"Englishization" of Education as a Strategy:  
A Comparative Study of Malaysia and Japan

As globalization proceeds apace through the Internet and knowledge-based economy, the demand for English language competency is rising in Asia. In an effort to meet the challenge, Malaysia has introduced several school reforms among which is the teaching of science and mathematics in English. Japan, on the other hand, has introduced the Hours of Integrated Studies and the Super English Language High School programs, which are designed to train the Japanese to broaden their perspectives on Internationalization and to increase their English competency.

The Japan Foundation will host a fellow seminar by Dr. Rosanani HASHIM, (Malaysian national), professor of Educational Foundations at the Institute of Education, International Islamic University Malaysia on "Englishization of Education as a Strategy for Meeting the Challenge of Globalization: A Comparative Study of Malaysia and Japan's Response."

Lecturer: Rosnani Hashim  
Topic: Englishization of Education as a Strategy for Meeting the Challenge of Globalization: A Comparative Study of Malaysia and Japan's Response

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