

Building Information Modelling  
Maltimur Inspires UNIMAS Quantity Surveying Students

**Tuesday, 29 November 2022, Kuching** – As part of our way to 'give back' to the community, Maltimur recently hosted a group of UNIMAS Year 4 Quantity Surveying students on a study visit. According to Head of Corporate Communication, Hajjah Nor Zalida Ahmad, "Our objective was to inspire the students on the use of Building Information Modelling (BIM) in infrastructure development and management projects. Essentially, we hoped to demonstrate how BIM is used across the various project phases, from design and planning till operation and maintenance. This is to enable the students to see the relevance of their course to real-life work".

The visit held on Friday 25 November 2022 involved nearly 50 students and lecturers. A group of 25 visited Maltimur, while the rest tuned-in online from UNIMAS.

After a corporate briefing on Maltimur, the students heard about Maltimur's plans for digital transformation, and real-life application of BIM in Maltimur's current and past projects. Maltimur's subsidiary, Lebuhraya Borneo Utara used BIM heavily for the Pan Borneo Highway Sarawak project, a first for Malaysia's road and highway industry.

As part of the study visit, the students also had the opportunity to visit a BIM lab to further engage on career and industry perspectives.

According to UNIMAS Associate Professor Sr. Ts. Dr. Afzan Ahmad Zaini, "Through visiting Maltimur, the students were able to better appreciate their future role in infrastructure projects. It is wonderful that they were able to learn from local pioneers, especially those who have contributed to major developments in the State."

*If you have knowledge, let others light their candles in it.* In line with our belief of **People First**, Maltimur is proud to contribute to the development of local talents.

