

## Field trip to the SC

STUDENTS from seven tertiary institutions, including those from Sunway University College, had an opportunity to learn more about what the Securities Commission is, and its function, in a special presentation during a field trip.

The half-day visit to the Securities Commission was an educational initiative by the Securities Investment Development Centre (SIDC), the education and training arm of the commission. The aim of the trip was two-fold – to enhance awareness of the role of the Securities Commission in Malaysia, and to enable the students to gain knowledge on the recent initiatives and developments in the Malaysian capital market share.

The 25 visitors from Sunway UC were with its

Victoria University programme's Banking and Finance Unit.

During the briefing sessions, one notable topic was the Capital Market Graduate Training Scheme, designed to provide practical work experience for fresh graduates. The scheme consists of a one-month formal classroom training followed by an 11-month internship with capital market businesses.

For those in search of more intricate reference materials, the SIDC library serves as a good reference point. The participants were briefed on the wide-ranging collection of books and journals covering such subjects as accounting, finance, law and management.

The library is open to the public for a membership fee of RM50 a year.

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