



Flexible Language Immersion in Indonesia



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LEARN ABOUT ONE OF AUSTRALIA'S MOST IMPORTANT NEIGHBOURS

Immerse yourself in Indonesian language and culture

About the Program

Students who study in Indonesia with ACICIS normally spend their first semester at Universitas Gadjah Mada (UGM) in Yogyakarta. The program at UGM allows students to choose a mix of Indonesian language and other regular curriculum subjects in accordance with their language ability and interests. A placement test at UGM combined with assistance from the ACICIS staff in Yoga will guide students in their choice of subjects.

About the University

Located in Yogyakarta, Central Java, UGM was established in 1946 during the national revolution and is one of Indonesia's premier tertiary institutions. UGM has rich international connections and years of experience in providing language study programs for foreign students.

What is offered?

- » Pre-departure readings to help orientate and acculturate participants;
- » Indonesian study visa processing;
- » 3-day orientation program;
- » In-country student support with five full-time staff based in Indonesia;
- » Personal tutor for the semester; and
- » A range of extra curricular activities.



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Development Studies Practicum in Indonesia



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UNDERTAKE A SIX WEEK INTERNSHIP WITH A COMMUNITY DEVELOPMENT ORGANISATION IN INDONESIA

*Study in Indonesia and **gain credit** towards your degree*

About the Program

This six-week innovative 'hands-on' summer program in Indonesia's capital, Jakarta is designed for students of development studies. This practicum allows participants to gain valuable experience working in the field of international development.

Students will be given the unique opportunity to learn about development issues in a country that, with tens of millions of disadvantaged people and large endowments of natural resources, is central to global efforts to reduce poverty and promote sustainable development. Exposure to the Indonesian language and culture enriches the overall experience.

What is involved?

- » 2 weeks of intensive Indonesian language classes (morning);
- » 2 weeks of English language lectures (afternoon) by experts on Indonesian development issues; and
- » A 4-week supervised internship to give students an English-speaking 'headquarters experience', with local and international NGOs.

The internship enables students to engage with community development issues in Indonesia while also gaining important practical skills related to advocacy, administration, program coordination, fund-raising and policy-making for development.



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Study Islam in Indonesia



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STUDY AT AN ISLAMIC UNIVERSITY IN THE WORLD'S MOST POPULOUS MUSLIM NATION

*Specialise in Islamic Business, Islamic Law or Islamic Society
and sign up for an internship with a local organisation*

About the Program

ACICIS offers a semester-long program on Islamic Studies. Subjects are taught in English at Universitas Islam Indonesia (UII) in Yogyakarta, Central Java. No prior knowledge of Indonesian is required and everyone is welcome to apply.

Universitas Islam Indonesia (UII)

UII is a progressive centre for Islamic research with modern facilities. Islamic values and customs shape the daily lives of the majority of UII students but the atmosphere is very open and welcoming to people from all countries, cultures and religions.

What is involved?

- » 3-day live-in orientation program;
- » Full-time support from ACICIS in-country staff;
- » The option to specialise in Islamic Law, Islamic Business, or Islamic Society;
- » An English-speaking tutor from UII;
- » The opportunity to study Indonesian and/or Arabic language; and
- » An internship at a local organisation.

The internship is taken alongside other subjects and will provide students with valuable international and professional experience. The program will enhance students' understanding of Islam and the challenges of living and working in a developing economy.

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International Relations in Indonesia



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STUDY FOR A SEMESTER IN WEST JAVA AT PARAHYANGAN UNIVERSITY

*Immerse yourself into Indonesian life and open your mind
to the many wonders of this rich and diverse nation*

About the Program

The International Relations Program (IRP) at Parahyangan University in Bandung, West Java, is widely regarded as the best in the country. Its lecturers, who hold doctoral degrees from Australia, Europe and the United States as well as Indonesia, are highly qualified and experienced as both teachers and researchers.

Students undertaking the IRP through ACICIS will gain an Asian perspective on the world and its affairs whilst developing critical analytical skills. The IRP is offered to both Indonesian and international students, thus facilitating cross-cultural academic and social exchange.

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What is involved?

- » 2-day orientation program;
- » pre-departure readings to help orientate participants;
- » classes limited to thirty students to ensure high academic standards;
- » Certificate of Achievement and formal academic transcript in International Relations on successful completion of the semester.

The IRP will use English as the medium of instruction and therefore offers a unique opportunity for non-Indonesian speakers to study in-country.



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Indonesian Language Teacher Immersion Short Course



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UPGRADE YOUR INDONESIAN LANGUAGE TEACHER SKILLS

Undertake a **three week** short course in Indonesia

About the Program

This three week in-country short course will encourage flexible approaches to the teaching of the Indonesian language. Participants are provided with a greater understanding of unfamiliar linguistic, cultural and political environments, plus the opportunity to learn and practice innovative methods of language teaching.

Universitas Sanata Dharma (USD)

Located in Yogyakarta, USD is a well-equipped, modern university which has a language learning centre and a well-established teacher training and education faculty. The faculty Dean was educated in Australia (MA La Trobe, PhD Melbourne), and is intimately aware of the requirements of the Australian education system.

What is included?

- » Intensive Indonesian language classes;
- » Out-of-class language activities;
- » Methodology and materials development studies;
- » A student reflective eJournal; and
- » School visits and field trips.

Who can Apply?

Anyone can apply, however this course is designed for in-service teachers - those who are already in the workforce and wish to upgrade their skills or move into a new and different area of teaching. Participants may enter the program with any level of ability in the Indonesian language.



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Journalism Practicum in Indonesia



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SPEND SIX WEEKS UNDERTAKING A MEDIA INTERNSHIP IN BUSTLING JAKARTA

Interested in being a foreign correspondent?

About the Program

Spend six weeks in the bustling metropolis of Jakarta, learning about the country and its thriving media industry.

The Journalism Practicum Program (JPP) is designed to provide students of journalism, media and communication studies, as well as cadet journalists, with the opportunity to live and work in Jakarta's diverse and dynamic media scene. Students will deepen their understanding of Indonesia whilst developing their journalism skills within an international media environment.

Each year the program is overseen by a high-calibre journalist with extensive experience of the the Indonesian media.

What is involved?

- » 2 weeks of intensive Indonesian language classes (morning);
- » 2 weeks of workshops and presentations by industry representatives on Indonesian history, politics, and media (afternoon);
- » A series of field trips; and
- » A 4-week industry placement at an English language media organisation, learning the ropes and working alongside seasoned Indonesian reporters and international correspondents.

The program runs from 30 December until mid-February each year.



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Development Studies Immersion in Indonesia



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GAIN PRACTICAL EXPERIENCE IN THE DEVELOPMENT STUDIES FIELD

Spend a **semester** undertaking an internship in Indonesia for **academic credit** towards your degree.

About the Program

A semester-long program based in Yogyakarta, Central Java, this program is designed for students of development studies. The program allows participants to gain valuable experience working in the field of international development.

Students will have the opportunity to engage with community development issues in Indonesia while also gaining important practical skills related to advocacy, administration, program coordination, fund-raising and development policy-making. Exposure to the Indonesian language and culture enriches the overall experience.

What is involved?

- » Intensive Indonesian language classes, aimed at intermediate functionality;
- » English language lectures by international experts in the field of development studies;
- » A 2-month supervised and assessed practicum at a 'frontline' local community development NGO; and
- » A final academic, assessed report in English by the student.



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Study the Arts in Indonesia



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STUDY AT INDONESIA'S PREMIERE VISUAL & PERFORMING ARTS INSTITUTION

*Unleash your creativity in with a **semester** in Indonesia*

Institut Seni Indonesia (ISI)

ISI is one of the finest and most respected schools for the arts in Indonesia. ISI has 250 lecturers for 2,500 students and hosts an average of 25 foreign students per year. The campus is located in Bantul, six kilometres south of central Yogyakarta.

Who can apply?

The Indonesian Arts Study Program is available as a **second semester option** for ACICIS students who have already completed one semester at Gadjah Mada University (UGM). Students interested in learning more about the arts in Indonesia are encouraged to apply. Past participants have included students, teachers, performers and private individuals.

About the Program

There are three faculties at ISI: Performing Arts, Visual Arts, and Media. Students can take courses offered by any of these three faculties. Past students have studied Javanese gamelan and shadow puppetry, dance, traditional and contemporary theatre, sculpture, ceramics, photography, graphic design, and many other subjects.

Australian students undertaking study abroad with ACICIS, in most cases, will be eligible to have their studies in Indonesia credited towards their degree at their home university.



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Indonesian Language Teacher Immersion Semester



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SPEND A SEMESTER IN INDONESIA TO GAIN LINGUISTIC & CLASSROOM COMPETENCE

Would you like to be an Indonesian language teacher?

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- » Intensive Indonesian language classes;
- » A teaching methodology course;
- » Materials development;
- » An Indonesian school placement;
- » A student reflective eJournal.

Who can Apply?

Anyone can apply, however this course is designed for pre-service teachers - those who are currently undertaking their BEd degree, and have not yet started teaching. Participants may enter the program with any level of ability in the Indonesian language.

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