

Shaping Tomorrow's Leading Dental Experts

Hello.

**Welcome to IMU,
We nurture passions
and support dreams,
building dentistry's next
generation of leaders.**



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 and dentistry. 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



Unlock your potential in dentistry at the School of Dentistry — where passion meets precision, technology transforms education, and your journey to becoming a skilled, globally connected dentist begins.

Welcome to the School of Dentistry at IMU!

If you have a passion for dentistry, you're in the right place. Our School of Dentistry offers a student-centred curriculum with cutting-edge technology, training our students to become well-prepared Dentists. We deliver an innovative and well integrated curriculum with early clinical exposure for an immersive learning experience.

For those interested in going the extra mile, we offer optional additional certification courses i.e the 'BDS Plus', which you can enrol upon fulfilling programme clinical requirements to enhance your knowledge and skills, as well as to better prepare you for the real world of dentistry. We have state-of-the-art equipment to help students acquire clinical skills. IMU's School of Dentistry is the only dental school in Malaysia with two haptic virtual simulators to enhance the acquisition of practical skills.

In addition, we have exclusive partnerships with six prestigious dental schools in the UK, Canada, Australia, and New Zealand. This opens up exciting opportunities for our students to pursue phase 2 of the Bachelor of Dental Surgery (BDS) programme at their preferred partner schools.

Join us on your journey to becoming a skilled and globally connected dentist!

Prof Dr Seow Liang Lin

Dean, School of Dentistry, IMU

BDS (Mal), MSc (Lond), FDSRCS (Lond), PhD (Mal), PGCHPE (Mal), FFDt (RCSEd)

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



Bachelor of Dental Surgery



Scan the QR code for
programme details.

Duration | 5–5.5 years **Commencement** | Feb
Programme can be completed locally or abroad.

Get future-ready for the world of dentistry

Welcome to an immersive approach to dental education. From the start, we will transport you beyond lecture halls. Be exposed to patients from all walks of life. Harness the skills to solve complex challenges. Foster empathy through courses with community service. And gain insight through hospital or outreach placements. A well-rounded journey awaits to arm you with the adaptability to be leading dental professionals of tomorrow.

Accreditations and Recognitions

Our Bachelor of Dental Surgery (BDS) Programme is accredited by the Malaysian Qualification Agency (MQA) and recognised by the Sri Lanka Medical Council.



Postgraduate Diploma in Endodontics



Scan the QR code for programme details.

Duration | Full time: 1 year • Part time: 2 years **Commencement** | May
Programme to be completed locally.

Delve deeper into the intricacies of endodontics

Delve into the intricate world of dental pulp and root canals, gaining expertise in diagnosing and treating complex dental conditions. As an endodontic expert, you'll specialise in relieving patients from pain and preserving their natural teeth. Open your mind to the precision and artistry required in endodontics. Make every procedure a unique opportunity for personal growth. Come make a positive impact in the lives of others.

Postgraduate Diploma in Implant Dentistry



Scan the QR code for programme details.

Duration | Full time: 1 year • Part time: 2 years **Commencement** | Oct
Programme to be completed locally.

Master the art of dental implants and rehabilitation

Welcome to a journey beyond traditional dentistry. Delve into the complexities of implant dentistry, surgical techniques and patient care. Develop expertise in a field known for its innovation and transformative potential. You'll be at the forefront of dental advancement, working with cutting-edge technology and materials to replace missing teeth and improve patient quality of life. Dedicate yourself to a lifetime of precision and excellence in patient wellbeing and restoring confidence.

Postgraduate Diploma in Prosthodontics



Scan the QR code for programme details.

Duration | Full time: 1 year • Part time: 2 years **Commencement** | Jul
Programme to be completed locally.

Elevate lives through dental artistry

Embark on a transformative journey in making patients smile again. Hone your skills through the latest technology, and let expert lecturers guide you into being a precise craftsman. The wonders of prosthodontics lie in the ability to renew self-esteem, restore confidence, and enhance quality of life for patients. It's a journey encompassing intricate procedures, patient care, and continuous learning.

Accreditations and Recognitions

Our Postgraduate Diploma in Endodontics, Implant Dentistry and Prosthodontics programmes are accredited by the Malaysian Qualification Agency (MQA). They are among the first programmes that comply with programme quality and standards by MQA in the field of Endodontics, Implant Dentistry and Prosthodontics.

Empowering purpose-driven leaders in Dentistry

WINNER

2023 Patil Teaching Innovation Award at the Association of Medical Education Europe Conference

1:4

Faculty to student ratio in clinical training

1:8

Faculty to student ratio in pre-clinical teaching



First in Malaysia

Our Postgraduate Diplomas in Endodontics, Implant Dentistry, and Prosthodontics are the country's first and only Malaysian Qualification Agency (MQA) accredited Postgraduate Diplomas of this nature. The curriculum is benchmarked against The Royal College of Surgeons of Edinburgh's Diploma in Implant Dentistry Examination and showcases IMU's pioneering spirit in healthcare. The innovative flexible learning curriculum is specially designed to fit in the busy schedule of dental practitioners.

“ I am incredibly pleased with my experience in the part-time Postgraduate Diploma of Endodontics at IMU. The programme proved to be exceptionally comprehensive and professional, offering insights from a multitude of experts in the field. The well-equipped clinic and simulation lab provided hands-on learning opportunities, enhancing my practical skills.

Kah Look
Student, Postgraduate Diploma in Endodontics

Be your best self the moment you graduate, as we nurture you to innovate, adapt and stay ahead. Immerse in the latest knowledge, through holistic education that inspires you to push boundaries and rise to every challenge.

Expert Faculty

Get the attention you deserve. Our faculty to student ratio is well above Malaysian Qualification Agency (MQA) requirements (1:6 for clinical training and 1:10 for preclinical training). Flourish under the guidance of industry experts who will guide you through a curriculum designed to provide early clinical exposure through student clinics, hospitals and outreach centres. Get trained in developing surgical and prosthodontic skills.

“All of my lecturers are absolutely fantastic. Not only are they good and compassionate clinicians... but the way they deliver knowledge and shape our understanding and experience is admirable!

Looi Shyn Yin

Alumna, Bachelor of Dental Surgery (Hons)



Be at the forefront of dental innovation

Cultivate your compassion

Seize the opportunity to engage in community service in pre-schools, schools and aged care facilities, conducting oral health education and screening for children and the elderly. You can also help treat underprivileged communities at the IMU Foundation Clinic, or volunteer in nursing homes, associations for the blind, and other underprivileged communities.

“I ultimately appreciate the fact that the diversity within the student body here adds a richness to my everyday classes, creating an atmosphere where different perspectives are celebrated and everyone feels included.

Ferdinand Fershan Ng Yiyuen

Student, Bachelor of Dental Surgery (Hons)



State-of-the-art technology

Seize the opportunity to immerse through IMU's digital facilities. Perform fixed and removable prosthodontic treatment procedures and learn through state-of-the-art equipment. You will enjoy access to our Dental Skills Centre (DSC) and Oral Health Centre (OHC) with cutting-edge facilities and equipments like:

- Dental Simulation Laboratory – 64 units of Dental Simulation Units
- Dental Techniques Laboratory – 64 units of Prosthesis Workstations
- Haptic Virtual Simulators – 2 units
- Cone Beam Computed Tomography (CBCT)
- Computer-Aided Design (CAD) System
- Computer-Aided Manufacturing (CAM) System
- Clinical Microscope (Zeiss)
- Intra-oral Scanner
- Electronic Patient Management System (OpenDent)

“IMU has brought in the Virteasy Virtual Reality Dental Simulator where we could simulate working on a patient's oral cavity in a clinical setting to better prepare us for our future patient treatment sessions. We were able to try out intraoral scans where we were exposed to the latest CAD-CAM technology.

Woon Qin Yi

Student, Bachelor of Dental Surgery (Hons)



Connecting you with the world

Get valuable opportunities to explore different cultures, languages, and academic systems through our inbound and outbound student mobility programmes. Let them fuel your curiosity and ignite your resolve to broaden your horizons globally.

Receive hands-on guidance and supervision from experienced experts, supported by world-renowned companies sponsoring equipment and materials.

Your journey into becoming a well-rounded, well-exposed dental expert begins here.

At IMU, the credit transfer programme for dentistry is a unique offering not found elsewhere in this region. This opportunity allows me to dive into practical work and engage with real patients starting from the second year, setting IMU apart from other universities.

Ahmed Amaan

Student, Bachelor of Dental Surgery (Hons)



IMU is known for its international collaborations and partnerships with universities and institutions worldwide... Students have been exposed to a wide variety of teaching methods and research opportunities that set the dental programme apart from other university offerings.

Wan Eysha Zafirah Binti Wan Muzamri

Student, Bachelor of Dental Surgery (Hons)

Our partner universities



• Applicable to Bachelor of Dental Surgery (Hons) programme only.

Discover a world of opportunity

100%

All Dentistry alumni are employed across Malaysia and beyond.

Dental health is fast becoming one of Malaysia's most highly demanded expertise. As communities become more aware of its importance, many doors open to qualified dental experts.

You'll find opportunities in government sectors, private practices, academic institutions, Ministry of Defence plus specialised focus areas when you pursue a postgraduate degree. You'll also find roles in hospitals or government dental clinics under the Ministry of Health. You may even choose to contribute to research and development, advancing your field through innovation.

Wherever your passions lie, this will be a rewarding journey filled with opportunities to care for communities. With newly acquired knowledge and expertise, you'll be equipped to make life visibly better for patients, with a diverse variety of career paths open to you.

- Carl Zeiss Sdn Bhd
- Dentsply Sirona
- Metal Industries Research and Development Centre and Taiwan Association for Promotion Oral Biotech (MIRDC-TAPO)
- Shofu Inc (Japan)
- Straumann Group Sdn Bhd
- And many more

Our industry partners

Scholarships

- IMU-Merit Scholarship
- IMU-Need Scholarship

• Open to Malaysian applicants ONLY.
• Applicant must be applying for their First Degree Programme.

Bursaries

- Up to 15% for all self-funding IMU alumni
- MARA Graduate Excellence Programme (GrEP) education loan
- 10% bursary of tuition fees for special groups*

• Applicable to postgraduate programmes ONLY.
• * Applicable to Ministry of Health, Malaysia (MoH) staff members ONLY.

Financial Assistance

- National Higher Education Fund (NHEF) or Perbadanan Tabung Pendidikan Tinggi Nasional (PTPTN)
- Hong Leong Foundation
- Public Service Department (PSD) or Jabatan Perkhidmatan Awam (JPA)
- Majlis Amanah Rakyat (MARA)**
- Employee Provident Fund (EPF) or Kumpulan Wang Simpanan Pekerja (KWSP)
- Yayasan Negeri
- Kuok Foundation
- AFFIN Education Financing-i
- Koperasi Jayadiri Malaysia Berhad (KOJADI)***
- Maybank Education Loan or Financing-i

• Open to Malaysian applicants ONLY.
• ** Eligible for Malay or Bumiputera applicants ONLY.
• *** Applicant needs to be a KOJADI member.



If you're purpose-driven, and passionate about attaining a prestigious educational certification, you've found the right place. At IMU, we value lifelong learning opportunities that ensure you stay at the forefront of healthcare.



• World-class educators

To be the best, you need to learn from the best. IMU's inspiring and experienced educators, practitioners, and researchers will journey with you to advance the latest clinical, industry, and scientific knowledge.

• Be future-ready

Through relevant and insightful digital initiatives, emerging technologies that empower students, faculty, researchers, and staff that help you thrive in a dynamic future, you will be ready for any challenge that comes your way.

• International collaborations

Gain global perspectives to different cultures, languages, and academic systems that broaden your horizons and enhance adaptability.

The School of Dentistry promotes student mobility with two opportunities during the programme: at the end of Semesters 3 and 7. Partner schools and mobility partners offer attachments lasting 2 - 2.5 weeks, with IMU providing financial support. This is an excellent opportunity for students to gain exposure in dental healthcare and culture around the world.

• Industry partners

Access industry professionals who can serve as guest lecturers, mentors, or advisors. Start networking through organised industry events, conferences or seminars. Industry partnerships ensure that programmes remain relevant to current needs and trends.

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 dentistry. We look forward to welcoming you soon!



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