DISCOVERY YEAR

25 May 2016

Introduction: What is Discovery Year Programme?

○ Students are required to participate in the Discovery Year programme to broaden their knowledge and give invaluable experience in a real world setting.

○ An integral part of the GenNEXT degreee as it encourages real world and design centric learning.

Duration

○ One academic year, i.e. two semesters

When?

○ After the completion of two years study, normally in the 5th and 6th semesters of a candidature (in Level 3000)

DY FORM APPLICATION FORM

○ Can be downloaded from FASS UBD website:

DY FUNDING

No.	NEW (August 2016)
1	Funding provided for ONE semester only (start from August 2016, including Jan intake students)
2	UBD partner universities / institutions only (exchange partners) No tuition / bench / internship / other fees will be funded by UBD
3	Co-funding (Level 1) for cGPA 3.8 and above Co-funding (Level 2) for cGPA 2.5 to below 3.8
4	Subsistence allowances adjusted to reflect actual cost of living in the respective country (funding partially)
5	Airfares & travel allowance combined as ONE-OFF travel allowance (funding partially)
6	Co-funding (Level 1) for cGPA 3.8 and above • Funding (subsistence allowance and one-off travel allowance) Co-funding (Level 2) for cGPA 2.5 to below 3.8 • Partial funding (subsistence allowance only) No any other allowances (baggage, settling, books, etc)

Discovery Year Funding (August, 2016 onwards - Bruneian MoE Scholarship students only)

Principle: "Co-Funding" – will instill responsibility in students, expecting higher returns from Discovery Year (DY) due to cost sharing and encouraging them to seek other funding sources.

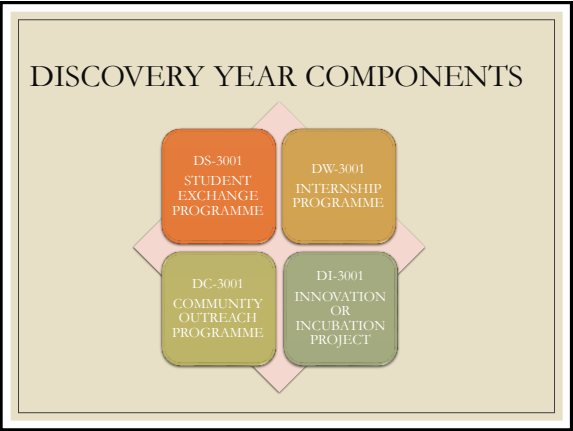| CGPA 3.8 and above	CGPA between 2.5 (inclusive) and below 3.8
Entitled to (Co-funding Level 1) for only one semester in non-Asia or Asia but only in partner university/institution ▪If in non-partner universities/ agencies, he/she bears tuition/bench/internship/other fees ▪If two semesters, he/she bears full self funding for the second semester (but UBD local allowance will be given)	Entitled to (Co-funding Level 2) for one semester in Asia but only in partner universities/agencies ▪Non-Asia will be allowed with self-funding (with UBD local allowance) but SAP in non-Asia will not be allowed. ▪Two semesters will be allowed with full self funding for the second semester (with UBD local allowance) ▪If in non-partner universities/agencies, he/she bears tuition/bench/internship/other fees
Co-funding (Level 1): -subsistence allowance (monthly) -travel allowance (one-off)	Co-funding (Level 2): -subsistence allowance (monthly)

Allowances (Aug, 2016 onwards)

UK/Ireland 1200	Canada 1000	France 1200	Singapore 1200
Korea 1000	Germany 1000	Netherland 1200	Hong Kong 1400
Australia 1000	New Zealand 1000	UAE 1200	Taiwan 1000
USA 1600	Switzerland 2000	Egypt 500	Philippines 500
Malaysia 600	Indonesia 500	Oman 1300	Thailand 600
China 600	Vietnam 500	Turkey 1300	Ecuador 1000

TRAVELLING ALLOWANCES (CO-FUNDING LEVEL 1)

Travelling and related Allowance (one-off)	BND
UK	1500
America	2200
Australia/New Zealand	1200
Europe	1500
Korea/Japan/China/Taiwan and other Asian countries except ASEAN/Hong Kong	600
ASEAN/Hong Kong	400
Africa	1500

DY ACTIVITY

DISCOVERY YEAR COMPONENTS

- DS-3001 STUDENT EXCHANGE PROGRAMME
- DW-3001 INTERNSHIP PROGRAMME
- DC-3001 COMMUNITY OUTREACH PROGRAMME
- DI-3001 INNOVATION OR INCUBATION PROJECT

STUDENT EXCHANGE PROGRAMME

Student Exchange Programme

Module Title	Study Abroad Programme
Module Code	DS-3001
Modular Credits	16 modular credits
Student workload and contact hours	Minimum requirement equivalent to 32 hours per week for 14 weeks
Module content	As per programme offered at host institution
cGPA requirement	▪ SEP under AUN-ACTS : cGPA ≥2.8 ▪ SEP to East Asian universities: cGPA ≥ 3.5 (some universities have higher requirement) ▪ SAP under AUN-ACTS and SAF: cGPA ≥ 3.8 (some universities have higher requirement)

AUN-ACTS UNIVERSITIES CGPA – 2.8 ABOVE

Southeast Asia

MALAYSIA

Universiti Kebangsaan Malaysia
University Malaya
Universiti Malaysia Sabah
Universiti Putra Malaysia
University Utara Malaysia
University Sains Malaysia
Universiti Malaysia Sarawak

INDONESIA

UNIVERSITAS INDONESIA
UNIVERSITI AIRLANGGA
INSTITUT TEKNOLOGI BANDUNG

THAILAND

MAHASARAKHAM UNVERSITY
THAMMASAT UNIVERSITY
CHIANGMAI UNIVERSITY
MAHIDOL UNIVERSITY
PRINCE OF SONGKLA UNIVERSITY

PHILIPPINES

DE LA SALLE UNIVERSITY
UNIVERSITY PHILPPINES
ANTENO DE MANILA

SINGAPORE

NANYANG TECHNOLOGY SINGAPORE
NATIONAL UNIVERSITY OF SINGAPORE

JAPAN, CHINA & KOREA

CGPA 3.0 ABOVE

University	Country
Jinan University	China
Aoyoma Gakuin University	Japan
Waseda University	Japan
Tenri University	Japan
Akita International University	Japan
Yamagata University	Japan
Soka University	Japan
Aoyoma Gakuin University	Japan
Hankuk University of Foreign Studies	Korea
Ewha Womans University	Korea
GWNU	Korea
Korea University	Korea
Seoul National University	Korea
Inha University	Korea
Sookmyung Women University	Korea

AUSTRALIA

○ **AUSTRALIA NATIONAL UNIVERSITY**

INNOVATION & INCUBATION PROJECT

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Module Title	Incubation Programme
Module Code	DI-3001
Modular Credits	16 modular credits
Student workload and contact hours	Minimum requirement equivalent to 32 hours per week for 14 weeks
Module content	▪ Student will transform an initial working design into a final product. ▪ Assessment includes training/workshop (10%); project proposal & presentation (20%); logbook % progress reports (20%); final report & presentation (30%) and supervisor's assessment (20%).
cGPA requirement	▪ None

INTERNSHIP PROGRAMME

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Module Title	Internship
Module Code	DW-3001
Modular Credits	16 modular credits
Student workload and contact hours	Minimum requirement equivalent to 32 hours per week for 14 weeks
Module content	▪ Full-time internship at a company, organisation or government agency within or outside Brunei Darussalam ▪ Assessment includes employer's report (40%); 3000-5000 word written report (30%) and oral presentation (30%)
cGPA requirement	▪ Local internship : cGPA ≥**2.2** ▪ Overseas internship : cGPA ≥ **3.0**

GOVERNMENT
(some of the agencies list)

Prime Ministry Office	National Disaster Management Centre (NDMC)
Information Department	Radio Televisyen Brunei (RTB)
Ministry of Foreign Affairs & Trade (MOFAT)	Jabatan Pembangunan Masyarakat (JAPEM)
Ministry of Communication ❖Land Transport Department ❖Meteorological Department	Narcotic Control Bureau (NCB)
Ministry of Development ❖Town & Country Planning ❖Land Department ❖Survey Department ❖JASTRE	Ministry of Industry & Primary Resources (MIPR) ❖Forestry Department ❖Tourism Department ❖Bio Halal
Ministry of Health ❖Health Service Centre ❖Pollution and Control Unit	Ministry of Education ❖Department of Schools ❖Jabatan Perkembangan Ko-Kurikulum ❖Curriculum Department ❖Caunseling Department ❖Unit Pendidikan Khas
Ministry of Defense (MINDEF)	Ant- Corruption Bureau (BMR)

PRIVATE SECTOR

(some of the agencies list)

Shazanas Production	Pusat Ehsan
Magic Media	Megamas
Regal Blue	Asia Inc
iCentre	BIBD
PHMD	TAIB
	Baiduri
HoCo Creative	AV Electronic
SMARTER	Ministry of Moments
Brunei Press (Media Permata, Borneo Bulletin)	Royal Brunei Airlines
DST	Marathon Shop
Kumon Diligent	Brunei Gas Carriage
Daelim	Total E & P
TrueVector Designs	Kaleidoscope

INTERNSHIP ABROAD

CGPA 3.0 ABOVE

MALAYSIA	INDONESIA	SINGAPORE	THAILAND
Arts & Gallery Penang	ASEAN Secretariat	Mercy Relief	UNESCO, Bangkok
Dewan Bahasa & Pustaka Kuala Lumpur	UNESCO Jakarta	INSPIRE Programme (AITI)	Andaman Discoveries
Perbadanan Muzium Melaka (PERZIM)	Fremantle, Jakarta	HEARTWARE	Mahasarakham University
Tandemic	Institut Teknologi Bandung (ITB)		
Ministry of Moments			Thammasat University
Institusi Terjemahan Buku Malaysia (ITBM)		MediaCorp	
EcoKnights, Malaysia			
Lembaga Muzium Terengganu			AUN Secretariat
Universiti Putra Malaysia			
Universiti Sains Malaysia			

COMMUNITY OUTREACH PROGRAMME

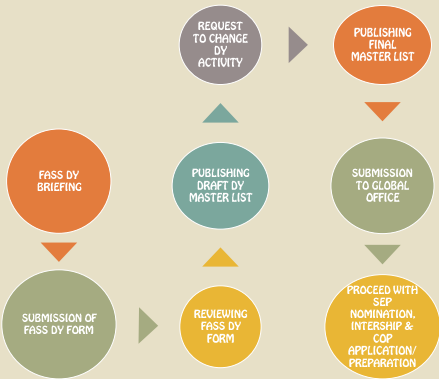| Module Title	Community Outreach Programme
Module Code	DC-3001
Modular Credits	16 modular credits
Student workload and contact hours	Minimum requirement equivalent to 32 hours per week for 14 weeks
Module content	▪ Full-time community work at a non-government and government organisation or community within or outside Brunei ▪ COP group can initiate new projects or continue existing ones, depending on the guidance of supervisor and host agency. ▪ Assessment includes proposal/reports and presentation (40%); portfolio of activities (40%) and host agency and peer assessment (20%).
cGPA requirement	**Pre-Service students** ▪ Local COP: **None** ▪ Overseas COP: cGPA ≥ 2.5 (some host agencies have higher requirement) **In-Service students** ▪ Local COP: **None** ▪ Overseas COP: cGPA ≥ 3.5

LIST OF COP PLACEMENTS - LOCAL

COP PLACEMENTS	DOMAIN	QUOTA
Human Library Project, Temburong	Teaching	Min 10
Special Olympics Brunei Darussalam	Sports	10
SCOT *Green Exchange*	Green Initiatives	5
Majlis Kesejahteraan Masyarakat (*Social Welfare Council*)	Social Service	5
Junior Achievement	Teaching	
Self-initiated Projects		Min 5

LIST OF COP PLACEMENTS – ABROAD

COP PLACEMENTS	DOMAIN	QUOTA
Universitas Airlangga Surabaya, Indonesia	Teaching	15
FPT University Hanoi & Da Nang, Vietnam	Teaching & Environment	20
Ubon Ratchathani Rajabhat University, Thailand	Teaching	15
NVDA Project Hanoi, Vietnam	Teaching	12
Universiti Pekalongan, Indonesia	Teaching	10
Universiti Malaysia Kelantan, Malaysia	Teaching, Environment & Economics	10
IndoChina Foundation, Cambodia	Teaching	5

ABROAD	FEE (4 MONTHS)	COVERAGE
Universitas Airlangga Surabaya, Indonesia	BND 800	Miscellaneous
FPT University Hanoi & Da Nang, Vietnam	US 1 200 (±BND 1 600)	Program fee & Accommodation
Ubon Ratchathani Rajabhat University, Thailand	THB 10 000 (±BND 400)	Accommodation only
NVDA Project Hanoi, Vietnam	VND 30 000 000 (±BND 1 900)	Program fee & Accommodation
Universiti Pekalongan, Indonesia	BND 800	Miscellaneous
Universiti Kelantan, Malaysia	BND 1000	Miscellaneous

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