SB IPB University’s Study Program in Japan

On May 17 and 18, 2023, about 32 doctoral students of School of Business, IPB University (SB IPB Univ.), Indonesia visited to Japan International Corporate Agency (JICA) and UNU Institute for the Advanced Study of Sustainability (UNU-IAS) as part of SB IPB University’s study tour named “International Exposure in Business and Management” led by Vice Dean Dr. Nimmi Zubainarni, IPB University, Indonesia. The Theme of the study tour was “Globalization and Cultural Diversity: Navigating Difference for Sustainable Success”.

Visit to JICA

With the earnest cooperation of Mr. Fukuda, Director General, Domestic Strategy and Partnership Department, JICA and Mr. Kotaro KIMURA, Deputy Director, Technology Policy Office, Policy Planning Division, Ministry of Agriculture, Forestry and Fisheries of Japan, the IPB Students visited to JICA Headquarters on Wednesday, May 17.

The program of their visit on May 17 is as follows:
Moderator: Mr. Naoki MATSUDA
Economic Development Department, Agricultural and Rural Development Group 2, JICA
**Opening Remarks**
Mr. Masahiko TAKIZAWA, Deputy Director General for Planning and Training Affairs, Domestic Strategy and Partnership Department, JICA

**Session I - MAFF Lecture:**
“Development of Smart Agriculture”
Mr. Kotaro KIMURA, Deputy Director Technology Policy Office, Policy Planning Division, Ministry of Agriculture, Forestry and Fisheries of Japan

**Session II - JICA Lecture:**
“JICA’s Standpoint of the Cooperation in Smart Agriculture and Smart Food Value Chain”
Mr. Daichi BAN, Economic Development Department, Agricultural and Rural Development, Group 1, JICA

“What is JICA doing with international students”
Ms. Nonoka KAWAMURA, Economic Development Department, Agricultural and Rural Development, Group 1, JICA
Session III – KEY COFFEE Presentation
“Sustainable Coffee Production in Toraja, Indonesia”
Ms. Naoko ARINAGA, Future if Coffee Department,
KEY COFFEE, INC., Japan

Closing Remarks:
Dr. Nimmi Zulbainarni, Vice Dean, School of Business
IPB University, Indonesia
Visit to UNU-IAS on Thursday, May 18
With earnest cooperation of Mr. Takashi ARAI, Managing Director, Secretary General, Japan Foundation for United Nations University, the IPB students visited to UNU-IAS on Thursday, May 18.

The program is as follows:

**Session I - Introductory Session**
"Introduction UNU-IAS"
Kensuke FUKUSHI, Ph.D., Academic Program Advisor, UNU-IAS
He introduced about Mission, Uniqueness, the education program, and other interesting data of the UNU.

**Session II - Group Discussion with UNU Students and IPB University Students:**
“Globalization and Cultural Diversity: Navigating Difference for Sustainable Success”
Chaired by Mark McCathy Akrofi, D3, UNU
The Group Discussion chaired by Mark McCathy Akrofi who is a student of UNU. The IPB students shared their ideas and exchanged their opinions on “Globalization and Cultural Diversity: Navigating Difference of Sustainable Success” with some UNU students actively.
We hope all IPB students got some insights from these study programs in Japan.

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