

"IF COMPLIANCE IS EXPENSIVE, TRY NON-COMPLIANCE"

# SARAWAK LABOUR ORDINANCE & INDUSTRIAL RELATIONS *Masterclass*

The Masterclass is ONE of the modules of these

## CERTIFICATION PROGRAMMES



- Certified Strategic Human Resource Manager (CSHRM)
- Certified Human Resource Business Partner (CHRBP)
- Certified Industrial Relations Professional (CIRP)

## GET THESE FOR FREE

- FREE +100 sample policies, forms, letters, templates
- FREE EDITABLE Employee Handbook
- FREE Domestic Inquiry Guidebook
- FREE Online support group (3 months)

## Physical Session

Kuching, Sarawak  
10 - 11 November 2025

**RM2,808**  
(incl. 8% SST)

**Mr. Arulkumar  
Singaraveloo**







\*most materials  
are in softcopy

## KEY HIGHLIGHTS

JOIN OUR MASTERCLASS AND GET:

- ◆ **FREE** +100 sample policies, forms and letters, templates (softcopy)
- ◆ **FREE EDITABLE** Employee Handbook (softcopy)  
– worth RM165
- ◆ **FREE** Domestic Inquiry Guidebook (softcopy)  
– worth RM120
- ◆ **FREE** Online support group (3 months)  
e-cert of attendance

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### SAVE THAT MONEY!!!

- Learn how to **SAVE** more significant money and **BRING IN PROFIT** as **HR**
- Learn how to **AVOID PENNY-WISE POUND-FOOLISH** actions and decisions.
- **IDENTIFY** how to **TAKE CALCULATED RISK** as **HR** and **AVOID COSTLY SAVING**

### BE A BETTER HR PRACTITIONER

- Start **TRANSITIONING** yourself into an HR Strategic Partner or an HR Business Partner with the various methodologies shared
- Turn the impossibilities in HR into possibilities by adapting the **MINDSET SHIFT** you will go through

### KEEP YOUR PRACTICE CLEAN!

- **UNDERSTAND** why you are busy and why HR runs in circles
- Learn how to **REDUCE** your day-to-day transactional **WORKLOAD** by up to 40%

### DISCOVER...

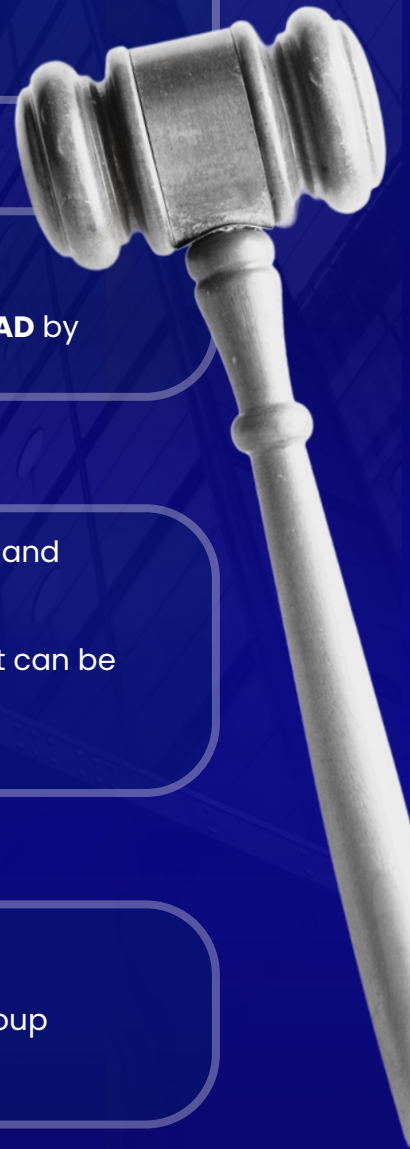
- **TOOLS** that you can implement that can make you successful and make your HR team/department successful
- ...The AHA! moments you have never experienced and realise it can be done
- **ATTAIN** the tips and strategies to **GROW** your HR career

### WHAT ELSE?

Post-Training Support Group (WhatsApp)

- Active engagement
- Shared materials by Mr Arulkumar unlike any other support group

e-Cert after training completion





## MODULE OVERVIEW

This two-day course Masterclass provides a comprehensive understanding of the Sarawak Labour Ordinance amendments effective May 2025, their practical implications on HR and IR practices, and essential compliance strategies for employers in Sarawak.

To achieve this objective, an inclusive operating climate is necessary. As such, the involvement of line managers or people managers must be enlisted and trained in managing people effectively. The Masterclass prepares managers and HR practitioners to handle people issues more effectively by understanding the various employment regulations and effective methods to handle disciplinary matters.

## LEARNING OBJECTIVES

- Develop a good understanding of the various employment laws in Malaysia.
- View disciplinary and people management matters from a legal viewpoint.
- Identify the source of people and disciplinary issues and address the root causes.
- Apply proper measures to address disciplinary issues in accordance with the employment laws.
- Identify an effective early intervention to avoid labour disputes.
- Resolve disciplinary and people matters effectively and in a timely manner.
- Improve workflow and productivity by developing and cultivating a disciplined workforce.





## TARGETED PARTICIPANTS

- HR Managers & Executives (based in Sarawak or with employees there)
- Business Owners and SME Leaders
- Compliance & Industrial Relations Officers
- Legal and Admin Personnel handling HR documentation
- Payroll & C&B Practitioners

## METHOD OF TRAINING

- **Interactive learning mode:** Encourage active learning among the participants with the use of real-life examples scenarios, case studies and personal experiences.
- **Discussions** – on identifying the concerns faced with superiors, actual case studies
- **Inquiry-based Learning** and gaining immediate advisory-level feedback from the trainer

## LEARNING OUTCOMES

By the end of this masterclass, participants will be able to:

- Understand the 2025 amendments to the Sarawak Labour Ordinance.
- Strengthen organisational compliance and reduce exposure to disputes.
- Identify the source of people and disciplinary issues and address the root causes.
- Apply proper measures to address disciplinary issues in accordance with SLO.
- Identify an effective early intervention to avoid labour disputes.
- Improve workflow and productivity by developing and cultivating a disciplined workforce.



## CONTENT | DAY 1

### Main Coverage: Employment Laws, Basic Concepts of Effective People Management

9.00 – 10.00 am	Introduction to Malaysian Employment Laws <ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>• How employment laws come into being</li></ul>
<b>10.00 – 10.15 am</b>	<b>Morning break</b>
10.15 – 11.30 am	Industrial Relations Act 1967 – Key Provisions
11.30 am – 1.00 pm	Minimum Wages: Its Definition, Formulas, Exclusions, and Employment Classifications
<b>1.00 – 2.00 pm</b>	<b>Lunch</b>
2.00 – 3.30 pm	Sarawak Labour Ordinance – Core Provisions, and its 2025 Amendments to the Sarawak Labour Ordinance
<b>3.30 – 3.45 pm</b>	<b>Afternoon tea break</b>
3.45 – 5.00 pm	Sexual Harassment & Workplace Protections

## CONTENT | DAY 2

### Main Coverage: Industrial Relations

9.00 – 10.00 am	Flexible Work Arrangement (FWA) & Public Holiday FAQ, Employment of Children, Young Persons & Women
<b>10.00 – 10.15 am</b>	<b>Morning Break</b>
10.15 – 11.30 am	Pre-requisites to Effective People Management, Recruitment Strategies
11.30 am – 12.30 pm	Probation Management, Managing Discipline and Disciplinary Procedures, Managing Performance Issues
12.30 – 1.30 pm	Masterclass Special: Breakthrough HR Strategies
<b>1.30 – 2.30 pm</b>	<b>Lunch</b>
2.30 – 3.30 pm	Grievance Management, Managing Employees with Medical Conditions
<b>3.30 – 3.45 pm</b>	<b>Afternoon Tea Break</b>
3.45 – 4.30 pm	Termination and Dismissal
4.30 – 5.00 pm	Practical Applications & Compliance Strategies <ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>• Q&amp;A, Key Takeaways, and Compliance Action Plan</li></ul>

\*Time may be changed based on the flow of the ongoing session



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*Co-Founder, CEO  
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Over 23 years of progressive HR leadership in various industries including semiconductors, nitrile glove manufacturing, oil & gas, education & training, and transportation technology. Proven ability to align HR strategy with business goals and deliver exceptional results. Previously, Mr Arul has taken on roles as HR General Manager at Hartalega Holdings Berhad and Human Resources Director (Business Consulting Services) at Infineon.

Arul's extensive experience and strategic mindset make him a valuable asset for any organisation seeking to optimise its HR function and drive business success. A Business HR Leader who is well-acquainted to achieving business goals by ensuring all HR deliverables are aligned and delivered. Arul is familiar with business operations including regulatory works of general business operations in Malaysia. In HR, he has deep experience in business partnering, recruitment, training and development and employee relations (IR/ER), talent management, and performance management with good exposure in compensation & benefits Management. Also, an expert in setting up a HR team from grounds up.

## KEY SKILLS & EXPERTISE:

- Offers solutions to comply with Malaysian regulations, emphasising how the action affects overall HR practices.
- Versatile/Multifaceted: Experienced in major aspects of HR; from hiring the best talent to managing employee relations, and promoting high-performing HR teams.
- Streamlines HR processes to boost productivity.
- Problem Solver: Delivers practical solutions to complex HR and IR challenges through active engagement and inquiry-based learning atmosphere.
- Strategic Builder: Implements winning strategies to make your HR team a powerful asset to your business.

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## TRAINER'S PROFILE



Masters of Business Administration,  
Strathclyde.

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