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Infomediacity

STUDIES, DISCUSSIONS ONGOING TO BUILD INFOMEDIACITY, SAYS KUROKAWA

KUALA LUMPUR, Sept 7 (Bernama) -- Studies and discussions are in progress to build Infomediacity near Cyberjaya, Kisho Kurukawa Architect and Associates President, Dr Kisho Kurokawa, said today.

He said he had been holding discussions and attending meetings with Prime Minister Datuk Seri Dr Mahathir Mohamad, ministers and corporate figures on the detailed and systematic planning of the city.

The proposed Infomediacity would give preference to Information Technology and unique biological aspects similar to the concept of the cyberjaya smart city, he told reporters after receiving an honorary doctorate degree on architecture at the 26th Convocation of Universiti Putra Malaysia in Serdang.

Dr Kurokawa is the first recipient of the award from the university.

Dr Kurokawa is the architect of the KL International Airport in Sepang and KL Sentral in Brickfields.

He said the environment should be merged with the development of a town or city as it was the basis and start to all progress achieved so far.

To venture deeper into bio-technology, Malaysia, apart from Japan, also need the assistance and support of the United States and European countries which were advanced in the field, he added.

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