



A GLOBAL UNIVERSITY BUILT ON **SUSTAINABILITY,** **ENTERPRISE AND** **INNOVATION**

Located within a vibrant smart and sustainable city in Kuala Lumpur, Malaysia, Sunway University is a globally networked institution where industry, academia and society are seamlessly integrated.



The Sunway Story

From Wasteland to a Living Laboratory

A Vision That Transformed Land and Lives

Several decades ago, the land where Sunway University stands today was a **tin-mining wasteland**, degraded by years of intensive mining activity.

Where others saw abandoned land, **Tan Sri Dr Jeffrey Cheah** saw an opportunity to restore the environment and build a community centred on **education, sustainability, and innovation**.

Today, that vision has transformed into **Sunway City Kuala Lumpur**, a thriving **smart and sustainable city** where education, research, and industry coexist.

At its heart stands **Sunway University**, serving as a **living laboratory** where ideas are tested, knowledge is created and solutions for the future are developed.



Tin mining wasteland



Sustainable city



Global university



Sunway City Ecosystem

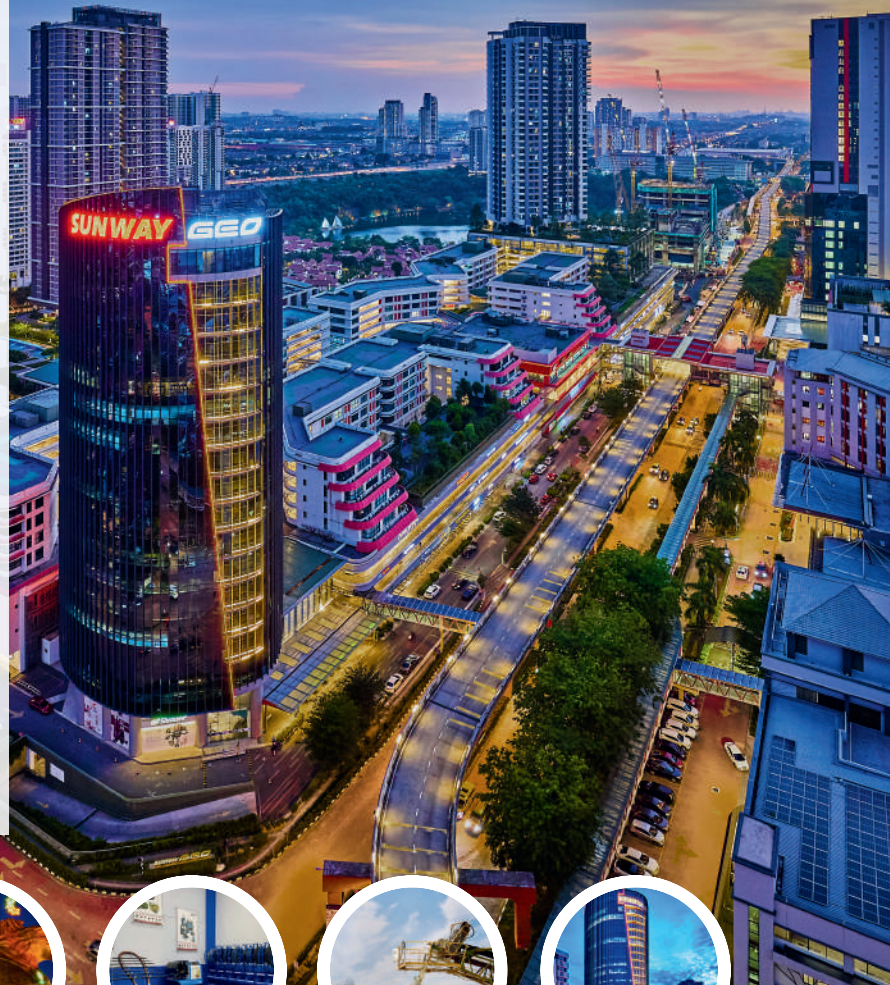
A University Embedded in a Real-World Ecosystem

Where Education Meets Industry and Society

Sunway University sits within **Sunway City Kuala Lumpur**, an integrated urban ecosystem developed by **Sunway Group**, one of Malaysia's leading conglomerates.

The group operates across **13 business divisions**, including healthcare, hospitality, infrastructure, property, retail and digital innovation.

This ecosystem provides students and researchers with **direct exposure to real-world challenges and opportunities**, creating a dynamic environment for applied learning and industry collaboration.



PROPERTY



CONSTRUCTION



MALLS



TRADING & MANUFACTURING



QUARRY



DIGITAL



HOSPITALITY



LEISURE



HEALTHCARE



BUILDING MATERIALS



INVESTMENT & FINANCIAL SERVICES



REIT



EDUCATION



SUNWAY COLLEGE



SUNWAY UNIVERSITY



SUNWAY INTERNATIONAL SCHOOL

Owned and governed by the

Jeffrey Cheah Foundation

Nurturing the Seeds of Wisdom

Jeffrey Cheah Foundation

Education with a Purpose

A Not-for-Profit Model for Education

Sunway Education Group operates under the **Jeffrey Cheah Foundation**, one of Southeast Asia's largest education-focused social enterprises.

As a **private not-for-profit institution**, all operating surpluses are reinvested into education.



This model supports:



SCHOLARSHIPS AND
FINANCIAL AID



CUTTING-EDGE RESEARCH



WORLD-CLASS TEACHING
FACILITIES



COMMUNITY AND
SUSTAINABILITY
INITIATIVES

Impact:



Education is not a business. It is a mission to expand access, opportunity, and knowledge.

Sunway University

A Comprehensive University

Education for a Complex World

Sunway University is a comprehensive university offering **more than 100 programmes** across **eight faculties and schools**.

Our programmes are designed to be **interdisciplinary, industry-relevant and globally oriented**, preparing students to address emerging global challenges.

List of Faculties / Schools:

FACULTY OF ARTS & SOCIAL SCIENCES

- School of Architecture and Design
- School of Communication and Media Studies
- School of Film and Performing Arts

FACULTY OF ENGINEERING & TECHNOLOGY

- School of Computing and Artificial Intelligence
- School of Engineering

FACULTY OF MEDICAL & LIFE SCIENCES

- Sir Jeffrey Cheah Sunway Medical School
- School of Nursing
- School of Psychology

SCHOOL OF AMERICAN EDUCATION

SCHOOL OF EDUCATION

SCHOOL OF HOSPITALITY & TOURISM MANAGEMENT

SCHOOL OF MATHEMATICAL SCIENCES

SUNWAY BUSINESS SCHOOL

Research and Global Impact

Advancing Knowledge
for the Future

A Research-Intensive University

Our research ecosystem is supported by international collaborations with leading institutions worldwide.

A flagship example is the **Jeffrey Cheah Biomedical Centre at the University of Cambridge**, which advances research in tropical medicine and global health.



Sunway University hosts **19 research centres** focusing on areas such as:



JEFFREY SACHS CENTER
SUSTAINABLE DEVELOPMENT



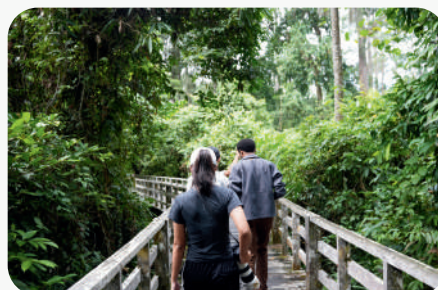
FOOD SECURITY



DIGITAL INNOVATION



HEALTH SCIENCES



PLANETARY HEALTH

*Our research addresses some of the most pressing
global challenges of our time.*

Employability and Industry Integration

Preparing Graduates
for Global Careers

Career Readiness at the Core

Sunway University is recognised for its strong graduate employability outcomes.

Students benefit from an extensive career ecosystem that includes:

8,000+

Companies in the
career portal

300+

X-Factor Industry
Success Coaches



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Graduate Employability
for 5 Consecutive Years
in Malaysia by
Talentbank

1-to-1

Career
mentoring

Global

Industry placements
and internships

Career-Driven
Curriculum

Design Framework

*Students graduate not only with knowledge,
but with the skills and networks needed to succeed.*

A Global University

International Partnerships and Pathways

A Globally Connected University

Sunway University maintains strong international collaborations with universities across the world.



Students benefit from:



300 ARTICULATION PATHWAYS



GLOBAL MOBILITY OPPORTUNITIES



INTERNATIONAL RESEARCH COLLABORATIONS

Strategic education partners include:



LANCASTER UNIVERSITY (UK)
– a comprehensive partnership spanning over 20 years



ARIZONA STATE UNIVERSITY (USA)
– collaboration in innovation and education transformation



LE CORDON BLEU (FRANCE)
– a longstanding alliance in culinary arts and hospitality excellence

Global partnerships enrich learning, research and cultural exchange.

Sustainability and Global Responsibility

Sustainability at the Heart of Our Mission

Situated within **Sunway City Kuala Lumpur**, the university contributes to advancing solutions for **sustainable cities, planetary health, and responsible innovation**.

Sunway University integrates sustainability across:



RESEARCH



TEACHING AND LEARNING



CAMPUS OPERATIONS



COMMUNITY ENGAGEMENT



Sustainability is not an initiative. It is embedded in how we teach, research and engage with society.

Student Experience

Learning Beyond the Classroom

An Integrated Learning Experience

Students at Sunway University benefit from a vibrant learning environment where academic study is enriched by:



INDUSTRY ENGAGEMENT



INTERNATIONAL MOBILITY



RESEARCH OPPORTUNITIES



STUDENT LEADERSHIP AND ENTREPRENEURSHIP

Located within a dynamic urban ecosystem, the campus offers students access to a wide range of cultural, professional, and social experiences.

Recognition and Global Standing

Recognition for Excellence

Sunway University continues to gain recognition for its achievements in education, research, and student support.

SUNWAY UNIVERSITY



Highlights include:



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NO.1 RANKED PRIVATE,
NON-GOVERNMENT-LINKED UNIVERSITY
THE World University Rankings 2026



#354 IN THE WORLD

QS World University Rankings 2027



TOP 1000

IN THE WORLD
Shanghai Ranking 2024

- Business Administration (51-75) - #1 in Malaysia
- Economics (201-300) - #1 in Malaysia
- Energy Science & Engineering (201-300) - #2 in Malaysia



#55 IN ASIA

QS Asia Rankings 2026



#84 IN ASIA

THE Asia University Rankings 2026



#45 IN THE WORLD

THE Sustainability Impact
Ratings 2026



SUSTAINABILITY 2026

#338 IN THE WORLD

QS Sustainability Rankings 2026

AWARDS RECOGNISING EXCELLENCE IN
STUDENT SUPPORT AND TEACHING
INNOVATION:



Outstanding Support
for Students

S.U.S.T.A.I.N. Now for a
Better Future

TALENTBANK

EMPLOYER'S CHOICE OF UNIVERSITY

100% determined by leading
graduate employers for four consecutive years–
2022, 2023, 2024 and 2025.

*Our commitment to excellence is recognised
both regionally and globally.*

Invitation to Collaborate

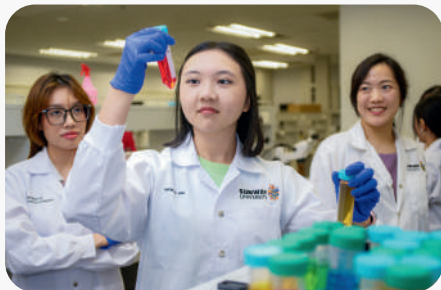
Partner with Sunway University

At Sunway University, we believe that addressing global challenges requires collaboration across borders.

SUNWAY
SUCCESS X-FACTOR COACHING



We welcome partnerships in:



RESEARCH



STUDENT MOBILITY



ACADEMIC PROGRAMMES



INDUSTRY COLLABORATION



INNOVATION INITIATIVES

*Together, we can shape a future driven by knowledge,
sustainability, and shared progress.*



Facilities

📍 **Q LECTURE THEATRE 360°**
SUNWAY SQUARE



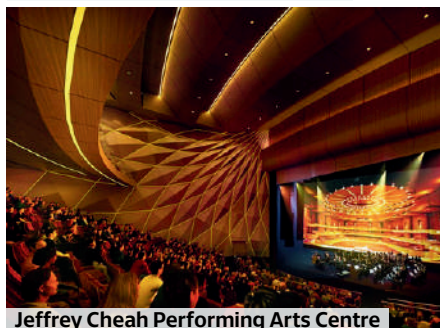
📍 **THE GRANDSTAND**
SUNWAY SQUARE



The Sunway Library by BookXcess



Recital Hall



Jeffrey Cheah Performing Arts Centre



Nursing Lab



Psychology & Counselling Centre



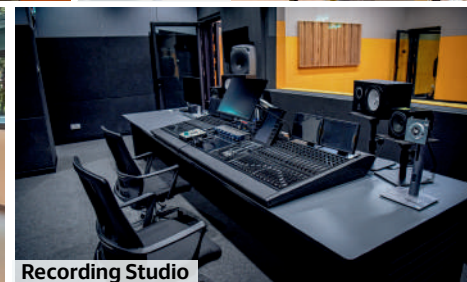
Anatomy Lab



Trading Room



Solid Mechanics & Material Lab



Recording Studio



Net Zero Building

Expanding Horizons

Sunway University's expansion marks a bold step forward: transforming the campus into a dynamic living lab **deeply integrated with industry and society**, where ideas come to life. Here, learning meets real-world application **within a vibrant and connected ecosystem**, opening new opportunities for innovation, collaboration, and discovery. It is a space designed not just for today's students, but for the future they will shape.







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