

Shaping Tomorrow's Healthcare Leaders

Hello.

**Welcome to IMU,
We inform, equip, and
inspire, nurturing you
to chase your dreams.**



Build your future in an institution that ventures beyond just dispensing knowledge. At IMU, you'll be inspired, nurtured, and mentally equipped to take on the dynamic field of healthcare. For over a decade, we've guided thousands of students like you in reaching their dreams. But don't just take our word for it. Let the data do the talking.

SETARA 2022

Highest accolade by MoHE for the third consecutive year

5 STARS

QS Stars Rating System

6

Campuses within Malaysia

36

Partner Universities worldwide

244

Industry partners

316

Research papers published (2023)

43%

Research publications in Tier 1 and Tier 2 journals (2023)

4,049

Students (2023)

6,325

Transfers to Partner Universities in UK, US, NZ, Australia, Ireland, Canada, and China

15,617

Alumni worldwide



Embark on a transformative journey at the Centre for Pre-University Studies, where every foundation leads to boundless opportunities, and every student's potential is nurtured for a future filled with endless possibilities.

Welcome to an inspiring journey with the IMU Foundation in Science (FIS) programme, your direct gateway to Malaysia's top medical, health sciences, and healthcare management university. Your time with us will be an inspirational and holistic experience. With our student-centred approach, you'll engage with our dedicated academics and gain full access to IMU's cutting-edge digital learning resources and methodologies. This programme will be your key pathway into IMU's broad range of exciting undergraduate local and partner track programmes, as well as a direct entry to most national universities, and many international ones.

As you embark on this transformative experience, the Foundation in Science programme not only lays the groundwork for your academic journey but also nurtures the skills and knowledge that are integral to your success in healthcare. Through collaborative learning and immersive engagement, you'll build a solid foundation that not only supports immediate educational goals but also shapes your future in the evolving landscape of medical and health sciences. Let your adventure begin.

Dr James Walsh

Director, Centre for Pre-University Studies, IMU
PhD (Physics)

The journey to becoming a compassionate healthcare professional extends beyond lecture halls. Campus life is where lifelong memories are made. IMU takes your entire experience into consideration, designing our campuses to ensure holistic growth. Here, learning is accompanied by laughter, and knowledge supported by collaborations, application and friendships that form lifelong bonds. Our campus is your vibrant hub where you'll find the rhythm to stay inspired. Here's a glimpse of the enriching experiences waiting for you:

- **Green Zone**
- **IMU Healthcare**
- **Indoor Game Studio**
- **Fully-equipped Gym**
- **Dance Studio**
- **Pandan Serai Cafe**
- **Recreational Student Lounge**
- **Medical Museum**
- **Research Labs**
- **Clinical Skills & Simulation Centre**
- **Multidisciplinary Labs**



Feel the vibes of Kuala Lumpur

IMU is just a short walk to the Sri Petaling and Bukit Jalil LRT stations, and it's your direct link to Malaysia's capital, affectionately known as Kuala Lumpur (KL). Feel the vibes of our captivating city, where tradition meets all things trending. Boasting a rich cultural tapestry, vibrant street markets, iconic landmarks, and foodie havens at every turn, you'll find something to do, 24/7. Its bustling streets showcase Malaysia's diverse population, multi cultures, and ethnicities.

KL is also a global hub for business, innovation, and education, making it an ideal base for a well-rounded academic journey. With its rich variety waiting to be explored, KL invites you to experience its energy, variety, and hospitality.



Your holistic new chapter begins here

Make meaningful, lifelong connections

We're not just dedicated to nurturing your dreams; we're here to help you cultivate lifelong connections with peers, esteemed alumni, and inspiring lecturers.



At IMU, we understand every student's journey is a unique and transformative experience. Your wellbeing and aspirations are our priority. That's why we've established our student support services that complement your academics throughout your exciting new journey. From sports to social clubs, cultural to religious societies, and whether you seek academic guidance, counselling, or career advice, our dedicated team will give you the support you need to thrive:

- **Sports and Social Clubs**
- **Cultural and Religious Societies**
- **Student Representative Council (SRC)**
- **New International Students Support**
- **Scholarships and Financial Assistance**
- **Accommodation and Disability Support**
- **Counselling and Mental Health Support**
- **Student Welfare, Insurance, and General Services**
- **Student Talent and Development**
- **Alumni Relations**

Beyond just an educational institution, IMU, is your partner in holistic and personal growth, dedicated to nurturing you to become a healthcare professional who is also the best version of yourself.

Discover, develop, and connect



Foundation in Science



Scan the QR code for programme details.

Duration | 1 year **Commencement** | Apr, Jul & Sep
Programme to be completed locally.

Bedrock to a promising future

Welcome to your gateway into Malaysia's most established private institution in medical, health sciences and healthcare management. At IMU, you will reap the benefits of a student-centred philosophy, where every student will enjoy access to cutting-edge digitised learning resources and exposure to IMU's unique methodologies. Come begin your journey under the guidance of carefully selected, well qualified and experienced staff with skill sets that make them ideal pre-university academicians. Along with that, establish lifelong connections with peers who will likely become your support system for decades.

Empowering purpose-driven leaders in healthcare

1:22

Faculty to student ratio for
Centre for Pre-University Studies

85%

FIS students progress into IMU
undergraduate programmes



Real-life learning

In addition to the core sciences required to progress into IMU's undergraduate programmes, you will receive industry insights from the start. This proven methodology is incorporated into modules like English for Healthcare Professionals (EHP) and Cross Boundary Studies (CBS). Empathic communication skills and role-plays for communication skills will also be applied into clinical settings.

You will experience workplace simulations in business settings, manage projects and apply academic knowledge on the spot in modules like Business English (BE), Professional Development and Ethics (PDE), Cross Boundary Studies (CBS). Because it is never too early to start gaining work experience.

“ The programme, though challenging, instilled vital life skills beyond academics, emphasising professionalism, responsibility, and perseverance.

Leon Yap En Leon
Alumni, Foundation in Science

IMU sparks innovation, nurtures adaptability, and propels individuals to stay ahead of the curve. Catch the dynamic enthusiasm of IMU, and be driven to embrace change, tackle challenges head-on, and redefine the limits of what can be achieved.



Smooth introduction

With a compact 1-year duration, lower cost than A-levels, tailored syllabus, and great mentoring support, this is the ideal beginning to your journey into the challenging yet fulfilling world of healthcare. You will also gain clarity with early exposure and application into IMU's comprehensive range of undergraduate courses.

Gain insights, enjoy immersive hands-on experience, and set yourself on the path to IMU's full range of undergraduate programmes. This is the perfect launch-pad to your journey into healthcare.

“ The modules included in FIS were very much related to the modules in my undergraduate studies in chiropractic. Thanks to FIS, I could grasp concepts faster because of the solid foundation of knowledge built in my foundation studies.

Yvonne Tan
Student, Foundation in Science

“ The constant guidance from IMU staff and wonderful student community has made my transition from an FIS to medicine student easy and adaptable.

Raveena A/P Pannirselvam
Student, Foundation in Science

Equip yourself to take on the future



Community service

The Cross Boundaries module enables students to perform community projects on site. A project-based module, it exposes students to diverse situations and people, fostering empathy and understanding of real challenges and needs. Students can also establish connections with community leaders, mentors, and like-minded peers, which can offer guidance and opportunities in the future.

Immersive experiences

Look, see, and feel through simulations and immersive experiences from Semester 1 to Semester 3. Feed your inquisitiveness through the IMU's undergraduate programmes and facilities, and find your areas of passion. We've created an atmosphere that will fuel your desire for deeper understanding, ignite innovation, and even spark your interest to explore global opportunities.

❧ **The faculty of FIS also hosts many programmes like: "Get to know" and "Look, See and Feel" activities to provide students with the extra knowledge to better prepare themselves in choosing their preferred undergraduate course.**

Sarvesen Chithiramaalan
Student

Gateway to global opportunities

As we fuel your thirst for knowledge, our FIS programme open doors for direct entry to a range of related undergraduate programmes at the University of Galway, RMIT University and the unique IMU-FIS pathway to 4-year undergraduate degrees in the UK (IMU FIS will be equivalent to Year 1 of UK degree). The programme is also recognised nationally.



Open up to opportunities



Your journey at Centre for Pre-University Studies at IMU is your first step to the dynamic field of healthcare. Embark on new adventures through early mentoring and seamless application into the preferred degree courses at the beginning of Semester 3.

Here is where you identify your calling, whether it is in Medicine, Dentistry, Pharmacy, Alternative and Complementary Medicine or Health Sciences, Business and Technology in Healthcare, Communications in Healthcare, or a whole lot more. Whatever you choose, opportunities await.



The 12 months of the FIS programme provided a safe place for exploring various healthcare pursuits, fostering curiosity, exposure, and understanding of diverse career options.

Evelyn Chong Yi Qie
Alumni

Up to 100% scholarship

For students with 2023 SPM or 2023/2024 IGCSE/O-Level qualification.

Scholarships are awarded based on actual SPM or IGCSE/O-Level results.

* Scholarship is granted automatically and does not require an application. Only applicable for FIS - 2024 intakes.

Progression bursary

Applicable to all students enrolled in Foundation in Science 2024 intake who successfully progress into any of IMU's undergraduate programmes in 2025/2026.

Bursary amount to 50% of the Foundation in Science payable tuition fee will be deducted during undergraduate study.

* IMU Scholarship Committee may vary the selection requirements as and when it deems necessary.

* Bursaries are granted at the University's sole discretion and decisions are final.



If you're an ambitious young individual, committed to lifelong-learning and obtaining a prestigious educational certification, this is the institution for you. Set a solid foundation in IMU, widen your horizons locally or abroad, and be work-force ready the moment you graduate.



• Global recognition

Come be a part of an institution that has gained international reputation for its high standard of education at pre-university. Gain knowledge and mentorship from world-class educators, practitioners, and researchers and be a key player in advancing the latest clinical, industry, and scientific knowledge.

• Expand your horizons

IMU's Centre for Pre-University Studies is proud to offer its students gateway for direct entry to a range of related undergraduate programmes at Ireland and United Kingdom. Gain global perspectives to different cultures, languages, and academic systems that broaden your horizons and enhance adaptability.

• Prestigious community

The IMU Centre for Pre-University Studies will prepare you to be part of the prestigious community of Malaysia's first and most established private medical and health sciences university. You will get opportunities to network with academics, industry, alumni, and international partners, forming connections that position you to be the healthcare leader of tomorrow.

Throughout your journey, you will enjoy access to countless programmes, activities, inspirations, facilities, and opportunities to help you flourish and thrive throughout your journey in the world of healthcare. We look forward to welcoming you soon!



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