

TRANSFER OF KNOWLEDGE THROUGH MALAYSIAN EXPATRIATES (TOKTME)

PURPOSE

This package offers incentives to eligible scientists / researchers / experts residing abroad to transfer knowledge / expertise to Malaysian Ministries in an advisory / consultative / visiting expert capacity. This package opens to:

- Malaysian /non-Malaysian scientists / researchers / experts residing abroad
- All Malaysian Ministries / Central Agencies

INCENTIVE*

The selected scientist will be offered remuneration for the duration of the project, the amount of which is mutually agreed between the scientist and the institution. The remuneration includes allowances for:

- Sustenance (*man-month*)
- Return airfare
- Medical insurance
- Accommodation
- Host collaborator pays local costs incurred (travel, transportation, etc)

ELIGIBILITY

The applicant should fulfil the following requirements:

- Malaysia-born / non-Malaysian scientists / researchers / experts residing abroad
- Minimum Masters degree / equivalent experience in expertise required
- Expert in relevant areas of expertise
- Engaged by any Ministry / Central Agency in Malaysia (host organization)

AREAS OF EXPERTISE

The collaborations must specifically focus on R&D projects which fall under any of the areas outlined below:

- National Unity
- Legal Affairs
- Parliament Affairs
- Economic Planning
- Religious Affairs
- Finance
- Transportation
- Education and Higher Education
- Public Security
- Information
- Communication
- Culture
- Heritage
- Energy
- Green Technology
- Water Resources

- Rural Development
- Regional Development
- Commodity & Plantation Industries
- International Trade
- Science & Technology
- Innovation
- Natural Resources & Environment
- Tourism
- Agro-based Industries
- Defence
- Public Works
- Health
- Youth
- Sports
- Human Resources
- Consumer Affairs
- Domestic Trade
- Housing
- Local Government
- Family Development
- Women Affairs
- Community Development
- Foreign Affairs
- Public Delivery System
- Public Administration
- Program Evaluation and Monitoring
- Key Performance Indicator (KPI)

LOCATION OF COLLABORATION

Approved collaboration must be undertaken in Malaysia. R&D projects conducted abroad must be justified.

DURATION

The duration of each assignment in Malaysia is a minimum of two (2) weeks and maximum of twelve (12) man-months.

REGISTRATION AND APPLICATION PROCEDURE

Application should be made via the BGM website, through a two-stage process:

- Initial registration as a user through the BGM website
- Please complete the TOKTME form and submit to bgm@mosti.gov.my . Click [here](#) to download form.

(Please attached the research proposal, Brain Gain scientist CV, Collaborator CV, Visit Itinerary, Collaboration / Invitation Letter)