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## Lemhannas RI holds Strengthening the Capacity of Faculty Members

# Year-end Press Conference by the Governor of Lemhannas RI



**G**overnor of Lemhannas RI Lieut. Gen. (Ret.) Agus Widjojo held an online press conference on Tuesday (22/12), in Syailendra Room, Astagatra Building, 3rd Floor, Lemhannas RI.

In the year-end statement entitled "Out of the Covid-19 Pandemic, towards Economic Recovery and Hopes in 2021", Lemhannas RI highlighted the vaccines problems, national identity, education, and stunting.

One of Lemhannas RI's concerns is the vaccination program that the government will run in the near future. According to Agus, to ensure the success of the national vaccination program, stopping the Covid-19 pandemic must be vertically under the political decision of the President of the Republic of Indonesia. "Thus all available government resources, including TNI (the National Armed Forces of the Republic of Indonesia) and Polri (the National Police), can be involved to ensure the national vaccination program runs well according to scientific principles," Agus said.

Agus reminded that high vigilance must still be maintained to prevent a spike in Covid-19 cases or a second wave of Covid-19, before the pandemic has completely passed. These kinds of protocols are also implemented in countries that have started vaccine programs such as The United States of America and the United Kingdom. "They understand that the vaccine only prevents the recipient from avoiding severe levels of Covid-19. The vaccine does not guarantee that people will be free of Covid-19 and they can still infect the people around it," Agus said.

"In health sector, the government from the central to regional levels must anticipate stunting and malnutrition in children due to economic recession as the nation's next generation," Agus continued.

Meanwhile, related to the achievement of excellent human potential, education is one of the aspects highlighted by Lemhannas RI. According to Agus, Indonesia must catch up during the Covid-19 outbreak which made education system cannot run normally. It is necessary to adjust the education curriculum to increase

students ability in technology.

Another challenge that is highlighted by Lemhannas RI at this time is the decline in understanding of nationalism among the nation's children. Agus explained that it is important for the government to strengthen the identity and character of the nation. The characteristics of Indonesian people with strong identity and character are curiosity; critical and creative thinking; dare to learn new things; able to present persuasive and sharp opinions and arguments both in speaking and writing; self-confident; dare to take risks, not easily influenced, and thinking carefully.

Also attending the press conference was Deputy Governor of Lemhannas RI Air Marshal Wiekio Syofyan, Deputy for National-Level Leaders Education Maj. Gen. Rahmat Pribadi, Deputy for Strengthening National Values Rear Admiral Prasetya Nugraha, ST, M.Sc., the Deputy for Strategic Studies Prof. Dr. Ir. Reni Mayerni, M.P., and Chief of Public Relations Bureau Brigadier General Sugeng Santoso, S.I.P.

# Governor of Lemhannas RI: “Indonesia Must Have Strong Human Competitiveness Quality”

**G**overnor of Lemhannas RI Lieut. Gen. (Ret.) Agus Widjojo was present to give a speech at the webinar entitled “The Role of Lemhannas Women in Preparing National Character Early on to become Excellent Human Resources Facing the Era of the Industrial Revolution 4.0” organized by the Women’s Forum of the Alumni of the Strengthening National Values Program (Taplai) of Lemhannas RI on Monday (22/12).

In his remarks, Agus said that the Industrial Revolution 4.0 required national vigilance against new ideologies. On the other hand, the Industrial Revolution 4.0 also demands the existence of certain values of Pancasila which are adaptive to new ideas of globalization so that they have a positive impact on the life of the nation. In general, in the future, Indonesia will face various challenges in the Industrial Revolution 4.0 which is closely related to digital technology. Therefore, Indonesian people must have strong competitiveness included in the quality of human competitiveness. “Any aspect must be implemented and actualized to build excellent Indonesian people,” Agus added

Agus said that the main field related to the process of increasing the competitiveness of excellent human resources is education. The main problems faced in improving the quality of Indonesia’s human resources to achieve Indonesia’s 2025 goals are the unequal opportunities for education and its quality. “Whether we realize it or not, the quality of education in Indonesia is still focused on Java. The majority of people from the best universities are still on the island of Java,” Agus added.

Limited competitive workers and high work ethic also results in low productivity of Indonesian workers. “One of the indicators shows that almost 60% of the workers has a lower secondary level of education according to the Central Statistics Agency,” Agus added.



Agus also conveyed that the Government’s programs in education in preparing excellent human resources to meet the Industrial Revolution 4.0 era address the development of this strategic environment, including the development of information and communication technology infrastructure which has a role to accelerate the development of Indonesia’s human resources, changes in educational curriculum content in facing Industrial Revolution 4.0, competence and creativity of graduates are not the focus of human resource development in higher education, as well as industrial collaboration to increase the relevance of the polytechnic curriculum and vocational education to the industrial world through the vocational education revitalization program. “The ultimate goal of this development is to achieve an advanced, just and prosperous society by investing to renew excellent resources in a sustainable manner,” Agus added.

Through this webinar, Agus hopes to produce fresh ideas and



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strategic thoughts for the creation of an advanced, competitive, fair, and prosperous Golden Indonesia.

# Study Enrichment of 6 Core of Lemhannas RI



**A**t the beginning 2021, the Cooperation Bureau of Lemhannas RI held a Study Enrichment Lecture of 6 cores for National Resilience Postgraduate Program Students of Lemhannas-Inter Universities Network Batch V 2020/2021. Participants involved were 17 people consisting of 6 National Resilience Postgraduate students from Indonesia University, 5 National Resilience Postgraduate students from Gadjah Mada University, 1 participant from Indonesia University and 5 participants from Gadjah Mada University. The program was held for 13 days, starting from Wednesday (6/1) to Friday (22/1).

Chief of Cooperation and Law Bureau Rear Admiral Sri Widodo, S.T., CHRMP said that the methods used in these program were lectures, discussions, and question and answer session. The materials

provided included National Resilience, Archipelago Insights, National Vigilance, National Strategy, National Leadership, and 4 National Basic Consensus delivered by Senior Lecturers and Professional Experts of Lemhannas RI.

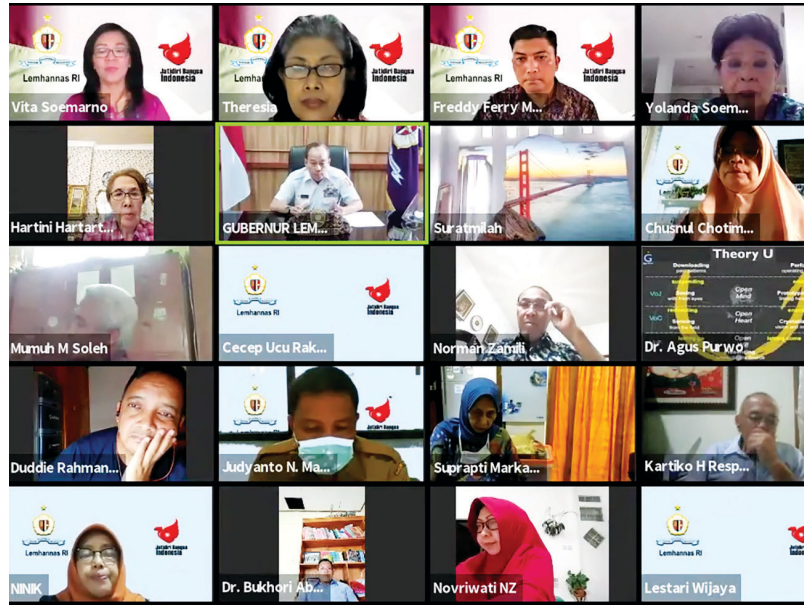
"I want to encourage the students to contribute to this nation, so we must try to explore the potential based on the high spirit of nationalism," the Prime Secretary of Lemhannas RI, Police Commissioner General Drs. Didid Widjanardi, S.H, when delivering his speech at the opening of the 6 Core Study Enrichment Lecture of Lemhannas RI, on Wednesday (6/1).

Didid also said that the enrichment aims to produce intellectuals and adequate cadres, in accordance with the objectives of the National Resilience Program of Lemhannas-Inter Universities Network. Furthermore, this

activity also aims to produce graduates who are reliable, with strong character and have high integrity, open, have broad insight and have high analytical ability in the field of national resilience. "I hope that students can wisely manage their time so that your duties as a student of the National Resilience Study Program can run and be carried out well," Didid said.

On the occasion, Didid expressed his gratitude to the partners of the National Resilience Postgraduate Education Lemhannas-Inter Universities Network, namely the University of Indonesia and Gadjah Mada University as well as to all administrators for the implementation of this cooperations. "To all students, I wish you a happy learning, wish you success in achieving your goals and being able to practice your knowledge for the benefit of the nation and state," Didid concluded.

# Governor of Lemhannas RI Attends **Talk Show and Reunion of Alumni** of Character Building Training



**G**overnor of Lemhannas RI Lieut. Gen. (Ret.) Agus Widjono was the speaker at the Talk Show and Reunion with Alumni of Character Building Training, Monday (11/01). The activity was carried out in commemoration of the 19th Anniversary of Yayasan Jatidiri Bangsa Indonesia.

On this occasion, Agus delivered a presentation about the role of characters in the new normal era, which was divided into two keywords, namely Character and the New Normal Era. According to Agus, character is a reflection of the strength of a person who has a positive distinction between one and another, such as between one person and another, from one group to another, and from one place to another.

Then Agus explained that the new normal era has elements that are oriented towards the future. The training function held by Yayasan Jatidiri Bangsa Indonesia must adapt to the characteristic needs of the new normal era.

"Character is needed in the new normal era because the new normal

era contains many demands for change in us due to the development of the existing environment," Agus said. One of them done as an effort to overcome the Covid-19 pandemic. The new normal era in an effort to overcome the Covid-19 pandemic requires flexibility from within to be able to adapt to current changes.

Furthermore, Agus conveyed character boundaries in the context of new normal era. The first boundary is a commitment to change in accordance with the basic norms of the nation, there are 2 elements that must be adjusted such as change because the environment changes rapidly and also nation's norms that must be maintained. "So we must be able to choose between those two and put them in a parallel and in line position" the Governor of Lemhannas RI said.

The second limitation is identity such as the basic consensus of the nation which is also the core of Lemhannas RI which consists of Pancasila, UUD 1945, Bhinneka Tunggal Ika, and NKRI (The Unitary State of the republic of Indonesia). The

third limitation is a character that can function as a shock absorber for certain characteristics of the new normal era.

Agus explained that the characters needed in the new normal era are characters to build adaptive ability towards change with the ability to adjust themselves very flexibly. "We cannot hold on to our stand that we collect from the past," Agus said. However, realizing this character does not mean abandoning the ideas and values inherited from the predecessors.

Therefore, in general the challenge faced is to be able to translate and transform ideas and values inherited from their predecessors and then take their intrinsic value in order to find the instrumental value of their implementation adapted to the times.

Another challenge in applying these characters is the intergenerational challenge. According to Agus, the ability to enter the minds of the millennial generation and beyond is needed. With this ability, it will be easier to form the character needed by the new normal era based on the ideas and values of Indonesia as a nation.

# Implementation of PPRA 62 Prospective Participant Re-registration



**B**efore the opening of Regular Education Program Batch 62 (PPRA 62), eighty PPRA 62 prospective participants took part in the re-registration at the Diponegoro Room, Pancagatra Building, Lemhannas RI, Jakarta. Re-registration is held for 3 days from January 12 to 14 2021. Previously, PPRA 62 prospective participants had passed the Academic Potential Test (TPA) and the Psychological Test.

Before offline re-registering, Lemhannas RI gave all participants a user id and password to access e-participants and a number of forms that had to be filled out. At the offline re-registering process at Lemhannas RI, participants were asked to submit the

results of the Covid-19 free swab test.

Then participants take a photo of themselves for an identity card, and continued with initial registration to complete the additional files needed during the education period, passport checking and submission of soft file documents. After that, the participants will be verified for e-participants, then given the educational schedules and materials.

Eighty PPRA 62 Participant Candidates consist of several elements, such as 16 people from State Civil Apparatus (ASN), 35 people from the Amred Forces of the Republic of Indonesia (TNI), 14 people from the Police of the republic of Indonesia (Polri), and 15 people from other elements.

Unlike the previous batch, PPRA 62 was not followed by participants from friendly countries because it was held in the middle of the Covid-19 pandemic.

PPRA is one of the educational programs organized by Lemhannas RI. Apart from PPRA, Lemhannas RI also plans to organize a Force Short Education Program (PPSA) and a Regional Leaders Strengthening Program (P3DA) in 2021. Initially, PPRA was called the Regular Course (KRA) and started in 1965. KRA I in 1965 was opened directly by President Soekarno and continued with the first lecture on geopolitics. After 42 years, to be precise in 2007, KRA has changed to PPRA and has been held up to 22 times.

# Lemhannas RI holds Strengthening the Capacity of Faculty Members



Lemhannas RI held Strengthening the Capacity of Faculty Members at Lemhannas RI on Tuesday (19/1) by applying health protocol. The event aimed to prepare the teaching and learning process for the implementation of Regular Education Program Batch 62 (PPRA 62) and Short Education Program Batch 23 (PPSA 23).

Governor of Lemhannas RI, Lieut. Gen. (Ret.) Agus Widjojo in his opening remarks said that this activity has an important and strategic meaning in the process of preparing and strengthening cadres of national-level leaders who will attend Lemhannas education programs this year.

In 2021, Lemhannas RI itself will organize two education programs which are PPRA 62 and PPSA 23. "In order to support the smooth implementation of these education programs, several

preparatory stages are needed, including the implementation of strengthening the capacity of faculty members," Agus said.

Therefore, the program which will be held for two days is an opportunity to deliver leader's direction and policies and to equate the perceptions of senior lecturers, senior analysts and professionals experts and related staff regarding the basic concepts of national resilience, national resilience measurement systems, education operational mechanisms, block essays and technical guidelines for participant assessments in the implementation of PPRA 62 and PPSA 23.

With the existence of a common perception, it is expected that the implementation of education programs can run well, be directed and achieve targets and goals as expected.

This capacity strengthening program is also a continuation of the reflection program for educators that have been carried out in the education program implemented at the end of 2020.

Through this reflection, it was concluded that there was a need to correct various deficiencies, both at the planning, implementation and closing stages. Therefore, Agus emphasized that all related elements must follow up seriously and responsibly according to their respective roles and functions.

In addition, Agus also reminded that another thing that needs to be understood is the existence of senior lecturers, senior analysts, professional experts and structural officials, who have an important and dominant role in supporting the success of education programs.

# Strengthening the Capacity of Faculty Members officially closed



**G**overnor of Lemhanas RI, Lieut. Gen. (Ret) Agus Widjojo closed Strengthening the Capacity of Faculty Members which was attended by Senior Lecturers, Senior Analysts, Professional Experts and structural officials on Wednesday (20/1).

With the implementation of these capacity strengthening program, Agus believes that all participants understand and have the same perception in organizing Lemhanas RI education programs in 2021 comprehensively.

Agus also hopes that this program can also produce a common perception and understanding of the implementation of PPRA 62 and PPSA 23 in 2021. Various explanations related to the basic concepts of national resilience, national resilience measurement systems, educational operational mechanisms, block essays and technical guidelines for participant assessments have been submitted and must be understood and implemented consistently and seriously with full commitment and a sense of

responsibility to improve the quality of education at Lemhanas RI.

“Thus, brothers and sisters who will later carry out their duties and functions as lecturers, tutors, discussants, resource persons, assistants, moderators and other tasks in the administration of education will be able to show performance and performance that both students and the Indonesian National Defense Institute can be proud of,” Agus said.

On this occasion, Agus also delivered several advices. First, Agus urged all participants to adapt to the current situation and conditions. Second, all participants must think, behave and act in a professional, sympathetic and responsible manner in carrying out their respective duties and roles. Third, the participants are expected to provide examples and role models for education participants, so that the transformation in character building and character as a reliable national-level leader can be realized. Fourth, all capacity strengthening participants must act as a creative,



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innovative, visionary with a strong national insight motivator in order to strengthen the mindset and behaviour of the education participants.



# Inauguration of Lemhannas RI Structural and Functional Officials



**L**emhannas RI held an Inauguration and Taking Oath of Office of Echelon Officials and Functional Officials on Thursday (21/1) at the Nusantara Lemhannas RI Room.

The structural officials inaugurated were two high-ranking officers from the Indonesian Armed Forces (TNI) and the Police of the Republic of Indonesia (Polri), echelon I officials, two high-ranking officers from TNI and Polri who are echelon II officials, one middle-ranking from TNI officer who are echelon II officials, 10 middle-ranking from TNI, Polri, and ASN who are echelon III officers, eight TNI and State-Civil Apparatus who are echelon IV officials.

Not only inaugurating echelon I, II, III, and IV officials, Agus also appointed 104 Lemhannas personnel who occupied Functional Positions based on the Decree of the Governor of Lemhannas RI number 166 of 2020 concerning Dismissal and Appointment to Positions in Lemhannas R

During the inauguration, the Governor of Lemhannas RI, Liet. Gen. (Ret.) Agus Widjojo advised the newly appointed officials to carry out this mandate sincerely and full of responsibility by doing their best for Lemhannas RI.

Agus hopes that, with the experience and abilities they have, the newly appointed officials will be able to play an active role and apply high standards in work, spread a strong commitment to all lines to change the mindset and work culture oriented towards efficiency, effectiveness, productivity and professionalism.

On this occasion, Agus also emphasized that the leadership and example of the inaugurated officials will greatly determine the success and smoothness of the program and the goals of the organization, because the attitude of the leaders determines the attitude of his subordinates and other employees.

"Therefore, all of us who attended this event, especially those who were inaugurated today, have a big responsibility to become facilitators, motivators and role models in realizing change for the better change," Agus said. Agus also expressed his gratitude and high appreciation to the four officials who were released for their dedication and hard work so far, the performance and achievements of all released officials were an inspiration for the next generation at Lemhannas RI.

The inauguration ceremony was the umpteenth time to be held during the Covid-19 Pandemic and attended only by several representatives of Lemhannas RI officials meanwhile the other personnels attended via online. It is an effort to implement physical distancing in order to stop the transmission of Covid-19. "I hope that the holding of an inauguration ceremony like this does not reduce its solemnity and purpose," Agus said.

# The Opening of PPRA 62 of Lemhannas RI



**G**overnor of Lemhannas RI, Lieut. Gen. (Ret.) Agus Widjojo officially opened the Regular Education Program Batch 62 (PPRA 62) which was attended by 80 participants, on Tuesday (26/1) in the Dwi Warna Purwa Room, Pancagatra Building, Lemhannas RI.

On this occasion, Agus hopes that the presence of the participants in the education program can motivate to improve the quality of their respective leadership by carrying out their role as responsible education participants.

"The presence of the participants at Lemhannas RI must be accompanied by a determination to carry out a mental revolution, attitudes and behaviours transformation that reflect the figure of a national level leader cadre with strong national character," Agus said.

In addition, Agus reminded the PPRA 62 participants that with the increasing competition among various

elements of the nation to be able to participate in education program at Lemhannas RI, so the mandate and trust of the state given to the participants must be carried out sincerely.

"I am sure that the participants who already have academic abilities and experience backgrounds are expected to have better understanding in following the learning process at this institution," Agus said.

Agus also said that the teaching and learning process at Lemhannas RI is gradually undergoing a transformation from a conventional teaching-learning process that runs from top to bottom with passive involvement from the participants towards a teaching-learning process based on providing critical thinking which is implemented through critical analysis in the form of case studies. This is done to build a bridge between theory, paradigm, and doctrine with the implementation

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of their use in the reality of various situations.

The PPRA 62 curriculum has been compiled more efficiently and effectively for seven months and is supported by the improvement of the learning evaluation assessment system by Lemhannas RI, including academic assessments and individual scientific papers. So, these things are expected to be used as a means to measure and improve the cognitive, affective, and psychomotor abilities of the participants.

# Lemhannas RI Attends DPR RI Hearing Meeting

**G**overnor of Lemhannas RI Lieut. Gen. (Ret.) Agus Widjojo together with a number of Lemhannas RI officials attended the Hearing Meeting (RDP) with Commission I of DPR RI (the House of Representatives), Wednesday (27/1).

In the RDP led by the Deputy Chairperson of Commission I, Utut Adianto discussed several things, namely the evaluation of Lemhannas RI performance achievements in 2020, the realization of the Lemhannas RI budget for the 2020 Fiscal Year, preparation and readiness for the implementation of Lemhannas RI's 2021 annual state budget, and actual issues related to Lemhannas RI.

"The results of the evaluation of the performance of Lemhannas RI budget implementation for Fiscal Year 2020 by the Ministry of Finance of the Republic of Indonesia received a score of 97.84 with very good category," Agus said when delivering the evaluation of Lemhannas RI performance achievement in 2020.

Related to this, the results of the examination of the accountability of Lemhannas RI Financial Statements by BPK RI in 2015-2019 received Unqualified title (WTP). Meanwhile, the results of the examination for the 2020 Fiscal Year will be carried out in February 2021. Meanwhile, the results of the evaluation of the implementation of the Bureaucratic Reform and government agency performance accountability system of Lemhannas RI for 2020 Fiscal Year by the Ministry of National Development Planning have been carried out in November 2020, but the results are still in process.

Agus continued that the realization of Lemhannas RI budget for the 2020 fiscal year reached 93.05%. The remainder of the budget that is not absorbed is the budget that should be allocated for expenditure for employees' salaries 13 and 14 as well as the



allocation of Civil Servants Candidates' salaries, domestic and foreign official trips, operational electricity, telephone, gas, and water bills due to the work from home system, and food support for participants.

Agus also explained the preparation and readiness for the implementation of Lemhannas' State Budget for 2021. In the education sector, PPRA 62 is planned to result 80 graduates and PPSA 23 with 60 graduates. In strengthening national values, Training for Trainers will be conducted via online with 400 participants, Strengthening National Values Program will be conducted via online with 400 participants, and National Insights Dialogue will be implemented with 1,400 participants. With refocusing and budget reallocation, the strategic studies are planned to produce 4 long-term studies as well as 4 urgent and rapid studies. The measurement of national resilience in 34 provinces in Indonesia will still be carried out online.

Regarding actual issues, Agus explained that they will be implemented in the form of national and international seminars (Jakarta Geopolitical Forum) and strategic studies. The actual issues that will be discussed in the strategic study of Lemhannas RI for 2021 Fiscal Year include the influence of identity politics on democracy in Indonesia, downstreaming of minerals and rare earth elements to support national economic growth, the role of social media to develop national insight, and finding comprehensive solutions for solving Papua problem. "The actual issues of Lemhannas RI for the 2021 Fiscal Year are outlined in a strategic study as input for the government to accelerate the achievement of national development targets," Agus said.

Ending his presentation, Agus also emphasized that the programs and activities of Lemhannas RI for 2021 Fiscal Year are ready to be implemented by maximizing limited budget support and following health protocols.



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sympathy and condolences

## ON THE PASSING OF



**PROF. DR. H. MULADI, S.H.**

Governor of Lemhannas RI for 2005 - 2011 period



**LETJEN TNI (PURN)  
SAYIDIMAN SURYOHADIPROJO**

Governor of Lemhannas RI for 1974 - 1978 period

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May they in a better and beautiful place and  
may God grant their family the strength.  
Your dedication for Lemhannas RI will always  
be remembered

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