

Ready to be employed

As a premier institution of higher learning in Malaysia with 40 years of education excellence, Tunku Abdul Rahman College (TAR College) is committed to provide affordable and holistic tertiary courses. TAR College receives 50% funding from the Government hence the students are assured of a quality education at a very affordable fee.

TAR College offers over 130 programmes at advanced diploma, diploma, certificate and pre-university levels to provide flexibility for students to eventually obtain Bachelor Degrees and professional qualifications.

Upon completing the TAR College Diploma programmes, students can choose to pursue the Advanced Diploma, during which they will be able to simultaneously complete the Bachelor of Science Degree awarded by Campbell University, US. Professional examination boards such as ACCA, CIMA, ICSA and the Engineering Council, UK, or BEM/IEM (Board of Engineers Malaysia / Institution of Engineers Malaysia), have awarded the College with the highest level of exemption.

TAR College's advanced diploma graduates can also opt for the 14-week summer semester Honours Degree conversion



Students checking on job opportunities at the TAR College annual Career Fair.

programme at either Sheffield Hallam University or Liverpool John Moores University in the UK and graduate with an honours degree. Unique in its own way, TAR College's advanced diploma is widely accepted by many universities as being equivalent to a first degree and many graduates have been accepted directly into masters degree programmes in local and overseas universities.

The industry-relevant programmes offered by the college are designed to provide a balanced and broad-based education, equipping students with multidisciplinary skills essential

in the job market. TAR College graduates are very much sought after by employers with most of them gainfully employed within six months after graduation due to the comprehensive education and training at the college.

TAR College is also committed to help its students move forward towards better career opportunities by organising the annual TAR College Career Fair. Last year, there were 42 participating companies, which include reputable companies such as Gamuda, Public Bank, JobStreet and Genting Malaysia Berhad.

The career fair served as an effective channel for students

and graduates to connect with participating employers through information sessions, interviews and recruiting activities, which offered ample opportunities for employment and internships.

"TAR College provides a good avenue for recruiting employees because it produces graduates of quality. In fact, our chief operating officer and a large percentage of our staff are TAR College alumni," said Vanessa Tan, vice president of branding and communications of HT Consulting (Asia) Sdn Bhd.

The continued interest of companies in TAR College's career fairs is an indication that the college is producing quality graduates who meet the demands of employers.

The college offers scholarship and interest-free student loan schemes. Students can also apply for other scholarships, loans and financial assistance, which include the PTPTN loan.

For information on TAR College's January and May intake, visit its booths at The Star Education Fair from Jan 9 to 10 (Hall 2, booths B099-101 and B110-112), as well as other major education fairs and roadshows nationwide. Or call 03-4145 0100/23 or visit www.tarc.edu.my.