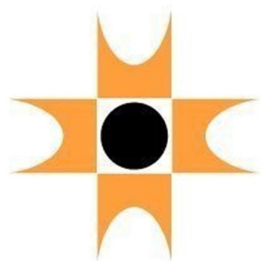


**PAM CPD Seminar 2012
(PAM Sarawak Chapter)**

Saturday, 26 May 2012

The Confessions of a Low Cost Architect - a talk

by Ar. Mazlin Ghazali



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2012**

Time

9.00am - 12.30pm
(Registration will commence at 8.30am. Participants are required to be seated by 8.55am)

Venue

PAM Sarawak Chapter
2nd Floor, Sub-Lot 56
Jalan Wan Alwi, Queen's Court
93350 Kuching, Sarawak

Registration fees

RM 100.00 PAM Member
RM 250.00 Non PAM Member
RM 50.00 PAM Student Member
RM 75.00 Non PAM Student Member

REGISTRATION FORM

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PAM Member PAM Student Member
 Non PAM Member Non PAM Student Member

PAM Members only - I wish to register with my "PAM Member Privilege" (1 session). (All PAM Members are entitled to 4 free CPD sessions per year for payable CPD).

My registration fee of RM _____ is enclosed, payable to
PERTUBUHAN AKITEK MALAYSIA
(Participants who register but do not attend the seminar will be required to pay fees accordingly, or have corresponding PAM Member Privilege forfeited)

Membership No (PAM): _____ (LAM): _____
Fax No: _____ Office No: _____
Name: _____
Address: _____
Email address: _____

Capacity is limited to 90 participants only. Thus, registration is based on first-come-first-served basis. Any cancellation of registration must be notified by 21 May 2012, 12.00pm. PAM does not recommend walk-in registration.

**LAM CPD points
have been applied**

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Synopsis of Presentation:

Homes are getting more and more expensive in Malaysia - out of reach of not only the poor but also for many first time buyers. Globally, half the world do not have good housing. This talk hopes to make the case for architecture that is more about providing functional cost effective solutions - better homes for more people, rather than about aesthetic expression. Ar. Mazlin will present the results of the work, studies, research and projects - done in his office and with his collaborators in the design of standard plans for housing and the application of IBS, in making homes thermal comfortable, in neighbourhood layout design, and more recently, the provision of infrastructure and transportation.

Speaker's biography:

Ar. Mazlin Ghazali set up Arkitek M. Ghazali in 1993 and soon focused on housing projects (especially in low-cost and medium low cost categories), industrialized building systems and educational buildings. His main interest has always been to design affordable quality homes – working towards creating better quality housing at more affordable prices by using fewer resources. Since 2000, his firm has designed and supervised the completion of more than 11,000 units of housing. This practice places a high emphasis on study and research, and he has long collaborated with academics at UPM and UiTM. His main interests are in the design of generic house types, the planning of neighbourhood layouts and thermal comfort. One result of the research effort has been the publication of "Thermal Comfort Honeycomb Housing", which he wrote with UPM researcher, Peter Davis, in 2006. Another publication is the development of the idea of "Tessellation Planning" which resulted in "Honeycomb " and "Squares" housing as alternatives for better quality, cheaper and more practical neighbourhood layout, than the terraced houses are common in his homeland. Pioneer projects for the Honeycomb idea is nearing completion whilst the construction of the first Squares Housing project is already underway. A patent has been awarded in Australia for the design method adopted in the producing these new types of housing and layout.

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