

Exploring AI and Qur'an App Keynote at SQ2026

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Langkawi, 13-14 June 2026 – The 7th International Seminar on Al-Quran and al-Sunnah in Contemporary Society SQ2026 was organized by Universiti Sultan Zainal Abidin (UniSZA), brought together scholars, researchers and practitioners from Malaysia and abroad to explore the transformative role of Artificial Intelligence (AI) in education and society. Representing the Software Engineering Department and the Centre of Quranic Research (CQR), Universiti Malaya, Assoc. Prof. Dr. Raja Jamilah Raja Yusof was invited to deliver a keynote address titled: “Integrasi Kecerdasan Buatan dengan Sistem Pengetahuan al-Quran. The keynote highlighted how recent advances in the field of

Generative Artificial Intelligence (Gen-AI) and with the no-code/low-code technologies are seen to be democratizing the process of developing digital Qur'anic related systems. Therefore, many educators, institutions, non-governmental NGOs, and many community members can now develop AI-powered applications such as Qur'anic chatbots, digital learning platforms, mobile-apps (application), websites, and knowledge portals without requiring extensive skills in software development or coding expertise. As part of the keynote, participants were invited to reflect on the sustainability of related AI projects. The ever-increasing accessibility of AI tools must be accompanied by reliable and robust verification and

quality assurance practices to ensure the accuracy, reliability and authenticity of Islamic content. It was made aware of the enormous energy and water requirements of modern AI data centres compared to the remarkable energy efficiency usage of the human brain. Future advances should continue developing more intelligent and resource-efficient approaches inspired by human cognition. The seminar is officiated by YBhg. Tan Sri Dato' Dr. Mohd Yusof bin Haji Md Nor, Pro Chancellor of UniSZA, was held under the theme of strengthening the role of AI in Islamic education based on the Qur'an and Sunnah.



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