Malaysian Film Screening:

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Universität Hamburg
Room 221, Flügel West ("West Wing")
Edmund-Siemers-Allee 1, 20146 Hamburg
Languages and Cultures of Southeast Asia Department, Asien-Afrika-Institute, Universität Hamburg in collaboration with Global Bersih and Malaysians in Germany (MIG).

Join us for a captivating film screening, "Maryam," as we welcome new Universität Hamburg students in the Winter Semester 2023/2024. Directed by Badrul Hisham Ismail, this thoughtful drama explores society, power, and the human heart.

Maryam, a cultured art gallery director from a wealthy family, forms a profound connection with a young man from Sierra Leone. As they contemplate marriage, societal pressures loom large. The film uses symbolism, including cats and durian fruits, to expose the hypocrisy of power structures and their impact on individuals' hearts and minds.

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**Director:** Badrul Hisyam Ismail  
**Writer:** Badrul Hisyam Ismail, Faisal Terani  
**Stars:** Sofia Jane, Vanida Imran, Pekin Ibrahim

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