

2nd Annual Public Lecture Series
“Beyond Standard Scripts: Imagining New Futures in Digital Education”
and launch of New OUM Logo

5 August 2026 • Wednesday • 9.00 am • Tun Dr Ismail Hall, WTC Kuala Lumpur

PROGRAMME

8.00 – 8.45 AM	:	Arrival of Guests and Registration
9.00 AM	:	Arrival of Guest of Honour: Minister of Higher Education
	:	<i>Negaraku</i> /Doa Recitation
	:	Welcoming Remarks by President/Vice-Chancellor YBhg Profesor Dato’ Dr Ahmad Izanee Awang
	:	Speech by Minister of Higher Education YB Dato’ Seri Diraja Dr Zambry Abdul Kadir
	:	Unveiling of New OUM Logo
10.00 AM	:	Official Introduction of the 2 nd Annual Public Lecture Series
	:	Public Lecture 1 Σιγά Σιγά: Toward a Better Tempo for Digital Education Prof George Veletsianos <i>College of Education and Human Development, University of Minnesota-Twin Cities (USA)</i>
10.30 AM	:	Media Conference & Morning Tea Break
11.00 AM	:	Public Lecture 2 Designing for Scale and Localising for Inclusion: Towards or Away from Technology-Enabled Teacher Professional Development at Scale? Prof Lim Cher Ping <i>Global Institute for Emerging Technologies, The Education University of Hong Kong (Hong Kong SAR, China)</i>
11.30 AM	:	Public Lecture 3 Beyond Intelligent Automation: Reimagining Human- Centred Futures for Digital Education Prof Bart Rienties <i>Institute of Educational Technology, The Open University (UK)</i>
12.00 – 2.00 PM	:	Lunch Break

- 2.00 PM : **Public Lecture 4**
AI for All? Missing Pieces and the Role of Higher Education
Prof Emeritus Shinobu Yume Yamaguchi
Institute for the Advanced Study of Sustainability (UNU-IAS), United Nations University (Japan)
- 2.30 PM : **Public Lecture 5**
Futures of Care in Digital Education
Prof Felicitas Macgilchrist
Carl von Ossietzky University of Oldenburg (Germany)
- 3.00 – 3.20 PM : Afternoon Tea
- 3.20 PM : **Concluding Roundtable**
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- 4.20 PM : Closing Remarks & Presentation of Tokens of Appreciation
- 4.30 PM : Adjourned