

MLL109e Malay Civilisation, Philosophy and Thought

Level: 1

Credit Units: 5 Credit Units

Language: MALAY

Presentation Pattern: EVERY JULY

E-Learning: BLENDED - Learning is done MAINLY online using interactive study materials in Canvas. Students receive guidance and support from online instructors via discussion forums and emails. This is supplemented with SOME face-to-face sessions. If the course has an exam component, this will be administered on-campus.

Synopsis:

The course introduces concepts and issues in Malay Civilization and Malay philosophy, leading towards a systematic approach in the field of Malay Studies using a Cultural Anthropological (i.e culture-specific) perspective. Assignments are designed to develop the students' ability to 'see' the Malay Civilization and Malay philosophy from a Malay-centric point-of-view.

Topics:

- Introduction
- Cultural Anthropology Framework
- Malay Civilization and Philosophy
- The Evolution of Malay Civilization and Philosophy in Malaysia
- Malay Thinkers
- The future possibilities of Malay Civilization and Philosophy
- History of Singapore Malays: Leadership and Institutions
- Modernisation and Development of the Malays: Feudalism, Colonialism and Post-independence

Textbooks:

Syed Husin Ali, : Sejarah Rakyat Malaysia, (2017) SIRD & PSR
ISBN-13: 9789670960838

Shaharuddin Maaruf: Konsep Wira Dalam Masyarakat Melayu, (2014), SIRD (MY)
ISBN-13: 9789670630434

Learning Outcome:

- List fundamental concepts in Malay civilization and philosophy
- Discuss the current developments in Malay civilization and philosophy
- Operate key constructs in Malay civilization and Philosophy.
- Define fundamental concepts in Malay civilization.
- Describe cultural systems of values.
- Illustrate examples of Malay civilization in South East Asia.

Assessment Strategies (Evening Class):

Components	Description	Weightage Allocation (%)
Overall Continuous Assessment	PRE-CLASS QUIZ 1	5
	PRE-CLASS QUIZ 2	5
	TUTOR-MARKED ASSIGNMENT 1	20
	TUTOR-MARKED ASSIGNMENT 2	20
Overall Examinable Components	Written Exam	50
Total		100