

APELA

**Accreditation of prior
experiential learning**

Student satisfaction is top priority at MSU, in line with the University's objectives being for the betterment of its students. Employability would be your measure of success, as you hone soft skills around core competencies. Build it at MSU, one of Malaysia's top-ranked and world-ranked for graduate employability.

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APEL A

APEL provides an opportunity for individual with working experience but lack of formal academic qualifications to pursue their studies.

APEL in Malaysia can only be used as an entry requirement for the following level of qualification;

1. **APEL T-3 (Certificate)**
2. **APEL T-4 (Diploma)**
3. **APEL T-6 (Bachelor's Degree)**
4. **APEL T-7 (Master's Degree)**

APEL T-3 (Certificate)

- . Malaysia Citizens
- . 19 years of age in the year of application
- . Relevant working experience

APEL T-6 (Bachelor's Degree)

- . Malaysia Citizens
- . 21 years of age in the year of application
- . Relevant working experience

ENTRY REQUIREMENTS



APEL T-4 (Diploma)

- . Malaysia Citizens
- . 20 years of age in the year of application
- . Relevant working experience

APEL T-7 (Master's Degree)

- . Malaysia Citizens
- . 30 years of age in the year of application
- . Must have at least STPM or Diploma or equivalent
- . Relevant working experience

FORMAL LEARNING

Intentional learning or program of study delivered within an organized & structured context (pre-school, primary school, secondary school, technical college & university) that may lead to formal recognition or a recognized qualification

INFORMAL LEARNING

Learning which takes place continuously through life and work experiences (also known as experiential learning)



NON-FORMAL LEARNING

Learning takes place alongside the mainstream systems of education and training. It may be assessed but does not normally lead to a formal certification

CANDIDATE'S COMPETENCIES

- . Knowledge and understanding
- . Cognitive skills
- . Functional work skills
- . Practical skills
- . Interpersonal and communication skills

- . Digital and numeracy skills
- . Leadership, autonomy, and responsibility
- . Personal and entrepreneurial skills
- . Ethics and professionalism

APEL ASSESMENT FEE

- . Certificate (T3) : RM 155
- . Diploma (T4) : RM 155

- . Bachelor (T6) : RM 250
- . Masters (T7) : RM 370

APEL C

Credit Award

Accreditation of Prior Experiential Learning for Credit Award [APEL(C)] is a learning evaluation process (informal and non-formal) of an individual based on cumulative experiences (knowledge and skills) to obtain credit transfer for the courses in the program enrolled

Benefits of APEL C

- . Recognise learning acquired through work experience
- . Reduce redundant learning for students;
- . Encourage admission of adult learners to higher education programs; and
- . Reduce cost and time to complete the study



Generally, credit award policy through APEL C allows a maximum credit transfer of 30% from the total graduating credits of a program. This percentage is an addition to the provision allowed by the existing credit transfer policy.

AWARDS & RECOGNITIONS



Top 200
(QS ASIA Rankings 2023)



Top 30
University in Southeast Asia on the
QS World University Rankings (WUR) 2022
Regional Edition.



Top 100
University in the World for
Young University Ranked Under
QS Top 50 Under 50



Top 301
University in the World for
2022 Graduate Employability
Rankings



Overall
. Teaching . Employability . Inclusiveness .
. Online Learning . Internationalization .
. Social Responsibility . Academic Development .
. Hospitality and Leisure Management .



Top #10
Malaysian universities in
the QS World University
Rankings 2023



Top #46 WORLD
Hospitality &
Leisure Management
by subject



Top 101+ WORLD
Art &
Humanities
by subject

Top 301+ WORLD
Business &
Management Studies



by subject



ABEST-21, JAPAN



Global Rankings



Sri Lanka Medical Council



Malaysian
Medical Council



Indian
Medical Council

General
Medical
Council

General Medical Council
(GMC), UK



Maldives Medical and
Dental Council



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University Grants Commission (UGC)



Education Commission for
Foreign Medical Graduates



The First Higher Education
Institution to Achieve an
EMNA E-Star



A Tier 5 Excellent Status University
(Rating System for Malaysian Higher
Education Institutions -
Ministry of Higher Education)



ASIA'S 1st University Accredited by
Accreditation Council for
Entrepreneurial & Engaged
Universities. (ACEEU), Netherland



Platinum Standard Award
of 5 Crowns by ASIC, UK



Innovation and Excellence
in Higher Education &
Outstanding Student Support
by ASIC, UK



Premier University Status by
Accreditation Service for
International Schools, Collages
& Universities (ASIC), UK



Outstanding Leadership
in International TVET Education
by ASIC, UK



Global TVET
Model University
by ASIC, UK



ASIC's Inclusivity Awards
for Equality in Education



Bronze Winner
in the Education & Learning Category
(People's Choice 2022)



The Most Valuable Brand Education -
Leadership & Human Capital Management 2021,
The World Brands Foundation



Lifetime Achievement in
Entrepreneurship Award



Edu-Preneur of The Year



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Status (ASIQUAL), UK



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Tourism and Hospitality



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