The 2nd Strategic Dialogue of Education Ministers (SDEM) was conducted on 27-28 April 2016 in Bandung City, West Java, and the Ministry of Education and Culture of Indonesia served as host of the event. One of the important agenda of the event was a visit of all Ministers of Education to SEAMEO QITEP in Science (SEA-QIS) on 27th April 2016 afternoon. Located in the auditorium of PPPPTK IPA, Bandung and witnessed by all Ministers of Education in Southeast Asia, SEAMOLEC officially introduced 2 new tools to be used in supporting Open and Distance Learning (ODL). The 2 additional tools are considered as new ways to access digital learning contents.

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Assalamu’alaikum Wr. Wb.
Greetings from SEAMEO SEAMOLEC. Seamolec Info newsletter is published for you in April 2016. We are very proud and happy to share that we have celebrated SEAMOLEC’s 19th birthday on last February. Along with our young energetic spirit and full of innovation, we are ready to collaborate with many more partners. Reaching the unreachable, making the world into one world of learning is our motto in developing cooperation with as many partners in advancing education in Southeast Asia.

Visitation of SEAMOLEC team to Japan is one of our pioneer cooperation with industry and caregiver industries in that country. This apprenticeship program has two way of learning, conventional mode and on-line mode. Beside collaborate with Japan, the 1st batch of student selection for vocational scholarship to China that has been implemented. This is a second year of China and Indonesia Government collaboration in granting scholarship for vocational students.

SEAMOLEC participated in a national-scale exhibition at Rembuk Nasional 2016 held by Ministry of Education and Culture of Indonesia, and UNS Lustrum in Solo. This is some of our involvement in order to maintain a good liaison with public. It is also a moment to socialize our current and future programs.

Along with our goals to become expertise in applying ICT-based open and distance learning, SEAMOLEC also give career guidance for students by welcoming industrial visit of Vocational High School, conducting ICT training for teachers, and recently organizing HTML workshop for teachers in Myanmar. These activities have run along with digital class development trainings in several locations nationally and regionally.

We do hope that we could always bring out our best in supporting the distance learning education system throughout Southeast Asia.

Wassalamu’alaikum wr. wb
Warm Regards,

Dr. Abi Sujak, M. Sc.
Director
SIERRA, stands for SEAMOLEC Educational Resources for Remote Areas, is the device that allows students to access and learn through videos, audios, and 60,000 contents that are packed in an offline site. Students can access all contents from their own smartphones without worrying about internet connection. And the schools will no longer need to provide personal computers or computer lab and internet connection. Furthermore, the students can take exam exercises just like online examination or computer-based test using only their own smartphone.

The design of this device is very simple and easy to carry. One small device can occupy 60,000 offline contents or more than 1,000 quizzes for exam try outs.

The second tool that SEAMOLEC develop is FLIP. FLIP stands for Flexible Learning and Innovation Program. It is a Massive Open Online Course or widely known as MOOC, a platform that can be used to learn Southeast Asian Language and other special short courses for free. This platform is opened to any range of users and also created to direct users in taking professional certification. It will also provide current Open Educational Resources (OER) from all subjects. Students may start browsing courses in FLIP by accessing http://mooc.seamolec.org. Hopefully these two tools can be socialized to the schools especially those located in remote areas within our region in the near future.
Besides the launching, SEAMOLEC also participated in the exhibition of 6 Indonesian SEAMEO Centres. The exhibition displays the flagship programs of SEAMOLEC, including the Online Test (Ujian Dalam Jaringan) result that has already implemented. On this occasion, the Ministers of Education could monitor Digital Class Twinning program in the form of web based conference which was taking place in some schools in Indonesia. Some of them even interact with the students who participated in the web conference.

This method would be very useful to develop the habit of online learning in a fun process. Quoting the late Steve Jobs, it is good to always try to be in the intersection of technology and liberal arts. To be able to get the best of both; to make an advanced tools from the technology perspective but also have them be intuitive, easy to use, fun to use, so that they really fit the users. Users don’t have to come to them, they come to the users.

And that is what we in SEAMOLEC want to happen with this two innovations and what we keep continue developing in order to help the SEAMEO Member Countries to find alternative solutions in education through the effective use of open and distance learning. *Aln/Mid
SEAMOLEC, as one of SEAMEO Centre focused on Distance Learning Education celebrated its 19th birthday on 28th February. This mini celebration was held on 4th March in SEAMOLEC office building at Pondok Cabe, South Tangerang.

Being a pioneer as a center of Distance Learning Education, SEAMOLEC has a greater responsibility to execute its flagship programs through all over South East Asia countries. Stay solid, healthy and happy was one of Dr. Gatot said in his speech for all of the team. Also be ready welcoming synergic cooperation with many institutions support a better education in South East Asia.

Presented in this celebration were former Director of SEAMOLEC (1997-2001) Dr. Arief Sukadi Sadiman, M.SC., former Director of SEAMOLEC (2007-2015) Dr. Ir. Gatot H. Priowirjanto, 2nd Deputy Rector of Universitas Terbuka Dewi Artati Padmo Putri, and Director of SEAMOLEC Dr. Abi Sujak, M.Sc. and management.

A Potong Tumpeng ceremony officially opened the intimate birthday luncheon. In this occasion, SEAMOLEC also presented a souvenir exchange from Dr. Gatot as a former director to Dr. Abi as a new director of SEAMOLEC.

Dr. Arief Sukadi Sadiman, M.SC., former Director of SEAMOLEC attended the celebration

SEAMOLEC staff members and guests were in group photos
SEAMOLEC officially launched the caregiver and industry apprenticeship on Monday, January 18th 2016. Attended in this launching ceremony were Head of Education District of South Sumatera Province, 2 Deputies of Rector of Universitas Internasional Batam, Director of Akper Kerta Cendekia Sidoarjo, Director of Amik Wahana Mandiri, Director of Academy of Nursing Bojonegoro, Vice Head of SAHID Tourism School Jakarta, Head of Vocational High School of Health Global Cendekia, Advisor of Yayasan Global Cendekia Indonesia, Head of International Office of Politeknik Harapan Bersama Tegal, Head of Vocational High School 1 Pogalan, and Vice Principal of Vocational High School 1 Wonosari.

Also attended in this event, on behalf of SEAMOLEC, were Director of SEA-MOLEC, Dr. Abi Sujak, and his 2 Deputies; Dr. AB Susanto and Mr. IthVuthy. Meanwhile, Human Mandiri Indonesia was represented by the presence of Mr.Tanaka Tasumi, the Deputy Director. This event also attended by participants of the program.

The first batch and ongoing caregiver and industry apprenticeship program is participated by 24 students from all over Indonesia. They are granted with Japanese language and skill training for 6 months. The training is held at SEAMOLEC through online and face-to-face mode.

This program has been started since January 2016. Every participants of caregiver program should at least hold a grade from Vocational High School of Health. While for industry apprenticeship program should be graduated from Vocational High School (any major) and will be granted by language training for 3 months at SEAMOLEC. For further information, please contact SEAMOLEC officers; Lala (lala@seamolec.org), Aji(aji@seamolec.org), or Nica(nica@seamolec.org). *Nic/Mid
Building School Leaders’ Capability along with the 21st Century Competences

Southeast Asian Ministers of Education Organization (SEAMEO) in collaboration with Her Royal Highness (HRH) Princess IT Foundation of Thailand organized a seminar named Islamic School Leaders for the 21st Century. The event was conducted on March 16-18, 2016 at Hansa JB Hotel, Hat Yai, Songkhla, Thailand. This seminar was participated by 22 participants from 5 Indonesian schools and 15 Islamic schools under HRH Princess Sirindhorn project.

The objectives of the program were to assist the school leaders to gain systematic thinking process that is relevant to the 21st Century context, to exchange practices using ICT (digital classroom) and to share experiences among Islamic schools under HRH Princess Sirindhorn project with Indonesian Schools. Dr. Gatot Hari Priowirjanto, Director of SEAMEO Secretariat (SEAMES) delivered his interesting presentation about Being the 21st Century Leader. SEAMES has been implementing one of the SEAMEO’s Seven Priorities, which is adopting a truly 21st century curriculum. The relationship between leadership and Islam cannot be separated. According to him, in this current technology trends, it is necessary to build a 21st Century mental leader based on Islamic pillars.
Mr. Triyogo Jatmiko, Consul of Consulate of Indonesian Embassy for Songkhla also shared the presentation about Sharing Experiences in Coordinating Islamic Schools in Indonesia and Thailand. “Indonesian schools were very active in building cooperation with schools in South Thailand. It was proven by the signing of MoUs between schools in Indonesia and South Thailand,” he said.

The Workshop on Strategic Thinking as a School Leader was led by Dr. Tinsiri, the Deputy Director of SEAMES. She gave 4 Key Questions that should be discussed by the participants. She divided participants into 4 groups based on their level. The discussion became more interesting when Dr. Tinsiri gave Key Element Strategies and shared how to think strategically about another way of formulating the Four Key Questions for Educators.

In the second day, Ms. Anti Rismayanti, as SEAMEO’s representative, delivered SEAMEO SEAMOLEC Best Practices of Digital Class in 21st Century. Anti also showed a practice of Video Conference using WebEx and directly connected the seminar to Indonesian schools to communicate online.

The participants had a chance to visit Suwanwong School in Hat Yai. Suwanwong School’s students have got many achievements in Math, Science, English and Sport Competition. Participants gained a valuable experience and could totally explore their potential leadership combined with the 21st century competences. At the end, each group signed the agreement and Action Plan that will be continuously followed up. *Elv/Mid
Teachers and educators have a high interest in ICT-based Training, but many of them found it difficult to have opportunity for in-person training. Looking on that condition, SEAMOLEC initiates to develop an online training program on Virtual Classroom Management. This 1st batch of training was held on March 11 to April 6, 2016, and was participated by 130 teachers all over Indonesia.

SEAMOLEC as a SEAMEO Center for Open and Distance Learning in Southeast Asia always develops innovation in educational programs, particularly in Information and Communication Technology (ICT) utilization in the learning process. The development of these programs goes hand in hand with the implementation of ICT-based Training. The training is usually conducted face to face at the regional and provincial levels in Indonesia and Southeast Asian Countries.

The online training was conducted in a comprehensive, practical, and free of charge for all participants. It is designed to not interfere with participants’ activities at schools, also not constrained by distance, space, and time.

“This kind of training inspires teachers and educational personnels in welcoming opportunities of massive and inexpensive professional development, self-development, and also a growth mindset personnel as learners” said Dr. Abi Sujak, Director of SEAMOLEC.
This training will be held in 8 sessions within 4 weeks using an internet connection to access information and training materials. Training materials delivered by instructors through video conference using Cisco WebEx apps and Edmodo platform. Mentoring process was running in a WhatsApp group, so instructors and participants could have interaction everyday.

“Before joining this online training, I knew nothing about Video Conference and Virtual Class, but now I could implement the training material in my school’s activities, my students did online test I made on Virtual Class. We enjoyed the process,” said Ms Hidayati a teacher of SMPN 1 Mojogedang in Central Java. Participants, who have successfully completed the online training and passed the test, will receive certificate from SEAMOLEC.

SEAMOLEC has already prepared for the next batch registration of Online Training for Indonesia and Southeast Asian Countries starting March 22 to April 13, 2016 through www.seamolec.organd www.pelatihankelasmaya.wordpress.com. On April 12th2016 the number of registered participants has reached more than 3,000 people. *Ddn/Elv/Mid
New Initiative: Cooperation with Industry and Healthcare Academy Japan

On 6th to 11th March 2016, SEAMOLEC’s representatives along with Indonesian high schools, universities, and also industry and healthcare academies visited Tokyo, Japan in order to do piloting cooperation. Deputy Director of SEAMOLEC, Dr.rer.nat. AB Susanto, M.Sc stated that the main goal of this visit is to create internship opportunities for High School, Vocational High School, and Diploma’s graduates, especially for industry and healthcare institutions in Japan.

Dr. AB Susanto hope that this cooperation will be beneficial to many students in Indonesia and other Southeast Asian countries who are willing to continue their education or join an internship in Japan. In this pilot project, SEAMOLEC collaborates with Human Mandiri Indonesia.

Another agenda of this visit is to discuss about the opportunities of scholarship for Indonesian students along with a chance to join an internship in caregiver and industry businesses. During the visit, there were signing of Letter of Intent (LoI) between SEAMOLEC and several educational institutions in Japan namely Human Academy Tokyo, Human Life Care, Asia-Africa Culture Foundation, and Shizuoka University.
Indonesian representatives who joined this visit were coming from Vocational High School 1 Bongas Indramayu, Vocational High School 2 Boyolangu, Vocational High School 1 Patrol Indramayu, Vocational High School 6 Malang, Vocational High School 3 Malang, Vocational High School 12 Malang, Alfa Centauri High School Bandung, Vocational High School 1 Wonosari, Madiun District, Vocational High School 2 Jiwan Madiun, Vocational High School 1 Cikedung Indramayu, Polytechnic Pkisi Ganesha Bandung, University of Brawijaya Malang, Polytechnic of Health TNI AU Bandung, High School of Health Science Bethesda Yakkum, and also SEAMOLEC.
On 21st to 23rd February, six SEAMEO Centers participated on Rembuk Nasional Pendidikan dan Kebudayaan (RNPK) 2016, a national-scale gathering of education and culture stakeholders and policy makers in Indonesia. All centers were being involved in the exhibition located in The Education and Training Center of Ministry of Education and Culture of Indonesia in Sawangan, Bogor, West Java. This exhibition was officially opened by The Minister of Education and Culture, Mr. Anies Baswedan.

The six centers namely SEAMEO BIOTROP, SEAMEO QITEP in Language, SEAMEO QITEP in Mathematic, SEAMEO QITEP in Science, SEAMEO RECFON, and SEAMEO SEAMOLEC have prepared to promote their highlights and flagship programs in RNPK 2016. The event was attended by over than thousands of 1st and 2nd level echelon of government officers from Ministry of Education and Culture (MOEC) of all districts and provinces in Indonesia.
Every visitor in SEAMOLEC’s stand had a chance to become a student in digital class simulation after they signed up in Edmodo website. It was aimed that they could experience presenting a learning process in digital class. Digital class is one of SEAMOLEC flagship program supported by distance learning system. In this event, SEAMOLEC also launched a book entitled Digital Class di Indonesia and translation of Edmodo website into Indonesian language. This was a synergy between SEAMOLEC translator team and Edmodo. In addition, there was a Memorandum of Understanding (MoU) signed between SEAMOLEC and Representative of MOEC of Puncak District in Papua Province for joining digital class training program in Puncak district.

RNPK 2016 with the theme of “Enhancing Public Involvement in Developing Educational & Cultural Ecosystem in Central and Regional Areas” was also participated by MOEC stakeholders such as: Directorate General of Culture, PUSTEKKOM, Microsoft, UNESCO, Google, Ruang Guru, School of Animation “Adit Sopo Jarwo”, Language Development Centers, and many more.

The participation of the six SEAMEO Centers in this exhibition was as instructed by Minister of Education and Culture in order to promote the existence of 6 SEAMEO Centers in Indonesia. During the exhibition, all of SEAMEO Centers prepared their materials in form of leaflets and CDs explaining about their product of excellence. Remarkably, all of the participants have sufficient information about the exhibitor’s vision and mission. *Mid/Aln

Activities at SEAMOLEC’s exhibition booth
In collaboration with Yatanarpon University, Myanmar, SEAMOLEC conducted a workshop on “HTML 5 with Bootstrap for Website Development”. The workshop was participated by 33 lecturers from several universities in Yangon and Mandalay. There are 28 lecturers from Yatanarpon University, 2 lecturers from Computer University of Mandalay, 1 lecturer from Computer University of Pathein, 1 lecturer from University of Computer Studies of Yangon, and 1 lecturer from Computer University of Hinthada.

HTML5 is the future technology that enables computer browser or smartphone to render information from web page faster than the previous version of HTML. The information can be displayed very responsive, fast, and supportive to multimedia. Beside, HTML5 technology can be deployed and integrated with almost all of language programming.

This training will be beneficial to teachers who participate in order to be able to deliver the knowledge of HTML 5 to their students. In this Workshop, the participants were divided into working groups to develop their own prototype or simple application using HTML 5. *Riz/Mid/Aln

Participants were actively following the training
SEAMOLEC Took A Part in UNS Lustrum

Commemorating its 40th anniversary and its 8th lustrum, Universitas Sebelas Maret (UNS) of Surakarta, held an exhibition entitled UNStopable Exhibition and Performance in the Atrium of The Park’s Solo Baru on March 10 to 13, 2016. SEAMOLEC took a part in this event by opening an exhibition booth.

The exhibition was officially opened by Mr. Bagus Imam Purnawanto, the Head of District Sukoharjo, representing the Regent of Sukoharjo. Prof. Dr. H. Ravik Karsidi, the Rector of UNS also conveyed his welcome remarks to all participants and guests in the opening.

The exhibition was opened on March 10th, 2016 and marked with a ‘Gong’ beating by Prof. Dr. Ir. K.H. Mohammad Nuh, DEA, the former Minister of National Education of Republic Indonesia. Procession started from the Best Western Hotel Solo Baru to The Park Mall, jazzed up with a variety of performers such as marching band, Solo Batik Carnival and many more.

The exhibition was participated by various educational institutions and companies, such as SEAMEO SEAMOLEC, Wijaya Karya, Green Rekadaya Accoustics, TME System and Norsonic, Mobil Listrik Nasional, Pusat Jalan dan Jembatan (Pusjatan) or PT. Inti, Badan Tenaga Nuklir Nasional (BATAN), and Badan Standarisasi Nasional (BSN), also all of the faculties and Student Activity Unites from UNS.

*Ans/Mid
SEAMOLEC had received industrial visit from Citra Negara Vocational High School (SMK), Depok on 15th-16th March. 54 students from Multimedia major and 55 students from Computer Network Engineering major participated in the visit. They had officially welcomed by Director of SEAMOLEC, Dr. Abi Sujak, M.Sc.

The students were attending a class to get explanations about subjects related with fields they learn at school. SEAMOLEC team presented web development and android application development, IT network management, SEAMOLEC profile, Fiber Optic Utilization and also opportunity to access free online courses all around the globe which was introduced by Dr. Abi.
After attending the class, students had a chance to observe SEAMOLEC activities especially tour of mini studio which proceed and broadcast multimedia programs. They also could see how to manage IT network at the server chamber.

Before the visit ended, to support their field of study, students of Citra Negara had an opportunity to bring books home from SEAMOLEC library. The good news is the students could take as many books as they like, because all are free! *Mid/Aln
The 2nd Phase Diagnostic Test in Timor Leste

The 2nd Phase Diagnostic Test was conducted by SEAMOLEC, SEAMEO QITEP in Mathematics, and SEAMEO QITEP in Science at the senior high school Escola 4 de Setembro and vocational high school Escola Sao Miguel, Dili, Timor Leste on March 22nd to 23rd, 2016. There were 30 students in every school as participants of the test who showed enthusiasm in doing the diagnostic test, even though they seem unfamiliar with this digital test. SEAMEO is trying to disseminate this way of learning by adopting 21st century curriculum in Indonesia and other countries in Southeast Asia.

The principals in both schools; Mr. Alberto da Costa Braz, Mr. Anselmo da Costa Pereira, and Mr. MatiasBorromeo said that the diagnostic test were very helpful. Nowadays, people in Timor Leste used Tetun as their daily language. Most of them speak and understand Bahasa Indonesia but Tetun is their mother tongue and it is common to do the test in Tetun.
There was also a chance of meeting with the Director General for Basic Education, Director National for Partnership and Cooperation and staffs from Ministry of Education (MoE) Timor Lestewhich was very fruitful. Dr. Indrajani from SEAMEO QITEP in Science conveyed that the new era of learning should be adapted by Timor Leste Education System.

The P21 Framework represents both 21st century student outcomes (as illustrated by the arches of the rainbow) and support systems (as illustrated by the pools at the bottom). While the graphic represents each element distinctly for descriptive purposes, P21 views all the components as fully interconnected in the process of 21st century teaching and learning.

Timor Leste is now focusing on how to enhance the competency of their students and find the suitable standard in order to be able to compete with other countries in gaining a good job in Southeast Asian countries. *Nov/Mid

*Handing souvenir from SEAMOLEC to Director General for Policy of Planning, MoE Timor Leste*
Cooperation between China Government and the Ministry of Education and Culture (MoEC) of Republic Indonesia for Scholarship program has entered its second year. SEAMOLEC has conducted various programs related to international student mobility which is one of significant effort in increasing quality of Indonesian manpower towards ASEAN Economic Community 2015. During 2014-2015, there were total 252 Indonesian students got scholarships to China.

In the beginning of 2016, SEAMOLEC collaborates with SEAMEO Secretariat (SEAMES) and Directorate of Technical and Vocational Education (Dit. PSMK), MoEC has developed an online selection for China's admission scholarship program for graduates of High Schools (SMA), Vocational High Schools (SMK), and Islamic High Schools (MA). This year’s target is channeling the graduates into 3 provinces in China: Jiangsu, Shicuan, and Guizhou. These provinces have more than 200 majors from 30 colleges and universities that have already established partnership with SEAMES and SEAMOLEC. This scholarship program is issued solely under approval of China’s Government through colleges and universities in those provinces.
Socialization of this program has been done through online and offline publication. For online channel, the committee is using Whatsapp application. Collaboration within Whatsapp group has brought a positive and massive impact in spreading the information throughout Indonesia. Supported by schools’ internet connection, candidates could take the selection tests online in a relatively brief time, so they could participate the scholarship enrolments.

Every school that enrolls their students to the scholarship has an obligation to sign Memorandum of Agreement (MOA) with SEAMOLEC as mutual agreement to support this program. Students’ enrollment has been done through the participating schools, by filling a form prepared by SEAMOLEC team. Schools that are appointed as coordinators have to meet the minimum quota of 25 students and a maximum quota of 100 students per year to participate in the program. In addition, the area coordinator will become a facilitator for schools around them during the tests, especially if they do not have Wi-fi networks or adequate computer labs.

This online selection test program will be divided into 4 batches which will be executed from March to June 2016, and will use Edmodo as a main platform. So it is possible for participants to take the test simultaneously at the specified date and time throughout Indonesia. The test materials will consist of general knowledge and interview about passion and talents.

First batch selection test was conducted on March 20th 2016. There were 325 enrollments from 16 schools. 216 students among them have completed all requirements, while the rest will be included in the second batch if the students are ready for re-test and already completed the requirements. *Zul/Mid
SEAMOLEC Shared Free Internet Access for Society as CSR

Realizing the importance of internet role upon quality of education, starting on January 2016 SEAMOLEC as an organization concerning in online distance learning in Southeast Asia has given free internet access for community living in Pondok Cabe, South Tangerang that is available from 6pm to 8am. According to Deputy Director for Administration of SEAMOLEC this program is a part of SEAMOLEC plan in developing Kampung Internet ASEAN +3.

This program is parallel with SEAMOLEC mission as an expertise in open distance learning, also as its Corporate Social Responsibility contribution to society. It is hoped that people get used to utilize internet as an easy, cheap, and effective learning source. In the future SEAMOLEC will develop hotspot system in ordering internet using is more right on target.

Along with this system, SEAMOLEC hope people could access learning content, e-learning, and information provided without have to connect to the internet, so that the process could go faster. For now, internet access could be accessed within a radius of 3 kilometer from SEAMOLEC building. The speed ranges from 2 Mbps to 10 Mbps. It depends on the signal’s strength.

People who want to get this access, only need to signing up to the PIC for each area to get the SEAMOLEC Wi-fi password. Then, they can connect their wireless to SEAMOLEC wireless with the password given.

In one area, where located in Jalan Talas V RT 4 RW 9, there are 30 users ID that have already registered. Some of the users are students. This number will continue to grow, along with the positive enthusiasm of the community.

People in Pondok Cabe feel so happy and find it helpful with this free internet access. They hope this program will run continuously support their children’s learning process at home. *Bet/Mid
Who is Who?

Name: Rindriana Martasari Putri
Position: IT Network Officer
Educational Background: Bachelor Degree of Computer and Network Engineering

Rindri is a new staff member of SEAMOLEC in IT Network Division since January 2016. Her job is mostly associated with the network aspects. With background in Computer and Networking Engineering, she wants to contribute and implement her knowledge to maintain and develop SEAMOLEC network.

After graduated from Vocational High School 1 Surabaya, she received scholarship from SEAMOLEC to study Diploma-3 Degree at AMIK Wahana Mandiri in 2011 and Diploma-4 Degree at Bandung Institute of Technology in 2013, majored in Computer and Network Engineering.

Since June 2011 until December 2015, she took an internship program at SEAMOLEC in Public Relation and Marketing Division. She was assigned to do publication layout, documentation (photography and videography), updating SEAMOLEC promotion and publication, assisting the development program of SEAMOLEC Multi Studio (SMS), Digital Simulation, Digital Class, and other programs.

Currently, Rindri is joining the MOOC (Massive Open Online Course) team to develop Flexible Learning Innovation Program in Southeast Asia, the newest program of SEAMOLEC to be launched in the coming month. Once she said, “I will give my best for SEAMOLEC, because being a part of SEAMOLEC is an honour for me. I am very happy to have an opportunity to work at SEAMOLEC, I have a lot of experiences and knowledge about development of ICT in Open and Distance Education here.” *Rin/Aln
Zahrani Balqis, or well-known as Sani, finds teaching and sharing as her passion. Having graduated from Universitas Gadjah Mada for her Bachelor degree in Korean Language, Sani started her first career as a teacher. Her first teaching experience was back in 2011, when she was a Korean language lecturer at Vocational College of Universitas Gadjah Mada. At the same time, she worked at Korean Language Department of Universitas Gadjah Mada as an assistant lecturer until 2014 and as a soft skills trainer at the same University.

During her career, Sani taught students happily and gave much loves to them as well. She built interpersonal communication with them since she believed that being a teacher is not only about teaching, but also about caring. Thus, she helped students to be a better person.

Beside being a Korean language Teacher, Sani was a Bahasa Indonesia Teacher as well. A year after graduated, she returned to the same university to take master degree in Linguistic and learned Bahasa Indonesia more at that time. Having attained her degree in 2014, she started to teach Bahasa Indonesia to elementary, junior high school, and also high school students, then she found it was a more challenging task than teaching Korean.

Previously, Sani was posted as a Research and Development Officer at SEAMOLEC, but currently she is in charge in enhancing relationship with South Korea through Korean education institutions. She opens online Korean language course as well as to facilitate students who are willing to study in Korea. “It is interesting to work here. Lots of new things to learn. I have to learn how to arrange online course, how to provide online teaching materials, and how to do online assessment for student—since I used to teach students face-to-face,” Sani said. “San/Aln
**Who is Who?**

Name: Zul Setiawan  
Position: PRM Officer  
Educational Background: Architect

Zul Setiawan, also known as Suli, is a new comer at SEAMOLEC with architecture as his educational background. In 2015 he joined the centre in SEAMOLEC Business Unit (SBU) Division. SBU handles cooperation between SEAMOLEC and China government in granting scholarship and channeling High School students who will continue their study in China.

Born in Bandung on December 19th 1967, he worked as an architect consultant for House Planning Business. On 1997 he was a fellowship of JICA program for Indonesian businessman in Japan. A year later, he was granted a Socrates scholarship from European Union for 2 years in Federal Republic of Germany.

Contributing his expertise, he worked with General Consulate of Republic of Indonesia in Frankfurt AM Main for 8 years since the year 2000 as Protocol officer and Consular Unit. He also helped Admission Unit for tax archives, before went back to Indonesia and continuing his career as architect.

Starting this year, he is moved to SEAMOLEC Public Relations and Marketing Division and in charge for publication and exhibition, while still handling scholarship program to China. *Zul/Mid*
Digital Class Program in Indonesia