

Program for Advancing Strategic International Networks to Accelerate the Circulation of Talented Researchers
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In search of Wisdom toward Compatibility Growth and Community in the World

Report

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I would like to extend my sincerest gratitude to Kyoto University (KU) especially to the Secretariat of the Japan-ASEAN Collaboration Research Program for inviting me to this program. It was a very fruitful and rewarding experience, which I believe will be beneficial not only for my research avenues but also joint cooperation between the two institutions Kyoto University and Universitas Gadjah Mada (UGM).

During my stays in Japan, I've conducted several activities as follows.

1. Research discussion with Professor Yusuo Sugiyama on 17th of January 2017; 25th of January 2017 and 30th January 2017; the purpose of these meetings are to finalize the research proposal that has been made. The output of this meeting was to fix the questionnaires for the data collection process. The data collection process will be conducted in 2017 by doing an interview on Japanese multinationals located in Indonesia.
2. Research workshop conducted by the Graduate School of Economics Kyoto University, presenting a guest professor from Canada, McGill university, namely Professor Robert David. In the workshop, we discussed the topic of institutional Entrepreneurship; a topic which is really relevant for my research project Professor Sugiyama. The workshop was conducted on 19th January 2017 followed with social dinner attended by all PhD students of Professor Sugiyama
3. I also attended a luncheon network meeting "Get together" organized by CSEAS on January 26, 2017. During this meeting, I became acquainted with many peoples from different areas of expertise.
4. Luncheon network meeting was also conducted with Ritsumeikan University on 24th of January 2017. The purpose of this meeting is to discuss the continuation of the student mobility program under AIMS Program (The ASEAN International Mobility for Students) to strengthen the collaboration between JAPAN and ASEAN in the future.
5. With Kyoto University, i've also conducted two networking lunches, First, on 19th January 2017; we organize a meeting with Dr John Lambino and Dr Souksavahn to discuss the continuation of ASEAN Brain Circulation program between GSE Kyoto University and FEB Universitas Gadjah Mada. Second, on 30th of January 2017; a luncheon meeting hosted by International Office GSE Kyoto University.