



UMP FORMED PARTNERSHIPS WITH US UNIVERSITIES TO REINFORCE ITS ENGINEERING TECHNOLOGY PROGRAMME

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Universiti Malaysia Pahang (UMP) formed collaborations with three universities in the United State (US) to further strengthen its technology engineering programme.

The universities are University of Houston (UH), Texas State University (TSU) and Texas A & M University (TAMU).

A Memorandum of Understanding (MoU) was signed between UMP and UH and

discussions were held with faculty members of the three universities that paved the way to several academia programmes such as exchange of staff and students as well as joint research activities.

The MoU between UMP and UH was signed on April 1, 2016 with Vice-Chancellor, Professor Dato' Dr. Daing Nasir Ibrahim representing UMP while UH by its Deputy

Provost, Dr. Jaime Ortiz.

Dato' Dr. Daing Nasir said the collaboration with UH would involve an exchange programme of staff and students with joint research work in the offing.

"Rapport is good and we have agreed to share expertise by way of having a visiting professor," said Dato' Dr. Daing who also led the delegation.