



# 3<sup>rd</sup> International Conference Limits to Growth & Sustainability: Contemporary Issues & Perspectives

5<sup>th</sup> - 7<sup>th</sup> December 2015

Universiti Kebangsaan Malaysia, Kampus Tuanku Abdul Halim Mu'adzam Shah,  
Pusat Penyelidikan Langkawi (PPL), Langkawi, Kedah, Malaysia.

Organised by:

Center for Interdisciplinary and Integrative Studies (CIIS) &  
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THIRD CALL FOR SUBMISSION OF ABSTRACTS

Deadline: 15<sup>th</sup> October 2015

Since the studies of the Club of Rome on the limits to growth in the 1970s and other observations, it has been shown that many have gone beyond the predicted limits in terms of resources, population and the environment. In view of these, diverse views from the sides of systems theory, analytical formalism, economics, finance, institutionalism, global social contract can be addressed in a multidisciplinary way.

Academics, practitioners and scholars are invited to participate in this global interdisciplinary dialogue. The papers presented following reviews will be selected for publication and dissemination through the Journal of Ethics, Economics and Finance (JEEF). JEEF is published biannually by Cambridge Scholarly Publication in Cambridge, England.

Specific areas but not limited to these are;

1. The purview of systems in the social, economic and physical sciences.
2. The application of system sciences to a broad conception of sustainable resources and their linkages.
3. The social and cultural dynamics in the ethical reconstruction of global social contract.
4. National and global experiences in mitigating the issues on growth.
5. Policy and institutional perspectives in addressing the issues on growth.
6. The social and cultural factors that influence the use of resources towards sustainability.
7. The spiritual and psychological factors that can contribute towards sustainability and human well being.
8. The challenges of the limits to growth and sustainability to developed and developing nations.

The two days' conference is intended to be interactive with (i) panel discussion; (ii) keynote lectures; (iii) presentations; and (iv) general participation from those in informed walks of life including academia and practitioners, scholars and policymakers.

#### Themes:

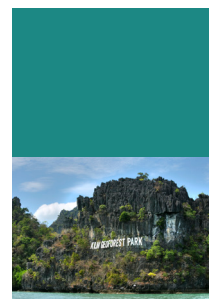
- **Social, Cultural and Ethical Dimension**
- **Physicals and Environmental Sciences Issues on Sustainability**
- **Economics, Finance and Policy Issues**
- **LESTARI special session on Climate Change, Disaster Reduction and Sustainable Livelihood**

Keynote Speakers:

1. **Professor Dr. Jamal bin Othman, School of Economics, Faculty of Economy, UKM**  
*Title: Economic Growth and Sustainability: Issues and Perspective for the Malaysian Economy*
2. **Professor Dr. Masudul Alam Choudhury, Center for Interdisciplinary and Integrative Studies (CIIS)**  
*Title: Forty Years After: Sustainability in the Limits to Growth*
3. **Dato' Dr. Abdul Samad Hadi, Emeritus Professor LESTARI**  
*Title: Social Sustainability*

Important dates:

- Submission of Abstracts: 15<sup>th</sup> October 2015  
Submission of Full Papers: 15<sup>th</sup> November 2015



# REGISTRATION FORM

## Conference Fees:

All expenses are to be borne by the participants as follows.

- 1. Foreign Participant = USD350 + USD15 (Field Visit to Kilim Geoforest Park) - optional
- 2. Local Participant = RM800 + RM50 (Field Visit to Kilim Geoforest Park) - optional
- 3. Foreign Student = USD150 + USD15 (Field Visit to Kilim Geoforest Park) - optional
- 4. Local Student = RM300 + RM50 (Field Visit to Kilim Geoforest Park) - optional

\*not inclusive of travel expenses and accommodation

## Accommodations:

There is a wide variety of hotels available in the vicinity of the conference venue.

Among the hotels are:

- 1. Geopark Hotel Oriental Village | [www.geoparkhotel.com](http://www.geoparkhotel.com), (+604) 9592300
- 2. Berjaya Langkawi Resort | [www.berjayahotel.com](http://www.berjayahotel.com), (+604) 9591888
- 3. Sheraton Langkawi Beach Resort | [www.sheratonresorts-ap.com](http://www.sheratonresorts-ap.com), (+604) 9528000
- 4. Four Points Langkawi Resort | [www.starwoodhotels.com/fourpoints](http://www.starwoodhotels.com/fourpoints), (+604) 9527000
- 5. The Danna Langkawi | [www.thedanna.com](http://www.thedanna.com), (+604) 9593288

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## Mode of Payment:

- Online banking       Cheques

Deadline payments must be made by October 31, 2015.

Payments can be made directly online to the following bank account or by cheque to the address below:

CIIS CONSULTANCY  
67 Jalan Sri Tasik Timor 9/1  
Perdana Lake View East, 63000 Cyberjaya  
Selangor, Malaysia

CIMB Islamic account num. : 8600079248  
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