

INTRODUCTION

The Faculty of Civil and Environmental Engineering (FKAAS) is established with the aim of carrying out academic programmes specially designed to help towards the achievement of the set faculty's vision and mission and conducting innovative research and development in line with the needs of industry and nation. In addition to carrying out the competitive academic programmes, the faculty also serves as a reference centre in environmentally friendly civil engineering and construction technology fields.

FKAAS started from a Department of Civil Engineering during the establishment of the Polytechnic Staff Training Centre (PLSP) in 1993. The name PLSP was then changed name to Institut Teknologi Tun Hussein Onn (ITTHO) in 1996. On 30 September 2000, ITTHO was upgraded to Kolej Universiti Teknologi Tun Hussein Onn (KUiTTHO) and staff at the Department of Civil Engineering were distributed into two departments namely the Department of Civil Engineering (JKA) and the Department of Construction and Environmental Engineering Technology (JTKPAS), each under the Faculty of Engineering (FK) and the Faculty of Engineering Technology (FTK), respectively. However, on 01 May 2004, FK and FTK were restructured whereby JKA and JTKPAS merged into FKAAS.

Currently, FKAAS is led by:

- Dean
- The Deputy Dean (Academic and International)
- The Deputy Dean (Research and Development)
- Head of the Department of Water and Environmental Engineering (JKAP)
- Head of the Department of Infrastructure and Geomatic Engineering (JKIG)
- Head of the Department of Structural and Materials Engineering (JKSB)
- Head of the Department of Construction Engineering and Architecture (JKPS)
- Head of the Department of Civil Engineering Technology (JTKA)
- Head of the Department of Chemical Engineering and Bioprocess (JKKB)
- Senior Assistant Registrar

The offered academic programmes are at Undergraduate and Postgraduate levels. The uniqueness of FKAAS academic programmes is that all students are exposed to practical and skills training apart from learning theoretical in the lectures. With this approach, the faculty would be able to produce graduates who are competitive and competent to meet the needs and requirements of the current job market.