

# TAYLOR'S UNIVERSITY SUMMER PROGRAMME IN EVENTS MANAGEMENT

6 to 19 August 2023

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## TAYLOR'S SCHOOL OF HOSPITALITY, TOURISM AND EVENTS



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#### **COURSE HIGHLIGHT**

- 1. To equip students with knowledge and skills in managing different type of events.
- 2. To be immersed in the Malaysian multicultural environment.
- 3. To explore the multicultural work context in the Malaysian Event Industry.
- 4. To engage students with industry experts through sharing informative experiences.

#### LEARNING OUTCOME

- Upon completion of this programme, student should be able to:
- 1. Describe the principles of events management.
- 2. Apply skills and knowledge obtained through interactive sessions with experts from the event industry.
- 3. Reflect on the new and unfamiliar cultural experienced in Malaysia.

#### ASSESSMENT



Students are required to attend and participate in all the workshop activities throughout the two weeks.



Students are required to prepare a VLOG not more than 3 minutes reflect on their learning experiences throughout the summer programme.

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SATURDAY

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DAY 1 SUNDAY	Check in to designated accommodation service
DAY 2 MONDAY	<ul> <li>Orientation and Welcome Speech by Head of School &amp; Programme Director</li> <li>Teambuilding and Workshop (Ice Breaking)</li> </ul>
DAY 3 TUESDAY	<ul> <li>Workshop 1: Scope and Nature of Event Management</li> <li>Workshop 2: Event Concept Development</li> </ul>
DAY 4 WEDNESDAY	<ul> <li>Industry Workshop 1: Event Entertainment, Staging and Design</li> <li>Expert Series 1: The Secrets to Keep Your Audience Entertained, a Case Study of Malaysia</li> </ul>
DAY 5 THURSDAY	<ul> <li>Workshop 3: Event Marketing</li> <li>Workshop 4: Innovative Event Marketing</li> </ul>
DAY 6 FRIDAY	<ul> <li>Expert Series 2: How to Market Your Event in Southeast Asia (SEA) with or without Social Media</li> <li>Workshop 5: Event Poster Designing</li> </ul>
DAY 7 SATURDAY	Free and Easy
	WORKSHOPS WITH PROFESSIONAL SPEAKERS MEET & GREET

ON STAGE DEMONSTRATION WITH GOOGLE STADI WEEK 2 **PROGRAMME ITINERARY** DAY 8 Free and Easy SUNDAY DAY 9 • Workshop 6: The Malaysian Event Culture (Protocol and Taboo) MONDAY • Workshop 7: Event Logistics & Risk Management **DAY 10** • Industry Workshop 2: The Future of Event Industry in Malaysia TUESDAY • Workshop 8: Networking with Event Management Student **DAY 11** • Expert Series 3: The Role of Technology in Event Industry through Event Software Used in Malaysia WEDNESDAY • Field Visit: Networking with the Malaysian Industry Expert (MACEOS Leaders) **DAY 12** • Workshop 9: Clearing and Closing of Event THURSDAY • Expert Series 4: Bringing Your Audience to the Next Event • Vlog Submission and Group Sharing Session **DAY 13** • Certificate Giving Ceremony FRIDAY **DAY 14** • Check out from accommodation service and return to homeland

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### **Taylor's University Summer Programme in Hospitality Management**

#### **Course Highlights**

- 1. To introduce the global hospitality trends to expound the students understanding on the hospitality industry setting.
- 2. To provide the students an overview of the international chain of hotels in Malaysia.
- 3. To take the students on various field trips to enhance their know-how of the various key sectors of the global hospitality industry.
- 4. To introduce the students to the key players of the industry to gear them for their future careers.

#### Learning Outcomes

- Upon successful completion of this programme, students should be able to:
- 1. Explore the know-how of hospitality management in the Malaysian context from an operational point of view.
- 2. Expound on the insights of management of the hospitality industry in Malaysia.
- 3. Experience the different business practices among the international hotel chains in Malaysia.
- 4. Acquire a sound understanding of the Malaysian hospitality industry and its cultural dimensions.

#### Assessment

The students are required to compile a 2-minute Project-based Video to capture their key learning points throughout the summer programme that will be uploaded on social media and a group presentation of the same on the final day of the summer programme or as per the schedule.



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DAY 3 TUESDAY	<ul> <li>Workshop 2: Intercultural Management at the Workplace</li> <li>Workshop 3: Human Resource Management: Dealing with Multicultural Perspectives</li> </ul>
DAY 4 WEDNESDAY	<ul> <li>Workshop 4: Hospitality Management: The Life of a General Manager</li> <li>Field Visit 1: IHG Group; Holiday Inn Express KL City Center</li> </ul>
DAY 5 THURSDAY	<ul> <li>Field Visit 2: Hilton Worldwide Group</li> <li>Field Visit 3: Marriott International Group</li> </ul>
DAY 6 FRIDAY	Kuala Lumpur Cultural Tour
DAY 7 SATURDAY	Free and Easy
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DAY 8 SUNDAY	Free and Easy
DAY 9 MONDAY	<ul> <li>Workshop 5: Food &amp; Beverage Trends in Malaysia: Café and Barista Business Perspectives</li> <li>Field Visit 4: DeGayo Factory; from Bean to Coffee, Management of a Process (Supply Chain)</li> </ul>
DAY 10 TUESDAY	<ul> <li>Workshop 6: Butler Service and Guest Experience</li> <li>Workshop 7: Luxury Brand Management</li> </ul>
DAY 11 WEDNESDAY	Workshop 8: Revenue Management     Workshop 9: Guest Service Management
DAY 12 THURSDAY	• Field Visit 5: Resorts World Genting (Casino, Food & Beverage, Hotels, Integrated Resort)
DAY 13 FRIDAY	<ul> <li>Group Presentation of the Reflective Journal</li> <li>Submission of a 2-minute Video uploaded on Social Media</li> <li>Farewell Reception and Lunch</li> <li>Free and Easy</li> </ul>
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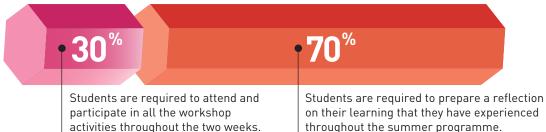
#### LEARNING OUTCOME

Upon completion of this programme, student should be able to:

- 1. Explore the diverse tourist attractions available in Malaysia.
- 2. Apply Tourism Management skills and knowledge obtained through interactive sessions with experts from the Malaysian tourism industry.
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#### ASSESSMENT



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DAY 1 SUNDAY	<ul><li>Arrival and registration</li><li>Accommodation arrangement</li></ul>
DAY 2 MONDAY	<ul> <li>Orientation and welcome speech by the Head of School &amp; Programme Director</li> <li>Teambuilding (ice breaking)</li> <li>Networking with tourism management students</li> </ul> Nature Tourism Activity <ul> <li>Skywalk and trekking at Forest Research Institute Malaysia (FRIM)</li> </ul>
DAY 3 TUESDAY	City Tour – Heritage Tourism <ul> <li>Explore the city of Malacca</li> </ul>
DAY 4 WEDNESDAY	<ul> <li>Workshop 1: Cultural Tourism</li> <li>Identify the cultural diversities in Malaysia</li> <li>Cultural performance @ MATIC 3-4pm</li> </ul>
DAY 5 THURSDAY	<ul> <li>Workshop 2: Agrotourism</li> <li>Experience the agrotourism business, farm in the city concept</li> </ul>
DAY 6 FRIDAY	City Tour – Urban Tourism <ul> <li>Explore the beauty of the city of Kuala Lumpur</li> </ul>
DAY 7 SATURDAY	• Free and Easy



WEEK 2	PROGRAMME ITINERARY
DAY 8 SUNDAY	• Free and Easy
DAY 9 MONDAY	<ul> <li>Workshop 3: Sustainable Tourism</li> <li>Explore the concept of sustainable tourism</li> <li>Experience the beauty of the Mah Meri Village</li> </ul>
DAY 10 TUESDAY	<ul> <li>Industry Workshop 1: Tour Operation</li> <li>Creating tour package in the context of Malaysia</li> <li>Discussion from the lens of industry partners</li> <li>Coastal Tourism</li> <li>Take advantage of the charms of Port Dickson by exploring the destination</li> </ul>
DAY 11 WEDNESDAY	<ul> <li>Industry Workshop 2: Airline Management</li> <li>Visit to Malaysia Airline Academy</li> <li>Nature-Based Tourism Excursion</li> <li>Visit Kuala Selangor Nature Park</li> <li>Visit Melawati Hill</li> </ul>
DAY 12 THURSDAY	<ul> <li>Expert Series: Health &amp; Wellness</li> <li>Explore and practice the world of Ayurveda by yoga experts</li> <li>Activities</li> <li>Presentation work/ Batu Caves</li> </ul>
DAY 13 FRIDAY	<ul> <li>Assessment presentation and sharing session</li> <li>Certificate-giving ceremony</li> <li>Closing ceremony</li> </ul>
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In today's ever-changing global corporate climate, having a university degree is no longer the sole criteria to succeed in a career. Graduates must be equipped with necessary soft skills to succeed in the working world and most importantly be prepared to compete locally and One of the most important traits internationally. graduates today must have to succeed in the global job market is cultural adaptability.

Jointly organized by the School of Architecture, Building and Design (SABD), School of Food Studies and Gastronomy (SFSG), School of Management and Marketing (SOMM) and Taylor's Law School (TLS), this unique summer programme seeks to provide students the opportunity to study and live in a new country to enhance their international experience and to help develop their cross-cultural competencies.



#### **COURSE HIGHLIGHT**

- 1. Immersed in the Malaysian multicultural and heritage environment.
- 2. Fun learning environment via a mixture of workshops, kitchen classes, field trips, and city tour,
- 3. Diverse field of learning components architecture and building, business, gastronomy and legal.

#### LEARNING OUTCOME

Upon completion of this programme, students should be able to:

- 1. Experience and explore the Malaysian architectural heritage (history, style, and values) as well as the rejuvenation of the old Kuala Lumpur into a contemporary creative city.
- 2. Appreciate and explore Malaysian art and culture through hands on experiences.
- 3. Understand fundamentals of Malaysians eating habits through field trips.
- 4. Execute Malaysian food preparation and production techniques.
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DAY 3 TUESDAY	Malacca City Tour
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DAY 10 TUESDAY	<ul> <li>SFSG – Go Behind the Scenes: Malaysian Gastronomy and Eating Habits</li> <li>Chinese Cuisine Workshop</li> <li>Exploring Chinese Imperial Cuisine</li> <li>Field Trip to one of the Malaysian Restaurant</li> </ul>
DAY 11 WEDNESDAY	<ul> <li>TLS – A seminar on Introduction to Indigenous Communities of Malaysia and Rights under the Federal Constitution</li> <li>Field Visit: Indigenous Peoples' Settlement</li> </ul>
DAY 12 THURSDAY	SOMM - Business Competitive Landscape
DAY 13 FRIDAY	<ul> <li>Student Sharing Session / VLOG Presentation</li> <li>Farewell Reception and Lunch</li> <li>Free and Easy</li> </ul>
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Constructed entirely of brick, the Sultan Abdul Samad building features strong gothic, western and Moorish-style influences with an imposing porch, graceful arches, curved colonnades topped with shiny copper cupolas and a domineering 41.2m-high clock tower. It is frequently seen as the backdrop for Malaysia's annual Independence Day parades, which takes place at Dataran Merdeka.



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