



BAHASA INDONESIA ONLINE COURSE

Embassy of the Republic of Indonesia in Washington DC
Institut Teknologi Sepuluh Nopember (ITS) Surabaya

29 May - 10 July, 2023

"Learn Bahasa Indonesia and Win Amazing Prizes!"

Two return economy tickets (USA-Indonesia) & Full Scholarship for In-country Program

About ITS Surabaya

Institut Teknologi Sepuluh Nopember (ITS) is a prominent public university located in Surabaya, Indonesia, established in 1960. We are one of the leading universities in science, technology, art, and design in Indonesia. As we rank the first in THE Impact Ranking 2021 in Indonesia, and the 64th globally, we are acknowledged as an excellent campus with Sustainable Development Goals as priority.

Our upcoming journey is a part of our commitment to build an excellent international atmosphere by actively encouraging international mobility both virtually or physically for faculty members, non-academic staff, students, even for the international general public.

Fun Bahasa Indonesia and Cultural Course Program (FBICC) at ITS

As an aspiring world-class university wishing to expand its global network, ITS has virtually launched the Fun Bahasa Indonesia and Cultural Course Program (FBICC) in 2020. This program has become a flagship program of ITS Global Engagement, accommodating global citizens who have interest in learning Indonesian language and culture. Since its launching in 2020, over 2000 participants from more than 80 countries have joined the FBICC program. Several testimonies from participants as follows:



Justin Curry (USA)

"As a beginner student in studying Bahasa Indonesia, I am proud to say that thanks to FBICC I have begun to learn this wonderful language to speak with friends in their own language rather than English. It's going to help so much when I go to visit Surabaya in the future. Thank you "



Lucas Andión Montáns (Spain)

"I joined the FBICC because I already went to Indonesia for a vacation. And I really love the culture, food and also the people. Batik is also my favorite clothes and I got a chance to make my own Batik during FBICC class. I have a lot of batik shirts from Indonesia. I really enjoy this program and I wanted to learn more about Indonesia, Surabaya, and Batik. I also really like the tutor and the class. The program gave me significant progress to understand Bahasa Indonesia. Thank you!"



Emese Eva Tury-Angyal (Hungary)

"This program is fulfilling my interest in learning the culture and language of Indonesia. I also like the activities during the class as the tutor is actively asking us to practice speaking in Bahasa Indonesia. To mark the end of the program, I went to an Indonesian restaurant in Budapest with my friend, and I got the chance to practice speaking Bahasa Indonesia with the waitress and it really shows how much I learned during the program. I hope that I can visit Surabaya soon and thank you very much for the opportunity to learn Bahasa Indonesia and its culture."



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In 2023, ITS proudly presents the Bahasa Indonesia Online Course in collaboration with the Embassy of the Republic of Indonesia in Washington DC. In line with the vision of the Embassy of the Republic of Indonesia in Washington DC, the program aims to promote Indonesian language and culture to the global world, particularly the US citizens. Designed for fun classes, participants will not only learn Indonesian language theoretically, but also practice speaking, traditional dance, and batik making interactively.

This online course is open for all age and all level of participants. However, there are additional requirements for applying the travel grant as the participants should be minimum 18 years old and already have a one-year or two-year validity passport.

Topic

The topic that will be featured in this year's program is **TRAVELING**. You will learn several sub-topics such as arranging transportation, accommodation booking, shopping, number and currency, tourism, culinary, emergency situations, and arts & culture.

Class

There will be 10 classes available during this program with 25 participants for each class. The class will be conducted in 12 meetings, twice a week. Participants may choose two preferences of class schedules below:

Day	Time
Monday and Wednesday	06.00 - 07.30 pm EST
	07.00 - 08.30 pm EST
	09.00 - 10.30 pm EST
Tuesday and Thursday	06.00 - 07.30 pm EST
	07.00 - 08.30 pm EST
	09.00 - 10.30 pm EST

Timeline

Registration Deadline : 15 May 2023
Announcement of selected participants : 20 May 2023
Program Start : 29 May 2023
Program End : 10 July 2023



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Registration

Please refer to the link to register yourself: https://its.id/FBICC_USA2023

Please note that you will need to prepare the following items to complete the registration link:

1. A Formal Photo and Scan of Passport /ID Card/Student Card
2. An Online Placement Test consisting of:
 - **Online Preliminary Bahasa Indonesia Test**
 - Link: testmoz.com/q/12670346
 - **Audio Self Recording**
 - Please record your voice while introducing yourself and explaining what you know about Indonesia with Indonesian language. Below are some topics, not limited to, which might help you:
 1. Introduce your names, origins, occupation, etc.
 2. What do you know about cities or tourism destinations in Indonesia?
 3. What do you know about Indonesian local cuisine? What is your most favorite one?
 4. What do you know about culture and tradition in Indonesia?

Max. Duration: 2 minutes

***Please be advised that applicants will be required to submit the preliminary Bahasa Indonesia test score and upload audio self recording in the registration form.**

Win Amazing Prizes!

We are pleased to inform you that we will provide prizes for 25 best participants in this program with the details below:

2 Best Selected Participants will receive:

- Economic Round Trip Ticket from **San Francisco/Los Angeles to Surabaya, Indonesia** to join CommTECH Nusantara 2023 on September 4-15, 2023 or CommTECH Nusantara 2024 in June/August.
- Program fee waived for CommTECH Nusantara with equivalent to 500 USD
Include: Program kit, field trip, accommodation for 2 weeks program, and meals.
Exclude: Fee for Adventurous Trip to Bromo Mountain 150 USD, visa, insurance, and personal needs
- Additional requirements for applying this travel grant is must be 18 years old or above and have a passport with 1-year minimum validity (for travel grant in 2023) or 2-year minimum validity (for travel grant in 2024)



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For 25 participants, we also welcome you to our CommTECH Nusantara 2023 on September 4-15, 2023 or CommTECH Nusantara 2024 in June/August with

- Program fee waived with equivalent to 500 USD
Include: Program kit, field trip, accommodation for 2 weeks program, and meals.
Exclude: International Flight Cost, Fee for Adventurous Trip to Bromo Mountain 150 USD, visa, insurance, and personal needs.

Further information:

- Fun Bahasa and Cultural Course: its.id/fbicc_2023
- CommTECH Nusantara 2023: its.id/commtech_nusantara

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***Join us, and looking forward to
welcoming you in Surabaya, Indonesia !***