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The **Young Technopreneurs Challenge (YTC) 2026** is officially open for registration! Participants will have the opportunity to develop their ideas, sharpen their entrepreneurial skills, and compete in this online challenge. Participation is free.

Who Can Join?

- Category 1: Students (13–19 years)
- Category 2: Young Adults (18–30 years)

Whether you are a budding inventor, aspiring entrepreneur, or passionate problem-solver, YTC 2026 is your platform to turn ideas into action.

Register Now at <https://forms.gle/z5z2C4Q5CwDHnZbF9>

For more details, visit <https://www.asti.org.my/ytc2026/>

For Enquiries, WhatsApp 014-7124217

Take the first step towards becoming a future technopreneur today!





Young Technopreneurs Challenge (YTC) 2026 Launch

The Young Technopreneurs Challenge (YTC) 2026 was officially launched on 11 February 2026 at PAUM Clubhouse, Kuala Lumpur. Organised by the Association of Science, Technology and Innovation (ASTI), YTC aims to nurture young innovators through online training and competition. The programme is open to students aged 13–19 (Category 1) and young adults aged 18–30 (Category 2).



ASTI Socrates Dialogue (ASD)



ASTI organised the ASTI Socrates Dialogue (ASD) titled “Strengthening Mental Health in Schools and Among Youth” at PAUM Clubhouse, Kuala Lumpur, in collaboration with the Institute for Health Behavioural Research (IHBR), Ministry of Health Malaysia, Khazanah Research Institute and Touch ‘n Go Sdn. Bhd.

The session featured six research presentations delivered in two segments, with discussions held after each segment. The structured format enabled participants to reflect, exchange views, and engage in meaningful dialogue on strengthening mental health support for youth.



GENERAL NEWS

ASEAN Procurement Innovation Awards 2026

The ASEAN Procurement Innovation Awards 2026 are officially open for submissions! Step into the spotlight and showcase your innovative initiatives, measurable results, and leadership in procurement excellence. Let the region recognize your impact and celebrate your success.

Whether you are transforming procurement at scale or leading impactful initiatives within your team, this is your opportunity to be recognised. With dedicated categories for both large organisations and SMEs, there is a platform for every achiever to showcase their success.

Why submit?

- ❖ No Submission Fee
- ❖ 9 Award Categories for both Large Organisations & SMEs
- ❖ Hackathon-Style Presentation Format
- ❖ Evaluated by 10 World-Class Judges

Submission Deadline is 9th April 2026

Submit your entry now at <https://www.procureasean.com/award2026>

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