

IGM Academy and Institute of Blockchain Ltd Partner to Offer Certified Blockchain Consultant Program in Malaysia



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Singapore , 1st August, 2024 - For the first time, IGM Academy (IGM), a leading education body based in Kuala Lumpur, Malaysia, partners with the Institute of Blockchain Singapore (IBS) to raise the proficiency of blockchain in Malaysia. Both parties signed a partnership agreement on 1 August 2024, where IGM Academy is appointed as the exclusive partner in Malaysia to promote and conduct the Certified Blockchain Consultant (CBC) program.

This program lasts for 2.5 months of self-learning and instructor-led sessions, where participants learn various topics such as blockchain fundamentals, Bitcoin, Ethereum and other popular public blockchains, smart contracts and distributed applications, decentralized finance and AI in Blockchain. Over the course, the participants have to complete assignments and pass the examination at the end of the course, including preparing a pitch or idea about launching a blockchain business.

This initiative aligns with the Malaysian government's vision, spearheaded by Prime Minister Dato Seri Anwar Ibrahim, to embrace digital technologies across both the public and private sectors. By offering specialized blockchain training, IGM Academy is positioned to play a pivotal role in cultivating a digitally proficient workforce.

"We are excited to partner with IBS Ltd, a leading authority in blockchain, to bring this transformative program to Malaysia," said Adjunct Professor Dr. Oliver Ho, Principal of IGM Academy. "This collaboration will empower Malaysian organizations to harness the potential of blockchain technology and gain competitive edge."

"We are so excited to be partnering with IGM Academy as we work collectively to train the next generation of blockchain professionals. The institute has ambitious plans to go regional and work with overseas partners to promote blockchain technology and education. IGM Academy and Malaysia is the first

partner to come on board and we are positive of the synergy.” said Max Ee, Director of Education from IBS.

Under this partnership, IGM Academy will oversee the marketing and promotion, recruitment and enrollment as well as the contact point for Malaysian participants. IBS provides the course curriculum and materials, as well as perform the final assessment. The prestigious CBC title will be awarded to course participants who undergo the 2.5 months program meeting strict criteria.

About IGM Academy

IGM Academy (IGM) is an institution of life-long learning, licensed and approved by the Ministry of Human Resources (HRDF/PSMB). IGM was founded in 1993 as a college – the Institute of Global Management, inspired by the vision to be Malaysia’s leading life-long learning Institution for working adults. It has since become a full-fledged training academy and changed its name to IGM Academy Sdn Bhd with the mission to shape market leaders.

About Institute of Blockchain Singapore

Institute of Blockchain® Ltd (or IBS) was founded in Jan 2018 and is based in Singapore. IBS is a registered social enterprise and online institute incorporated as a public company limited by guarantee (CLG). As the pioneer of blockchain education & training. IBS is on a mission for the advancement of Blockchain education and credentialling for blockchain professionals. Certified Blockchain Consultant (CBC) is the signature program. Presently, IBS has trained more than 2000 learners from 9 countries (Singapore, Malaysia, Indonesia, Japan, China, UAE, United Kingdom, United States, Germany).

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Partnership Agreement Signing on 1 August 2024



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