Malaysia Campus Development: Timeline

Early to mid 1990’s  
First discussions at the University of Nottingham in relation to a campus in Asia

July 1998  
Formal announcement of plan to establish a University of Nottingham Campus in Malaysia in partnership with Boustead Holdings Berhad and YTL Corporation Berhad

January 1999  
Malaysian Government issues formal letter of invitation to The University of Nottingham to establish a campus in Malaysia

November 1999  
Premises in Wisma MISC, Kuala Lumpur, identified for initial launch

January 2000  
Formal submission of application for approval to operate submitted to the Minister of Education

January 2000  
JVA between University of Nottingham, Boustead Holdings Berhad and YTL Corporation signed in Kuala Lumpur

March 2000  
Letter of Approval for the establishment of University of Nottingham Malaysia Campus issued by Education Minister, Tan Sri Musa

June 2000  
LAN approval received for the delivery of the first set of degree programmes

September 2000  
First students register at University of Nottingham Malaysia Campus (UNMC) on programmes in Business, Computer Science and Electrical and Electronic Engineering

Autumn 2000  
UNMC celebrates its launch with Royal visits from HRH Tuanku Ja'afar Ibni Almarhum Tuanku Abdul Rahman, HRH Sultan Azlan Muhibbuddin Shah Ibni Almarhum Sultan Yussuf Izzuddin Shah Ghafarullahu-Lah and Their Royal Highnesses, The Earl and Countess of Wessex

April 2001  
Foundation Programme launched to broaden opportunities available to students

April 2001  
Winners of the Architectural Competition for the design of Semenyih campus announced

January 2002  
First graduation ceremony held in Malaysia for MBA students

January 2002  
Groundbreaking ceremony for the development of the Semenyih campus

July 2004  
First undergraduate students awarded their degrees

September 2005  
Official opening of the Semenyih Campus

January 2006  
First PhD student graduates
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<td>UNMC and Applied Agricultural Resource announce the establishment of a collaborative research institute</td>
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