, including jewellery, handicrafts and Sabah delicacy.

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