

# **DELIVERING SOCIETAL VALUE**



Projek Ganda Dana (Tilapia fish farm) in Kampung Bambangan, Tambunan, Sabah – a beneficiary of Good Shepherd Services (one of Yayasan Hasanah's partners) which aims to enable women to be entrepreneurial by utilising available resources to improve their household income

We continue to deliver societal value through efforts which benefit various communities in Malaysia. These impactful initiatives are targeted towards priority socio-economic outcomes – advancing communities, building capacity and future-proofing the nation.

Our societal value creation initiatives are mainly executed by our key execution arms, namely Yayasan Hasanah, Yayasan Khazanah, Khazanah Research Institute, Think City Sdn Bhd and Taman Tugu Project Development Sdn Bhd. Additionally, we undertake direct efforts in selected areas such as Galeri Khazanah and the Khazanah Residency Programme.

With the aim of strengthening our future contributions to society under the pillar of Building Capacity and Vibrant Communities, we establish the Societal Value Monitoring & Alignment (SMA) unit in February 2023 to enable greater alignment between our purpose and the execution of our societal value initiatives, empowering us to make a bigger impact.



## YAYASAN HASANAH



- ► The launch of The Hasanah Report 2022, themed *Igniting* Possibilities: Semarak Potensi Kita
- Yayasan Hasanah (Hasanah), a foundation of Khazanah Nasional Berhad, is catalysing social change in Malaysia through its grants in five core areas: Education, Community Development, Arts & Public Spaces, Environment and Knowledge.



In 2022, Hasanah supported 132 new social impact projects and worked with 111 social impact partners while managing RM222.3 million in funding."

These milestones meant that Hasanah has cumulatively impacted more than 2.4 million people in Malaysia since its inception in 2015, *Advancing Malaysia* one person at a time across every layer of society.

Reflecting our belief that empowered individuals are the heart of the progressive society, Hasanah's



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achievements spotlight the power of human potential and how tapping into it can ultimately lead to greater innovation, creativity and progress for the nation.

## **Collaboration with Ministry of Finance**

In 2022, Hasanah together with the Ministry of Finance, launched the Hasanah Special Grant 2022 (HSG2022), an amplification of its existing grants programme that enables the support of more partners across societal and environmental causes. From addressing learning loss in schools to boosting income for micro-entrepreneurs under Program Perumahan Rakyat (PPR), safeguarding heritage textile motifs to protecting our Malayan tigers by empowering the Orang Asal indigenous community, HSG2022 aims to ignite new possibilities by tapping into Malaysia's rich well of human potential.



RIMAU empowers indigenous communities to be forest patrollers and protect the Malayan Tiger population in the central forest spine (From left to right: forest patrollers Ardi Kembong, Sufian Raman, Fahmi Jali, Talib Mat Razi and Safian Latif)



Through the Pepper Labs – Dapur Digital programme, cloud kitchen micro-entrepreneurs like (back row, left to right) Juraiah Ahmad, Farida Yusoff, Farah Asmani, (front row left to right) Noriza Ahmad, Rohana Ismail (Chairwoman) and Intan Zarina saw a boost in their incomes



 Umar Firas of SK Jelempok, Perlis, was part of a programme by UNIMAP – Wesser and the State Education Department of Perlis to address learning loss due to the pandemic – assisting 2,300 students across all 74 primary schools in the state



 Low Mee Li and Orange of OS/Beautiful Gate, two of the performers taking part in the ILHAM concert led by OKU Sentral, supported by ArtsFAS and Ministry of Finance

#### **Arts for All Seasons**

Hasanah's Arts for All Seasons (ArtsFAS) has grown to be the largest grant programme for arts, heritage and culture in Malaysia.

2022 was a record-breaking year for the grant, with the awarding of a total of RM4.15 million in programme funding and economic opportunity. Jointly with the Ministry of Finance, ArtsFAS brought to life 107 shows and performances around Malaysia, supporting the livelihoods of 3,332 local artists and performers in the process.

## **Hasanah Social Enterprise Fund**

In another breakthrough achievement, Hasanah and the Ministry of Finance jointly debuted the Hasanah Social Enterprise Fund 2022 (HSEF2022), in which RM4.64 million was approved to 32 Social Enterprises, scaling up their capability and capacity. HSEF2022 marks the first time that Hasanah is awarding 100% of its organisational development fund to social enterprises.

The inaugural fund has enabled partners to grow their organisations further and enhance their overall impact, with funding going towards hiring talent and investing into new machineries and tools for their businesses, thus driving their long-term sustainability.

By providing partners with training, mentoring, and access to resources, Hasanah empowers changemakers to be better equipped to deliver scalable, successful programs that result in greater social and environmental impact for the communities they serve across Malaysia. Moreover, by strengthening the structural capacity of their partners, Hasanah is building a more sustainable social enterprise ecosystem — a step forward in professionalising Malaysia's social impact scene and attracting more talent into the sector.

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## **Partnerships Beyond Everyday Grants**



Reintroduced as GLIC/GLC Demi Rakyat dan Negara (GDRN) in March 2022, GDRN is a coalition of GLICs and GLCs that aims to deliver coordinated social impact on a large scale, and encompasses three impact areas: Jalinan Ilmu, Jalinan Sejahtera and Jalinan Kemanusian.

In 2022, the 13 GDRN members contributed RM38.7 million to humanitarian initiatives, benefitting 38,442 families, 56,630 individuals and 30 institutions. Yayasan Hasanah and Yayasan TM currently serve as the Co-Secretariat, coordinating these efforts and overseeing GDRN's growing role in supporting the nation and its people.



▶ Hasanah works with on-ground disaster relief partners to expedite aid in areas affected by flash floods

In 2022, Hasanah also allocated RM2.19 million for its humanitarian disaster relief efforts, providing aid such as food baskets, post-flood hygiene kits, maternity and childcare support packs, medication, school uniforms and repair works.



## YAYASAN KHAZANAH

Supporting our goal of enhancing Malaysia's global competitiveness, Yayasan Khazanah (YK) identifies, supports and nurtures top local talents with the potential to assume leadership positions in the corporate or government sectors.

Through the full scholarships that YK provides, talents have been provided with the opportunity to study in leading universities across the United States, the United Kingdom, Australia, China and Malaysia. YK also provides talents with financial support to pursue other avenues of growth such as student exchange programmes, international conferences and self-development programmes, while facilitating guidance and mentorship through a network of learning coaches and corporate leaders.

Upon returning from their university studies, scholars are bonded to affiliated organisations across Malaysia — including GLCs, GLICs and government agencies — helping to drive the nation's development agenda in settings where they can make a telling impact. At this stage and throughout their career, they remain part of a virtual alumni network, through which they can expand their professional network and access insights that will support their continued development.

Under the Bestari Study Grant Programme, YK collaborates with the Ministry of Education (MOE) and Majlis Amanah Rakyat (MARA) in providing selected secondary school students with monthly stipends.

In 2022, YK sponsored:

Number of scholarships awarded in 2022: 115

45 Global 65 Watan 5 Lestari

2 Number of Bestari Study Grants awarded in **2022: 200** 





 2022 New Award Recipients: Khazanah Global, Khazanah Watan and Khazanah Global (Postgraduate Studies)



2022 Khazanah Watan Scholarship recipients (from right to left) Chyfica Binti Mohamed Zamri, Doctor of Business Administration, Universiti Teknologi Mara, and Yeo Jia Yee, Faith, Master of English Language and Literature Studies, Universiti Sains Malaysia



 2022 Khazanah Watan Scholarship recipient Athikeshani a/p Harikrishnan, Bachelor of Law, Universiti Malaya (pictured with her mother)



## **TAMAN TUGU**



- The Taman Tugu forest trail is highly enjoyable for groups of all ages including for families and team-building activities
- With the aim of creating a vital green lung for Kuala Lumpur, we collaborated with a range of private and public sector entities to develop Taman Tugu, a 66-acre park in the heart of the city that is free to access for all. Taman Tugu is one of our largest non-profit corporate social responsibility initiatives.

The park was established in 2018 under Amanah Warisan Negara (AWAN), a national public trust to own, manage and protect Taman Tugu as well as other potential heritage assets across Malaysia.

In 2022, Taman Tugu held a Merdeka sing-along session at its newly-launched open air green space, Taman Tugu Lawn, which contains various visitor facilities and has a covered open air space called The Patio. An additional 1km of forest trail was also added and opened during the Merdeka season, bringing the park's total trail length to 6km.

In the past year, Taman Tugu was successful in securing sponsorships from a range of corporate entities including CIMB Islamic, CTC Global, Standard Chartered Global Business Services, Canon, Diamond Technique and CGC. Taman Tugu also added Taman Tugu Adoption Plots as an additional element to the Adopt Taman Tugu Park Elements Programme, under which Uniqlo Malaysia adopted two plots and Deutsche Bank adopted one plot. Extending its partnership with Uniqlo Malaysia, the Uniqlo – Taman Tugu Plant Giveaway and the Uniqlo – Taman Tugu Plant & Hunt are additional engagement programmes made available to public and kids to learn and increase their awareness of sustainability.



As of 31 March 2023, more than 700,000 people have visited the park. With an additional 1km of trails completed and various educational programmes and engagement activities launched during the past year, we anticipate that Taman Tugu will continue to expand its reach amongst Malaysians and tourists to the country in the future."



For more information on Taman Tugu, visit www.tamantugu.mv



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## **THINK CITY**



- ► George Town Conservation and Development Corporation (GTCDC), Think City and the Aga Khan Trust for Culture celebrate the completion of the new seawall and public promenade along the historic Esplanade. The Esplanade is the seaside promenade at the heart of George Town's UNESCO World Heritage Site.
- A fully-owned subsidiary of Khazanah, Think
  City develops and implements innovative
  solutions that make cities more peoplefriendly, liveable, resilient and sustainable.
  Formed in 2009 to contribute to the urban
  regeneration of George Town, Penang, Think
  City is now present in cities across Malaysia,
  delivering impactful projects that create more
  dynamic urban spaces with a focus on four
  main areas of impact: Placemaking, Resilience,
  Strategy & Analytics and Culture-based
  Economic Development.

Under the auspices of the Ministry of Finance, Think City rolled out the Northern Region Archaeotourism Network in 2022 across Perak, Kedah, Penang and Perlis. The programme aims to leverage the region's unique natural, cultural and archaeological attractions to stimulate culture-based tourism, create employment opportunities and drive greater economic resilience. RM10 million was allocated for the first phase of the multi-

year effort, with 56 projects, partnerships and management initiatives since approved, creating RM6.7 million worth of co-investment.

In partnership with UN-Habitat and various local and international partners, Think City secured USD 10 million from the Adaptation Fund to implement the Penang Nature-Based Climate Adaptation Programme (PNBCAP), a comprehensive approach to address the environmental and social impact of climate change in Penang. The programme was subsequently featured at the C40 Cities Summit, where BBC StoryWorks produced an episode of 'Cooling Down Penang' for Think City.

Also in Penang, Think City collaborated with the Penang Island City Council (MBPP) and EIT Climate-KIC to develop the Atlas of Climate Resilient Trees (ACResT), an online and open-collaborative platform that facilitates the discovery and documentation of climate resilient tree species, assisting city planners and landscapers in placing trees within Penang's urban environment. Meanwhile, Think City also completed the seawall and public promenade along the Esplanade of George Town, an initiative led in tandem with the Penang State Government and MBPP to rejuvenate this area of historical value.

In other highlights of a busy year, Think City partnered with the Johor Bahru City Council to enhance the functionality and cultural heritage conservation of Coronation Avenue, one of the city's most historically and culturally-rich streets, while commencing a partnership with PNB Merdeka Ventures to undertake various projects in the up-and-coming Merdeka 118 district in Kuala Lumpur.



For more information on Think City, visit www.thinkcity.com.my

KHAZANAH RESEARCH INSTITUTE

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- ▶ Dato' Feisal with the Chairman of KRI, Tan Sri Nor Mohamed Yakcop, at the launch of *The Paddy and Rice Industry of Sabah and Sarawak: Status and Potential* publication on 31 January 2023
- Khazanah Research Institute (KRI) carries out research on pressing issues facing the nation with the objective of recommending public policies that sustain and improve the socioeconomic well-being of Malaysians.

In 2022, KRI published 24 articles, working and discussion papers and reports, focusing on national priorities including food security, agriculture, housing and cities, jobs and unemployment, climate change, social protection and digital transformation, among others.

Based on these research focus areas, KRI continues to actively engage with relevant ministries across the Government to provide strong policy support across these issues and more.



# MALAYSIA SHORT TERM EMPLOYMENT PROGRAMME (MySTEP)



- One of the focus areas of Khazanah-MySTEP in 2022 was on childcare services, to which we appointed a Programme Partner who specialises in professional childcare training and certification
- We support the Malaysia Short Term Employment Programme (MySTEP) by the Government of Malaysia, which provides training and on-the-job placement to Malaysians aged 18 and above through a wide range of industry partners. With cognisance of the shifting demands of the job market, the programme focuses on instilling relevant knowledge, future-ready skills and the right mindset for Malaysians to achieve long-term career growth, placing particular emphasis on addressing the issue of unemployment amongst university graduates.

In 2022, Khazanah through our Programme Partners and related companies provided training and placement to a total of 11,566 programme participants, assisting them in their transition to employment.



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## **GALERI KHAZANAH**



- HRH Sultan Nazrin Muizzuddin Shah, The Sultan of Perak Darul Ridzuan, officiated the opening of our virtual art gallery, Galeri Khazanah and its accompanying mini exhibition
- As part of our mission to preserve Malaysia's rich social and cultural heritage, we launched Galeri Khazanah in August 2022.

A fully virtual art gallery, Galeri Khazanah showcases perspectives on the nation through the lens of noteworthy local and international artists, striving to conserve artworks of historical value that have been acquired by Khazanah since our inception and inculcate enduring appreciation of Malaysia's rich cultural heritage.

Graced by his Royal Highness, Sultan Nazrin Muizzuddin Shah, The Sultan of Perak Darul Ridzuan, the launch of Galeri Khazanah provided a platform to create awareness of its inaugural exhibition – *Time Together: Exploring Art Through Khazanah Nasional Berhad's Collection*.

Featuring over 50 artworks by senior, established and young Malaysian artists including Latiff Mohidin, M. Zain Idris, Ahmad Khalid Yusof, Dato' Chuah Thean Teng and Kok Yew Puah, the exhibition was curated by Sarah Abu Bakar. It contains meaningful cultural pieces such as drawings, paintings, photographs, sculptures and crafts, as well as historical objects that narrate the arc of Malaysia's unique history.

Moving forward, we hope to not only celebrate our nation's cultural treasures but to ensure that future generations inherit the artistic skillsets that have so enriched Malaysia's history.



 Mandalay paper quilling art, one of the many art activities for children and arts & crafts enthusiasts at Galeri Khazanah's mini exhibition



► Galeri Khazanah's second virtual exhibition, *The Color of Life*, highlights 65 artworks by 40 modern and contemporary artists, celebrating the splendours of the universe conveyed through the power of colour.



For more information on Galeri Khazanah, visit <mark>galeri.khazanah.com.my</mark>