EDUCATION MALAYSIA GLOBAL SERVICES INDUSTRY UPDATE

### **APPLICATIONS HIGHLIGHT**

# **NEW APPLICATIONS RECEIVED** (Jan-Mar 2023)

11,806

| Top <b>5</b><br><b>Regions</b> |       | Top 5 Countries |       | Top 5 Field of Study      |       | Applications by Course Level |       |
|--------------------------------|-------|-----------------|-------|---------------------------|-------|------------------------------|-------|
| East Asia                      | 4,721 | China           | 4,248 | Business & Admin          | 3,194 | Certificate                  | 1,470 |
| South Asia                     | 2,582 | Bangladesh      | 1,506 | Computing                 | 1,242 | Diploma                      | 929   |
| MENA                           | 1,734 | Indonesia       | 622   | General Prog.             | 1,067 | Degree                       | 3,969 |
| Southeast Asia                 | 1,168 | Pakistan        | 391   | Engineering & Eng. Trades | 700   | Master                       | 2,990 |
| Africa                         | 1,020 | Others          | 5,039 | Humanities                | 689   | PhD                          | 2,448 |

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#### "Restoring Trust in Country's Higher Education"

- The Star

3rd Feb 2023 - Datuk Seri Mohamed Khaled Nordin is setting his course on regaining the trust of Malaysians in the country's higher education system.

## "Overseas applications to Malaysian universities surge" - Times Higher Education

7th Feb 2023 - International appetite for study in Malaysia has rebounded to pre-pandemic levels, with the country exceeding a self-imposed target of 50,000 applications last year.

#### "Ministry of Higher Education looking at introducing flexible learning system for students"

- Malay Mail

25th Feb 2023 - The Ministry of Higher Education (MOHE) is studying to introduce a flexible system of learning from home to help reduce student loans at public institutions of higher education (IPTAs).

# THOUGHTS FROM THE CHAIRMAN

"EMGS is committed in promoting Malaysia as a top education hub of choice for international students. Hence, we look forward to a well-established partnership with all higher education institutions in Malaysia. EMGS, together with higher education institutions in Malaysia, is ready to welcome more international students to Malaysia in line with the government's aspiration of transforming Malaysia into a talent and knowledge hub."

- Dr Abdul Razak Ahmad, Chairman of EMGS

#### **EMGS SPOTLIGHT** ▼

MACEE-FULBRIGHT MALAYSIA **CELEBRATES 60 YEARS OF** AGREEMENT IN HIGHER **EDUCATION** 

MALAYSIAN EDUCATION **AGENCY SEEKS TO STRENGTHEN** TIES WITH KAZAKHSTAN IN **ACADEMIC SPHERE** 

AYO KULIAH DI MALAYSIA IN JAKARTA, INDONESIA