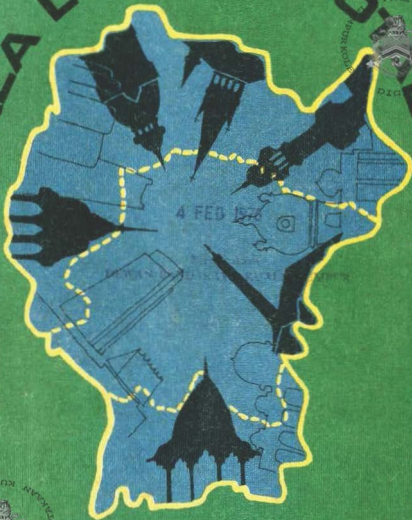


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PREFACE

Pertubuhan Akitek Malaysia (the Malaysian Institute of Architects) has, for a long time, felt the need for preserving the architectural heritage of Kuala Lumpur by documentation and citation as well as actual preservation. Towards this objective PAM has now produced this "Guide to Kuala Lumpur Notable Buildings." The Guide as intended contains information on 71 buildings of architectural merit and historical importance.

In this first edition we are providing only photographs and a brief description of each building. It was not possible to obtain comprehensive details and information on all of the buildings. However, the Editorial Committee has managed to discover enough information to make this booklet a useful guide to those interested in the notable buildings of Kuala Lumpur. Some facts and buildings may have been inadvertently left out or wrongly presented and we apologise for any shortcomings. As it is our intention to rectify any mistakes and shortcomings in future editions of this Guide, comments, criticisms and suggestions are welcomed from the public.

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