Plenary - Closing

Reflections on the day

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Moderator: Damian Ross, Director English for Education System.

Damien reviews today’s agenda and called Tim, the moderator of two sessions.

Tim: we bring people together. We talked about different approach and methodology. We were listening to Mooc. We focused in approach and activities in ISI Jogjakarta and Binus Jakarta.

Second season, we talked about overseas scholarship. Theresa highlight on Dikti scholarship and 70 Chevening scholarship, newton fund that covers match funding scheme for research and project and Professional development on that program. We make time and look at that as useful program.

Talking about scholars, we have Shanty, Hornby scholar in Warrick University who talked about usefull learning and about experience of study in other country. We learned about how to build curriculum in English education around skilled Skill required and internalizing learner by practice, and also understanding Indonesian learner.

There were really two interesting session today. Thank you very much

Damien represent Tim, and highlight activities of British Council. We open in Medan in June last year, beside Jakarta and Surabaya. It will be exiting.

Damien called participant from Jambi to give reflection.

Participant from Jambi express the appreciation to the program. It is interesting moment to enriching knowledge and experience. It is also good reunion, I met friends that I have not seen for a long time. We were surprised to see each other. I remember 15 years ago Jambi received volunteers from British Council. As we heard in the plenary, we need translator to help lecturer and university, so that we can publish articles and for other proposes. We are looking forward to make it happen. I think everybody agree about common policy in the class room. Dikti have to hear about this.

We still need English to be used in university for lecturer and student to encourage to read and write, to give reasonable argument, we encourage them to use English as much as possible. Thank you for British council support.

Damien called Winda who moderated session of English for academic purposes, who studied in master of education.
Winda explain the sessions. I am now student, so I see the session with my perspective. I learn about academic writing, and what I have to learn n focus. I am talking as student not as moderator, so many resources that we can use especially online one. Morning issues in universities was quite concerning, how to help student to improve index mention. It is important to support student and lectures. Everything I heard is important and useful, thank you

Damien calls Nguyen Tien Zung

Nguyen : I was invited as a guest speaker find myself listener. I enjoyed discussion and exchanges, with lots of useful things, I will go back home and share it to colleagues, about how things going on in Indonesia. Thank you for this opportunity.

Damien ; just close up, I really hope that it is change of colleagues meet and notice which universities and institutes going well and learn from it. In May and June, we will have another speak about high education and English. Today it is very useful for me. Please contact me through our email and website. UK universities should know about condition of English in high education in Indonesia

Thank you British Council team, who is working really hard, small team with a lot of work,

Thank you all of the speakers, we had really good session with a lot of passions, I worried this morning that you will all agreed it is good that you don’t agree about everything, so that we had good discussion, and share opinion.

The next step, we try to do, localize meeting bring this regionally, and the build national consensus to make proposal together to Dikti, thank you very much to all of you.

Winda : thank you for coming, and share information on certificate and materials.