

EXCHANGE PROGRAM REPORT:



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Description of the Exchange Program

This report was created to describe the exchange experience at Asia University, Taiwan. This program was a valuable opportunity for me to understand culture, education, and daily life and also provided an opportunity to attend lectures as well as participate in campus activities.

Academic Experience

While at Asia University, I attended various courses in the field of Finance, where the major I took at the University of Muhammadiyah Yogyakarta was different from the major I took at Asia University, Taiwan. The experience of studying at this university is invaluable, as lecturers have a deep understanding of their field and use interactive teaching methods. I can also interact with local and international students, discuss academic topics, and share different perspectives.

Non-Academic Activities

Apart from the academic aspect, I also participated in various extracurricular activities held by the university. I participated in discussion groups and visits to important cultural places in Taiwan. It gave me a deeper understanding of Taiwanese culture, history, and society. Then I also studied in Chinese class which became the daily language of Taiwanese people.

Challenges and Learning

Of course, the exchange experience does not come without challenges. One of them is adjustment to different lifestyles and languages. Although there were some communication barriers at first, over time, I felt more comfortable speaking and interacting in English and many also used Chinese as much as I could to interact such as shopping with sellers in Taiwan. This experience taught me about the importance of flexibility, patience, and curiosity in facing new challenges.

Description

The exchange experience at Asia University has given me invaluable new insights in academia and culture. I have a better understanding of Taiwan's education system, as well as valuable international connections and friendships. I believe that this experience will have a positive impact on my personal and professional development in the future.



Students are given a chance to explain their home university's history, academic offerings, research accomplishments, and prominent alumni. It acts as a showcase for each institution's strengths and accomplishments, fostering academic collaborations and potential partnerships



Attended a meeting with lecturers from the University of Muhammadiyah Yogyakarta and lecturers from Asia University For Renewed MOU Signing and others Academic Collaboration.



Join and take Chinese language classes to improve language skills and learn about the culture in Taiwan.



Participate in iftar activities together in Ramadan with Muslim students at Asia University.



Celebrating Eid al-Fitr together with all Muslim families at Asia University



Participate in Non-Academic activities such as badminton together with Taiwanese Students.



Visit historical places in Taiwan, precisely *Fo Guang Shan Buddha Museum*.

Conclusion

An exchange at Asia University, Taiwan, was an important part of my educational journey. This experience has equipped me with broader knowledge, skills, and perspectives. I thank everyone who has supported and made this experience possible.

Thus this exchange report was made to explain my experience at Asia University, Taiwan, during the Student Exchange Program Spring Semester exchange program. I hope this experience can be an inspiration for others who want to live similar experiences in the future. Thanks.