In light of the above, the FUNDALAS project is pleased to propose the establishment of cooperation projects between East Asian and Latin American universities. This initiative aims to enhance the understanding of both regions and promote academic exchanges. The project seeks to develop new research collaborations and support the exchange of students and scholars. The goal is to foster a deeper understanding of the similarities and differences between East Asia and Latin America, contributing to the advancement of knowledge in various fields.

Following the successful implementation of such initiatives, several notable studies have emerged from both regions. These studies have contributed to a growing body of research that reflects the rich diversity of scholarship and academic perspectives.

In sum, this has also resulted in a more diversified body of research from both regions, paving the way for further collaboration and innovation.

However, since the inception of the Forum for East Asia-Latin America Cooperation (FEALAC), there has been a renewed emphasis on promoting collaboration in the sciences and academic exchange. The Forum continues to be an active platform for research and cultural exchange, contributing to the broader understanding of the geopolitical, cultural, and historical differences between East Asia and Latin America.

INTRODUCTION

Project Proposal on "FEALAC University Discovery Year (FUDY)"
Latin America.
programmes and to expand their own network of partners with countries in East Asia and
encourage FEALAC member countries to consolidate their own study abroad
In addition, Brunei Darussalam is also hoping that through FUDY, this will
way of life through this education exchange.
between the two regions, and allow students to experience the diverse cultures and unique
relations between East Asia and Latin America. Increase people-to-people contact
Brunel Darussalam is optimistic that FUDY will contribute to strengthening existing
will well as joint collaborative research
modality. Joint dual double degree; Joint supervision of Masters and PhD programmes as
In the future, the scope of FUDY activities should be expanded to include academic
reciprocal student mobility. The duration of the project can be one semester (14 weeks).
UBD and Indonesian universities in East Asia and Latin America will be exchanged with
member countries. FUDY will operate on a reciprocal basis, where qualified students from
The main purpose of FUDY is to increase student mobility amongst FEALAC

III. OBJECTIVES
study in Asia, including at UBD.
American countries, and concurrently welcome students from Latin America nations to
year annually. UBD would like to therefore extend its discovery year duration to
Given that around 70-80% of UBD students leave the country to pursue discovery
1. Community Outreach Programme.

II. BACKGROUND

Pursue one or two of the following activities:
GENEXT is the discovery year during which 100% of its student are encouraged to
Embedded in the 4 years of
transdisciplinary degree program also known as GENEXT. In 2009, UBD revamped its curriculum and implemented its new broad-based and
that was established in 1995.

Universal Brunei Darussalam (UBD) is the premier university in Brunei Darussalam

UBD logo
The exchanges will subsequently communicate directly with USD's Global Affairs Office to facilitate the documents should be sent to Global Affairs Office (or its equivalent)

- Security clearance letter
- Completed non-intending student exchange application form, and
- Copy of a valid passport and of valid visa at the time of the date of travel and
- Valid Health Certificate with specifications of physical and mental state;
- Proof of English Language Proficiency;
- Letter of recommendation and academic transcripts from the counterpart university;

Interested participants should submit the following documents for their applications:

The application for FUDY for Fall Semester 2015 will open on 16 September 2015 and the closing date will be on 15 November 2015. The successful candidates will be notified through their respective International Relations Office (or its equivalent).

is to encourage the active exchange of students and balance mobility. This International Summer Campus Programs are administered by other host universities. This FUDY will enroll in regular courses and permitted to take part in

- All participants must possess a valid passport;
- All participants must possess the necessary English proficiency as stated in the offer agreement. A good performance of results is expected;
- For undergraduate programs, participants must be over 18 years old;
- For postgraduate programs, participants must be over 40 years old;

following requirements must be met:

FUDY Welcome interested participants from FEALAC member countries.

V. Project Description

FEALAC University Discovery Year (FUDY)
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Director of Global Relations

VIII. REPORTING LINE

V. Possible pre-existing relationships

V. Visits to places of interest in Brunei Darussalam and cultural activities

V. Undertake study tips relevant to their studies

V. Complete all required assessments

V. Attend regular classes/lectures

For participants of FUDY in UBD, the programme will be as follows:

Through FUDY, participants from both regions are expected to undergo regular immersive cultural activities, field trips, etc. to ensure exchange participants have a better immersive experience at host universities. In addition, the host university is encouraged to arrange classes at host universities. In addition, the host university is encouraged to arrange classes at host universities.

V. OUTCOMES

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