

DARMASISWA

SCHOLARSHIPS at ITS



ABOUT DARMASISWA

Darmasiswa is a scholarship offered to all foreigners from countries which have diplomatic relationship with Indonesia to study Indonesian language, culture, music, dance, and art. This program is organized by the Indonesian Ministry of Education and Culture (MoEC) in cooperation with the Indonesian Ministry of Foreign Affairs (MoFA)

Every year there are more than 860 scholarships provided. The Darmasiswa program is essentially a "non-degree" program which has two different types based on the length of stay in Indonesia:

- 6 months (September - February)
- 12 months (September - July/August)

For detailed information, please visit :

<http://darmasiswa.kemdikbud.go.id>

ABOUT ITS

Since 2013, the government has appointed ITS as one of the host universities to organize Darmasiswa program.

Compared to the normal program, ITS provides unique experiences as participants can also do research and involve in courses/learning activities in ITS.

ITS is one of the best technological universities in Indonesia, which is located at Eastern Surabaya. it consists of 6 faculties offering courses and research in science and technologies. Currently ITS has more than 21,000 students. Not only provide advantages for both excellent scientific and pleasant natural environment, ITS also provides a very friendly atmosphere and enormous community spirit.



STUDENTS SAYS

I came to Indonesia because I'm interested in learning about wayang. I really enjoy learning Bahasa Indonesia but it's hard to pronounce some of the words. The ITS campus is very big and green, and I like the effort ITS puts in to make campus more eco-friendly. The students are friendly and the International Office is very helpful. In the future, I think it would be good to see more events for international students and volunteer programs with local community.



Abigail Gascoyne

Darmasiswa student from England (2013)

I still remember when I came to Surabaya for the first time year and join Darmasiswa program for 2014, during ten month approximately. It was really very nice experience for me because it helped me to learn all about Indonesian culture and about other cultures by meeting other people from different countries. During the program of Darmasiswa I became able to speak Indonesian language and communicate with all people in here. Also, after joining Darmasiswa, I could travel around Indonesia and discover wonderful places like volcanos, temples, and many more. And that's why, I register for master scholarship (KNB) because it really pushed me to know more about this country.



Mehdi Lassoued

Darmasiswa Student from Tunisia (2014)

I have been appointed to ITS and Surabaya by Darmasiswa program. Regarding ITS itself it is very green campus which pays a lot of attention to this issue, so it makes me happy. Regarding the way of teaching, I am happy with our lecturers which are professional not only in language but also explaining cultural things. Cultural activities are well managed at ITS. It is also a chance for me to improve my experiences and skills such as getting to a new language and culture.



Andrius Sarcevicius

Darmasiswa student from Lithuania (2015)

Currently I'm joining Darmasiswa program. I'm very happy because I can learn Indonesian language and culture. But not only just learning traditional dance and music, but I also can learn about how Indonesian people live. Although there are many things that shocked me at first because of the difference culture between our countries, I feel very happy to meet and be friends with Indonesian people. And thanks to ITS International Office because they always help us so we can live here comfortably. Just like us, I hope that there will be more people interested to learn about Indonesia.



Asami Nagata

Darmasiswa student from Japan (2015)

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