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DR MAHATHIR OPENS LEADERSHIP COURSE FOR UNDERGRADS

KUALA LUMPUR, June 26 (Bernama) -- Prime Minister Datuk Seri Dr Mahathir Mohamad today opened the third leadership seminar for universities and tertiary institutions at Pusat Islam here.

The three-day seminar, carrying the theme of student leadership facing the challenges of globalisation, began yesterday at the Universiti Teknologi Malaysia campus here.

It is aimed at exposing student leaders to the present and future leadership scenarios and nurturing them to be sensitive to the challenges of globalisation and directing their leadership towards national development.

About 300 students from all local public universities nation-wide and three private universities namely the Petronas, Tenaga Nasional and Telekom universities are taking part in the seminar.

Education Minister Datuk Seri Najib Tun Razak was also present.

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