

## **CURRICULUM VITAE**



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EDUCATION				
Certificate / Qualification obtained	Institution	Year obtained	Area of Specialization	
Doctor of Philosophy	International Islamic University Malaysia	2013	Usul-al-Din and Comparative Religion	
Master of Arts	The School of Oriental and African Studies (SOAS), University of London	2008	Study of Religions	
Bachelor of Islamic Revealed Knowledge and Heritage (Hons.)	International Islamic University Malaysia	2006	Usul-al-Din and Comparative Religion	

EMPLOYMENT						
Employer	Employer Designation		Start Date	Date Ended		
Universiti Putra Malaysia	Tutor	DEPARTMENT OF GOVERNMENT AND CIVILIZATION STUDIES	November 2006	2013		
Universiti Putra Malaysia	Senior Lecturer	DEPARTMENT OF GOVERNMENT AND CIVILIZATION STUDIES	November 2013	-		

HONOURS AND AWARDS						
Name of awards	Title	Award Authority	Award Type	Year		
Academic Awards	Al-Ghazali Award (Best Student in Usul al-Din and Comparative Religion)	International Islamic University Malaysia	National	2006		
Non-Academic Awards						
Awards of Merit						

## **CONFERENCES AND TRAINING**

- 1. Arfah Ab. Majid (March, 2016). Kesan Kerjasama Dalam Aktiviti Berkumpulan Terhadap Kualiti Perhubungan Pelajar di Universiti. Paper presented at Persidangan Pemantapan Citra Kenegaraan4: Kenegaraan (COSNA4) Organized by Universiti Pendidikan Sultan Idris (UPSI), Tanjung Malim, Perak
- Arfah Ab. Majid (April, 2016). Inter-Religious Dialogue in The Form of Cooperation And Its Effect on Prejudice. Paper presented at Persidangan Antarabangsa sains Sosial dan Kemanusiaan (PASAK) Organized by Kolej Universiti Islam Antarabangsa Selangor (KUIS), Selangor.
- Arfah Ab. Majid (August, 2015). Models of Inter-religious Dialogue in Malaysia: Elite and Grassroots Models.
  Paper presented at Seminar on Government and Civilization II Organized by University Putra Malaysia,
  Serdang
- 4. Arfah Ab. Majid (June 2014). Reducing Prejudice: The Role of Contact Theory In Inter-Religious Dialogue. Paper presented at The 9th International Malaysian Studies Conference (MSC9) Organized by Malaysian Social Science Association (PSSM), Universiti Malaysia Terengganu.
- 5. Arfah Ab. Majid (November, 2014). Inter-Religious Dialogue: A Threat to AqÊdah or Platfform of DaÑwah? Seminar Antarabangsa Dakwah & Etnik 2014: Da'wah & Ethnicity: Multidisciplinary Perspective
- Arfah Ab. Majid & Wan Sabri Wan Yusof (November, 2013). State of Religious freedom in Malaysia: Ideal and Reality. Paper presented at National Conference on Human Rights in Islam organized by International Islamic University Malaysia, Kuala Lumpur
- 7. Arfah Ab. Majid. (June, 2013). Inter-religious Dialogue in Malaysia and Prejudice Reduction: A Preliminary Survey. Peper presented at the International Conference on Social Sciences Research, organized by Kolej Universiti Islam Antarabangsa Selangor, Penang.
- 8. Arfah Ab. Majid. (September, 2012). Inter-religious Dialogue in Malaysia: Past Experience, Present Scenario and Future Challenges. Paper presented at the World Conference on Islamic Thought. Organized by Kolej Islam Darul Ridzuan, Kuala Kangsar, Perak.
- 9. Arfah Ab. Majid. (June, 2011). Inter-religious Dialogue in Malaysia: Preliminary Survey of Dialogue Models. Paper presented at the International Conference on Humanities Organized by USM, Penang.
- Sri Rahayu Ismail & Arfah Ab. Majid (December, 2009). Pendekatan Moral dan Etika Dalam Pembangunan Insan Di Malaysia: Satu Analisis Berdasarkan Perspektif Islam dan Confucius. Paper presented at the Seminar Antarabangsa Ketamadunan Islam II organized by Pusat Pengembangan Kolej Islam Darul Ridzuan, Perak.
- 11. Arfah Ab. Majid (July, 2009). Mystical Experience And Altered States Of Consciousness (ASCs). Paper presented at the Southeast Asia psychology Conference organized by University Malaysia Sabah, Sabah.

NUMBER OF POSTGRADUATE STUDENTS SUPERVISED				
Program	Status	As a Chairman	As a Member	
PhD	Graduated			
	Ongoing	1. Kobra Lashkari	2. Dayang Shobiha Abang Abai	
Masters	Graduated		-	
(with thesis)	Ongoing	1.Onyeiwu Henry	1.Nur Zawani Binti Roslan	
		Okechukwu	2.Mohd. Taufik Bin Ayup	
Masters	Graduated			
(without thesis)	Ongoing			

		LICT OF BUILD IOATIONS
		LIST OF PUBLICATIONS
Journal	1.	Arfah Ab. Majid & Wan Sabri Wan Yusof (2012). Inter-Religious Dialogue Models in
		Malaysia. Global Journal Al-Thaqafah. 2 (1). 7-13
	2.	Arfah Ab. Majid & Wan Sabri Wan Yusof (2013). Inter-religious Dialogue in Malaysia:
		Past Experience, Present Scenario and Future Challenges. Global Journal Al-
		Thaqafah. 3 (2). 45-52
	3.	Arfah Ab. Majid (2016). Kesan Kerjasama Dalam Aktiviti Berkumpulan Terhadap
		Kualiti Perhubungan Pelajar Berbilang Etnik Di Universiti Putra Malaysia.The e-
		Journal of Sultan Alauddin Sulaiman Shah (JSASS)
	4.	Arfah Ab. Majid (2016). Models of Inter-religious Dialogue in Malaysia: Elite and
		Grassroots Models. UMRAN Journal of Muslim Affairs. 22-33
Books/Monographs		
Chapter in book	1.	Arfah Ab. Majid (2012). Isu Penggunaan Kalimah Allah oleh Kristian: Kes Herald the
		Catholic Weekly dan al Kitab (Bible Edisi Terjemahan Bahasa Melayu). In Amini Amir
		Abdullah (Ed.), Isu Sensitif dalam Hubungan Etnik di Malaysia. 90-106. Universiti
		Putra Malaysia Press.
Proceedings	12.	Arfah Ab. Majid (March, 2016). Kesan Kerjasama Dalam Aktiviti Berkumpulan
		Terhadap Kualiti Perhubungan Pelajar di Universiti. Paper presented at Persidangan
		Pemantapan Citra Kenegaraan4 : Kenegaraan (COSNA4) Organized by Universiti
		Pendidikan Sultan Idris (UPSI), Tanjung Malim, Perak
	13	Arfah Ab. Majid (April, 2016). Inter-Religious Dialogue in The Form of Cooperation
	10.	And Its Effect on Prejudice. Paper presented at Persidangan Antarabangsa sains
		Sosial dan Kemanusiaan (PASAK) Organized by Kolej Universiti Islam Antarabangsa
		Selangor (KUIS), Selangor.
	11	Arfah Ab. Majid (August, 2015). Models of Inter-religious Dialogue in Malaysia: Elite
	17.	and Grassroots Models. Paper presented at Seminar on Government and Civilization
		II Organized by University Putra Malaysia, Serdang
	15.	Arfah Ab. Majid (June 2014). Reducing Prejudice: The Role of Contact Theory In
		Inter-Religious Dialogue. Paper presented at The 9th International Malaysian Studies
		Conference (MSC9) Organized by Malaysian Social Science Association (PSSM),
		Universiti Malaysia Terengganu.
	16	Arfah Ab. Majid (November, 2014). Inter-Religious Dialogue: A Threat to AqÊdah or
		Platfform of DaÑwah? Seminar Antarabangsa Dakwah & Etnik 2014: Da'wah &
		Ethnicity: Multidisciplinary Perspective
	17	Arfah Ab. Majid & Wan Sabri Wan Yusof (November, 2013). State of Religious
	17.	freedom in Malaysia: Ideal and Reality. Paper presented at National Conference on
		Human Rights in Islam organized by International Islamic University Malaysia, Kuala
		Lumpur
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	10.	Arfah Ab. Majid. (June, 2013). Inter-religious Dialogue in Malaysia and Prejudice
		Reduction: A Preliminary Survey. Peper presented at the International Conference on
		Social Sciences Research, organized by Kolej Universiti Islam Antarabangsa
	40	Selangor, Penang.
	19.	Arfah Ab. Majid. (September, 2012). Inter-religious Dialogue in Malaysia: Past
		Experience, Present Scenario and Future Challenges. Paper presented at the World
		Conference on Islamic Thought. Organized by Kolej Islam Darul Ridzuan, Kuala
	00	Kangsar, Perak.
	20.	Arfah Ab. Majid. (June, 2011). Inter-religious Dialogue in Malaysia: Preliminary Survey

	of Dialogue Models. Paper presented at the the International Conference on Humanities Organized by USM, Penang.  21. Sri Rahayu Ismail & Arfah Ab. Majid (December, 2009). Pendekatan Moral dan Etika Dalam Pembangunan Insan Di Malaysia: Satu Analisis Berdasarkan Perspektif Islam dan Confucius. Paper presented at the Seminar Antarabangsa Ketamadunan Islam II organized by Pusat Pengembangan Kolej Islam Darul Ridzuan, Perak.  22. Arfah Ab. Majid (July, 2009). Mystical Experience And Altered States Of Consciousness (ASCs). Paper presented at the Southeast Asia psychology Conference organized by University Malaysia Sabah, Sabah.
Other publications	
Computer software	

		PAST RESEAR	CH PROJEC	T		
Project No.	Project Title	Role	Year	Source of fund	Amount	Status
EDW A12-530-1321	A Survey of the Type of Inter- religious Dialogue Model in Malaysia.	Research Assistant	2012-2013	International Islamic University Malaysia	RM5000	Completed
GP-IPM/2014/9426900	Reducing Religious Prejudice: The Application of Contact Theory in Current Model of Inter-religious Dialogue	Project leader	2014-2015	Universiti Putra Malaysia	RM35750	Completed
9323679	The Incorporation of Contact Theory in Student Centered Learning (SCL) Activities and its Effects on Interethnic Contact and Prejudice	Project leader	2016-2018	Centre for Academic Development (CADE), Universiti Putra Malaysia	RM11140	Ongoing

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