

Thursday, 18 May 2017



**BERNAMA.com**

Breaking News / *Berita Tergempar*

## BUSINESS › NEWS

# UCSI To Hold Conference On 4th Industrial Revolution

KUALA LUMPUR, May 16 (Bernama) -- Close to 200 academicians and corporate figures are expected to attend a conference on the Fourth Industrial Revolution aimed at encouraging exchange of views and enhancing the capability of universities in drafting the right curriculum, developing new knowledge and jobs.

Organised by UCSI University, the conference on May 23 will be themed "Shaping the Malaysian Industry for the Fourth Industrial Revolution".

Deputy Vice-Chancellor of Academic and International Affairs Professor Datuk Dr Ahmad Zainuddin told Bernama, the conference aimed at pairing the Fourth Industrial Revolution with the 2050 National Transformation Programme, in line with developing technology and the community's lifestyle.

The one-day conference would be launched by Science, Technology and Innovation Minister, Datuk Seri Wilfred Madius Tangau and attended by Higher Education Director-General Datin Paduka Ir Dr Siti Hamisah Tapsir.

The conference would also feature distinguished panel speakers like the Federation of Malaysian Manufacturers Vice-President Jacob Lee, World Economic Forum Global Shapers Curator Dr Renard Siew and Cisco Malaysia Managing Director Albert Chai.

"We need a sustainable approach to face the fast-paced evolution of digital technology and we will present the ideas from the conference to the government," added Ahmad.