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Agriculture Semester Program In Indonesia

Including streams in Agribusiness, Agriculture, Forestry and Animal Husbandry.

Agriculture Semester Program (ASP)

Information for Host Organisations

What is ACICIS?

The Australian Consortium for 'In-Country' Indonesian Studies (ACICIS) is a non-profit education provider which facilitates semester-long and short course study options for tertiary students in Indonesia. ACICIS consists of 26 member universities, including lead institutions in the field of Indonesian studies in Australia, the UK and the Netherlands.

Current study options include:

Professional practicum courses in Journalism, Development Studies and Business (Jakarta), intensive Indonesian language study, Development Studies, Business, Law and Society, and teacher training (Yogyakarta), and an independent field study and International relations program (Bandung, West Java).

ACICIS' obligations

ACICIS has staff based in four cities in Indonesia, including Bogor, Yogyakarta, Jakarta and Bandung, who provide a high level of pastoral care to all students.

ACICIS provides support to all students on issues relating to health, safety, housing and immigration.

ACICIS staff are available throughout the internship, to respond to issues and assist the host organisation with questions relating to the student placement.

ACICIS will assess student applications, to match students to an organisation they have an interest in, and can make a contribution to. The host organisation may also assess the applicants, and interview the applicant before accepting the intern.

What is the ASP?

The ASP allows students to take units in a number of internationally accredited study programs at Bogor Agricultural University, including agribusiness, agronomy and horticulture, plant protection, food science and technology, forestry, and animal production and technology.

With classes taught in English, from an Indonesian perspective, students will be well-placed to become leaders in international agricultural development with a solid understanding of the food security and resource management challenges facing Indonesia and the Indo-Pacific region.

Students will also be able to undertake a professional practicum placement at an Indonesian host organisation to complement their formal studies. Host organisations will include major managing contractors (Cardno Emerging Markets, Coffey), and international NGOs such as the World Agroforestry Centre.

Hosts' obligations

ACICIS asks that all host organisations:

- » Provide a mentor to supervise and advise the student;
- » Provide a suitable work space and any equipment necessary to complete tasks;
- » Provide the student with genuine and meaningful tasks, appropriate to their work experience and skill level; and
- » Provide ACICIS with a brief written or oral report on the student's performance;
- » Give ACICIS feedback on improvements to the internship program.

Host organisations are not responsible for matters relating to housing, safety, health or immigration.

They are not expected, or permitted, to provide students with any financial assistance during the placement.

Program Dates

1 May 2016

Application deadline for pilot semester

28 - 30 August 2016

Orientation

1 September 2016 - 16 January 2017

Academic Program at Bogor Agricultural University

August - January (part-time) or January - February (full-time)

Professional practicum placement at participating host organisation.

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