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DEAR READERS,

This February newsletter presents some great news from Universitas Airlangga, such as students from Faculty of Economics and Business who attended international conference in Malaysia, the university's commitments to serve the community and create synergy with all the elements to achieve Top 500 World Universities. There are also some news from other higher education Tri Dharma activities conducted by Universitas Airlangga academic community.





OFFICIALS MUST SERVE WELL

Rector of Universitas Airlangga Prof. Dr. Mohammad Nasih, SE., MT., Ak., CMA., inaugurated four new officials on Tuesday, Jan. 22 on the 4th Floor Hall, UNAIR Management Office Campus C UNAIR. The four newly appointed officials are for Echelon IV positions.

The four officials were Diah Prihatiningsih, Dra; Aris Cahyo Purnomo, S.Kep; Indah Yulia Prafitaning Tyas, S.ST., M.T; and Dendy Sucahyo, S.ST. The four officials were appointed based on two decrees. The four officials were sworn in by UNAIR Rector in front of other UNAIR management leaders.

Prof. Dr. Nasih, in his inauguration remarks reminded the importance of integrity from officials to work together in realizing expected progress in UNAIR. As UNAIR has become one of the public and state instruments, especially to provide education. "Continue to contribute positively to our beloved university, Universitas Airlangga," Prof. Nasih said. (*)

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STUDENT ORGANIZATION ENCOURAGES HIGH SCHOOLERS TO GO TO COLLEGE

To provide information on campus life for senior high school students, regional student organization (ormada) from Tuban known well as AIRLANGGA TUBAN STUDENT MOVEMENT (RAWATUNGGGA) held its annual program, Rawatungga Goes To School. It was held from Jan. 2 to Jan. 29, 2019.

Baktiyar Prayoga Adihutomo as the Head of Rawatungga said that they did not only give

information, but also encouraged the high school students to continue their studies after they finish high school.

The student of Indonesian Language and Literature year 2017 continued that there is great potential shown from the community and high school students in Tuban. However, the realization is not quite effective in terms of determining places to study further. "We collaborate with schools and try as much as we can to encourage our juniors to go to college," Baktiyar said.

ISLAMIC ECONOMICS EXCELLENT PROSPECT

Islamic Economics Program of Universitas Airlangga is one of the solutions of sharia-based economic development in Indonesia. This program is one of the best economic alternatives on a national and international scale. Noven Suprayogi, SE, M.Si., Ak as Head of Islamic Economics Department, said that the Islamic Economics program gives an opportunity for prospective students because this program is included in one of the government's strategic development plans of Indonesia.

"It is proven by the establishment of National Islamic Finance Committee (KNKS) of Republic of Indonesia led by President of the Republic of Indonesia. It shows that Islamic finance is an important sector to be developed into a strategic industry," Noven said. (*)



FEB STUDENT ATTENDS CONFERENCE IN MALAYSIA

DUHA Ziaun, fifth from the right, as one of the participants in UN Conference simulation in Malaysia



A student from Faculty of Economics and Business (FEB) Universitas Airlangga Duha Ziaun had an opportunity to attend Global Goals Model United Nation (GGMUN) Conference in Kuala Lumpur, Malaysia, on Jan. 11-14, 2019.

GGMUN, also known as UN Assembly Simulation, was attended by 471 participants from various universities and countries such as Philippines, India, Singapore and Indonesia.

Duha explained that the activity was aimed at increasing awareness and supporting young people in sustainable development with various discussions related to current global issues. The activity is a right place for young people to share their ideas and commitments for a better world.

"It is a forum for young people to achieve their aspirations, to solve world problems and the best idea will be included in UN (United Nations, ed) resolution," she said. (*)

SYNERGY TOWARDS TOP 500 WORLD UNIVERSITIES



Steps and efforts made by Universitas Airlangga towards Top 500 world universities are getting massive. Various efforts and breakthroughs have been carried out for several years. To start 2019, all leaderships were gathered to discuss various strategies and steps to be implemented next year.

UNAIR Rector with management leaders of UNAIR held a Leadership Meeting which is themed: Sustainable Synergy Towards UNAIR Top 500 World Universities. The meeting was held at Sakala Resort Bali from Jan. 17 to Jan. 19, 2019.

In his opening remarks, on Jan. 17, UNAIR Rector Prof. Nasih gave direction and explained various achievements of UNAIR so far, from improvement of accreditation, increasing number of doctors and professors, increasing number of scopus indexed journals, and many other achievements.

"However, we must keep running faster, because we all know that other universities also continue to show progress," Prof. Nasih explained. (*)

THE PRESS HAS IMPORTANT ROLE IN GENERAL ELECTION



Presidential and legislative election will be held this upcoming April. Various preparations have been made, especially General Election Commission (KPU) as the organizer. Regarding this matter, several experts were gathered at Universitas Airlangga on Tuesday, Jan. 15 to have a discussion on Welcoming Democratic Party with Dignity.

The discussion with #santunbermedia2019 as the hashtag was opened by Heru Cahyono M.M., as Regional Secretary of East Java Province. In his remarks, Heru said that the press should not take sides between each candidate and provide balance information.

INDIAIR INVITES INTERNATIONAL STUDENTS TO RECOGNIZE LOCAL CULTURE

UNAIR NEWS - In an effort to achieve reputation excellence and competitive value towards World Class University, Universitas Airlangga through Airlangga Global Engagement (AGE) presents Winter Session program titled Indonesian Diversity at Airlangga (INDIAIR). It aims to introduce Indonesian culture and language to international students, for 12 days from Jan. 14 to Jan. 26, 2019.

The activity was divided into two programs, in-class activity held at Universitas Airlangga and field-trips, on-site visits, and cultural trips to several places. The program was started with a student summit with several speakers. It was held to provide a general description of diversity in Indonesia before participants explore further through the programs.

The implementation of the international program aims to improve the quality of education services, attract students from other countries, and improve international mobility index. By participation in INDIAIR program, international students can understand the cultural difference, gain broad insight and experience, and raise awareness about the importance of pluralism in a democratic system.

These activities are expected to show the quality of UNAIR education to the international students and partners. The program is held during winter holiday.

Nabila, one of the international students from Management and Science University, Malaysia expressed her joy for joining the program as she gained a lot of experience.

She can also take advantage of this opportunity to explore other culture and participate in education of Universitas Airlangga.

"I am happy to be able to join this program. There is language uniqueness, cultural diversity, and various kinds of food and it becomes one of my valuable experiences," said Nabila.

"I also got a lot of friends here. My foreign language is also getting better," she added.

Through programs implemented by AGE, UNAIR has improved its academic mobility and ready to compete with other state universities. There are various international programs and scholarships offered to experience learning and living in Indonesia. (*)



BREAKTHROUGH FOR THE COMMUNITY



Sambari Halim Radianto
Regent of Gresik

UNAIR alumni have performed in various fields of the community. One of them is in Politics and Governance such as Sambari Halim Radianto, Regent of Gresik. As an expert in Economics, he has made various breakthrough for Gresik Regency. Therefore, he was one of the best regional officials in Indonesia.

He said that the achievements he made could not be separated from Universitas Airlangga as the university gave him knowledge, either in theories or practical ones. Therefore, he believes that UNAIR can give great contributions to global community. (*)

DOCTOR AND PSYCHIATRIST FROM KUDUS



Nalini Muhdi
Psychiatrist

One of the outstanding alumni from Faculty of Medicine is Nalini Muhdi. She is a doctor and also known as a psychiatrist. The woman from Kudus was a part of Lisa's "Face Off" team which has gained public attention.

She is often interviewed by mass media about health, mental health and women emancipation issues. Nalini has shown great concern over the women's struggle to express ideas and be equal to men. However, she believes that it should not make the women forget their nature.

Nalini also believes by being a doctor, someone has greater opportunity to help others. She showed confidence that Faculty of Medicine has significant role to support UNAIR to be a world class university. (*)

FST ALUMNA WITH OUTSTANDING ACHIEVEMENTS



Kurnia Dewi
Alumny of FST UNAIR

Kurnia Dewi is one of UNAIR's alumni with outstanding achievements from Faculty of Science and Technology. She was graduated in December 2018 and named Outstanding Graduate in the graduation day. She was graduated with 3.37 GPA and 1,397 achievement points. These achievement points were accumulated from her activeness in organizations and competitions.

Dewi has made several achievements. In 2016 she became a finalist of National Scientific Writing Competition (LKTI) SELF Udayana, Universitas Udayana; fourth place in Regional MTQM for Fahmil Quran category in Universitas Trunojoyo; and second place in Archipelago Essay Competition Universitas Pattimura.

In 2017 Dewi managed to become a finalist at LKTI MIPA Open and Exposition Universitas Negeri Makassar, a finalist in Call for Paper, LOGIKA Universitas Indonesia, third place in National MTQM for Fahmil Quran category, Universitas Negeri Malang - Universitas Brawijaya, and won a silver medal at World Young Inventor and Exhibition in Malaysia. She also won Gold Award on International Invention and Innovative Competition in Malaysia. (*)



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- Faculty of Dental Medicine
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- Faculty of Nursing
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- Faculty of Vocational Studies
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