

Mr Sathis A/L Venkitasamy Profile



Mr. Sathis Venkitasamy, 27 years old, holds a Bachelor of Science (Biology), UKM which Botany was his major. He is currently pursuing his Master of Technology (Environmental Management) at University Malaya. He did his degree internship in Forest Research Institute of Malaysia (FRIM), Kepong. He started as research assistant for a study aiming to define appropriate sustainability criteria for existing Malaysian towns by Centre for Environment, Technology & Development, Malaysia (CETDEM), a local NGO which promotes sustainable development since 1985. The study report was titled as 'Elusive Urban Sustainability: Challenges in Entrenching Sustainability in Malaysian Towns'.

He joined Global Environment Centre (GEC) which he entrusted with river management, water management, solid waste management and environmental education programs. Until today, he had undertaken various projects covering important environmental aspects. He successfully carried out Water Conservation Programme for Schools in Malaysia which he developed water auditing calculator for Malaysian schools. He also active in Citizen Science Monitoring program such as engaging local communities, education institutions, business communities and youths to monitor their ecosystem changes especially river monitoring. Being a firm believer in practical environmentalism, Mr. Sathis actively gives talks on environmental education and awareness during training, seminar, Astro interview and so on. He is also appointed panel judge since 2016 for 'Selangor Beach and River Adoption Competition' organized by Selangor Water Management Authority (LUAS).

Besides academic and professional work, Mr. Sathis is active in co-curricular activities. He is an avid runner and football player. He represented state level competitions for both athletics and football tournaments since primary school. He is also active Scrabble player and advises Scholar's Scrabble Club, established to promote young Scrabble players at national level.