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THE RECTOR MESSAGE



**RECTOR OF HASANUDDIN UNIVERSITY
JAMALUDDIN JOMPA**

UNHAS INTERNATIONAL OFFICE HOLDS THE PRE-DEPARTURE ORIENTATION FOR THE UNHAS AWARDEES OF THE INDONESIAN INTERNATIONAL STUDENTS MOBILITY AWARD 2023



The Hasanuddin University (UNHAS) International Office (IO) held a pre-departure orientation for the 12 recipients of the Indonesian International Students Mobility (IISMA) awardees on July 6, 2023. The ceremony was officiated by Andi Masyitha Irwan, the head of the IO. Other members of the faculty included representatives from the Faculty of Public Health (FKM) and the Faculty of Cultural Science (FIB). The event was officially opened by Prof. Muhammad Ruslin, the Vice Rector for Academic and Student affairs. Muhammad Ridwan, the IO secretary, moderated the discussion.

In his remark, Prof. Ruslin commended the awardees for their achievements and for representing UNHAS. The awardees must take the opportunity seriously. According to Prof. Ruslin, they should establish a network with fellow students and with professors who may be suitable supervisors in case they decide to continue their studies for a master's or doctorate programme. The awardees can start by reviewing the professors' credentials and expertise.

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THE WUR RANKING PLACES UNHAS IN THE 6TH NATIONAL RANK



Hasanuddin University (UNHAS) has once again risen in the national ranking of universities. According to Prof. Sumbangan Baja, the University's Secretary, UNHAS currently stands at 6th place in Indonesia when it comes to the country's higher education institutions. This is three places higher than it was in 2022, when it was ranked ninth.

This good achievement, continued Prof. Sumbangan, is due to the hard work of all parties at all levels of the university who continue to strive to advance UNHAS. "Of course we thank all parties, especially the Unhas academic community, for their achievements, which are the main indicators in Times Higher Education (THE) World University Ranking (WUR)," said Prof. Sumbangan.

The university's impressive rise in the national ranking is attributed to the continuous efforts of its various stakeholders. In addition to the academic community, the university's secretary also thanked the other parties for their contributions to the institution's success.

Aside from the WUR, the secretary noted that another impressive achievement was the release of the Impact Rankings, which had placed UNHAS in the 9th spot, which is two places higher than its position from the previous year. Commenting on the achievement, Professor Sumbangan said that UNHAS' continuous improvement has been acknowledged by the public.

Furthermore, he said that the five main factors that influence the ranking of UNHAS are the learning environment, research, international outlook, knowledge transfer, and the influence of research. The university has been able to develop the 13 performance indicators that were included in the WUR by looking at its potential. These indicators will be improved over time.



FACULTY OF DENTISTRY INTERNATIONAL CLASS HOLDS SIT-IN PROGRAM IN TAIWAN



Faculty of Dentistry (FKG) of Hasanuddin University (UNHAS) conducts sit-in activities all around the world. This year, it's being held in Malaysia, Taiwan, and Japan. Sixteen students and four instructors participated in the activities at different universities.

One of the destination countries for this activity is Taiwan. Sit-in acceptance activities at Taipei Medical University (TMU), Taiwan, were held in the Meeting Room of the College of Oral Medicine (3/7/2023). The sit-in group is received directly by the Vice Dean; College of Oral Medicine; Prof. Sam Li-Shen Chen, Vice Director, School of Dentistry; Prof. Sung-Chih Hsieh, Director of School of Dental Technology; Prof. Yung-Kang Shen, Associate Professor; School of Dental Technology; Prof. Fang-Yu Fan.

Prof. Sam Li-Shen Chen expressed his enthusiasm about welcoming FKG students to the university. He noted that the collaboration between UNHAS and the Taipei Medical University has been going on for a long time.

The delegation from UNHAS' FKG Unhas included a supervisor, four students, and three alumni who are currently studying in Taiwan. Dr. Muhammad Iqbal is one of the delegates from the university. The other members of the delegation are Taufik Abdullah Mappa, Ph.D. Programme Student/Alumni, Dr. Citra Dewi Sahrir, MSc Student/Alumni, Muhammad Izzah Abdillah, TMU Alumni Student/Doctor, J Ahmad Fauzan Irwan, and Arkan Miftah Irwanto, who are currently participating in the master's programme.

Head of FKG UNHAS delegates; Muhammad Iqbal, drg., Ph.D., Sp.Pros., SubSp. PKIKG (K) would like to thank the Dean of the College of Oral Medicine for being willing to accept participants in the FKG UNHAS Sit-in activities, which will last for 3 weeks from July 3 July 21, 2023. "This activity is the first activity held in Taiwan, but not the last. It is hoped that the activity will continue for the following years as a form of collaboration between the two institutions," continued drg. Muhammad Iqbal. Other activities after the reception of the group continued with visits to the Rectorate building, laboratories, and Taipei Medical University Hospital.



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Muhammad Iqbal, Ph.D. - Head of Delegation



HEAD OF INTERNATIONAL OFFICE WELCOMES THE INSTITUT FRANCAIS INDONESIA (IFI)



Sandra Vivier, the head of the Indonesian Institute of Francais Indonesia's Surabaya branch, visited Hasanuddin University (UNHAS). The goal of her visit was to explore the various opportunities that UNHAS can provide for collaboration.

During her visit, Sandra met with UNHAS' international office's officials on July 7, 2023. The delegation included the IFI's director, as well as two of its staff members from Alliance Francaise Makassar. The UNHAS delegation included Dr. Andi Masyitha Irwan, the head of the international office, and Dr. Ansariadi, the director of partnerships.

The purpose of Sandra's visit to UNHAS was to strengthen the organization's collaboration with IFI. She noted that the two organizations have been working together for a long time, with UNHAS establishing Warung France and the implementation of the Diplôme d'Etudes en Langue Française (DELFI) and Diplôme Approfondi de Langue Française (DALF) exams. In addition, they have also carried out various cultural and academic activities together.

According to Ansariadi, the partnership between UNHAS and IFI has been running smoothly, and both parties are satisfied with the outcome. UNHAS would like to thank the Embassy of France for its support, and the two organizations can work together to improve the cooperation.

Upon leaving the meeting, the delegation members went to UNHAS' Central Library to visit Warung France. IFI is ready to help with the development of the online French Shop, which could become a learning tool for students.



THE CONSUL OF AUSTRALIAN CONSULATE VISITS AUSSIE BANGET CORNER



The Australian Consul General was represented by Dr Alex Stephens (Consul) accompanied by Mrs. Lulu Purnamasari (Research & Public Affairs Manager) and Mrs. Cindy. (Executive Assistant to Consul-General and Researcher) visit the Aussie Banget Corner (ABC) on Thursday, July 4, 2023. The visit aimed to see the current condition of which is located in the Language Services Center office. There were plans to update some of the existing logistics at ABC and several programs that would be implemented at ABC.

The Australian Consulate General team in Makassar was warmly welcomed by all staff of the Hasanuddin University Language Services Center and Sitti Sahraeny, M.A. App.Ling (former Secretary of the Language Center for the 2010-2013 period & secretary of the Australian Alumni Association of South Sulawesi Province) who represented the Head and Secretary of the Language Center who currently attended the Indonesian Language Center Leadership Meeting in Bandung. It was hoped that the cooperative relationship between the Australian Consul General in Makassar and the Unhas Language Service Center would become closer and produce programs that were beneficial to the community.

FACULTY OF NURSING HOLDS BASIC TRAINING FOR COMMUNITY HEALTH CARE CADRES IN COLLABORATION WITH INTERNATIONAL ORGANIZATION FOR MIGRATION



On June 27, the Faculty of Nursing (FKep) of Hasanuddin University (UNHAS) held a training session for health care workers as part of its community services programs. It was organized in collaboration with the International Organization for Migration (IOM). The event was attended by UNHAS Secretary, Prof. Sumbangan Baja and other members of the university's staff. The Dean of the Nursing School, Prof. Ariyanti Saleh, also attended the ceremony.

The event was held to support the UNHAS' Humaniversity program, which aims to provide opportunities for people to develop their skills and talents. According to Ariyanti, FKep UNHAS was focused on helping these individuals become more self-sufficient and contribute to the development of their local communities. Likewise, Andry Yuan of the IOM explained that the collaboration between the two organizations would help improve the mental health and welfare of the refugees. He also noted that the training provided by both parties would help the individuals prepare for their future employment.

According to Yuan, the collaboration between IOM and FKep UNHAS was aimed at supporting the mental health and welfare of refugees. Through the program, the participants would be able to develop their skills and become more self-sufficient. He also noted that the knowledge they would gain from the training would help them in their future employment.



PADUAN SUARA MAHASISWA (PSM) WINS IN THE 2023 WORLD CHOIR GAMES, SOUTH KOREA



Hasanuddin University (UNHAS) students in South Korea were able to secure a gold medal in the World Choir Games held in 2023. The group, which featured 27 members, was able to claim victories in the categories of scenic folklore and Folklore a cappella.

The members of the choir were assisted by experienced coaches and mentors, such as Prof. Itji Diana Daud and Prof. Nurpudji Astuti, who taught them a lot. In addition, the group's music director, Ir. Ansari Sanusi, helped them improve their skills.

The event's pinnacle was reached on July 7, when the results of the competition were announced. The members of the PSM UNHAS choir traveled to various countries to compete against some of the world's best groups. Their skills and enthusiasm stunned the judges and captivated the audience.



The Champions Competition

The choir
Paduan Suara Mahasiswa Universitas Hasanuddin
from Indonesia

conducted by
Anshari Sanusi

competed in Category C26
Folklore a cappella

and earned 92.00 points, awarding a
GOLD MEDAL

Gangneung, July 7, 2023

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Günter Tisch
President INTERKULTUR

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Jehan Kasea
Artistic Director

12th World Choir Games - Gangneung 2023
July 03-13, 2023
- The Champions Competition -

Choir: Paduan Suara Mahasiswa Universitas Hasanuddin
NADRO: Indonesia
Conductor: Anshari Sanusi
Category: C26
Folklore a cappella

Shin Hae Park					Aria Sutisya					Mawati Van Inggriden					Aria Laura Rey					Anshari Sanusi					Dewi Khatika					Changmin Yi				
Singer					Singer					Singer					Singer					Singer					Singer									
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18.00					13.00					11.00					18.00					18.00					18.00					20.00				

Points: 92.00
Penalty: 0
Total: 92.00 **GOLD MEDAL**

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Shin Hae Park Aria Sutisya Mawati Van Inggriden Aria Laura Rey Anshari Sanusi Dewi Khatika Changmin Yi

"Successful Participation in the Competition" 1 - 45 points Bronze Medal 40.01 - 60 points Silver Medal 60.01 - 80 points Golden Medal 80.01 - 100 points
A: Intonation B: Sound quality of the choir C: Punctuality D: Overall artistic impression



TWO UNHAS STUDENTS PARTICIPATE IN THE 2023 SOCIOVATION PROGRAM IN SINGAPORE



On June 15, 23, and 29 of 2023, two students from Hasanuddin University (UNHAS), namely Andi Nur Rizqi Syam and Muhammad Rayan Zaira, were selected as Student Ambassadors for the Sociovation Forum, a programme of SUSS. The programme is a fully-funded initiative that aims to provide social services to the Indonesian community. Through the programme, the youth from member states of the Association of Southeast Asian Nations were tasked with creating and implementing projects that would help address the issue of internet misuse. Despite the project's success, Andi Nur Rizqi Syam was still able to interact with and learn from other young people from the region.

The project was carried out by Nur Rizqi's group, which was focused on educating the senior citizens of Singapore about fake news. They also partnered with a local community group known as Lion Befrienders. Through a variety of activities, the group was able to recognise and prevent fake news. Rayan's group tackled the issue of hate speech towards teenagers and children. In collaboration with a local organization in Singapore, they created a fun activity known as Soul Vortex, which encouraged teenagers to develop their self-esteem and confidence.



KOREAN FOUNDATION VISIT KOREAN CORNER AT HASANUDDIN UNIVERSITY



On July 11, 2023, the Korean Foundation's team visited the Hasanuddin University (UNHAS) Library's Korean Corner. They were led by Choi Hyun-Soo, the foundation's director. Other members of the group included Lee Jeoun Soon, a lecturer at the university's Department of Korean Language Education, and Shin Young Duk, a professor. The delegation was welcomed by Muhammad Ridwan, the International Office (IO) representative of UNHAS, and Muhammad Syahrur, the director of the Korean Corner.

The delegation's visit started with a One-Day Korean Class, which was facilitated by Professor Shin. The participants, who were UNHAS students, were made more attractive by the interactive nature of the class. After the class, Mr. Choi showed the delegation various books about the KF profile. In addition, Mr. Choi wanted to hold another session, which would be facilitated by the IO. He noted that he would like to involve some experts in sharing their knowledge with UNHAS' academic community. The IO would then invite students and teachers.



MEMORANDUM OF AGREEMENT BETWEEN DEPARTMENT OF ARCHEOLOGY, FACULTY OF CULTURAL SCIENCES, UNHAS AND DEPARTMENT OF ARCHEOLOGY, GRIFFITH UNIVERSITY, AUSTRALIA



A Memorandum of Agreement (MoA) between the Department of Archaeology, Griffith University (GU), and the Department of Archaeology, UNHAS, was officially signed on Monday, July 10, 2023, at the Dean's Office of the Faculty of Cultural Sciences (FIB). Prof. Adam Brumm and David Paul Mc.Gahan represented GU. From the FIB, besides the Dean, Prof. Akin Duli, M.A., other parties that also attended, namely the Head of FIB Archaeology Study Program, Dr. Rosmawati, M.Hum., Dr. Supriadi, M.A., Dr. Muh Nur, M.A., Dr. Yadi Mulyadi, M.A., and Dr. Khadijah Thahir, M.Hum and staff from the department. Other parties who attended were from Badan Riset dan Inovasi Nasional (BRIN) or National Research and Innovation Agency of Makassar, Drs. Budianto Hakim (he is a Practitioner lecturer from Archaeology), and Basran Burhan, S.S.

The Dean of FIB, Prof. Akin Duli, M.A., stated that the two institutions would cooperate in education, research, and community service combined. Implementing the programs would be held in Leang Leang and Paningnge, Maros Regency, which would last two months, involving lecturers from the Department of Archeology, UNHAS, and undergraduate and postgraduate students. The Australian team consists of three lecturers, and later, masters students would join the team as well.

FACULTY OF DENTISTRY OF HASANUDDIN UNIVERSITY ESTABLISHES COLLABORATION WITH THE UNIVERSITY OF HOKKAIDO JAPAN



The Faculty of Dentistry (FKG) UNHAS agreed to cooperate with the School of Dentistry, Health Sciences University of Hokkaido, Japan. The signing activity took place in the Meeting Room of the School of Dentistry, Health Sciences University of Hokkaido, Japan on Wednesday, July 5, 2023. The agreement was stated in the signing of a collaboration between drg. Irfan Sugianto, M.Med.Ed., Ph.D (Dean of FKG) and Prof. Dr. Yasushi Furuichi, DDS, Odont (Dean of the School of Dentistry, Health Sciences University of Hokkaido Japan).

The signing was witnessed directly by the Vice Rector for Academic and Student Affairs (Prof. Muhammad Ruslin, drg. M.Kes., Ph.D., Sp.B.M.M., Subsp.Ortognat-D (K) and Prof. Takashi Saito, D.D.S., Ph. .D who was the initiator of the collaboration between FKG UNHAS and the School of Dentistry, Health Sciences University of Hokkaido Japan. Also present Prof. Yoshihiro Abiko, B.A., D.D.S., Ph.D., Prof. Tsuyoshi Shimo, DDS., Ph.D and an international student at the School of Dentistry.

Dean of FKG UNHAS, drg. Irfan Sugianto said that the implementation of the Memorandum of Understanding (MoU) was in the form of student exchange activities and further study opportunities for staff and alumni of FKG UNHAS at the School of Dentistry, Health Sciences University of Hokkaido Japan.



Thank you to the School of Dentistry, Health Sciences University of Hokkaido Japan, which welcomed the cooperation between the two institutions very well and hopefully the relationship between the two institutions would be even closer in the future.

drg. Irfan Sugianto, M.Med.Ed., Ph.D - **Dean of FKG**



FACULTY OF CULTURAL SCIENCES' LECTURER DELIVERS A GUEST LECTURE IN UNIVERSITI KEBANGSAAN MALAYSIA



The Institut Kajian Etnik or Institute for Ethnic Studies, the University Kebangsaan Malaysia (KITA-UKM) held the SIRI WACANA KITA Bil.4/2023 on 5 July 2023 at the KITA Mesyuarat Room, Universitas Kebangsaan Malaysia, Bangi, Selangor, Malaysia with the theme Ethnography and Semiotics of Bugis Culture. The visiting lecturer as the sole speaker in this activity was Dr. Firman Saleh, S.S., S.Pd., M. Hum., lecturer in the Department of Buginese and Makassarrese Language at the Faculty of Cultural Sciences (FIB) UNHAS. This activity was attended by lecturers and students, both undergraduate and postgraduate students, which were carried out in a hybrid where some attended directly in the room and some attended online via the Zoom meeting.

Apart from being attended by KITA UKM Malaysia lecturers and students, this activity was also attended by Andrew Carruthers, Assistant Professor of Anthropology, University of Pennsylvania. The Distinguished International Professor, UKM, Prof. Dr. James T. Collins, also participated in this activity. The material presented at the SIRI WACANA KITA UKM activity described the concept of life and death of indigenous peoples that became a convention that was understood, trusted, and believed to be a symbol of custom that was carried out by the community and passed down from generation to generation.

The concept of life and death of the To Lotang indigenous people is symbolized in their homes; the conventionalism built since then has colored the culture of the Bugis people in Sidrap Regency, South Sulawesi. The symbolization of doors and windows in the *To Lotang* indigenous people's homes becomes conventionalism in life and death. Meanwhile, the concept of life and death of the Kajang indigenous people is symbolized in the clothes they wear every day, which becomes their conventionalism or understandings that were conventionalized by the community, the principle of life which is represented in black and white clothes.



TOWARDS PARTNERSHIPS AND PATHWAYS, UNHAS PARTICIPATES IN THE USAID HEPI UNIVERSITY PARTNERSHIP FORUM



On July 12th-13th, 2023, the Vice Rector for Partnership, Innovation, Entrepreneurship, and Business of UNHAS, Prof. Dr. Eng. Adi Maulana, S.T., M.Phil, and the Secretary of the Institute for Quality Assurance and Educational Development (LPPM), Rini Rachmawaty, S.Kep., Ns., MN, PhD, participated in the Higher Education Partnership Initiative (HEPI) University Partnership Forum sponsored by USAID and implemented by Arizona State University (ASU) held at the Grand Sahid Hotel, Jakarta.

The aim of this forum was to share the implementation of the USAID HEPI program conducted in the three hub universities: UNHAS, BINUS, and ITB to the new affiliate universities. On the first day, Prof. Adi shared about the best practices for leveraging potential partnerships to develop academic program partnerships and pathways with US STEM Universities. Then, on the second day, Dr. Rini presented the UNHAS-HEPI 5-Year Key Performance Indicators (KPIs) and Work Plans.

This forum was officially opened by the Mission Director of USAID Indonesia, Mr. Jeffery Cohen; Director General for Learning and Student Affairs of Indonesian Ministry of Education, Culture, Research and Technology, Dr. Ir. Sri Gunani Partiw, M.T; and the Country Director of USAID HEPI Project – ASU, Dr. Abdul Rahman. Other speakers were also invited in this forum, including the Director of Global Operations and HEPI Project Director of ASU, Dr. Kathy Wigal; Assistant Dean of Global Programs of Oklahoma State University and representatives from the United States (US) industry partners, the United States Indonesia Society (USINDO), and *Lembaga Pengelola Dana Pendidikan* (LPDP) or Endowment Fund for Education. Around 36 participants from nine new affiliate universities also participated in this international forum. Through this forum, UNHAS and HEPI have agreed to some mutual benefits in order to achieve the five-year work plans of partnerships.





THE CONSUL GENERAL OF AUSTRALIA AND THE FACULTY OF SOCIAL AND POLITICAL SCIENCES, UNHAS MEET FOR FUTURE COOPERATION



The Faculty of Social and Political Sciences (FISIP) and the Australian Consulate General in Makassar initiated a meeting and lunch between Dr. Alex Stephens (Consul General of Australia) with FISIP UNHAS, which was attended by Prof. Dr. Phil. Sukri, M.Si (Dean), Prof. Darwis, MA (Head of Department of International Relations) and Andi Ahmad Yani, M.Sc, MPA, M.Sc (Coordinator of International Cooperation at FISIP UNHAS at the Unhas Hotel and Convention on 5 July 2023. This meeting was also attended by Lulu A. Purnamasari (Research and Public Affairs Manager of the Australian Consul General in Makassar).

This meeting aimed to strengthen the cooperation between UNHAS and the Australian Consul General in Makassar by introducing Dr. Stephens as the newly assigned Consul in Makassar. During the meeting, various plans for collaboration between FISIP UNHAS and several campuses in Australia were discussed. In particular, the double degree program for the Department of International Relations, FISIP, UNHAS undergraduate program with the Faculty of Humanities, Arts and Social Sciences, the University of Queensland. Likewise, with the double Master of Public Administration Program at UNHAS with the University of Melbourne (UniMelb). As a senior diplomat, Dr. Stephens also planned to become a guest lecturer on the faculty, especially in the international department of the Department of International Relations. In addition, various collaboration opportunities were also discussed to encourage research collaboration with universities in Australia through multiple scenarios of research funding support schemes. This meeting was held over lunch and closed with a group photo.



HASANUDDIN UNIVERSITY AND MURDOCH UNIVERSITY, AUSTRALIA SIGN A MEMORANDUM OF UNDERSTANDING



The signing of a Memorandum of Understanding (MoU) between Hasanuddin University (UNHAS) and Murdoch University was held regarding the collaboration that encouraged the advancement of international understanding, dissemination of learning, and strengthening of cultural bonds. The MoU was signed by Prof. Dr. Eng. Adi Maulana ST., M.Phil. (Vice-Rector for Partnership, Innovation, Entrepreneurship, and Business) together with Martin Anda, Ph.D. (Murdoch University) Australia.

The activity occurred in the UNHAS Hotel and Convention Room, Tamalanrea Campus, Makassar, on Tuesday, July 15, 2023. The signing was also attended by Ansariadi, S.KM., M.Sc.PH., Ph.D. (Director of Partnerships), Dr. Ir. Chairul Paotonan, ST., MT. (Head of Marine Engineering Study Program) as well as UNHAS official leaders and lecturers.

The scope of cooperation that would be carried out includes student and lecturer exchanges, research, and research training. The activity took place smoothly and continued with discussions on implementing future collaborations.



UNHAS INTERNATIONAL STUDENT PRESENTS AT THE FORUM FOR EAST ASIA-LATIN AMERICA COOPERATION (FEALAC) YOUTH SUMMIT 2023: CONTRIBUTIONS FOR CLIMATE ACTIONS.



For five days, from July 9th to 13th, one of the UNHAS international students, Sophia Andrea Aleman, had the opportunity to represent Honduras and UNHAS at the Forum for East Asia-Latin America Cooperation (FEALAC) Youth Summit 2023. This event brought together young leaders from East Asia, Latin America, and the Caribbean. It was an enriching experience where we debated, shared ideas, and collaborated to address the critical challenges we face as a generation.

At this outstanding summit, the "FEALAC Bandung Spirit Declarations for Climate Action" were presented, urging governments, civil society, and the private sector to take concrete measures to build a resilient and sustainable future. Likewise, we had the opportunity to visit inspiring projects in the region, such as Citarum Harum, which focused on disaster-resilient society; Bersinar Waste Bank, focused on the circular economy; and the H. Djuanda Forest Park, which focuses on critical land restoration.

The FEALAC 2023 Youth Summit has motivated the participants to continue working together to build a prosperous future for all.



FACULTY OF CULTURAL SCIENCES UNHAS HOLDS A PUBLIC LECTURE FROM AUSTRALIAN NATIONAL, UNIVERSITY AUSTRALIA



The Faculty of Cultural Sciences (FIB) UNHAS, in collaboration with the Australian Consul General in Makassar, Ikatan Alumni Australia (IKAMA) - Australian Alumni Association of South Sulawesi, the Australian National University, and the Australia-Indonesia Center, held a public lecture with the theme "Makassar as the Central City? Revealing the position of Makassar City as a Site Center from Century to Century". This public lecture presented Prof. Emeritus Campbell Macknight (Australian National University, Canberra), who is a cultural anthropologist. The event took place at 10am Central Indonesia Time (CIT) in the Prof. Mattulada Hall, FIB UNHAS, Tamalanrea, Makassar, on Thursday, 20 July 2023. Present at the event were the Australian Consul General in Makassar (Todd Dias), the University Secretary (Prof. Ir. Sumbangan Baja, M.Phil., Ph.D.), the deanship of the FIB, and several relevant service heads.

Starting the activity, Vice Dean for Academic and Student Affairs Dr. Mardi Adi Armin, M.Hum., representing the Dean, expressed his gratitude for the speaker's willingness to share his knowledge and experience at UNHAS. He said that activities like this exist as a medium for discussion and to increase the information and knowledge of the participants, especially students. According to him, the theme of the debate is fascinating and in line with the large amount of historical evidence found in South Sulawesi. "Thank you to the committee who had prepared this event, especially Prof. Campbell, who was always openly involved in various academic activities".

"He immediately said yes when we asked him to share his knowledge with UNHAS students. For that, we hope the participants can participate well in the activity," explained Dr. Mardi. On the same occasion, Todd Dias, as the Australian Consul General in Makassar, also expressed his appreciation and gratitude for the holding of an academic forum involving expert sources. He described the relationship between Australia and South Sulawesi from various aspects. He hoped that, through this public lecture, the special relationship that had existed for a long time between the two countries could be known to many people.

The Secretary of the University, Prof. Sumbangan Baja, officially opened the event. In his remarks, Prof. Sumbangan gave an overview of collaborative research conducted by UNHAS and Australia. According to him, the public lecture would be one media for obtaining information and getting an overview of what future research could be developed together. "I hope that this activity can be carried out well. We need to inform you that UNHAS is currently working on building research collaborations with various strategic partners. For Australia itself, we have a lot of cooperation, including the double degree program," explained Prof. Sumbangan.

The official opening was followed by the presentation of material by Prof. Campbell, who gave a general explanation of the history of the relationship between Australia and South Sulawesi and some historical evidence showing that the relationship had lasted for a long time. We should keep in mind that Prof. Campbell is quite a familiar figure among intellectuals interested in history and culture in South Sulawesi. One of his monumental works is the book "The Voyage to Marege' Macassan Trepangers in Northern Australia," which was published in 1976. Even though he has retired, Professor Macknight continues to work productively in his field.



THE FACULTY OF FORESTRY, UNHAS BUILDS COLLABORATION WITH THE UNIVERSITY OF HAWAII MANOA, HOLDS A PUBLIC LECTURE ONECOLOGICAL POLITICS



In collaboration with the University of Hawaii Manoa, the UNHAS Faculty of Forestry (Fahutan) held a public lecture with the theme "Introduction to Ecological Politics." The activity began at 10am Central Indonesia Time (CIT) in the *Kawasan Hutan dengan Tujuan Khusus* (KHDTK) or Forest Area with a Special Purpose, Maros Regency, on Monday, 10 July 2023. In his remarks, the Head of the Doctoral Study Program (S3) in Forestry Sciences, Fahutan UNHAS, and Editor in Chief of Forest and Society Research Group, Prof. Dr. Forest. Muhammad Alif KS., S.Hut., M.Sc., thanked the speakers for their willingness to attend and become resource persons at this event.

"Thanks to Prof. Dr. Krisna Suryanata, who agreed to be a guest speaker at this activity. I hope that the material presented could add new knowledge regarding the importance of ecological politics in forestry," Prof. Muhammad Alif K. Sahide said.

The guest speaker Prof. Dr. Krisna Suryanata (Lecturer at the University of Hawaii Manoa), said during his presentation that ecological politics is a perspective in understanding the relationship between humans and the environment. "The political perspective of ecology emphasizes that internal problems in the environment do not solely cause environmental problems, because of the influence of political and economic pressures," explained Prof. Krishna.

Prof. Krishna also discussed the causes of poverty and hunger as well as waste/plastic waste pollution. The direct and indirect causes of poverty, hunger, and plastic waste pollution are due to massive human activities and the political-economic aspects surrounding them. The event went smoothly and ended with a lively discussion.



FACULTY OF MEDICINE, UNHAS HOLDS GUEST LECTURE, PRESENTING SPEAKERS FROM MALAYSIA



The Psychology Study Program, Faculty of Medicine (FK), UNHAS, held a guest lecture presenting Prof. Dr. Zubaedah Jamil Osman, Ph.D. (Management and Science University, Malaysia) as the guest speaker. The activity took place in the Mini Auditorium, Faculty of Medicine, UNHAS, on Monday, 10 July 2023. Officials attending the lecture included Dr. dr. Andi Alfian Zainuddin, M.KM (Vice Dean III of FK Unhas), Dr. dr. Rina Masadah, Sp.PA(K), M.Phil, DFM (Vice Dean IV FK Unhas), Head of the Psychology Study Program (Dr. Ichlas N. Afandi, SpSi, M.A), and the Head of Specialist Doctor Education Program Center (Dr. dr. A. Muh. Takdir Musba, Sp.An-KMN), alongside Psychology lecturers and students.

In general, Prof. Zubaedah explained, every human being has experienced pain. However, the degree of a person's suffering depends on how they respond psychologically to the pain that is felt. Depending on the psychological attitude adopted, humans could choose whether the pain will make them suffer.

This activity aimed to build the students' new perspectives on the Psychology of Pain and how this concept can be integrated. All activities took place smoothly and effectively. The participants responded actively and gave the speakers questions related to the material presented.



FACULTY OF ENGINEERING UNHAS AND UNIVERSITI TEKNOLOGI MALAYSIA ESTABLISH COOPERATION TO STRENGTHEN INTERNATIONAL COLLABORATION IN ACADEMIC AND RESEARCH FIELDS



The Faculty of Engineering (FT) UNHAS and the Faculty of Built Environment and Surveying Universiti Teknologi Malaysia (UTM) established collaboration in an effort to increase international academic cooperation with four initial activity targets, namely the Landmark City Trip, International Guest Lectures, Research Sharing and Matching Grants, as well as Joint Publication Sharing. The event took place at the UNHAS Gowa Campus from Monday to Wednesday, 10-12 July 2023 (12/07).

The event was officially opened by the Vice Rector for Partnership, Innovation, Entrepreneurship and Business, Prof. Dr. Eng. Ir. Adi Maulana, ST., M. Phil., followed by welcoming remarks from the Dean of FT, Prof. Dr. Eng. Ir. Muhammad Isran Ramli, ST., MT., IPM., AER. and by Professor Dr. Muhammad Zaly Shah Muhammad Hussein from UTM.

In the first session there were 4 speakers, namely Assoc. Professor TPr Dr. Hairul Nizam Ismail (Speaker 1), Dr. Safizahanin Mokhtar (Speaker 2), Ir. Abdul Mufti Radja, ST., MT., Ph.D. (Speaker 3), and Prof. Ir. Sakti Adji Adisasmita, M.Eng.Sc., Ph.D., IPU (Speaker 4). The speakers were guided by moderator Dr. Eng. Ir. Bambang Bakri, ST., MT.

The event continued with session 2 (afternoon) with a Research Sharing Session attended by 8 speakers, 5 from UTM and 3 from Unhas. These were Dr. Syed Muhammad Rafy Syed Jaafar (Speaker 1 UTM), Ts Gs Dr. Noradila Rusli (Speaker 2 UTM), Ts. Dr. Noor Aimran Samsudin (Speaker 3 UTM), Dr. AK Rafiq AK Matusin (Speaker 4 UTM), Tpr. Ts. Dr. Gobi Krishna Sinniah (Speaker 5 UTM), Dr. Ir. Muhammad Ramli, M.T. (Speaker 1 UNHAS), Ilham Alimuddin, ST., M.Gis., Ph.D. (Speaker 2 UNHAS), and Mukti Ali, ST., MT., Ph.D. (Speaker 3 UNHAS), guided by moderator Dr. Eng. Akbar Caronge, ST., M.Eng. The day's events closed with the presentation of certificates by the Vice Dean for Student Affairs, Alumni and Partnerships, Dr. Ir. Rustan Tarakka, ST., MT.

On the last day, Wednesday 12 July 2023, a session on Matching Grant and Joint Publication Sharing was held. This began with Research Sharing on International Intern activity led by Mr. Sofiane Madmar (Univ. of Lyon France) and continued with a discussion on potential collaboration for research and publication lead by Prof. dr. Muh. Nasrum Massi, Ph.D., Sp.MK and Prof. Dahlang Tahir, Ph.D. The event ended with a campus tour to all departments and laboratories at FT, guided by Ir. Hajriyanti Yatmar, ST., M.Eng.



SEAWEED FORUM STRENGTHENS BILATERAL COLLABORATION IN INDONESIA - AUSTRALIA SEAWEED INDUSTRY



On Friday, 21 July 2023, in collaboration with the Australia-Indonesia Center (AIC), UNHAS successfully conducted a key Seaweed Forum aimed at fostering cooperation and innovation in the seaweed industry between Australia and Indonesia. The event, held in Meeting Room A on the 4th floor of the Rectorate Building at UNHAS, elicited enthusiastic participation from key stakeholders, experts, and government officials from both countries.

The forum, led by Dr. Hasanawati Saleh (AIC), began with a warm welcome from Dr. Asmi Citra Malina, the UNHAS Director for Innovation, who expressed her delight at the growing partnership between Indonesia and Australia in addressing climate change challenges through seaweed research and development.

A highlight of the event was the enlightening presentation on "The Use of *Asparagopsis* as a Livestock Feed Ingredient to Curb Climate Change" by Tony Eyres and James Stewart from CSIRO-Future Feed, Australia. Their research showcased the potential of seaweed as a viable solution to mitigate greenhouse gas emissions from livestock, a crucial step in combating climate change.

Dr. Kasmiati from the Seaweed Research Centre (PUI-P2RL) briefly introduced the center's work, shedding light on the Centre's ongoing research and initiatives in the seaweed sector. This was followed by a presentation from Dr. Jamaluddin Fitrah Alam on the DFAT-funded PAIR (Partnership for Australia-Indonesia Research) entitled "Unleashing the seaweed industry's trade potential between Indonesia and Australia."

A lively discussion and Q&A session ensued, allowing attendees to delve deeper into the topics presented, exchange ideas, and explore potential avenues for collaboration. The participation of key figures from both countries added immense value to the forum, including Mr. Todd Dias, the Consul General of Australia in Makassar, and representatives from Future Feed Australia, Trade and Investment Queensland (TIQ), and the South Sulawesi Marine and Fisheries Service (DKP Sulsel).

The closing remarks reiterated the significance of bilateral collaboration in the seaweed industry. Dr. Muh Ilyas, the Head of DKP Sulsel, expressed his appreciation for the joint efforts and stressed the importance of sustainable seaweed practices. Mr. Todd Dias, the Consul General of Australia in Makassar, emphasized the commitment of both nations to support and strengthen the seaweed industry for a greener future.

The event also witnessed the participation of various institutions and organizations, including researchers from PUI-P2RL, as well as representatives from prominent seaweed businesses in Makassar, such as PT. Jaringan Sumber Daya (JASUDA), PT Bantimurung Indah, and seaweed associations like ARLI, ASPERLI, and ASTRULI. Their presence further emphasized the importance of the forum in fostering a thriving seaweed industry.

Following the forum, a field trip was organized to Kabupaten Takalar, the center of seaweed production in South Sulawesi. Representatives from Future Feed and the AIC, accompanied by UNHAS researchers, were given a firsthand experience of the seaweed cultivation process, witnessing the practices employed by local farmers and gaining valuable insights into the challenges faced by the industry.

The Seaweed Forum organized by UNHAS and the AIC proved pivotal in fostering cooperation and innovation in the sustainable seaweed industry. With joint efforts, both countries aim to lead the way in harnessing the potential of seaweed as a vital resource in combating climate change and promoting economic growth.





COLLABORATIVE RESEARCH ON BLUE SWIMMER CRAB RESTOCKING BY FIKP UNHAS, SERC, AND UMCES



On Friday, 21 July 2023, a momentous collaboration was set in motion at the Faculty of Marine Science and Fisheries, Hasanuddin University (FIKP UNHAS). The Dean of FIKP Unhas welcomed researchers from the Smithsonian Environmental Research Center (SERC) and the Center for Environmental Science, University of Maryland: Robert Aguilar, Henry Legett, and Oded Zmora. The purpose of their visit was to initiate collaborative research with the theme: "Stock Enhancement: Strategic Approach for the Blue Swimming Crab (*Portunus pelagicus*) in Indonesia."

This collaborative research brings together the expertise of 8 USA researchers and 9 UNHAS researchers. The research will be conducted over three years and will focus on Parepare Bay, a critical location for studying the blue swimming crab in Indonesia.

The background behind this research stems from the alarming decline in blue swimmer crab populations worldwide. The decreasing number and size of crabs caught indicate over-exploitation, posing a significant threat to the sustainability of this valuable natural resource and the associated industry. In response to this challenge, Rob and Henry from the visiting team will share their experiences with responsible re-stocking efforts that have successfully restored blue crab (*Callinectes sapidus*) populations in Chesapeake Bay.

Prof. Yushinta Fujaya, a researcher from UNHAS, will be the principal investigator for this study. The research aims to explore and implement strategic approaches to enhance the stock of blue swimming crabs, thereby contributing to the conservation of this species and the livelihoods of those dependent on the fishery.

This collaborative endeavor is not limited to the researchers themselves; it will also involve the active participation of at least 20 undergraduate and graduate students. These students will be engaged in the research as part of their final projects, providing them with valuable hands-on experience in marine conservation and management.

The joint efforts of the Smithsonian Environmental Research Center, University of Maryland Center for Environmental Science, and FIKP UNHAS are expected to yield significant insights into blue swimming crab stock enhancement and conservation strategies. This research endeavor marks a crucial step in safeguarding marine biodiversity and supporting sustainable fisheries practices in Indonesia and beyond.



THE VISIT OF THE DIRECTOR OF TOYAMA UNIVERSITY TO THE FACULTY OF MEDICINE AND HASANUDDIN UNIVERSITY HOSPITAL IN THE FRAMEWORK OF COOPERATION



Prof. Atsushi Hayashi, MD, Director of Toyama University Hospital, Japan, and Masakii Ishida, MD, Ph.D., Head of the Department of Ophthalmology Toyama University, Japan, visited UNHAS on 16-18 July 2023. The visit included discussions regarding collaboration with the Dean of the UNHAS Faculty of Medicine (FK), Prof. Dr. dr. Haerani Rasyid, Sp.PD-KGH, Sp.GK, FINASIM, accompanied by the Head of the Center for Publications, Community Service and International Affairs, Dr. dr. Rina Masadah, M.Phil, Sp.PA(K), held in the dean's room. Prof. Dr. Budu, M.Med.Ed, SpM(K), Ph.D., as chairman of *Persatuan Dokter Spesialis Mata Indonesia* (PERDAMI) or Indonesian Association of Ophthalmologists and Dr. dr. Habibah Setyawati Muhiddin, Sp.M (K), staff of the Department of Ophthalmology, also attended the meeting. A guest lecture was also held at FK UNHAS on stem cell innovation for corneal damage, attended by staff and lecturers from the Ophthalmology Department, residents from various study programs, and students from the FK UNHAS Doctoral program.

The two Japanese guests also visited the UNHAS Hospital, especially the ophthalmology facilities, where they discussed patient cases and opportunities for cooperation between the two hospitals. This was a return visit after the visit to Toyama by the Rector and his team last May. The Rector stated Unhas' commitment to sending prospective doctoral students candidates, including seeking sponsorship and scholarship opportunities for these candidates.



FACULTY OF NURSING HOLDS BASIC TRAINING FOR COMMUNITY HEALTH CADRES IN COLLABORATION WITH THE INTERNATIONAL ORGANIZATION FOR MIGRATION



The Hasanuddin University (UNHAS) Faculty of Nursing (FKep) held the Basic Training for Community Health Cadres from 18-28 July 2023 as part of the program officially opened by UNHAS Secretary Prof. Sumbangan Baja on 27 June 2023. This training was conducted under a collaboration between FKep UNHAS and the International Organization for Migration (IOM). The participants were 30 refugees and asylum seekers. The program aimed to train them to serve as first aid providers in the refugee and asylum seeking communities.

On the first day, 18 July 2023, participants were given a pre-test to measure their initial knowledge. The results were later compared with their post-test scores on the last day of the program to determine the effectiveness of this training.

The training included a range of basic health skills, including medical confidentiality, personal hygiene, patient lifting, wound care, cardiopulmonary resuscitation, and much more. In addition to lectures, methods such as case studies, practical sessions, and demonstrations were also used to help participants apply and master the necessary skills. During the training, participants seemed enthusiastic about attending and learning these new life skills.



Makassar, 16-28 July 2023





HASANUDDIN UNIVERSITY HOSTED ASEAN HIGHER EDUCATION CONFERENCE 2023 SERIES #8



Challenges to ASEAN Higher Edu toward 2030

■ The Brain Drain

- > There is a significant brain drain in ASEAN, as many talented graduates move to developed countries in search of better opportunities. This is a major challenge for ASEAN countries, as they need to retain their talent in order to achieve economic growth.

■ Quality and Relevance

- > The quality of higher education in ASEAN varies widely. Some universities in the region are world-class, while others are struggling to meet international standards. There is also a mismatch between the skills that graduates have and the skills that employers need.

■ Partnership with Industries

- > The higher education challenges facing ASEAN are complex and interrelated. Unfortunately, industries as the beneficiaries of the skilled workforces are yet to take much role to improve the process.

The last two points are HEIC issues



Hasanuddin University (UNHAS) hosted the ASEAN Higher Education Conference (AHEC) 2023 Communiqué Webinar Series #8 with the topic "Higher Education and Industry Connectivity (HEIC) in ASEAN Maritime Sector". The event took place on Wednesday, 26 July 2023 on the Zoom platform with additional dissemination through live streaming on the UNHAS YouTube channels. The AHEC 2023 Communiqué Webinar Series is an international conference that aims to bring together academics from higher education (lecturers, students), government officers and industry representatives from ASEAN countries to discuss strategic and collaborative steps related to the role of higher education as a catalyst for growth.

The agenda discussed key issues such as strengthening the Penta-Helix to improve university employment rankings and industrial growth, the future of higher education in accelerating innovation and optimizing digital technology, and the role of higher education in building resilient communities and promoting environmental sustainability.

The Rector of UNHAS, Prof. Jamaluddin Jompa, was one of the speakers at this conference. He discussed strengthening the concept of "ASEAN matters: Epicenter of Growth." He explored the various challenges ASEAN countries face in preparing a highly skilled workforce for the future, as this will be the primary key to achieving prosperity.

Five speakers presented to approximately 1,000 participants attending online from various countries. The first speaker, Ir. Sakti Wahyu Trenggono, M.M. (Minister of Marine Affairs and Fisheries, Indonesia), covered the topic of the Government's role in Connecting Academia and Industry in the Advancing Maritime Sector. The second speaker was H.E. Dr. Nyunt Phay (Union Minister for Education, Republic of the Union of Myanmar) with the topic of Government Role in Connecting Academia and Industry in Digitizing Maritime Sector. The Vice-Chancellor of Universiti Malaysia Terengganu, Professor Dr. Mazlan bin Abd Ghaffar, as the third speaker, presented the topic Higher Education in Maritime Technology Research (Enhancing Quality Assurance). Finally, Mr. Kenneth Chia, the Managing Director of The Seafood Company Pte Ltd, Singapore, expertly discussed the topic of Preparing Future Maritime Professionals: The Role of Maritime Industry to Increase the Student's Opportunities.

The AHEC 2023 Communiqué Webinar Series #8 was held under a collaboration between Universitas Hasanuddin, Padjadjaran University, The Council of Rectors of Indonesian State Universities (CRISU), ASEAN, and The Ministry of Education, Culture, Research, and Technology of Indonesia.





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Higher Education and Industry Connectivity (HEIC) in ASEAN Maritime Sector

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Dr. I Nyoman Radiarta, S.Pi, M.Sc
Chairman Of Agency for Marine and Fisheries Research and Human Resources
Topic : Government's Role in connecting Academia and Industry in the Advancing Maritime Sector

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Myanmar
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H.E. Prof. Dr. Nyunt Phay
Union Minister for Education, Republic of the Union of Myanmar
Topic : Government's Role in connecting Academia and Industry in Digitizing Maritime Sector 5.0

3 PM
Jakarta
Time



Prof. Dr. Ir. Jamaluddin Jompa, M.Sc
Rector of Universitas Hasanuddin, Indonesia
Topic : Higher Education in Maritime Technology Research (in Supporting Mobility)

4 PM
Lumpur
Time



Professor Dr. Mazlan bin Abd Ghaffar
Vice-Chancellor of Universiti Malaysia Terengganu – Malaysia
Topic : Higher Education in Maritime Technology Research (Enhancing Quality Assurance)

4 PM
Singapore
Time



Mr. Kenneth Chia
Managing Director of TheSeafoodCompany Pte Ltd – Singapore
Topic : Preparing Future Maritime Professionals: The Role of Maritime Industry to Increase the Student's Opportunities

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SIGNING OF MEMORANDUM OF UNDERSTANDING BETWEEN UNHAS, NANCHANG UNIVERSITY AND CONFUCIUS INSTITUTE, CHINA



Hasanuddin University (UNHAS), Nanchang University and the Confucius Institute, China, agreed to cooperate in developing the *Tridharma* (Three Pillars of Higher Education). The agreement was formalised through the signing of a Memorandum of Understanding (MoU) by the Rector of UNHAS, Prof. Dr. Ir. Jamaluddin Jompa, M.Sc., Prof. Chen Ye Guang, the Rector of Nanchang University, and the Confucius Institute, China. The event took place in Nanchang, China, on Saturday, 20 July 2023. The Rectors were accompanied by the UNHAS Vice-Rector for Human Resources, Alumni and Information Systems, Prof. Dr. Farida Patittingi, S.H., M.Hum; Vice-Rector for Partnership, Innovation, Entrepreneurship and Business, Prof. Dr. Eng. Adi Maulana, S.T., M.Phil; Dean of the Faculty of Cultural Sciences (FIB), Prof. Dr. M. Akin Duli, M.A.; and Chinese Language and Culture Department lecturers.

The Rector of UNHAS, widely known as Prof. JJ, warmly welcomed the collaboration to be developed with Nanchang University and the Confucius Institute, China. According to him, there were several opportunities for cooperation in various sectors that could be developed jointly to support the implementation of *Tridharma*. The whole series of activities went smoothly, concluding with discussions on the practical implementation of cooperation in the academic field.

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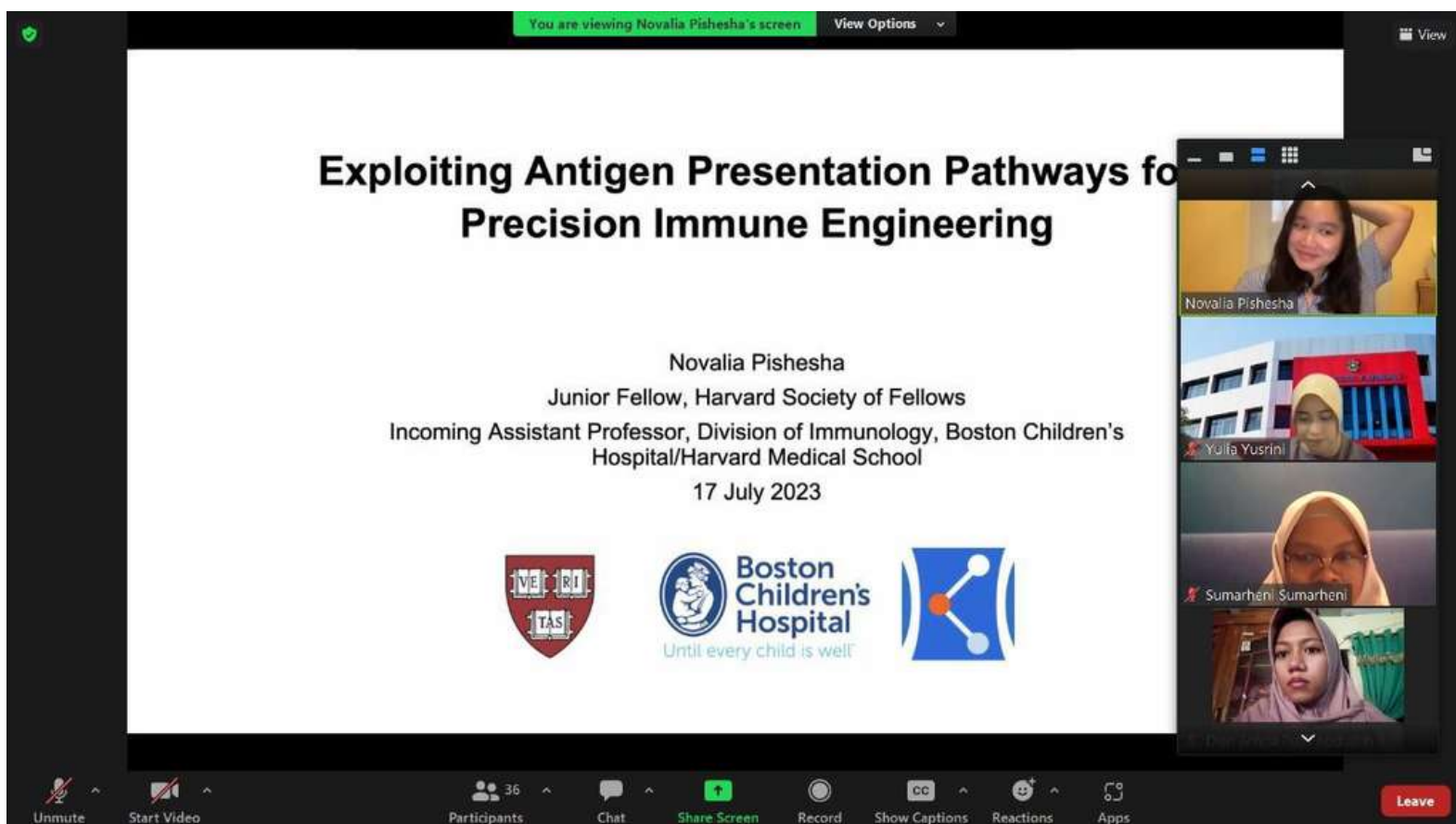
SIGNING OF THE MEMORANDUM OF AGREEMENT BETWEEN THE FACULTY OF MEDICINE, HASANUDDIN UNIVERSITY AND THE FACULTY OF MEDICINE, NIIGATA UNIVERSITY, JAPAN



On Monday, 17 July 2023, the Dean of the UNHAS Faculty of Medicine (FK), Prof. Dr. Dr. Haerani Rasyid, Sp.PD-KGH, Sp.GK, FINASIM, accompanied by the Head of the Center for Publications, Community Service and International Affairs, Dr. Dr. Rina Masadah, M.Phil, Sp.PA(K), signed a Memorandum of Agreement with Prof. Toshiyuki Someya, MD, PhD, the Dean of the Faculty of Medicine, Niigata University, Japan.

The initial collaboration was a student exchange to be carried out in July and August 2023 where 2 Niigata students would come to FK (inbound students) and five outbound FK UNHAS students would go to Niigata to join the *Kuliah Kerja Nyata* (KKN) or international student community service program. Prof. Toshiyuki Someya also gave a guest lecture at the Department of Psychiatry for faculty and resident staff of the Psychiatry Study Program, conducted discussions on psychiatric cases, and explored research collaboration in the field of Mental Health Sciences.

SCIENTIST FROM HARVARD MEDICAL SCHOOL DELIVERS PUBLIC LECTURE TO UNHAS PHARMACY STUDENTS AND ACADEMICS



As one endeavour to update knowledge in the field of pharmaceutical sciences, the Faculty of Pharmacy at Hasanuddin University (UNHAS) held a public lecture online on 18 July 2023, inviting a lecturer from one of the most prestigious universities in the world. Dr. Novalia Pishesha Tjandrasaputra presented her work on immune engineering and its relation to the precision antigen presentation pathway. Dr. Novalia Tjandrasaputra is a Junior Fellow, Society of Fellows, Harvard University, an Instructor in the Hidde L. Ploegh Laboratory at the Boston Children's Hospital (BCH), and is now an associate professor at Harvard Medical School.

The lecture was guided by our moderator, Nurhasni Hasan, Ph.D. The speaker began by giving an overview of the immune system and how antigen-presenting cells work. From this concept, Dr. Novalia Tjandrasaputra went on to explain how specific cells can be programmed so that we can control the mechanisms by which antigens are recognized. During the discussion session, several questions were asked by the audience. In particular, some were related to the audience's interest in exploring in greater depth the use of certain medications (e.g. dexamethasone) for altering the immune response of cells, as mentioned during the talk. The enthusiastic reactions of the audience reflected how encouraging the talk given by Dr. Novalia Tjandrasaputra was to the academics and students attending the lecture.

The online lecture was intended for academics and students from Hasanuddin University. However, the moderator reported that the audience came from UNHAS as well as students and lecturers from neighboring universities. Therefore, the Vice Rector of Partnership, Innovation, Entrepreneurship, and Business, Prof. Adi Maulana, took this opportunity to express a massive appreciation to Dr. Novalia Tjandrasaputra for being a speaker in this online public lecture. The Dean of the Faculty of Pharmacy, Prof Dr. rer. nat. Marianti A Manggau, Apt., also recognized the significant contribution of Dr. Novalia Tjandrasaputra in presenting her work to our academic community. This type of educational environment is expected to continue to expand in the near future.



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*Vice-Rector for Partnership, Innovation, Enterpreneurship,
and Business Universitas Hasanuddin*



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"Exploiting Antigen Presentation Pathways for Precision Immune Engineering"



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THE DOCTORAL STUDENTS AND THE UNHAS FACULTY OF ECONOMICS ALUMNI ASSOCIATION JOIN THE GLOBAL VISIT IN KAZAKHSTAN AND UZBEKISTAN



The breakthrough "Global Visit" of the Unhas Faculty of Economics Alumni Association (IKAFE) in Kazakhstan and Uzbekistan, 12-19 July 2023, generated a great result. "Achievements, network expansion, trade missions, education, culture, and religion far exceeded expectations when this program was formulated," said Hendra Noor Saleh, General Chairperson of IKAFE UNHAS, and Secretary General Moh. Suaib Mappasila, who are both doctoral students at the Faculty of Economics and Business (FEB) UNHAS, while at Magic Park in Tashkent, the capital of Uzbekistan, which was the last item on the agenda before returning to Indonesia.

The unique atmosphere was immediately felt upon landing at Nursultan Nazarbayev Airport, Astana, Kazakhstan. Indonesian Ambassadors to Kazakhstan and Tajikistan, Dr. Mochammad Fadjroel Rachman, Mrs. Poppy Rachman, and embassy staff warmly welcomed the IKAFE UNHAS team. "If you follow the protocol, ambassadors only pick up guests at the airport; they must be of ministerial grade and above. But for IKAFE Unhas and the rest of the team, the Ambassador made an exception," said Andi Zulkarnaen, secretary of the Indonesian Ambassador to Kazakhstan and Tajikistan.

The main agenda of IKAFE UNHAS was to actively participate in the inaugural "Indonesia Summer Festival and Mini Expo" at the Cultural House of the Indonesian Embassy in Astana, 14-16 July 2023. The opening of the event was lively and proud. Several officials attended, including the Deputy Minister of Foreign Affairs of Kazakhstan Kanat Tumysh, Deputy Minister of Foreign Affairs Kanat Tumush, Deputy Chairman of *Majelis Ulama Indonesia* (MUI) or Indonesian Council of Ulamas of Kazakhstan Kenzhegale Merzabaev and hundreds of VIP guests from Kazakhstan as well as an Indonesian delegation of more than 50 people. Apart from IKAFE UNHAS, delegates from the Regional Government of East Kalimantan, the *Institut Seni Indonesia* (ISI) or Indonesian Arts Institute from Yogya campus, Yogyakarta State University, Forum *HMI-wati* (Forhati) or Female Islamic Students Alumni Association, Hanida, several national people in business, [M1] and other Very Important Persons (VIPs). The initiative for this event was motivated by the spirit of celebrating 30 years of diplomatic relations between Indonesia and Kazakhstan, as well as 25 years of the City of Astana, and being grateful for the Sister City of the Archipelago Capital and Astana which was signed on 3 July 2023,[M2] said Fadjiroel Rachman.

Ambassador Fadjiroel also outlined the benefits of holding the Indonesia Summer Festival and Mini Expo. "In the context of cultural diplomacy, this activity was a cultural dialogue between two friendly countries, Indonesia and Kazakhstan. By signing the MoU, this activity also strengthens the diplomacy of education, arts, culture, and sports, especially Pencak Silat (a traditional Indonesian self-defense sport)."

IKAFE UNHAS played a role in bringing and introducing dozens of products from *Usaha Kecil dan Menengah* (UKM) or Small and Medium Sized Enterprises (SME) with the support of *Jaminan Kredit Indonesia* (Jamkrindo) or Indonesia Credit Guarantor and *Asuransi Kredit Indonesia* (Askrindo) or Indonesia Credit Insurance. They also remembered to present the UNHAS campus, especially the Faculty of Economics and Business. The IKAFE UNHAS booth was always full of visitors. One after another, Kazakh guests came to get information. Even the SME products on display sold out in a matter of hours. "Wow, the potential is huge. Next year, more and more varieties of SME products should be brought," said Secretary General Moh. Suaib Mappasila.



VISIT OF JAPANESE SCIENCES AND TECHNOLOGY RESEARCH PARTNERSHIP FOR SUSTAINABLE DEVELOPMENT PROGRAM COORDINATOR TO UNHAS



The visit of the Program Coordinator of the Japanese Sciences and Technology Research Partnership for Sustainable Development (SATREPS) was related to the Collaboration Project that won the SATREPS grant. SATREPS was represented by the Program Coordinator, Prof. Dr. Sosaku Ichikawa, and Senior Program Advisor, Prof. Mitsutoshi Nakajima. The main purpose of the visit to Hasanuddin University (UNHAS) on 29 and 30 July 2023 was to observe one of the program activity sites in Takalar Regency. In addition, the Project Design Matrix (PDM) and Tentative Plan of Operation (PO) were discussed with the UNHAS Coordinator, Senior Advisor, and team involved in this research collaboration (Prof. Dr. Eng. Adi Maulana, S.T., M.Phil.; Prof. dr. Muh. Nasrum Massi, Ph.D., Sp. MK.; Prof. Dr. Ir. Ambo Tuwo, DEA; Prof. Dr. Ir. Joeharnani Tresnati, DEA., and Dr. Inayah Yasir, M.Sc.). The results of this meeting will be discussed further by the funders of this collaborative project, namely the Japanese Science and Technology Agency (JST), the Japanese Agency for Medical Research and Development (AMED), and the Japanese International Cooperation Agency (JICA) in Tokyo, Japan.

The Rector of UNHAS, Prof. Dr. Ir. Jamaluddin Jompa, M.Sc., expressed his full support. Long before the visit of the SATREPS, the Rector had provided support in building and renovating research facilities that would be used to implement this research collaboration.

The research collaboration project that won the SATREPS grant for these five years (2024-2029) is entitled "The Project for Development of Sustainable Seaweed-Based Functional Foods for Achieving Blue Economic Goals." This project proposal was prepared collaboratively by three educational and research institutions: the University of Tsukuba (UT), UNHAS, and the *Badan Riset dan Inovasi Nasional* (BRIN) or National Research and Innovation Agency. In this project, four areas of study will be developed. The first field is surveying seaweed resources, creating databases, studying cultivation methods, and producing quality seaweed seeds and seedlings. The second field is the analysis of chemical components, identification and analysis of functional elements, research and evaluation of seaweed functionality, and survey of seaweed applications as ingredients in functional foods, cosmetics, and medicines. The third field is the study of post-harvest processing techniques and preservation, extraction of active ingredients from Seaweed, their commercialization and characterization, and the fourth field is the development and evaluation of social implementation scenarios in the seaweed industry from upstream to downstream.

At the end of the visit, to commemorate the meeting with the SATREPS Program Coordinator and Senior Advisor at the UNHAS Hotel, the Rector launched the "Seaweed Initiative" - "No Day Without Seaweed" on the food menu at the UNHAS Hotel. By consuming seaweed, we have contributed to these five things. The two-day meeting was facilitated by the Rector's Strategic Planning advisor, the Head of the UNHAS Center for Climate Change, Dr. Rijal Idrus, M.Sc.



FACULTY OF DENTISTRY STUDENT REPRESENTS UNHAS IN THE BIOFARMA X MASSACHUSETTS INSTITUTE OF TECHNOLOGY HACKING MEDICINE COMPETITION



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Bio Farma Group will hold Bio Farma x MIT Hacking Medicine in Bali on August 24 – 27 2023. This Pre-Competition activity requires community collaboration, as students and engineers to join and help to solve real problems in society and industry. This activity also has a playing field that can be a means for channeling problem-solving that can be offered in the fields of business, healthcare, and IT engineers through competition on a global scale.

Muhammad Imran Taufiq is a Faculty of Dentistry (FKG) UNHAS 2021 Batch student who passed the initial administrative selection and will be invited to the hackathon in Bali. He will form a team with other participants and then be asked to present innovative designs according to predetermined topics. The winner will get a total cloud prize of 16,000 USD, and the best participant will get a golden ticket to fly to Boston and be awarded a scholarship at MIT Hacking Medicine.

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INTERNATIONAL OFFICE HOLDS A 3-DAY VOTING FOR INTERNATIONAL STUDENTS ASSOCIATION



In a historic initiative, the International Office (IO) of Hasanuddin University (UNHAS) facilitated the formation of the first-ever International Students Association (ISA) at UNHAS. Recognizing the importance of fostering a sense of community and representation among the diverse international student body, the IO UNHAS took the lead in establishing the ISA. The association aims to provide a platform for international students to voice their concerns, share experiences, and promote cultural exchange within the university.

Recognizing the importance of democratic representation, the IO organized a three-day voting period, from 17th to 19th July 2023, for the election of the ISA President. There were four candidates voted for by the students, namely Abdul Aziz Ahmad, a Dentistry student from Iraq; Mohammed Hussein Ba Naga, an Engineering student from Yemen; Mustafa Alaswad, a Medicine student from Palestine born in Jordan, and Kanchul Louis, a Law student from Gambia.

Given that many students were on holiday during this time, the IO decided to hold the voting process online, ensuring accessibility for all eligible voters. However, to maintain the integrity of the election and prevent any potential manipulation, the IO implemented stringent monitoring measures. Voters were required to cast their ballots using designated emails, ensuring a transparent and fair voting process. The IO remained committed to upholding the principles of democracy and inclusivity throughout the election, hoping to empower the newly elected ISA President to lead the association and cater to the diverse needs of international students at UNHAS.

The Head of IO, Dr. Andi Masyitha Irwan, explained that voting aimed to elect the candidate to be the President of the ISA. The existence of ISA plays a vital role in organizing international students' activities, aiming to build cohesion and strengthen relationships among students from various countries and cultures. She also emphasized that ISA allows students to exercise their leadership skills, which will benefit their future professional careers.

After three days of voting, the results placed Kanchul Louis in the first position with the most votes. He and the other three candidates will form the leadership team for this organization. Kanchul would have to discuss the work plan for a year of service with the other three candidates. The IO congratulated Kanchul Louis and wished him the best in his favor.



INTERNATIONAL OFFICE RECRUITS A-BATCH 2 STUDENTS VOLUNTEERS



After successfully managing the first batch of student volunteers, the International Office (IO) will invite students seeking global experiences, eager to expand their horizons, and looking for strong international connections. The schedule comprises the administrative selection and interview test. The first step, administrative selection, will begin on 28 July and last until 15 August 2023, followed by the announcement of results on 16 August 2023. The next schedule will be the interview tests on 17 August 2023, followed by the final announcement on 20 August 2023.

One of the requirements for would-be volunteers is to be an active UNHAS student, local or international. Another requirement is the ability to communicate in English, and it would be advantageous if any candidate is able to speak any other foreign language. In addition, the candidate must present a letter of recommendation from their Academic Advisor or Head of Department. The final aspect of the requirement is the ability to work in a team.

Looking back to the volunteer batch 1, the IO recruited 14 local students from various faculties, including 2 international students from the Faculty of Medicine (FK). During their service time, the volunteers were exposed to global events, such as being a committee member for guest lectures, public lectures, international meetings, etc. In addition, they also went through a workshop called Building Capacity of Student Volunteers where they received great sessions from practitioners and professionals, in areas such as hospitality and volunteering for university students.

The IO also sent volunteers abroad to build their capacity, such as the sociovation event held in Singapore in June 2023. Several volunteers were also sent to the student camp held by the Nationwide University Network Indonesia (NUNI), where students from various member universities carried out activities based on the Sustainable Development Goals (SDGs).

The IO expects the next batch to perform as well as the previous one or even much better in implementing their volunteerism with the office.





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