



CONGRATULATIONS TO MYJICA EXCO 2024/2026

The 36th Annual General Meeting was duly convened on 5 May 2024 at the Adamson Hotel, Kuala Lumpur. We extend our sincere congratulations to the newly elected Executive Committee members on their appointment.

PRE-DEPARTURE BRIEFING

The Government of Malaysia continues to receive strong support and cooperation from the Government of Japan, particularly in the form of training opportunities for Malaysian trainees in Japan. Before their departure, these trainees attend a briefing session at the JICA Malaysia Office, where they are also enrolled as members of myJICA. From May 2024 to April 2025, briefings on myJICA are mostly conducted by Mr. Hj Mustapha.



NETWORKING SESSION AND IFTAR

MYJICA successfully organised a Networking Session and Iftar on 12 March 2025 at DeKenduri, Kuala Lumpur.



HARI RAYA GATHERING

MYICA organized a Hari Raya Gathering on 5 May 2024 at the Adamson Hotel in Kuala Lumpur, attended by Mr. Charles Lau, representative of the JICA Malaysia Office, along with Exco members and alumni.



2024/2025 SERIES

THE JAPAN INTERNATIONAL COOPERATION AGENCY ALUMNI SOCIETY OF MALAYSIA

EXCO 2024/2026

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BULLETIN

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On 26 February 2025, MYJICA was honoured to be invited by His Excellency SHIKATA Noriyuki, Ambassador of Japan, to attend an official event held at the JW Marriott Hotel, Kuala Lumpur. Representing MYJICA in attending the event were the President and Puan Norhayati, the Auditor. Their participation reflected the organisation's continued commitment to fostering strong bilateral relations and collaboration. A formal photo session with the Ambassador and other distinguished guests was also held as part of the occasion.



36TH MYJICA ANNUAL GENERAL MEETING (AGM)

The 36th Annual General Meeting (AGM) of myJICA was held on 05 May 2024 in a hybrid format, both virtually and physically at the Adamson Hotel in Kuala Lumpur. The meeting was officiated by Mr. Norazizul bin Abdul Aziz, President of myJICA, and was attended by 33 members from across Malaysia, including representatives from the Sarawak Chapter.



MYJICA STRATEGIC PLANNING MEETING & RETREAT SESSION

The new line-up of MyJICA EXCO for the term of 2024-2026, appointed during the 36th MyJICA Annual General Meeting, consists of 16 ex-participants of various JICA courses conducted since its initiation in the 80s.

The 1st 2024-2026 EXCO Meeting was held on 8th of June 2024, with the attendance of 10 of its members. Several agendas have been discussed, among others were to identify new programs and activities that will include members from across the country and also on how to attract more participants of MyJICA members to join activities in 2024 and the coming years.

The meeting suggested a focus discussion on the arising matters by having the next EXCO Meeting concurrently with a retreat session to promote cooperation and effective communication, which will further help in problem solving. All 16 of MyJICA EXCO 2024/2026 have attended this programme. The representative of JICA Malaysia Office, Mr. Charles Lau was also in attendance to officiate the programme. The session is moderated by a qualified trainer, Tuan Haji Rohaizat Ahmad to facilitate and guide the brainstorming session.



JAPANESE CULTURAL DAY IN COLLABORATION WITH THE FACULTY OF ARTS AND SOCIAL SCIENCES, UNIVERSITI MALAYA & THE GLOBAL NETWORK CLUB (GNC)

The Japanese Cultural Day, held on 7 November 2024 was celebrated as a remarkable showcase of Japan's vibrant heritage and traditions. The event was graciously organised at the Faculty of Arts and Social Sciences, Universiti Malaya by the renowned student organisation - the Global Network Club (GNC) together with the patron of the Japan International Cooperation Agency Alumni Society of Malaysia (myJICA).

The event was reported to serve as a dynamic platform for cultural exchange, drawing enthusiastic participation from all campus community either from students, faculty, and international attendees. It was designed to bring Japan's essence to life, featuring an immersive lineup of interactive activities that seamlessly blended education, entertainment, and authentic cultural engagement. Attendees were said to have been captivated by the diverse range of experiences, from the intricate art of Japanese flower arrangement (ikebana) and Japanese art of folding paper (origami) to the elegance of the Japanese tea ceremony, all guided by Japanese students studying in Universiti Malaya. These students, acting as cultural ambassadors, reportedly shared personal insights and traditions, creating meaningful connections and fostering a deeper understanding of Japan's values of harmony, mindfulness, and creativity. The organizers emphasized that this approach allowed participants to move beyond passive observation, enabling them to engage directly with Japanese customs in an authentic and enriching way.

Special thanks to the Kimono & Origami Instructor-Madam Hikaru Sugiura and Japanese Cooking-Mr Razali Othman for kindly support myJICA throughout this event.



MYJICA EXCO MEETING

From June 2024 till April 2025, myJICA had convened 8 Exco Meeting as follows:

No.	Meeting	Date	Venue
1	1 st Meeting	8 June 2024	JICA Office & Virtual
2	2 nd Meeting	26 July 2024	Virtual
3	3 rd Meeting	10 August 2024	Adamson Hotel, Kuala Lumpur
4	4 th Meeting	4 November 2024	Virtual
5	5 th Meeting	17 January 2025	Virtual
6	6 th Meeting	23 February 2025	Kuala Lumpur
7	7 th Meeting	12 March 2025	De Kenduri, Kuala Lumpur
8	8 th Meeting	10 April 2025	Virtual



MYJICA WEBPORTAL

MyJICA web portal was redeveloped and the contents have been continuously updated. MyJICA updates the program in the website (myjica.org)



SPECIAL ANNOUNCEMENT


37th Annual General Meeting & Hari Raya Gathering
 will be held as follows:-
Date : 27 April 2025 (Sunday)
Time : 9.00 am
Venue : ADAMSON HOTEL
79, Lrg Haji Hussein 2, Chow Kit, 50300 KUALA LUMPUR
 All members are invited to attend. Thank you.