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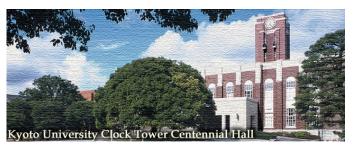
WELCOME TO OUR SYMPOSIUM

It is my pleasure to introduce the symposium entitled "Kyoto University and Bogor Agricultural University International Symposium: Diversity and Conservation of Asian Primates". This symposium is supported by the headquarters of Kyoto University and is a collaboration between the Primate Research Institute, Kyoto University (KUPRI), Japan and Faculty of Mathematics and Natural Sciences, Bogor Agricultural University (IPB), Indonesia, and is held at Bogor. Since it's founding in 1967, KUPRI has continuously studied primates in habitat countries worldwide, including Indonesia. Indonesia is one of countries that we have a very good and long established friendship and collaboration with in primatology. Many Indonesian people have graduated from KUPRI graduate school to date and those holders of KUPRI doctorates have played very active roles in academic institutions of Indonesia.

In Indonesia, there are many primate species (more than 40), half of which are endemic wild populations, with more than 80% of them being threatened. On the other hand, Japan is the northern limit of the primate habitat, and has one primate species, an endemic species, the Japanese macaque or "Snow monkey" as it is sometimes called. This monkey has been a leading actor in the founding and carrying out of Japanese primatology. Japan and Indonesia have reciprocally developed primate studies in terms of their own specificities and mutual collaborations. Such development has been similarly carried out in the other Asian countries. Based on these developed primatological studies, on this occasion we should debate about the past, the present, and the future of Asian primates, their high diversity and the many problems concerning their conservation.

We have a great opportunity to form new collaborations at this international symposium. This symposium is a post congress event of the International Primatological Society Congress XXV, in Hanoi. We will thus have a good chance to make global discussions on issues of the diversity and conservation of Asian primates together with primatologists from all over the world. Please join us and let's talk about our evolutionary neighbors in Asia.

Primate Research Institute, Kyoto University
Director
Hirohisa Hirai, Ph.D.





On August 28, 2013 President of Kyoto University and Rector of Bogor Agricultural University (IPB) signed a General Memorandum for Academic Cooperation and Exchange. On November the same year Director of Primate Research Institute of Kyoto University and Dean of Faculty of Mathematics and Natural Sciences of Bogor Agricultural University signed a Letter of Agreement for the same collaboration.

The Kyoto University and Bogor Agricultural University International Symposium: Diversity and Conservation of Asian Primates is the first joint collaboration for this endeavor.

We cordially invite international researchers working on wide spectrum of phenomena observed to happen from molecules to cultures of Asian primates to present their result on this symposium. We hope that you share your recent results and discuss freely in the spirit of scientific cooperation.

Faculty of Mathematics and Natural Sciences
Bogor Agricultural University
Dean
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PROGRAM

The topic of interest in this Symposium includes:

- Genome
- Phylogeography and Morphology
- Ecology and Conservation
- Infectious Disease
- Primate "culture"

ABSTRACT SUBMISSION

The Symposium will accept **oral** and **poster** presentation.

Please submit your abstract to the submission page of

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IMPORTANT DATES

The deadline for **registration** is 1 June 2014 and **abstract submission** will be 1 July 2014

DATE AND VENUE

The Symposium will be held on **18 to 21 August 2014** in **IPB International Convention Center** which is located at Botani Square Building 2nd Floor, Jalan Pajajaran, Bogor, West Java, Indonesia 16127

