

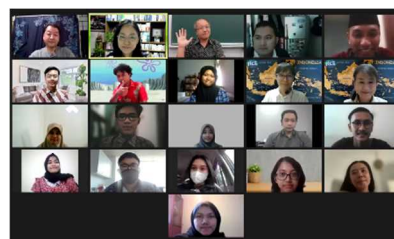
## JENESYS2021 Japan-Indonesia Online Exchange for Young Journalists Report

### 1. Program Overview

【Objective】 The main objectives of this program were: (1) to learn about Japan's reporting stance and deepen friendship with Japanese journalists through exchanges of opinions with Japanese media representatives; and (2) to deepen understanding of Japanese society, industry, and culture among these young Indonesian journalists, who are expected to play an active role as a bridge between Japan and Indonesia in the future.

【Participants】 Total: 33 young journalists and others from Indonesia

【Location】 Kyoto, Tokyo, Hokkaido






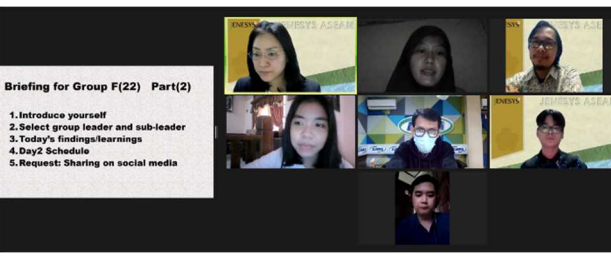






### 【Program Schedule】

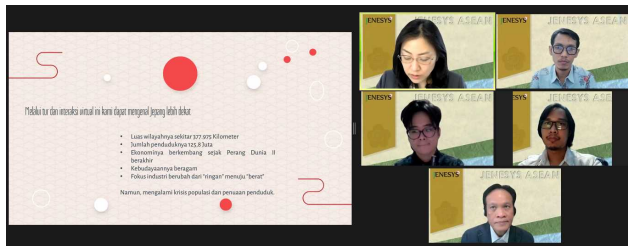

Date Location	Program contents	Participants' questions and reactions
Number of participants for the following day: 25 (Jointly with other programs)		
October 6, 2021 Kyoto	<b>【Webinar, Q&amp;A session】</b> Lecture on Friendship Cities 1. General Outline of “Te-collabo” Project Lecturer: Dr. YAMAGUCHI Hironori, Chair of Te-collabo 2. “Summary of Past Activities Related to Indonesia” Lecturer: Mr. NAKANISHI Hidenori, CEO of Honaizome Miyabiori Kobo 3. Q&A session	The lecturer introduced the textiles using wild Yogyakarta silkworms and how they supported reconstruction activities, which all started as a result of the Friendship City relationship between Kyoto Prefecture and the Special Region of Yogyakarta.  Following the lecture, the participants asked questions about product sales forecasts and marketing methods. They also asked about the impressions Japanese people had towards batik, such as “What do Japanese people think about batik shirts being formal wear in Indonesia?”
Number of participants during the following 6 days: 8 (Jointly with other programs)		
March 2~, 2022	<b>【Video Viewing】</b> 1. Welcome Address 2. Message from Minamisanriku 3. The Host Town Initiative	To foster better understanding of Japan, participants watched a video about Japan and the program before they participated in the main program.

March 9, 2022 Tokyo	<b>【Orientation】</b> <b>【Webinar, Q&amp;A session】</b> 1. Orientation 1) Opening remarks, Welcome address by Mr. ISOMURA Shintaro, Second Secretary Information and Culture Section Embassy of Japan in Indonesia 2) Introduction of JENESYS 3) Explanation of the program contents and participants' mission 2. Lecture on Japan 1) Lecture “Japan Today” Lecturer: Mr. KIMURA Hideo, Executive Managing Director, Strategic International Management Associates 2) Q&A session 3) Group photo 3. Group orientation 1) Self-introductions, Election of group leaders and sub-leaders 2) Description of the itinerary 4. Action plan overview	The participants listened intently to the explanation of their roles and missions in the program. They also listened to the lecture attentively, nodding their heads and reacting to the content. Many participants were also taking notes and seemed very focused. During the Q&A session, participants asked questions such as "The aging population is an issue in Japan, but what measures have the government taken?" Some participants shared how Japanese anime and excellent video games were familiar to them growing up, while another participant mentioned, "I only knew Japan as a country with beautiful cherry blossoms, but through this lecture I was able to learn about its history, culture, and postwar economic development."
March 10, 2022 Otaru City, Hokkaido	<b>【Local Observation】</b> 1. Virtual tour to discover the attractions of Otaru City 1) Otaru Sakaimachidori 2) Tour of the Otaru Coast using a drone 3) Otaru Canal 2. Group photo 3. Each groups' reflection on the program	The guide introduced an abundance of information at a good pace, and the participants listened attentively the entire way through. The pop quizzes kept the participants engaged, and during the tour, they asked many questions and gave many comments regarding how to get to Otaru City, Otaru's most beautiful seasons, local specialties, the professions of the locals, and about the herring fishing industry.
March 11, 2022 Hokkaido	<b>【Media Exchange, Observation】</b> 1. Explanation of the program, Introduction of the lecturer	Since the dilemmas faced by journalists are the same even in different countries, questions were asked about how journalists

	<p>2. Lecture  “Disaster Reporting and Reporter  —From Hokkaido to Indonesia”  Lecturer: Mr. SAITO Masaaki  Former Manager of News Section,  Tomakomai Branch Office,  The Hokkaido Shimbun Press</p> <p>3. Q&amp;A session</p> <p>4. Comments from the participants</p> <p>5. Group photo</p>	<p>deal with victims who do not want to be interviewed in the event of a disaster, how printed newspapers and online media compare nowadays, the importance of special (extra) editions, and so on. The participants were not only intrigued, but also seemed to learn a lot hearing about the differences in customs and practices in the aspect of disaster reporting.</p>
<p>March 12, 2022 Hokkaido</p>	<p>【Home Visit】</p> <p>1. Introduction to the City of Takikawa</p> <p>2. Host family introductions (4 families)</p> <p>3. Home visit exchange</p> <p>4. Group photo</p> <p>5. Each groups’ reflection on the program</p>	<p>During the introduction of the region, a video introducing local media companies was played specifically for this group of participants, and they seemed very interested in the video. The home visit was conducted in a friendly atmosphere with smiles on the faces of the participants from start to finish. The participants were interested in Japanese culture in general and the Japanese press in particular, and asked questions about the daily lives and customs of people in Japan. After the home visit, the participants told each other how they had spent their time at the other homes, and it was clear that all groups had enjoyed themselves very much and were satisfied with the experience.</p>
<p>March 15, 2022 Tokyo</p>	<p>【Reporting Session】</p> <p>1. Opening remarks</p> <p>2. Presentations by group</p> <p>3. Review by Mr. KIMURA Hideo,  Executive Managing Director,  Strategic International  Management Associates (SIMA)</p> <p>4. Announcement from JICE, Closing</p>	<p>The day of the event went smoothly because the participants had decided on their roles in advance and kept in touch with each other on social media.</p> <p>They seemed pleased that the lecturer was reviewing their presentations.</p>

## 2. Program Photos

 <p>Latar belakang sejarah</p>	 <p>Perjalanan indigo di Yogyakarta, Penampilan permaisuri kedua dengan pakaian Kimono (2004)</p>
<p>October 6, 2021 【Webinar, Q&amp;A Session】 “Te-collabo” Project.</p>	<p>October 6, 2021 【Webinar, Q&amp;A Session】 Honaizome Miyabiori Kobo's projects</p>
	
<p>March 9, 2022 【Webinar about Japan】</p>	<p>March 9, 2022 【Orientation】</p>
	
<p>March 10, 2022 【Visit to Otaru Sakaimachi-dori】</p>	<p>March 10, 2022 【Visit to Otaru from the sky】</p>
	
<p>March 11, 2022 【Midia Exchange: wbinar, opinion exchange】 The Hokkaido Shimbun Press</p>	
	
<p>March 12, 2022 【Home Visit】 Introduction of the region</p>	<p>March 12, 2022 【Home Visit】</p>

	
<p>March 15, 2022 【Reporting Session】 Action plan presentation</p>	<p>March 15, 2022 【Reporting Session】</p>

### 3. Voices from Participants (excerpt)

- ◆ This program was very interesting. I learned many things for the first time, such as the fact that Kyoto and Yogyakarta have been Friendship Cities for a long time. I hope that this program will continue in the future, and that the friendship between Japan and Indonesia will become even stronger.
- ◆ I'm glad I could join the online program today. I would like to express my gratitude to the two instructors for promoting batik in Japan. I hope that batik will continue to be accepted in Japan, and that it will be an item favored by the people of Japan.
- ◆ Participating in this event has made me want to visit Japan very much. I imagine I will have a different impression of Japan when I actually visit.
- ◆ It was a good online program. The program also made me want to visit Japan in person someday.

### 4. Voice from Japanese Locals (excerpt)

#### ◆Lecturer

Based on their questions that captured the precise issues, I could tell the participants had listened to my lecture well. I would like to thank JICE for all their support. I am so grateful. Thank you.

#### ◆ Representative from a Cooperating Organization



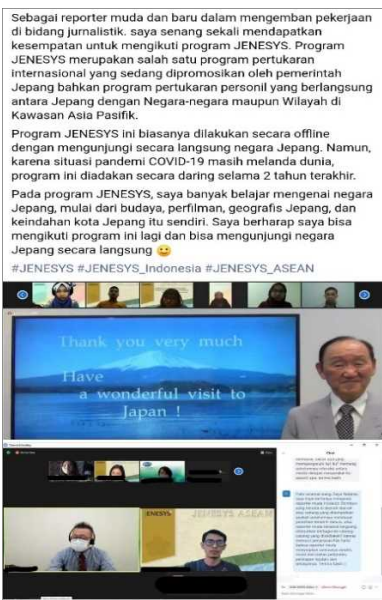

We were able to cooperate well with the JICE staff on the day of the visit and were able to handle the event with ease. This was the first time for us to conduct home visits online, and we had some concerns about the fact that it wasn't being conducted face-to-face. However, I am glad that we were able to conduct the online home visit because, with the help of the interpreter, the participating families were very satisfied with the exchange.

#### ◆ Host Family

It was a very valuable opportunity for me and my children to learn about Indonesia, a country we knew very little about until now. It was also very interesting to talk with the participants from Indonesia. They had never seen snow before and asked me many questions that I had not anticipated.



## 5. Dissemination by the participants

 <p>The image shows an Instagram post from October 6, 2021. The post features a blue background with the JENESYS logo at the top. The main text reads 'BATIK and Japan Blue' and 'Friendship City Webinar Kyoto 京都'. It specifies the date as October 6th, 2021, and the time as 2:30pm - 4:00pm (Jakarta). Below the text, there are social media icons and a caption in Indonesian that says 'Hari ini baru saja mengikuti kelas online #JENESYS dengan tema "Batik and the Japan Blue". Semoga rasa cinta masyarakat Indonesia terhadap batik tidak kalah dengan Bpk. Nakanishi dan Bpk. Yamaguchi yang berusaha memperkenalkan Batik kepada masyarakat Jepang. #JICE #JENESYS #JICEsInternationalExchangeProgram #Japan-EastAsiaNetworkofExchangeForStudentsandYouth'.</p>	 <p>The image shows a Facebook post from October 6, 2021. The post text reads: 'Thank you for the opportunity. Hopefully the good relations between Yogyakarta and Kyoto will continue 😊 JICE's International Exchange Programs Kedutaan Besar Jepang di Indonesia 在インドネシア日本国大使館 #JENESYS_ASEAN'. Below the text is a photo of a video conference grid with many participants, and a photo of a plate of food.</p>
<p>October 6, 2021 (Instagram)</p> <p>I participated in the JENESYS online class (webinar) under the theme, "BATIK and Japan Blue." I hope the love we in Indonesia have for batik is as passionate as that of the lecturers introducing batik to the people in Japan.</p>	<p>October 6, 2021 (Facebook)</p> <p>Thank you for the opportunity. Hopefully the good relations between Yogyakarta and Kyoto will continue.</p>
 <p>The image shows a Facebook post from March 11, 2022. The post text reads: 'Sebagai reporter muda dan baru dalam mengemban pekerjaan di bidang jurnalistik, saya senang sekali mendapatkan kesempatan untuk mengikuti program JENESYS. Program JENESYS merupakan salah satu program pertukaran internasional yang sedang dipromosikan oleh pemerintah Jepang bahkan program pertukaran personil yang berlangsung antara Jepang dengan Negara-negara maupun Wilayah di Kawasan Asia Pasifik. Program JENESYS ini biasanya dilakukan secara offline dengan mengunjungi secara langsung negara Jepang. Namun, karena situasi pandemi COVID-19 masih melanda dunia, program ini diadakan secara daring selama 2 tahun terakhir. Pada program JENESYS, saya banyak belajar mengenai negara Jepang, mulai dari budaya, perfilman, geografis Jepang, dan keindahan kota Jepang itu sendiri. Saya berharap saya bisa mengikuti program ini lagi dan bisa mengunjungi negara Jepang secara langsung 😊 #JENESYS #JENESYS_Indonesia #JENESYS_ASEAN'. Below the text is a photo of a video conference grid with participants and a photo of a man speaking.</p>	 <p>The image shows a Facebook post from March 14, 2022. The post text reads: 'Pemerintah Jepang kembali menggelar program Japan-East Asia Network of Exchange for Students and Youths (JENESYS). Tapi, karena situasi yang belum memungkinkan untuk datang langsung ke Jepang, tahun ini JENESYS digelar daring. Tapi, biarpun cuma interaksi daring, keseruan tetap ada. Walau harus tur ke kota dan keluarga di Jepang dari jarak jauh, suasananya tetap dapat. Ada keramahan dan kehangatan. Terutama dari keluarga di Jepang. Bikin makin gak sabar tunggu situasi lebih baik, dan langsung terbang ke Jepang. Dan ini sebagian dokumentasi acara kuliah dan tur yang digelar dari 9 Maret sampai 12 Maret kemarin. Tanggal 15 Maret nanti bakal ada presentasi dari masing-masing grup yang ikut. Cehidot gan... #JENESYS #JENESYS_ASEAN'. Below the text is a photo of a video conference grid with participants and a photo of a man speaking.</p>
<p>March 11, 2022 (Facebook)</p> <p>As a young journalist involved in the development of journalism, I am very happy to have had the opportunity to participate in the JENESYS program, which is an international exchange program supported by the Japanese</p>	<p>March 14, 2022 (Facebook)</p> <p>The Japanese government has resumed the JENESYS program. Due to certain circumstances, it was not possible for participants to visit Japan in person, so this year's JENESYS program was being held online.</p>

government to promote people-to-people exchanges between Japan and Asia-Pacific countries and regions.

In past years, participants of the JENESYS program had been invited to visit Japan in person. However, due to COVID-19 still being an issue around the world, the program has been held online for the past two years.

I have learned a lot about Japan through my participation in the JENESYS program, from its culture, to its movies, geography, and beauty of its cities. I hope to be able to participate in this program again in the future, and next time, actually go to Japan.

Although it was an online exchange, it was very exciting. I was able to visit Japanese cities and families remotely and still enjoy the atmosphere. All of my Japanese family members were kind and welcomed me with open arms. I hope to fly to Japan as soon as our current situation settles down.

Here are some details of the lectures and tours held from March 9 to 12; the participating groups will make their final presentations on March 15.

## 6. Action plan presentations at the final reporting session

**Our Action Plan(Grup)**

*Sebagai Action Plan Grup, bagaimana caranya menyebarkan informasi atau temuan maupun pengetahuan yang diperoleh melalui program, Apa saja yang akan dilaksanakan ?*

**Grup F Batch# 22**

\*Ketua/Penanggung jawab masing-masing grup diharapkan agar menyerahkan lampiran ini kepada koordinator masing-masing grup.

**Our Action Plan (Grup F Batch# 22)**

**Diharapkan agar melaksanakan Action Plan pasca program**

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Mengapakah ? (Alasan /tujuan pelaksanaan action plan)  
Tujuan pelaksanaan Our Action Plan adalah agar semua pembaca mengetahui informasi mengenai negara Jepang

Kapan ? (Mohon dituliskan tentang jadwal pelaksanaan action plan dalam 3 bulan pasca program)  
Dimulai pada akhir bulan Maret atau awal bulan April 2022 dan akan terus berlanjut.

Siapa saja ? (Siapa saja yang melaksanakan action plan ? )  
Yang melaksanakan Our Action Plan adalah anggota grup F Batch 22

Kepada siapa ? ( Kepada siapakah melaksanakan action plan ? )  
Yang menjadi sasarannya adalah followers di akun Instagram masing-masing anggota grup.

Apa saja ? (Konten action plan, Apa yang hendak dilakukan ?)  
Bagaimanakah ? (Bagaimanakah caranya ? )  
Isinya adalah Informasi yang kita dapat dari program JENESYS dan Informasi yang kita dapat dari internet mengenai negara Jepang

\*Setelah sesi workshop, Worksheet ini maupun My Action Plan agar diunduh pada link yang dikirimkan dari JICE.

WHY: To disseminate information

WHO: Group members

WHEN: End of March - beginning of April, 2022

HOW: We will share with Instagram account followers information obtained from the JENESYS program and information that we have found on the Internet.

Implementation agency: Japan International Cooperation Center (JICE)