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MINISTRY OF FOREIGN AFFAIRS, MALAYSIA**



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**GRADUATION CEREMONY - DIPLOMA IN DIPLOMACY (DiD) 2023
THURSDAY, 2 NOVEMBER 2023**

On 2 November 2023, the Institute of Diplomacy and Foreign Relations (IDFR), Ministry of Foreign Affairs, Malaysia held the Diploma in Diplomacy (DiD) Graduation Ceremony for the graduating class of 2023, at the Eastin Hotel Kuala Lumpur.

A total of 18 Administrative and Diplomatic Officers (PTD) from the Ministry of Foreign Affairs and Prime Minister's Department received their diploma from YB Dato' Seri Diraja Dr. Zambry Abdul Kadir, Foreign Minister of Malaysia. The said ceremony was also graced by YB Datuk Mohamad Alamin, Deputy Foreign Minister of Malaysia, YBhg. Dato' Sri Amran Mohamed Zin, Secretary General of the Ministry of Foreign Affairs, senior officials from the Ministry of Foreign Affairs and Prime Minister's Department, lecturers, and family members.

DiD is an annual flagship programme of the Institute, aimed to equip junior officers with the essential knowledge and skills on various angles of diplomatic affairs and international relations. Successful completion of the programme is a prerequisite for the junior officers prior to their first assignment abroad. In 2023, the programme was conducted physically at the Institute from 8 May until 15 September 2023.

The Ministry expresses its heartiest congratulations to the graduates on their achievement.

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2 November 2023