



STRENGTHENING SCIENTIFIC STRATEGY

Development and Health Research Unit (DHRU) is a multidisciplinary international resource for the science and policy of land use change and the cost of disease emergence

Based at the Universiti Malaysia Sabah (UMS) the DHRU:

Conducts multidisciplinary research and collaboration in economics, disease ecology, wildlife conservation, land planning, public policy, ecosystems service valuation, and health

Links university departments to private and public institutions in Sabah, providing real-world insight development challenges



Future Steps:

- Positioning the DHRU as a leading collaborative center designing evidence based, low impact-high yield land development solutions
- Producing graduates ready to address the challenges of land development in their region
- Enhancing and increasing the sustainability of the DHRU through outreach activities within Universiti Malaysia Sabah and increased engagement with major stakeholders