future-ready: from GenNEXT to a university of life-long learning

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challenges

- brunei vision 2035
- economy – reliant on oil & gas
- reduction in funding
- academic output vs applied research
- societal needs – national & global
- unemployment
If you are lost on a highway, what would be most useful would be a road map.

However, if you get lost in a swamp where the topography is constantly changing, a map is of little help.

What you need is a compass, to point you in the general direction to be taken and allow you to use your own ingenuity in overcoming various difficulties.

Samuel L. Hayes, Harvard Business School
Universiti Brunei Darussalam will change the way you see the world and the way the world sees you.
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UBD: Brunei’s Premier National University
1. learn to learn

2. learning outcomes

- critical thinking
- reasoning
- communication skills
- quantitative analysis
- national and global outlook
3. Cross cutting principles

- Leadership & innovation
- Entrepreneurship
- Environmental awareness

4. Multidisciplinary focus
**previous**

- 47 programmes
- discipline-oriented
- teacher centric
- classroom-based

**genNext**

- 5 programmes
- broad-based [55:45]
- trans-disciplinary
- learner & design – centric
- ensuring small classes
- innovation in delivery methods & assessment
- discovery year
discovery year

100% out

- 1-2 semesters study abroad
- internship
- incubation project
- community outreach programme
## National Entrepreneurship Agenda

### Entrepreneurship Village

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<td><strong>Educational (Curricular) Initiatives</strong></td>
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<td>University-based Venture Centers, Mentoring Network, Internship opportunities, etc.</td>
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The illiterate of the 21st century are not those who cannot read and write but those who cannot learn, unlearn and relearn.

Alvin Toffler
university of lifelong learning
enhancing the GenNEXT initiative

- embed a lifelong learning mindset
- initiate continuing education programmes for alumni & the public
- blended learning mode
  - pace
  - place
  - path
Centre for Lifelong Learning (C3L)

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**Target**
- School leavers but work is a priority - full time work & part time study
- Graduated but Job seekers (unemployed) - to upskills
- Working population - to upskills - to reskills
- Retirees Homemakers - start self-employment

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**Range of Subjects**
- Digital technology
- Financial literacy
- Business and management
- Entrepreneurships
  - Tourism, Hospitality and Environment
  - Creative Industries
  - Halal Industries
  - Foreign languages

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**Pedagogy**
- Work-based learning
- Technology enhanced learning
- Blended learning

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**Research & Innovation**
- Education Technologies Unit
international linkages

FPT-UBD Innovation Lab
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Education is not the filling of a pail, but the lighting of a fire

W.B. Yeats
A University of Innovation & Enterprise