

AWARDS ASIA 2022  International Strategy of the Year	
Institution name	Universiti Malaysia Sarawak (UNIMAS)
Submission title or project name	UGHIPs – Solutions that cross the Global Frontiers
Nominee/key personnel	Project Collaboration: 1. Faculty of Engineering UNIMAS 2. Shibaura Institute of Technology 3. Old-Kuching Smart City Heritage (OKSHE) 4. Sarawak Multimedia Authority (SMA)
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Submission	UNIMAS Global High Impact Project Initiative (UGHIPS) was introduced to develop robust and adaptable international programmes that can withstand unprecedented contexts.  The UGHIPS framework consists of three independent components that can function separately or in tandem. #GlobalHome focuses on enhancing our international community's campus experience. #GlobalHeartbeat unites our students with the local communities, and #GlobalFuture addresses the digital gap, a significant challenge in Industrial Revolution 4.0.  The highlight of UGHIPS came in the form of a project themed "Solutions that Cross Frontiers" that incorporated all three components. We modified an existing International Student Mobility Programme (ISMP) an annual Global Problem-Based Learning (gPBL) project hosted by the Faculty of Engineering and their Japanese partner, Shibaura Institute of Technology (SIT) into a community-inclusive ISMP.  In conclusion, this transformation is additionally encouraging that the wholesome experience can be organised fully through live streaming with little financial implications in connecting remote communities.