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## THE RECTOR MESSAGE

Dear Colleagues,

We sincerely appreciate your ongoing support.

We are thrilled to share our August edition which is packed with engaging news and events at our campus. This month is a critical for the Indonesians as we celebrate our Independence Day on August 17.

The participation of our international students at the flag ceremony shows diversity at our campus. We hope to expand our friendships and cooperations with all of you through our news.

Sincerely

RECTOR OF HASANUDDIN UNIVERSITY



#### RECTOR OF HASANUDDIN UNIVERSITY WELCOMES THE PRESIDENT OF MANAGEMENT AND SCIENCES UNIVERSITY, MALAYSIA



The Rector of Hasanuddin University (UNHAS), Prof. Jamaluddin Jompa, M.Sc., or Prof. JJ, welcomed the President of Management and Sciences University (MSU), Prof. Tan Sri Dato' Wira Dr. Mohd Shukri Ab. Yajid, along with the entourage on Wednesday, 2 August 2023, on the 8th floor of the Rectorate Building. Prior to this visit, the President of MSU met the Dean of the Faculty of Medicine (FK), Prof. Dr. Haerani Rasyid, M.Kes., Sp.PD-KGH., Sp.GK, FINASIM, to establish academic collaboration. Another official attending this reception was the Vice Rector for Partnership, Innovation, Entrepreneurship, and Business, Prof. Adi Maulana, M.Phil.

Prof. Tan said: "My visit this time was a return visit by the Rector of UNHAS previously to Malaysia. Apart from that, my visit was also the signing of a collaboration with the *Assosiasi Institusi Pendidikan Kedokteran Indonesia* (AIPKI) or Indonesian Medical Education Institutions Region VI in order to build educational and mobility collaborations." Meanwhile, Prof. Haerani said, "FK felt proud of hosting the visit from MSU to develop future collaborations in a variety of different areas, such as education, research, and others. Furthermore, apart from FK UNHAS, we also have AIPKI, consisting of 14 faculties from various universities in Eastern Indonesia, especially in Sulawesi, Papua, and Maluku".

The Vice Rector IV, Prof. Adi Maulana, said: "UNHAS is in accordance with its motto; the first is collaboration, and we welcome this collaboration with MSU. The second is that internationalization will intensify with this collaboration, so that in the future, it is hoped that the relationship between UNHAS and MSU in particular will strengthen the relationship between Indonesia and Malaysia, so that these two allied nations can advance together on the global stage."





#### **TWO JAPANESE DEPARTMENT STUDENTS OF UNHAS PASS THE MONBUKAGAKUSHO JAPANESE STUDIES PROGRAM SCHOLARSHIP FOR 2023**



Two students from the Japanese Literature Department, Faculty of Cultural Sciences (FIB) at Hasanuddin University (UNHAS), Sendy Bagus Pangestu and Hanna Kanaya, have successfully passed the selection for the Monbukagakusho Scholarship for Japanese Studies 2023 program. They and seven students from other universities in Indonesia will have the opportunity to study for one year at universities in Japan starting on October 1, 2023. Sendy will study at Doshisha University in Kyoto, while Hanna will study at Osaka University in Osaka.

This scholarship program in Japanese language, literature, and culture is very prestigious for undergraduate students worldwide, so the selection process is rigorous, especially regarding Japanese language skills. Apart from Sendy and Hanna, the Japanese Department has successfully sent four other students in previous years. Their accomplishments are achievements to be proud of.











#### INITIAL RESTOCKING OF BLUE SWIMMER CRAB COMMENCES IN PARE-PARE BAY THROUGH COLLABORATION OF FACULTY OF MARINE AND FISHERIES SCIENCES UNHAS, SERC, AND UMCES



Following the inaugural meeting held to discuss the implementation of collaborative research with the theme "Stock Enhancement: Strategic Approach for the Blue Swimmer Crab (*Portunus pelagicus*) in Indonesia," the Faculty of Marine and Fisheries Sciences (FIKP) at Hasanuddin University (UNHAS), the Smithsonian Environmental Research Centre (SERC), and the Centre for Environmental Science at the University of Maryland (UMCES) officially launched their partnership. The collaborative activities commenced in Parepare Bay, Suppa Subdistrict, Pinrang Regency, South Sulawesi Province.

The event was marked by releasing around 300 juvenile blue swimmer crabs into Parepare Bay on August 3, 2023. Notable attendees included the Vice Dean II of FIKP UNHAS, Prof. Abd. Haris, the Secretary of Pinrang Regency, the Head of the Department of Marine and Fisheries of Pinrang Regency, local government officials from Suppa Subdistrict and Watang Suppa Village, fisheries extension officers from Parepare City and Pinrang Regency, faculty members and researchers from FIKP UNHAS, SERC, UMCES, Dr. Muhammad Kurnia, the head of the UNHAS Community Service Programme (P2KKN), students, and local fishermen.

Each of the 300 crabs released was carefully tagged before their release. This would enable the research team, Dr. Faisal Amir, Muhammad Tauhid Umar (FIKP UNHAS), Dr. Robert Aguilar, and Dr. Henry Legett (SERC), to meticulously monitor their distribution and survival over the next two weeks. These released juvenile crabs' success rate and distribution patterns will be crucial in shaping the feasibility of a larger-scale restocking effort slated for October.

Following the initial release trial, a focused group discussion (FGD) was convened at the Watang Suppa Village office with the three key speakers: the Vice Dean II of FIKP UNHAS, Prof. Abd. Haris, Secretary of Pinrang Regency, Ir. Budaya and Prof. Yushinta Fujaya, head of the research team from FIKP UNHAS, SERC, and UMCES, engaged in an enlightening discussion.

Attended by approximately 50 participants, predominantly crab fishermen from the region, the FGD yielded a promising recommendation: establishing a "Crab Bank." This innovative approach aims to conserve breeding-age crabs, allowing them to spawn and bolster the local crab population. The blue swimmer crab restocking initiative in Parepare Bay not only signifies a pivotal stride towards safeguarding the marine ecosystem but also holds the promise of revitalising the livelihoods of local fishermen and promoting the sustainable management of crab resources.







#### TASHFEEN AMIR: MY MEMORABLE JOURNEY IN EXPLORING INDONESIAN CULTURE THROUGH BORNEO YOUTH LEADERSHIP CAMP 2023



I am Tashfeen Amir, a second-year student at the Faculty of Medicine (FK) at Hasanuddin University (UNHAS), Makassar. I am originally from Pakistan, but my luck brought me to one of the most diverse countries in Indonesia, better called Wonderful Indonesia.

Recently, I had the opportunity to participate in the Borneo Youth Leadership Camp (BYLC) 2023, a lifechanging experience. I want to share some of the activities that we did at the camp and how they helped me develop my leadership skills and scientific knowledge. The 2023 BYLC was an unforgettable experience for many students like me who engaged with students from diverse backgrounds. Hosted by Universitas Mulawarman in East Kalimantan, the camp attracted many international students from Thailand, Malaysia, Afghanistan, and many more. The activities combined Science, Technology, Engineering, Mathematics (STEM), and art to enhance the participants' leadership potential and scientific awareness. We were impressed by the beauty and abundance of the natural resources and the cultural heritage of East Kalimantan. We gained knowledge about the potential of plants as marketable merchandise, the engineering design process, the utilization of natural materials as learning media, the processing of organic waste, eco-printing, the spiderweb methods for coral rehabilitation, how to conserve the environment and extinguish outrageous fires, and many others.

We also had so much fun with the leadership games, the field trips, visiting museums, ploughing, and planting rice, learning the traditional dances, singing the music of East Kalimantan, and exploring art and culture in Tenggarong Dayak Tribes and Pampang Village. Being chosen as the leader of the Berau Group, one of the most hard-working groups, was a great honour for me, and with solid harmony and teamwork, we managed to win the title of Best Group Video.

Finally, I thank Universitas Mulawarman for their amazing Borneo Youth Leadership Camp and my home university, UNHAS, for the unconditional support they provide us and other students. Wait, lah, wait for more exciting stories from Anak UNHAS! #UNHASku Bersatu UNHASku Kuat.





#### FACULTY OF DENTISTRY HOLDS INTERNATIONAL STUDENTS COMMUNITY SERVICE PROGRAMME IN MALAYSIA



The Faculty of Dentistry (FKG) of Hasanuddin University (UNHAS) held the International *Kuliah Kerja Nyata* (KKN), or Students Community Service Programme, from 1–28 July 2023 at University Kebangsaan Malaysia (UKM). One of the participating students in batch 2020, Ozwan Sayed Ahmed, expressed her feelings. The International Office (IO) had a chance to interview her with three different questions, as follows:

#### How does this International KKN, or Student Community Services, make you feel?

"Honestly, I was excited and glad to be a part of this international program, and the program had a lot of activities that served the community, which made us feel proud. On the other hand, it was an unforgettable experience to have the opportunity to be an exchange student and to have the honour to be presented for both UNHAS and my nation, Sudan. No words can express our appreciation, but I'm delighted and fulfilled by my experiences during the program."

#### What have you learned during your involvement in the International KKN?

"During the program, we learned a lot of things, starting with exploring a new culture and meeting nice new individuals who were quite helpful in both general life and academics. Aside from that, the program included various activities, such as observing final-year students in the clinic at UKM University and the hospital. However, we have gained experience dealing with various instances and learning new therapy techniques. Furthermore, we have a community service program geared towards assisting youngsters. That program taught us to serve and assist the community. Finally, we were extremely fortunate to have the opportunity to learn new talents and gain new knowledge."

#### What benefits have you gained that can be developed at FKG, particularly, or at UNHAS generally?

"All the international programs can help the students enhance their knowledge; new abilities and skills differ from what they were taught, such as the education system, medical procedures, and other similar activities. In addition, one of the main benefits of our exchange program was that it assisted us and helped us become aware of clinical life work, and we knew more about the updates in the medical field. We also hope that UNHAS will create more programs like our international exchange program, whether within Indonesian universities or outside, to improve the academic and practical level, particularly in our beloved FKG.



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#### A Glimpse into Student Life at Hasanuddin University

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#### WALLACEA SCIENCE SYMPOSIUM TO HONOUR THE 200TH ANNIVERSARY OF ALFRED RUSSEL WALLACE'S BIRTH



Hasanuddin University (UNHAS), in collaboration with the *Akademi Ilmu Pengetahuan Indonesia* or Indonesian Academy of Sciences (AIPI), held the Wallacea Science Symposium at UNHAS Hotel and Convention on August 13-15, 2023. The Symposium was conducted to commemorate the 200 years of Wallace in Indonesia as well as his contribution to biodiversity. This three-day event was attended by scientists, historians, artists, researchers, students, and the public.

On the first day, 13, the participants visited the historical site where Alfred Russell Wallace used to live in Maros, South Sulawesi. The Symposium on the second and third days included plenary and parallel sessions. One exciting thing about this event was the exhibition. The photos of biodiversity and the history of Wallacea were displayed. Riza Marlon, a prominent photographer from National Geographic Indonesia, attended the Symposium and talked about his experience photographing nature and wildlife.

On this occasion, Prof. Daniel, The Head of *Akademi Ilmu Pengetahuan Indonesia* (AIPI) or Indonesian Academy of Sciences, started the conversation by congratulating Prof. Jamaluddin Jompa and UNHAS for the very memorable opening of the event. "With the support of the local government and the private sector, UNHAS was able to organize this event, something much better than before," said Prof. Daniel. Furthermore, Prof. Daniel also expressed his appreciation to the *Dana Ilmu Pengetahuan Indonesia* or Indonesian Science Fund (DIPI), the *Akademi Ilmuwan Muda Indonesia*, or the Indonesian Academy of Young Scientists (ALMI) for attending the event.

He also believes that the collaboration between DIPI, ALMI, and AIPI can help young talents throughout the archipelago. "If we find unique and interesting young talents, then it's time for us to support their abilities fully," added the President of AIPI. Prof. Daniel said that the inspirational story of Wallace, whose name still exists today, proves how important science is for everyone. The Mayor of Makassar hosted a dinner party to welcome all the distinguished guests to Makassar and show his support for advancing science.







#### THE VICE RECTOR FOR PARTNERSHIP, INNOVATION, ENTREPRENEURSHIP, AND BUSINESS OF UNHAS SENDS-OFF 13 STUDENTS TO JOIN THE SELF LEARNING PROGRAM BY SIX UNIVERSITY INDONESIA - JAPAN INITIATIVES IN JAPAN

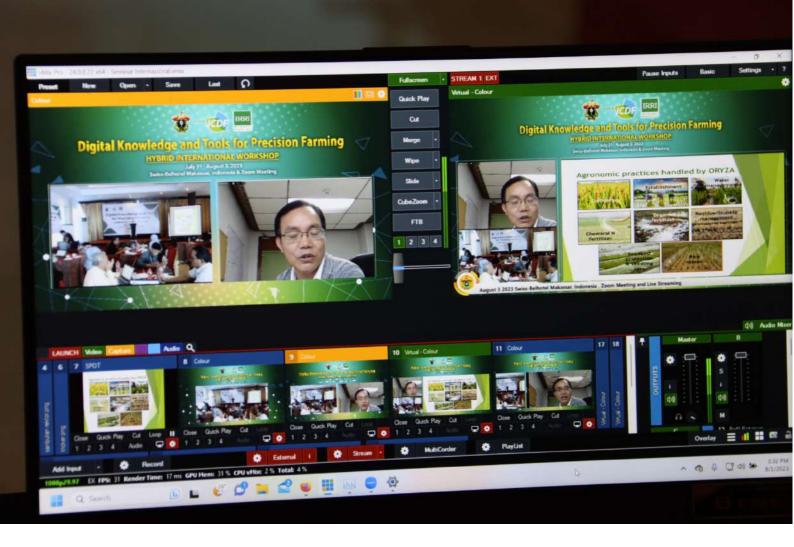


The Vice Rector for Partnership, Innovation, Entrepreneurship, and Business of Hasanuddin University (UNHAS), Prof. Dr. Eng. Adi Maulana, ST., M.Phil. sent off 13 students to participate in the Self Learning Program (SLP) by the Six University Indonesia-Japan Initiative (SUIJI). The send-off ceremony occurred on August 11, 2023. The Coordinator of the SUJI Promotion Office, Prof Dr. Ir. D. Agnes Rampisela, M.Sc, also attended the ceremony. These 13 students will be studying at Ehime University, Kochi University, and Kadawa University in Japan.

In his remarks, Prof. Adi emphasized four critical points to the UNHAS-SUIJI delegates. The first point was about learning about academic culture found during their participation in their host university and maximizing learning experiences that would benefit the students as individuals. Secondly, in building academic and non-academic networks, the participants should be aware of building networks with the people they meet in the program. Thirdly, the importance of the students developing their self-confidence, as participating in such a program requires courage and bravery. Finally, through the performance of the participants during the post-program in UNHAS, other prospective students might be attracted.



#### HYBRID INTERNATIONAL WORKSHOP ON DIGITAL KNOWLEDGE AND TOOLS FOR PRECISION FARMING



The Faculty of Agriculture Hasanuddin University (UNHAS), in cooperation with the Taiwan International Cooperation and Development Fund (Taiwan ICDF), the Consortium of International Agricultural Research Center (CGIAR), and the International Rice Research Institute (IRRI), organised a hybrid international workshop on digital knowledge and tools for precision farming. The workshop was conducted on 31 July – 3 August 2023, with an audience drawn from the ISCDF rice seed project coordinators, the academic community of UNHAS and other universities, the South Sulawesi Center for Meteorology, the South Sulawesi Department of Plantations, and the Indonesian Cereals Research Institute. Around 50 participants attended the workshop.

Participants learned about the use of digital knowledge and tools for precision farming. The course exposed how digital technologies create efficiencies in the agriculture value chain. By examining the different components in the value chain, inefficiencies can be identified, and this becomes the starting point for applying digital knowledge and precision farming tools.

The workshop aimed to provide an overview of available digital knowledge and tools for precision farming concerning the rice value chain, its advantages, and the potential for maximizing benefits for researchers, rice farmers, producers, and consumers.

Key modules consisted of overview of digital agriculture; available technologies and their application in the rice value chain (e.g. WeRise, ORYZA, RCM, RiceDoctor, RKB, etc.); data collection and data processing; use of digital agriculture tools in collecting farmer and field information for decisionmaking (big data and analytics); integrating digital knowledge and precision farming tools and scaling technology; and way forward: possible partnerships, collaborations, engagements (action plan) and integration.





#### FACULTY OF PUBLIC HEALTH INVITES WORLD HEALTHY CITIES EXPERT FROM SOUTH KOREA



The Postgraduate Program, Faculty of Public Health (FKM), Hasanuddin University (UNHAS), held an Introduction to Campus Life for New Postgraduate Program Students on 18 August 2023 at the UNHAS Graduate School. This was part of the student orientation, usually called *Pengenalan Kehidupan Kampus bagi Mahasiswa Baru* (PKKMB) or Introduction to Campus Life for New Students in the faculty.

This year's PKKMB activities carry a different concept; besides introducing faculties and study programs, it is also integrated with Guest Lecture. The lecture was presented in person by a world expert on Healthy Cities from South Korea, Prof. Eun Woo Nam, MPH, Ph.D. Prof Nam also serves as Dean of the Graduate School of Health Sciences at Yonsei University. Prof. Nam explained the "Healthy Aging in Korea: Social Prescribing Model" material. He explained that increasing life expectancy could be done by developing the concept of a healthy city through a social prescribing approach, as was done in South Korea. The Social Prescribing Approach implemented in South Korea includes, among others, social activities for the elders, such as gardening, listening to music, storytelling, etc. In South Korea, life expectancy has increased to 85 for women and 80 for men.

The new students enthusiastically attended the Guest Lecture session, as seen from the many questions asked in the discussion session moderated by Ruslan, SKM., MPH. The Dean of FKM UNHAS, Prof. Sukri, also responded regarding the topic of the guest lecture given by Prof. Nam. "The topic of healthy aging is one of the issues in global health that must be anticipated in the context of the health care system for the elderly in Indonesia, considering the population group of elderly in Indonesia in the next 2-3 decades predicts that the composition of our population will be larger (the population pyramid is upside down) as life expectancy increases."





#### INTERNATIONAL STUDENTS PARTICIPATE IN THE 78TH INDONESIA'S INDEPENDENCE DAY CEREMONY



Celebrating the 78th Indonesia's Independence Day on August 17, 2023, Hasanuddin University (UNHAS) held the flag hoisting ceremony at the basketball court Center of Students Activity, UNHAS Campus Tamalanrea. The ceremony was attended by UNHAS academic community; lecturers, staff, and students. The ceremony started at 7.30 a.m. Central Indonesia Time (CIT).

This ceremony was seen as the most historic, as this year's ceremony was attended by international students studying at Unhas for the first time. They were from Bangladesh, Pakistan, Nigeria, Palestine, Jordan, Sudan, Yemen, Ethiopia, Saudi Arabia, etc. The Rector of UNHAS, Prof. Jamaluddin Jompa, M.Sc., popularly known as Prof. JJ greeted the international students participating in this ceremony.

Our international students showed their excitement at being greeted by the Rector. They felt honoured and recognised as a part of UNHAS' big family. The international students joining the ceremony came with their national costumes, especially from Nigeria, Jordan, Sudan, and Saudi Arabia. The ceremony ended and left a memorable story among the students.





#### INTERNATIONAL OFFICE HOLDS INTERVIEW SESSION FOR STUDENT VOLUNTEERS BATCH 2



As the Student Volunteers (Stuvo) Batch 1's services ended in August 2023, the International Office (IO) of Hasanuddin University (UNHAS) opened recruitment from July until August 2023. There were around 80 applicants who managed to register through the application link. After reviewing the documents, the IO invited the applicants to the interview phase held on 17 August 2023 at the IO office. Andi Masyitha Irwan, Ph.D. (Head of IO), chaired the interviewers. Other interviewers were Muhammad Ridwan, M.A. (Secretary of IO), Rafika Nurul Hamdani Ramli, LLM (IO Task Force), and Kumara Tungga Dewa, M.Hum (IO Admin Staff).

The Head of the IO, Andi Masyitha Irwan, Ph.D., said the interview focused on reviewing applicants' motivation, strengths, and commitment to the office. The IO learned a lot from Stuvo Batch 1. They bonded intensely with each other and became engaged volunteers. During this moment, the Head of IO conveyed her gratitude and appreciation to the first batch, who contributed and shared their high commitment during their year of service while looking forward to welcoming new committed volunteers to follow in the footsteps of the previous batch.





#### UNHAS LANGUAGE SERVICE CONDUCTS CULTURAL INTRODUCTION TO FOREIGN STUDENTS



Hasanuddin University (UNHAS) Language Service conducted cultural introduction activities for international students studying Indonesian at UNHAS on Sunday, 13 August 2023. Eight students from various countries participated in the movement, including Gambia, Nigeria, Yemen, and Syria. With *Bahasa Indonesia untuk Penutur Asing* (BIPA) or Indonesian Language for Foreign Speakers staff and teachers, international students were invited to get to know Losari Beach, Makassar, and Phinisi boats.

This activity was not only expected to develop international students' interest in learning and loving the Indonesian language. In addition, they were expected to be able to absorb cultural knowledge while in Indonesia, especially in Makassar.

Dr. Herawaty, M.Hum., M.A., Ph.D., as the Head of Language Services at UNHAS, together with the Secretary, Dr. Inriati Lewa, M.Hum, who is also the BIPA coordinator, also attended to accompany the international students and explain about the icons of Makassar City and the Bugis-Makassar culture. The expressions of joy on the faces of international students could be seen while they were introduced to South Sulawesi culture.





#### INTERNATIONAL OFFICE PARTICIPATES ON THE 2023 UNHAS DAY



The annual UNHAS Day (UD) came around again. Organized by the Directorate of Academic and Students Affairs, UNHAS, the International Office (IO) was invited to participate. This was the second year the IO participated in the event. The UD was a part of welcoming new UNHAS students and introducing them to student unions and clubs. This UD was held at *Gedung Olahraga* (GOR) or UNHAS Sports Center on 19 August 2023 from 7:30 a.m. to 4 p.m. Central Indonesia Time (CIT). The UNHAS Day was divided into three sessions due to the increase in the number of new UNHAS students.

The IO booth displayed the functions of the IO office, its international students, and partnerships, with figures as well as abundant visual documentation of IO program activities such as the International Cultural Program (ICP), Geography Series (GS), facilitating public lectures, guest lectures and visiting lecturers coming from various backgrounds such as foreign presidential and ministerial offices, ambassadors of foreign countries to Indonesia, as well as professors from world-class universities that have become UNHAS partners.

Furthermore, the presence of international students made the IO's booth more attractive. The international students attending the event were from Jordan, Palestine, Sudan, Nigeria, Saudi Arabia, Gambia, Ethiopia, and Yemen. Many news students asked to take pictures with them.



#### INTERNATIONAL OFFICE AND INTERNATIONAL STUDENTS ASSOCIATION IN COLLABORATION WITH THE UNHAS 67TH ANNIVERSARY COMMITTEE HOLD THE 1ST INTERNATIONAL STUDENTS FESTIVAL



The 1st International Students Festival (ISF) was held by the International Office (IO) and International Students Association (ISA) of Hasanuddin University (UNHAS), in collaboration with the UNHAS 67th Anniversary Committee on Sunday, 27 August 2023, at the Gedung Olahraga (GOR) or UNHAS Sports Center from 8 am to 12 pm. Besides the Vice-Rector for Academic and Student Affairs, Prof. drg. Muhammad Ruslin, M.Kes., Ph.D., Sp.BM (K), other distinguished guests present included Deans and Vice-Deans, the Heads of Study Programs, various Institute, and the Task Force for Internationalisation Programs, as well as other officials and UNHAS students.

Before the official opening, speeches were delivered by the President of the ISA, Kanchul Louis Mendy, from Gambia, and a third-semester student at the Faculty of Law (FH). Louis warmly welcomed this festival's officials, lecturers, and students in his speech. He also said that he felt honored to deliver this speech on the special day of the ISF as we move on with our academic endeavors. Mr. Kanchul also expressed his gratitude to the Rector, Vice-Rectors, Deans, and other officials who had made this educational environment possible. He also spoke about the bonds created between both local and international students that helped them settle down smoothly.



Before closing his speech, Mr. Kanchul thanked the Head of the IO, Andi Masyitha Irwan, Ph.D., the booth coordinators, and all international students who had spent the whole night making their booths and presenting their respective cultures. Mr. Kanchul also invited the ISA committee to come on stage: the Vice President of ISA, Mohamad Hussein Ba Naga (an Engineering student from Yemen), Abdul Aziz, the Treasurer of ISA (a Dentistry student from Iraq), and Mustafa Alaswad (a Medicine student from Palestine).

The following speech was from the Vice-Rector for Academic and Students Affairs. Prof. Ruslin said this festival gave us a different academic atmosphere, especially from an international perspective. He said the festival also allowed people to get to know each other as UNHAS currently hosts students from 22 countries. He also emphasized that this festival could be conducted annually as a part of our recognition of international students and to strengthen our university's foundations for becoming a world-class university.

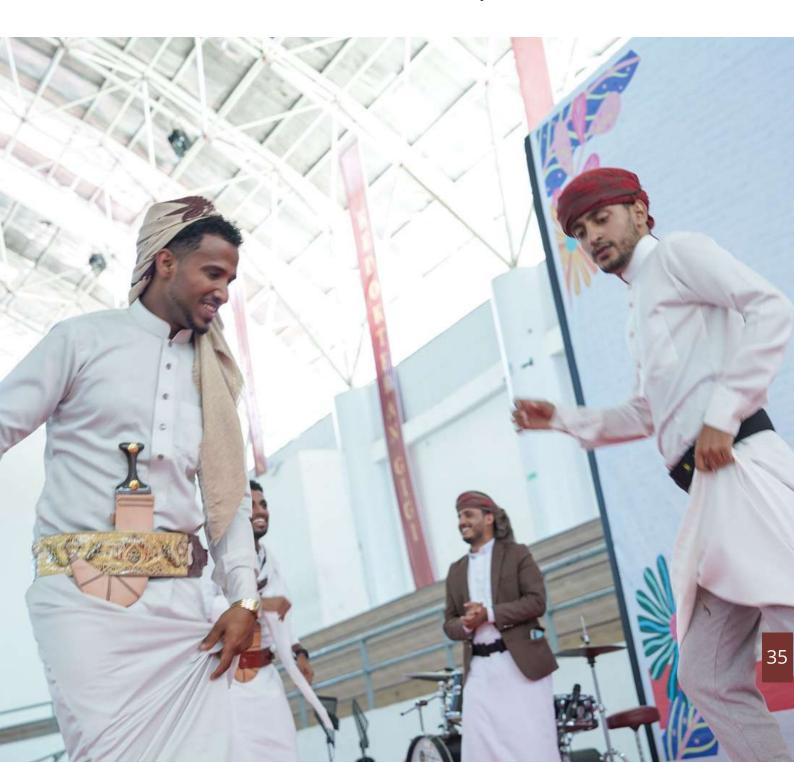
Furthermore, Mr. Ruslin conveyed his gratitude to the International Corners, who participated in this festival. These were the German Corner, Korean Corner, Mandarin Corner, Aussie Banget Corner, and one of the IO Partners, EducationUSA. In his closing remarks, Mr. Ruslin encouraged the audience to enjoy this festival and visit all the booths to learn about other cultures. In turn, mutual respect could be established between international and local students and people.



After the official opening, the audience was pleased to visit all the booths, which provided infographics, food, beverages, and small tokens from the student's countries of origin.

#### PRESENTATIONS AND PERFORMANCES

In addition to the booths, the IO gave international students the opportunity to present and perform on stage. There were a variety of presentations and performances, as seen in the ISF rundown, such as dancing by the Mandarin Corner, a Cultural version from Yemen, a Jordanian dance, an Iraqi presentation, a Korean Corner performance, and Bangladesh and Madagascar singing performances. The first performance was from Mandarin Corner; they performed a dance called the Paper Fan Scholars Dance. Four dancers wore red clothes, which is common in Mandarin culture. The dance made the audience happy, with many guests and students visiting the Mandarin booth. The second performance was by Yemeni students. They began with their national anthem, followed by a short presentation, and continued with a dance shown on the big screen. The first dance seemed to belong to Yemen's boys or young men. The movement was energetic and so much fun. All Yemeni students came forward with their traditional costumes from their country.



The Jordanian students did the third performance. As the Yemenis had played their anthem, the Jordanians did so too and danced similarly to the Yemeni students. It seemed that these young Arab men had a similar spirit of fun and energetic dance. They moved forward and backward, or left and right, following the beat of the music. Jordanian male students danced with very casual white t-shirts and trousers/jeans. They also wore scarves around their neck and moved around energetically.

During the next performance, Korea showed us a fan dance with nine dancers holding fans in their hands. The nine dancers wore a combination of light green and red clothes. It was very eye-catching, especially the fans in white and red. The Korean Corner booth provided several traditional games from Korea. The visitors to their booth tried to play by holding a stick and throwing it into the bucket.

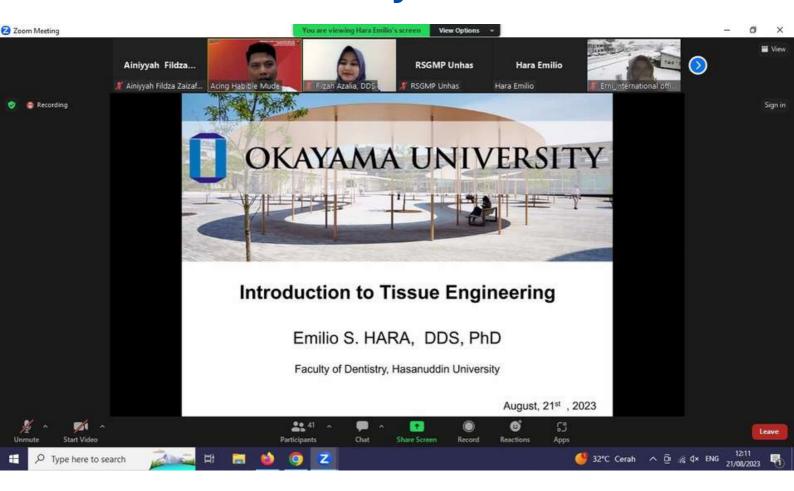
In addition, students from two countries, Bangladesh represented by Shahidul Islam and Madagascar represented by Ramiandrisoa Robuste Arnaud, performed songs from their homelands. The Madagascar student sang *You Raise Me Up* by Josh Groban in the Madagascar version. It impressed the audience, as many knew this song, but it was their first time listening to it in any foreign language, especially Malagasy. The students performed twice before the closing of the festival.

The final part of the festival was a photo session with the International Office crew, student volunteers, presenters, performers, and all international students. See you at ISF 2024!





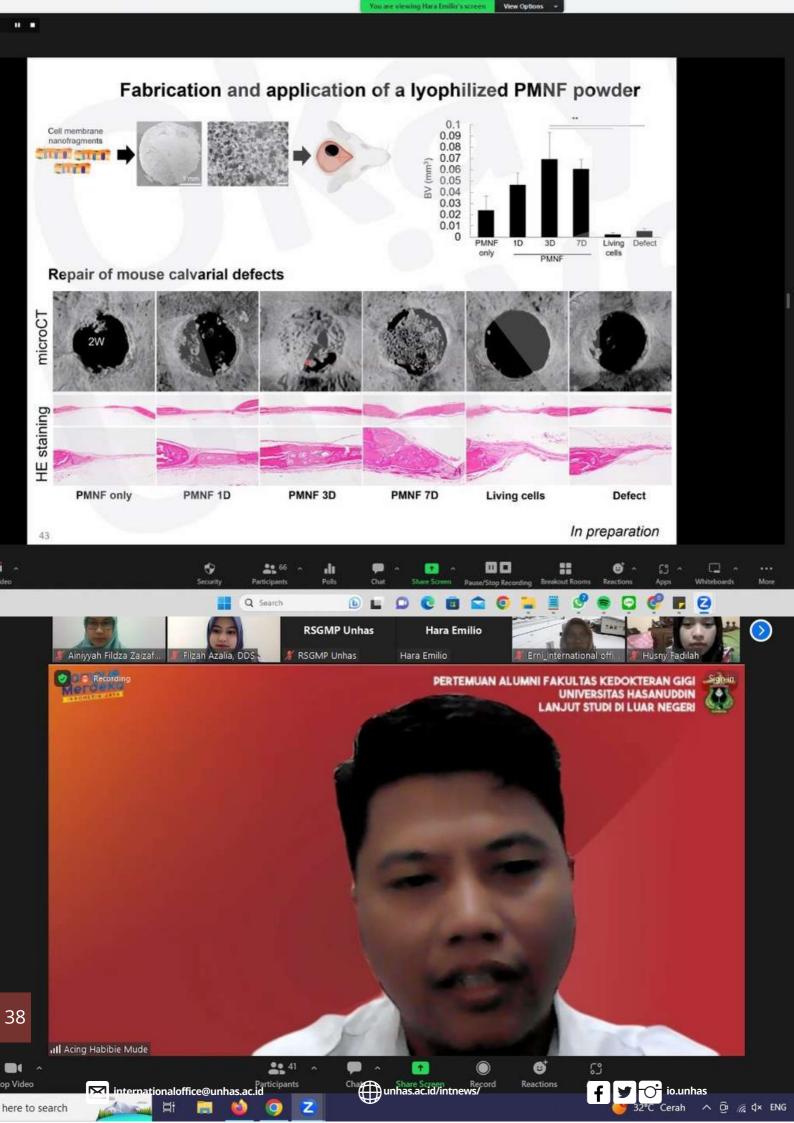
### FACULTY OF DENTISTRY UNHAS HOLDS GUEST LECTURE, PRESENTING ORAL SURGEONS FROM JAPAN



The Faculty of Dentistry (FKG) Hasanuddin University (UNHAS) held a Guest Lecture presented by an Oral Surgeon, Assoc: Prof. Emilio Satoshi Hara DDS., Ph.D., from Okayama University, Japan. The event on Monday, 21 August 2023. Assoc. Prof. Emilio Satoshi Hara presented material entitled "Basics of Tissue Engineering." Drg Acing Habibie Mude, Ph.D., Sp.Pros.Subsp.OGST(K), the Vice Dean for Academic and Student Affairs, officially opened the activity. In his remarks, he explained that this activity marked the start of the 2023/2024 first semester lectures for students of the Specialist Study Program, Master's Study Program, and Doctoral Study Program.

"Current faculty policy requires that blocks of courses in international class programs involve at least 1 (one) lecturer from abroad," said Dr. Acing. From the data obtained, approximately 14 lecturers from abroad are willing to lecture in the International Class Program. "This is in line with UNHAS' policy to increase global insight to students and support UNHAS to become a World Class University," explained Dr. Acing. "Hopefully, this policy will continue and continue to increase in the future," he said.

After the speaker's presentation, the event continued with a question-and-answer session guided by Drg. Azalia.





### THE IMPLEMENTATION OF THE COLLABORATION BETWEEN THE FACULTY OF MEDICINE, UNHAS AND THE FACULTY OF MEDICINE, UNIVERSITI KEBANGSAAN MALAYSIA



On 23 August 2023, the signing of the implementation of the arrangement (IA) of 11 specialists and subspecialist study programs from 9 Departments of the Faculty of Medicine (FK), Hasanuddin University (UNHAS), and the Faculty of Medicine, Universiti Kebangsaan Malaysia (UKM) took place at the Universiti Kebangsaan Malaysia Medical Education Center (UKM-MEC). This activity was a follow-up to the Memorandum of Understanding (MoU) between the Faculty of Medicine at UNHAS and the UKM Medical Faculty, signed some time ago.

The Dean of the Faculty of Medicine, Prof. Abdul Halim Gafour, welcomed this collaboration to strengthen medical education, especially in the Southeast Asian region, where UNHAS is known as a gateway to eastern Indonesia. In line with these remarks, Dr. Agussalim Bukhari, M.Clin.Med, Ph.D., Sp.GK(K), the Vice Dean for Academic and Student Affairs, representing the Dean of FK UNHAS, said that this collaboration aimed to strengthen competence in terms of both knowledge and skills through learning from each other, including students, supervisors, and education specialists, and lecturers from the FK UNHAS and the UKM Medical Faculty, by exchanging information, case studies, and using the latest technology in the field of medical education.

The IA was signed for eleven specialist study programs: Surgery Specialist, Pediatric Surgery Specialist, Obstetrics and Gynecology Specialist, Clinical Pathology Specialist, Anesthesiology Specialist and Subspecialist, Skin and Venereology Specialist, ENT-KL Specialist, Radiology Specialist, Orthopedic Specialist and Traumatologist, and Pulmonary Specialist.

The officials present during the visit were the Vice Dean for Partnership, Research, and Innovation, Dr. dr. Andi Alfian Zainuddin, M.KM, the Head of Center for Publications, Community Service and International Affairs, Dr. dr. Rina Maasadah, M.Phil, Sp.PA(K), the Head of Specialist Doctor Education Center Dr. dr. Andi Takdir Musbah, Sp.An-KMN, and many others.





#### INTERNATIONAL OFFICE UNHAS AND EducationUSA HOLD THURSDAY POP-UP CONSULTING



The International Office (IO) of Hasanuddin University (UNHAS) continues to move forward with providing internationalization services to the UNHAS academic community. Starting Thursday, 24 August 2023, a study in America consultation was held at the IO, UNHAS, and was guided by EducationUSA staff based in Makassar. The consultation service ran from 8 a.m. to 4 p.m. Central Indonesia Time (CIT). UNHAS academic community members were free to come and obtain much important information about studying in the United States of America (USA).

The Head of IO, Andi Masyitha Irwan, Ph.D., welcomed the consultation with America because apart from not requiring funds, the number of students and lecturers studying in Uncle Sam's country could have been higher than those in Japan and Australia. Therefore, this opportunity could be utilized by the academic community to open opportunities to continue their studies in the country. Meanwhile, the EducationUSA Program Manager, Ms. Chendani, said this was an excellent opportunity for the UNHAS academic community to come and ask education-related questions in the USA. Moreover, Ms. Cendani noted that the consultation would be held once a month, every Thursday. The pop-up consulting might be extended to a weekly or twice-a-month consultation. UNHAS academic community, the IO, looks forward to seeing you in person at the office.





#### FACULTY OF MEDICINE, UNHAS AND NIIGATA UNIVERSITY STUDENT EXCHANGE PROGRAM SUCCEEDS



The Faculty of Medicine (FK), Hasanuddin University (UNHAS), and Niigata University successfully implemented a student exchange program attended by two 7th-semester undergraduate medical students from Niigata University. This activity took place from 16 to 24 August 2023. Previously, five students from the UNHAS Faculty of Medicine had carried out International Community Service Lectures at Niigata University for two weeks.

In this inbound program, the two students from Niigata University were able to conduct observations and field studies at several medical facilities in the Makassar area. They visited the UNHAS Hospital Center for Medical Action and Research (RSPTN), Dr. Wahidin Sudirohusodo Hospital, Daya Hospital, and the Maradekaya Health Center. In addition, they also participated in activities at FK UNHAS, including lectures and visits to the Animal Lab. The Vice Dean for Publications, Services, and International Affairs of FK UNHAS, Dr. dr. Rina Maasadah, Sp, PA(K), M. Phil, DFM, coordinated this program. The implementation of this program also involved faculty staff and FK UNHAS students who were involved in the entire series of activities. "This program is beneficial for both parties in increasing knowledge and skills. It is hoped that this collaboration will continue in the coming years," said Dr. dr. Rina Maasadah.

She also added that collaborations like this had great potential for broadening academic insights and deepening understanding of the world of medicine globally. Through this program, FK UNHAS and Niigata University have proven that cross-country collaboration can benefit medical science and educational development significantly.

The success of this inbound exchange program brought hope that more opportunities for similar collaborations would continue to be forged to support the exchange of knowledge and experience between the two institutions.







#### FACULTY OF PUBLIC HEALTH, UNHAS HELD A SEMINAR SERIES WITH THE THEME AN OVERVIEW ON CAUSES AND RISKS OF STUNTING



The Faculty of Public Health (FKM), Hasanuddin University (UNHAS), held a seminar series on Wednesday, 23 August 2023, in the Nur Nasry Noor room, 2nd floor, FKM building. This seminar series was part of an FKM program bringing speakers from abroad. This time, the FKM UNHAS invited the Country Director of the U.S. CDC, Rebecca D. Merril, Ph.D., MHS, and the seminar theme was "An Overview on Causes and Risks of Stunting."

Ulfah Najamuddin, S.Si, M.Kes, a Lecturer in the Department of Nutrition Science, moderated the seminar. The event was officially opened by the Dean of the FKM, represented by the Vice Dean for Partnership, Research, and Innovation, Prof. Anwar Mallongi, Ph.D, accompanied by Ansariadi, Ph.D, a lecturer in the Epidemiology Department, who is also the UNHAS Director for Partnership. "Stunting is still a big problem in Indonesia. This seminar can benefit students, and we hope that FKM UNHAS and Johns Hopkins University can collaborate in the future," said Prof. Anwar. Rebecca attended this seminar to present her research during seven years in Bangladesh while still at John Hopkins University, called the Jivita Maternal and Child Health and Nutrition Research Project. Rebecca shared about malnutrition: the lack of macro and micronutrients over time. She continued to explain that there were three leading indicators of a child being malnourished: stunting, wasting, and being overweight. The Jivita project ran from 2001-2014.

The project was conducted to determine the effect of vitamin A, beta-carotene, and supportive foods in reducing infant mortality. Volunteers visit homes in Bangladesh every five weeks to collect data on pregnant women's diet, morbidity, and anthropometry. Due to the dense population in Bangladesh, there were about 6,000 forms to manage every week, which was a significant challenge in this project. The results of this research proved that there was a change in the duration of pregnancy, which was longer and increased the baby's length at birth.

Follow-up data on the baby continues to be collected every few months. Rebecca concluded that malnutrition in early development could have a lasting impact and that nutrition research could provide tangible evidence to improve regional policy and practise. Approximately 50 students of FKM UNHAS participated in this seminar. They showed enthusiasm and responded to the presented material by putting forward ideas and asking questions.





# THE FACULTY OF NURSING, HOLDS THE 5TH INTERNATIONAL NURSING AND HEALTH SCIENCES STUDENTS AND HEALTH PROFESSIONALS CONFERENCE



The Faculty of Nursing (FKep), Hasanuddin University (UNHAS) held the 5th International Nursing and Health Sciences Students and Health Professional Conference (INHSP) 2023 as part of celebrating the UNHAS 67th Anniversary on Tuesday and Wednesday 22-23 August 2023, at the UNHAS Hotel and Convention. The conference theme was "Health Equity for All: Advancing Sustainable Development Goals (SDGs) Achievement through Collaborative Innovation".

The 5th INHSP plenary session presentations came from various speakers, beginning with Prof. Dr. Ir. Jamaluddin Jompa, M.Sc, Rector of UNHAS, as Keynote Speaker. Meanwhile, invited speakers came from several countries, including Andi Masyitha Irwan, S.Kep., Ns., MAN., Ph.D (Indonesia), Prof. Masayoshi Kubo, Sc.D., PT. (Japan), Prof. Aini Ahmad. BSc.Nursing, BNSc., Med., Ph.D (Malaysia), Gulzar Malik, Ph.D., MN., BScN., RN (Australia), Prof. dr. Djohan Aras, S.Ft., Physio, M.Pd., M.Kes (Indonesia) and Mr. Moriyama Yoshitumi, HFP (Japan).

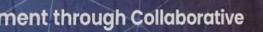
Prof. Dr. Ariyanti, as the Dean of FKep, thanked all the speakers who attended the event. "We would like to thank the speakers, who have come from universities and institutions in Japan, Australia, and Malaysia, for their outstanding contribution to this conference, and also all participants who joined this conference. Their presence provides insight into evidence-based research and practice in poisoning worldwide to improve quality of health," she said.



The UNHAS Vice Rector officially opened the activity for Academic and Student Affairs, Prof. drg. Muhammad Ruslin, M.Kes., Ph.D., Sp.BM (K). "We hope that this activity can support UNHAS to always provide space for lecturers, researchers and students to exchange ideas and hopefully this activity can help support UNHAS to become a world class university", Prof. Ruslin said.

The FKep Vice Dean for Academic and Student Affairs, Syahrul, S.Kep.,Ns., M.Kes, Ph.D., said, "By providing this conference, we hope it can help participants and colleges build stronger networks. It is highly anticipated that participants in this event will work together more in the future, and any conversations and ideas shared at this conference can positively impact future initiatives that will help us improve the standard of healthcare."

Prof. Masayoshi Kubo from Niigata University of Health and Welfare, Japan, also appreciated this event. "I am thrilled to speak in front of the audience. People will learn something new from this conference, and I am happy to be part of this conference," said Prof Kubo. Nur Fadilah, S.Kep.,Ns.,MN, as the Head of the Committee, mentioned that 110 participants had registered for this event and that about 60 oral speakers shared their research results and findings during the conference.



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# FACULTY OF CULTURAL SCIENCES, DISCUSSES THE EXTENSION OF MEMORANDUM OF UNDERSTANDING AND THE ESTABLISHMENT OF KOREAN LANGUAGE STUDY PROGRAM WITH HANKOOK UNIVERSITY OF FOREIGN STUDIES, SEOUL, KOREA



The Hasanuddin University (UNHAS) Faculty of Cultural Sciences (FIB) team visited Hankook University of Foreign Studies (HUFS) in Seoul to discuss extending cooperation between UNHAS and HUFS. In addition to developing collaboration, the FIB UNHAS team also discussed plans to open a Korean language study program at UNHAS. Those present at this meeting included the HUFS Vice President for General Affairs and Cooperation, Prof. Jung Sang Chul, and the Department of Malay-Indonesian Translation and Interpretation Chairman, Prof. Seung Won Song. The FIB UNHAS team comprised Prof. Dr. Nurhayati, M. Hum., Dr. Munirah, M. Hum and Muhammad Syahrum, S.S., M, Hum. This meeting was held on Monday, 28 August 2023, at the Global Yongin campus in South Korea.

Before this meeting, the FIB UNHAS Team had presented papers at the 2023 Annual International Conference of the Korean Association of Southeast Asian Studies (KASEAS) at Jeonbuk National University, Jeun Ju, from 25-26 August 2023.

Furthermore, the FIB UNHAS team also met with the Indonesian Educational and Cultural Attache for South Korea at the Indonesian Embassy in Seoul on Tuesday, 29 August 2023. The FIB UNHAS Team was received in person by Mr. Gogot Suharwanto, Ph.D. This was an essential visit because the FIB Team conveyed the potential for opening a Korean Language study program at UNHAS. The last item on the agenda of the FIB UNHAS Team was to meet with the Korean Foundation.

This meeting occurred at the Korean Foundation office, where Prof. Shin Young Duk received the UNHAS delegation in person. This visit was also closely related to the plan to open the Korean language study program at UNHAS and anticipated both material and non-material support from the Korean Foundation. The FIB UNHAS Team presented souvenirs to the hosts at the end of each visit.





# FACULTY OF NURSING HOLDS A GUEST LECTURE FROM KANAZAWA UNIVERSITY



Through the Department of Physiotherapy, the Hasanuddin University (UNHAS) Faculty of Nursing (FKep) held a Guest Lecture with Kanazawa University. This event was held from 8 a.m. to 12 p.m. Central Indonesia Time (CIT) on Friday, 25 August 2023, in the Hall of the Lembaga Penelitian dan Pengabdian Masyarakat (LP2M) or Institute for Research and Community Development. The Guest Lecture was presented by Masami Yokogawa, Ph.D., RPT from the Department of Physical Therapy, Faculty of Health Sciences, Institute of Medical, Pharmaceutical and Health Sciences. The Vice Dean officially opened the lecture for Academic and Student Affairs, Syahrul Said, S.Kep., Ns.,M.Kes., Ph.D., and attended by lecturers and students from the UNHAS Department of Physiotherapy.

The speaker, Masami Yokogawa, Ph., D said that Kanazawa University received international students as clinical first-year students, and this year, some of their students went to foreign countries to visit and observe. This phase was significant for our students. She also said that, at present, the university does not provide any scholarships. However, any prospective student could be supervised by professors from the university.

In addition, the Head of the Physiotherapy Department, Andi Besse Ahsaniyah, S.Ft.Physio., M. Kes., said that Physiotherapist was considered a growing profession in Indonesia, and this lecture could support internationalization at UNHAS and increase our students' knowledge with the most up-to-date information about Physiotherapy. Because of the audience, which included clinicians and procession students, the knowledge obtained could be applied here in Indonesia. This cross-border collaboration provided a deeper understanding of the international approach to physiotherapy.





# UNHAS FACULTY OF MARINE SCIENCES AND FISHERIES FORGES COLLABORATION WITH ORIENTAL CONSULTANT GLOBAL JAPAN



On Wednesday, August 30, 2023, representatives from the Hasanuddin University (UNHAS) Faculty of Marine Science and Fisheries (FIKP) convened with the representatives of Oriental Consultant Global (OC Global) from Japan. The meeting was held in the Senate Room, 2nd floor of FIKP UNHAS. The FIKP UNHAS delegation was led by the Dean, Dr. Safruddin, along with Dr. Ahmad Faizal, Vice Dean for Partnerships, Research, and Innovation; Dr. Khairul Amri, Head of the Department of Marine Science; and Dr. Syafiuddin, Head of the Marine Station. Deputy General Manager Mitsukage Yamada, PMP Mr. Kubota, and Chief Engineer Ir Umar Sulaiman, MT represented the OC Global team.

During the meeting, the initial discussions paved the way for a follow-up session involving Prof. Adi Maulana, Vice-Rector for Innovation, Entrepreneurship, and Business Cooperation, held in the 6th-floor meeting room at the UNHAS Rectorate. This subsequent meeting sought potential areas for collaboration between UNHAS and OC Global, including solar panels, seawater desalination, ice production plants, cold storage facilities, and community development projects to support local fishermen.

These collaborative initiatives were set to unfold on Barrang Lompo Island, located in Makassar City. On the second day, Thursday, August 31, 2023, the FIKP UNHAS team accompanied their counterparts from OC Global on a visit to the UNHAS Marine Station on Barrang Lompo Island. This joint visit aimed to foster a deeper understanding of the local marine environment, enabling both teams to identify practical and effective solutions for the proposed collaborative projects.

The partnership between FIKP UNHAS and OC Global Japan marks a milestone in marine, fisheries, and sustainable development. This collaboration showcases both institutions' commitment to advancing knowledge and technology and highlights their dedication to fostering positive regional change and growth. This partnership is poised to make meaningful contributions to academic and practical domains through joint efforts and shared expertise, setting an example for future collaborations between the two institutions.





## FACULTY OF ENGINEERING STUDENTS COMPLETE THE **EXCHANGE PROGRAM IN UNIVERSITI SAINS MALAYSIA**



Three students of the Hasanuddin University (UNHAS) Industrial Engineering Study Program, Faculty of Engineering (FT), just completed their participation in the Universiti Sains Malaysia (USM) Exchange Program during the 2023 summer semester, from March to August. The three students, Nurul Fakhira, Muhammad Furgon Izzulhaq, and Muhammad Fahryl A. Yani, were enthusiastic about this new experience because they had interacted with international students from diverse cultural backgrounds. USM has over 4,000 international students out of 28,000 on three campuses: the Kubang Kerian Campus in Kelantan for the Medical School, the Nibong Tebal Campus for engineering schools, and the Minden Campus in Penang as the main campus.

During the program, the students went through numerous activities such as Orientation Week (OW), Coffee Hours Class, Coffee Hours Day, and Campus Life. The OW was an introduction to Malaysia Cultural Exposure session, chilling and grilling, during which they became acquainted with USM. The Campus Tour introduced the campuses to the students with ice-breaking activities in which students got 59 to know each other while sweating it off. The activity was to get their bodies fit and avoid tiredness during the week.

Meanwhile, the Coffee Hour Class was designed to introduce the culture of Indonesian students from Brawijaya University and Muhammadiyah University of Malang, East Java, and, of course, Hasanuddin University. The students presented food and beverages, clothes, and music. Several students from Japan, Thailand, Germany, and Malaysia attended this event. In addition, the next activity was Coffee Hour Day. It was similar to the Coffee Hour Class. However, this event was more like a cultural exhibition and was attended by more international students from the United States of America (USA), Japan, China, Malaysia, Nigeria, and many more countries.

The last activity was Campus Life. The students took three courses with nine credits under this program during this activity. They also had the opportunity to be mentored on their thesis by a USM Faculty of Engineering lecturer as a co-supervisor. They faced various challenges because all lectures were in English. In addition, the semester exams were also very strict with difficult questions. The three courses taken were Business Statistics and Introduction to Data Analytics from the School of Management and Project Management from the School of Engineering. This was such an outstanding program, and they expect other students from the FT to take part in building their global horizons and experience.







# MONITORING AND EVALUATION OF *KEMITRAAN NEGARA BERKEMBANG* (KNB) SCHOLARSHIP MANAGEMENT AT UNHAS



*Kemitraan Negara Berkembang* (KNB), or Developing Country Partnership, is a scholarship awarded to prospective students from developing countries around the globe and is managed by the Lembaga Pengelola Dana Pendidikan (LPDP) or Indonesia Endowment Fund for Education. At Hasanuddin University (UNHAS), there have been three recipients of this scholarship who are currently studying here: Andrea Sofia Aleman Garcia of Honduras, a semester three student at the Faculty of Marine Sciences and Fisheries; Anwar Muneer Abdo Othman of Yemen, a semester three student at the Faculty of Engineering; and Kanchul Louis Mendy of Gambia, a semester three student at the Law Faculty.

As a host university of KNB recipients, UNHAS went through a monitoring and evaluation phase on Thursday, 31 August 2023, in Meeting Room A, 7th floor of the Rectorate Building. The Monev Team from the Institutional Directorate, Ministry of Education and Culture, Higher Education, Research and Technology, Wahyu Hidayat, Armani, and Andita Pratiwi attended the meeting. Meanwhile, from UNHAS, the attendees were Andi Masyitha Irwan, Ph.D. (Head of the International Office), Nurul Ichsani, S.Sos., M.I.Kom (Head of the Sub-Directorate of the Admission Office), Catharina S.E, M.M (Head of the Sub-Directorate for Student Welfare), Dra. Harniati (Foreign Affairs Bureau), Muhammad Ridwan, M.A., and Kumara Tungga Dewa, S.S. (International Office Staff).

During the meeting, many aspects related to the management of the KNB scholarship were raised, such as the financial management, student academic progress, and the upcoming KNB recipients studying at UNHAS. The report showed that the student's academic achievements were excellent, with 3.9 GPA grades. In addition, the students' nonacademic achievements were also reported, such as Kanchul Louis being elected as the President of the UNHAS International Students Association. Andrea Aleman was invited to speak about climate change and had a chance to meet Mr. Ridwan Kamil, the Governor of West Java. Meanwhile, Anwar Muneer was a lead dancer among the Yemeni students at the 1st International Students Festival.





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#### UNHAS DELEGATES PARTICIPATE IN THE 2023 INTERNATIONAL ACADEMIC CONSORTIUM FOR SUSTAINABLE CITIES HELD BY THAMMASAT UNIVERSITY, THAILAND



Hasanuddin University (UNHAS) delegates successfully attended the 2023 International Academic Consortium for Sustainable Cities (IACSC) held by Thammasat University in Rangsit, Pathum Thani Province, Thailand, from Wednesday, 23 August 2023 to Friday, 1 September 2023. This Consortium conducts collaborative activities among universities from various countries to contribute to a sustainable society. It helps students from multiple majors and universities to collaborate to address urban and planning advantages.

The IACSC 2023 consisted of the Sustainable Urban Development Program (SUDP) and International Urban Planning Workshop (IUPW) programs. It was participated in by six universities: Yokohama City University (Japan), University of The Philippines (Philippines), Universiti Sains Malaysia (Malaysia), Vietnam National University (Vietnam), Thammasat University (Thailand), and Hasanuddin University (Indonesia). The UNHAS SUDP participants were Ghina Ulfiani Anugrah (Faculty of Public Health) and Jaysti Kine (Faculty of Nursing). Meanwhile, the IUPW was attended by Ahmad Tirta Setiadi and Maha Rani Abdullah (Faculty of Agriculture), Andi Nurul Inayah, Dwi Hartini Hasna, Muhammad Ammar Dzikra, and Muhammad Akhsan (Faculty of Engineering).

Two of the UNHAS delegates in the program, Andi Nurul Inayah (Faculty of Engineering) and Ghina Ulfiani Anugrah (Faculty of Public Health) gave oral presentations to the IACSC Consortium to share their group's ideas about urban development and society. The idea from the IUPW group that Andi Nurul Inayah presented was "Thailand Peri-urbanization with Sustainability Settlement." In contrast, Ghina Ulfiani Anugrah showed "Preventing Vector-borne Diseases Caused by Breeding Site Mismanagement" by the SUDP group. Both groups were selected, as one of the top 3 groups from their respective programs, to present their ideas in front of Hidefumi Imura, Yokohama City University's Senior Advisor, Global Cooperation Institute for Sustainable Cities, and the United Nations Human Settlements Programme (UN-HABITAT) representatives, Clinton Moore and Tam Hoang.





#### FACULTY OF AGRICULTURE WELCOMES THE VISIT OF PROF. DR. TECHN. HEIDI HALBWIRTH FROM THE INSTITUTE OF CHEMICAL, ENVIRONMENTAL AND BIOSCIENCE ENGINEERING, TECHNOLOGY UNIVERSITY OF VIENNA



On 29 – 31 August 2023, the Agricultural Engineering Study Program, Faculty of Agriculture (Faperta), Hasanuddin University (UNHAS), invited Prof. Dr. techn. Heidi Halbwirth from the Institute of Chemical, Environmental and Bioscience Engineering, Technology University of Vienna (TU Wien), Austria, to carry out case-based and project-based course content redesign workshops, Focus Group Discussions (FGD) for developing research collaborations, and public lectures. These activities were under the *Pendidikan Tinggi* (DIKTI) or Higher Education Independent Campus Competition Program (PKKM) scheme awarded to the Agricultural Engineering Study Program, UNHAS.

During this visit, Prof. Heidi gave a public lecture in the Faperta UNHAS Lecture Theater 6 (LT 6). The course was attended by 103 participants comprising students and lecturers from the Agricultural Engineering Study Program and the Agricultural Science and Technology Study Program.

The course content redesign workshop and FGD for developing research collaboration were attended by the Dean of the Faperta, Prof. Dr. Ir. Salengke, M.Sc, and lecturers and educational staff of the Agricultural Engineering study program. The teaching staff of the UNHAS Food Science and Technology Study Program also attended the FGD for the development of research collaboration. . The output of this FGD was the signing of an MoU between the UNHAS Faculty of Agriculture and the TU Wien Institute of Chemical, Environmental, and Bioscience Engineering.



# **INTERNATIONAL OFFICE SUPER TEAM**

SUMBANGAN BAJA MUHAMMAD RIDWAN RAFIKA NURUL HAMDANI RAMLI ANDI AFIFAH FAYYADHAH IRFAN ASHAR PRATAMA ANDI MASYITHA IRWAN JAMALUDDIN FITRAH ALAM ABIGAIL MARY MOORE KUMARA TUNGGA DEWA NASRAH