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**U**niversiti Malaysia Pahang (UMP) fortified its international networking when it sealed a Memorandum of Understanding (MoU)

with China's South-Central University for Nationalities (SCUN) in Beijing, China, on June 1.

At the historic ceremony, Vice-Chancellor Professor Dato' Dr Daing Nasir Ibrahim signed for UMP whilst President Professor Lei Zhaohai signed on behalf of SCUN.

The MoU encompassed several future collaborations, with emphasis on students exchange programme, short-term academic staff fellowship, joint research and the creation of a satellite laboratory.

According to Professor Lei, the MoU was an excellent starting point in enhancing

the bilateral relations between SCUN and UMP. "Both universities will have the opportunities to explore a diverse field of cooperation to make this MoU a success."

Professor Dato' Dr Daing Nasir, too, expressed his sincere hopes that the strategic cooperation would benefit both parties. "We can learn a lot from each other, both in terms of academic and culture."

Professor Dato' Dr Daing Nasir headed UMP's delegation and was accompanied by the Director of International Office, Dr Wan Norlidah Al-Qadri, and the Assistant Registrar (Policy) from the Vice-Chancellor's Office, Wan Nazrul Helmy Wan Mohd Zain.

After the MoU signing ceremony, the UMP delegation stopped over at SCUN's