APPLICATION

Applications can be made online via this link
http://sgsportal.upm.edu.my/j2ee/portal/guide/sgs.jsp

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INTRODUCTION
The Master of Economics (MEcon) program began in 1994 and has successfully produced highly competent graduates from various parts of the world. The program provides a broad-based course of study in the applied field of economics, mainly financial economics, international economics, development economics, labour economics, as well as resource and environmental economics. The program emphasizes a balance between theoretical knowledge and practical application that suits various stakeholders including policy makers, academicians, employees in public and private institutions, and those with a keen interest in economics related subjects. Students will acquire relevant skills in conducting economic research by taking courses in research methodology, econometrics, statistical techniques and a masters dissertation. They will also be exposed to current global economic issues and recent economic research tools and studies.

ADMISSION REQUIREMENTS
Candidates should have a Bachelor degree with a minimum cumulative grade-point average (CGPA) of 3.00 on a 4-point scale from institutions recognized by UPM or;
work experience of at least 2 years for candidates with CGPA less than 3.00 or;
work experience of 5 years or more for candidates with CGPA less than 2.50; and
at least pass in economics or/and quantitative courses at undergraduate level.

LANGUAGE REQUIREMENTS
International applicants whose first language is not English are required to submit an official Test of English as a Foreign Language (TOEFL) or International Language Testing System (IELTS) score. The requirements are at least a score of:
i. 550 for TOEFL; or
ii. Band 6.0 for IELTS; or
iii. Level 109 for CIEP.

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PROGRAM REQUIREMENTS
Candidates are required to complete a total of 40 credit hours of coursework. The total credit hours include program core courses and master dissertation (25 credit hours) and elective courses (15 credit hours).

DURATION OF STUDY & MODE OF DELIVERY
Candidates may complete the program within three to six semesters. The program is run on both full time and part time basis. It is delivered through an appropriate mix of classroom (night) lectures, case studies and individual or team assignments.

FEE STRUCTURE

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**Currency exchange 1MYR = 0.2222 USD / 1 USD = 4.5 MYR as of January 2017

Notes:
*Payment in USD is subjected to currency exchange rate by Bank Negara Malaysia. Actual fee is in Malaysian Ringgit (MYR)
Master of Economics = 40 credit hours