

Najib To Launch Malaysia-Japan International Institute Of Technology
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KUALA LUMPUR, May 21 (Bernama) -- Prime Minister Datuk Seri Najib Tun Razak is scheduled to launch the Malaysia-Japan International Institute of Technology (MJIIT), here, on June 1.

Japanese ambassador to Malaysia Shigeru Nakamura said MJIIT, located at Universiti Teknologi Malaysia's international campus in Jalan Semarak, here, offered four undergraduate and post-graduate programmes to Malaysian students.

The programmes are Electronic Systems Engineering, Mechanical Precision Engineering, Environmental and Green Technology, and Technology Management and Business.

"MJIIT began its session in September last year with an enrolment of 100 students. Six Japanese professors are currently teaching at the institute and in two or three years' time, we plan to have more that 30 Japanese professors to teach at MJIIT," he told a media briefing at his residence, here.

MJIIT is an academic institution established under Universiti Teknologi Malaysia to introduce Japanese-style engineering education based on an agreement between the heads of government of Japan and Malaysia in April 2010 and the project was approved in May that year.

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