Universiti Utara Malaysia (UUM) signed a memorandum of understanding (MoU) to seal a smart industry-academic partnership with Asian Institute of Chartered Bankers (AICB) at UUM Senate Meeting Room yesterday.

The MoU was signed by Deputy Vice-Chancellor (Academic and International Affairs), Prof. Dr. Hassan Ali, whom represented UUM while AICB was represented by its Chief Executive Officer, Mr. Tay Kay Luan.

In his welcoming speech, Prof. Dr. Hassan said since the establishment of UUM 30 years ago, this university has become a catalyst for socio-economic development in the northern region of Peninsular Malaysia.
The signing of the MoU indicated UUM as the leading management university in the country and its key focus was to establish collaborative efforts with leading professional bodies and educational providers like AICB.

“This ceremony marked an important milestone for UUM. In fact, we are pleased and proud to be working with AICB.

This MoU will be a major step forward to meet the talent development agenda of Central Bank of Malaysia (BNM). Besides, through this agreement, I fervently hope that the Bachelor and Master’s programmes in Banking will continue to be enhanced with the AICB Certification,” he said. He further added that, the MoU will also benefit the students as it tailored the learning syllabus according to market needs.

Our efforts are in line with our mission to produce employment ready graduates and we believe this is a start to realising that vision.

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On 17 February 2015, the leader of the banking industry visited the Asian Banking School (ABS). From left to right: Dato’ Muhammad Ibrahim, Tan Sri Azman Hashim, Tan Sri Dato’ Sri Tay Ah Lek, Donald Joshua Jaganathan, Tay Kay Luan and Dr. Raymond Madden.
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