



MABC ESSAY COMPETITION 2009

Free Return Flight from Australia to Malaysia

"An internship experience in Malaysia would add value to my qualification and professional development"

The Malaysia-Australia Business Council is pleased to offer one return flight from Australia to Malaysia for an internship opportunity.

GUIDELINES FOR APPLICATION

- Applicants are required to write an essay not exceeding 2,000 words (excluding footnotes) on the topics below.
- Essays must be typed, double spaced on one side A4 size paper and appropriately referenced.
- A cover letter should be submitted for each essay to include
 - Essay title
 - Student's family name (underlined) & other names,
 - Postal address
 - Contact telephone number
 - Email address
 - Enrolment details with relevant university
 - Details of internship preferred
- The essay must be sent to **The Executive Director, Malaysia Australia Business Council, C-26-3A, 3 Two Square, 46300 Petaling Jaya, Selangor Darul Ehsan or email: mabc@mabc.org.my** The proof of posting will not be taken as proof of entry in the contest or submission of contest form.
- Closing date for essay submission is **30 May 2009**.

TOPIC FOR ESSAY

'An internship experience in Malaysia would add value to my qualification and professional development'

ELIGIBILITY

1. Open to both Australian and Malaysian students enrolled at an Australian institution.
2. Student shall be required to be in Malaysia for an internship with an assigned member company of MABC during summer break in January 2010. The duration and allowance for the 4 weeks work attachment will be advised by the participating company.
3. MABC will assist the winner with assigning an internship opportunity with one of MABC's member companies. The duration and allowance for this internship will be at the discretion and advice of the participating company.
4. The winner will be responsible to organise their own accommodation during their internship in Malaysia.
5. The winner will have to submit a written report to MABC on their experience as an intern upon the completion of their internship in Malaysia.
6. The winner may be required to attend an MABC function to make a short presentation on their internship experience

SELECTION CRITERIA

- All entries will be considered and selected by the MABC Education and Training Sub-committee. Judges' decisions are final and no correspondence shall be entertained.
- Essays will be judged based on content and relevance, clarity and quality of communication, vocabulary, grammar and originality of ideas.
- MABC and AEI Malaysia reserve the right to publish the winning essay in an appropriate and reputable way.
- The panel of judges reserves the right not to make an award if it deems that no essay is of sufficiently high standard.
- The return flight is not transferable and may not be exchanged for cash.
- The competition is subject to MABC's terms and conditions and MABC reserves the absolute rights at any time to withdraw from an/or add to, modify, delete, waive or otherwise change or after any of the terms, rules, conditions, benefits, prizes pertaining to the contest in part or total at its sole discretion, with or without notice to the contestant, at any time it deems appropriate.

The Malaysia Australia Business Council (MABC) was established in 1986 as a private, non-profit organisation to provide a forum for discussion and exchange of views on bilateral business conditions. The MABC Education and Training Sub-committee promote close relations between Australia and Malaysia through its support in enhancing the bilateral and education and training relationship