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upgraded its Oracle 11gR2 database and the information infrastructure applications system, *Oracle Real Application Cluster (RAC)*, in line with the university's requirements to enhance its information technology (IT) capability and ensure its long-term viability and effectiveness.

The upgraded facility will not only benefit the university's 7,000-strong scholarly community, but also the general public and prospective students, allowing them a simpler and quicker access to UMP's website.

According to the Vice-Chancellor, Professor Dato' Dr Daing Nasir Daing Ibrahim, other than the database and applications system, the upgrading project would also involve hardware improvement, i.e. replacing old equipment with new ones.

Since 2003, UMP has put into practice an Integrated Management System (IMS) in its operations, employing *e-Community* applications like Financial

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IMS, Human Resources IMS and academic portals.

"The implementation of a wide range of IT applications system has resulted in increased productivity and time-savings in our delivery system and services," said Professor Dato' Dr Daing Nasir at a document exchange ceremony with Oracle Corporation Malaysia Sdn. Bhd. at the university's Chancellory Banquet Hall on April 15.

At the ceremony, Deputy Vice-Chancellor (Academic & International), Professor Dr Badhrulhisham Abdul Aziz, and Acting Director of the Centre of Information & Communications Technology, Roslan Awang Abdul Rahman, received upgrading certification documents from Professor Dato' Dr Daing Nasir for Academic IMS and e-Community application, respectively.

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"The successful completing of this upgrading project reflected a positive response to our ongoing efforts to boost UMP's efficiency and competitiveness." he added.

Oracle Corporation Malaysia Senior Sales Manager, Juharimi Hasan, expressed his hopes that the company's bilateral collaboration with UMP will assist the country in human capital development, especially in producing professional engineers.