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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.

