

Improving the Quality of Human Resources
PETROKIMIA GRESIK WELCOMED 28 CERTIFIED INTERNSHIP STUDENTS

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PT Petrokimia Gresik (PG), a member of PT Pupuk Indonesia (Persero) Holding Company, again welcomed students Certified Student Internship Program (PMMB). As many as 28 students from 11 State/Private Universities in Indonesia will follow the second wave of PMMB, this year at PG.

PG President Director Rahmad Pribadi explained that this was a form of PG's support for government programmes to improve human resources competitiveness through certification to make their skills synchronize with competency standards and publicly recognized, especially during jobs.

"There are 142 SOEs participating in this program, one of those is Petrokimia Gresik. This is a synergy program initiated by Ministry of BUMN and supported by Indonesian Human Capital Forum", Rahmad said.

Technically, PMMB participants will take part in an internship at PG for six months, from August 2019 to January 2020. They come from eleven colleges, which are Malang State University, Banyuwangi State Polytechnic, Sidoarjo Muhammadiyah University, Hang Tuah University, Malang Muhammadiyah University, Semen Indonesia International University, Institut Teknologi Sepuluh November (ITS), UPN Veteran East Java, Widyagama University, Jember University, and Wijaya Putra University.

Previously, in the first wave or January-July 2019 period, PG had accepted as many as 13 students from Bogor Agricultural University (IPB). Totally, there are 41 students who followed this PMMB at PG.

"They get developed in field practices and the opportunity to apply theories they obtained during lectures. In the final stage, participants will take a competency test before proceeding to the certification process conducted by National Professional Certification Bureau or Company/Industry", detailed Rahmad.

Rahmad further revealed that the facilities at PG are very qualified to support the certified internship students. Especially related to education and training in the field of Chemical Industry, PG facilities are one of the best in Indonesia. Even several companies are studying to PG related to the application of internship curriculum.

Meanwhile, PMMB also complements other PG programmes aimed to improve labour competitiveness in Indonesia. Among others is Skills Training Workshop (Lolapil) which is a 6 month training program for high school/vocational/equivalent graduates to learn several competencies at PG. Also, the link and match of Industrial Vocational Education Industry, a collaboration between PG and ATI Makassar Polytechnic, which is a program of Ministry of Industry. This program upgrades Lolapil to a programme equivalent to Diploma I for Industrial Chemistry.

"This program is very much in line with the company's determination to become a fertilizer and producer of chemicals who is able to provide agroindustry solutions, especially by providing skilled, competent, and certified labours to improve Indonesia workforces' competitiveness", concluded Rahmad.



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