

## TDMRC visit under the World Class Professor (WCP) program (2018/8/8-15)

Location : Tsunami and Disaster Mitigation Research Center (TDMRC) and Syiah Kuala University, Banda Aceh, Indonesia

Theme : Tsunami disaster mitigation, international collaboration, joint publication

The World Class Professor (WCP) program is initiated by the Indonesian Ministry of Research, Technology and Higher Education (RISTEKDIKTI) to encourage international collaboration and joint publication between Indonesian and oversea Universities. A proposal for scheme B under tsunami mitigation topic proposed by TDMRC and IRIDeS was successfully selected. Dr. Syamsidik and Assoc. Prof. Anawat Suppasri (Hazard and Risk Evaluation Research Division) are representatives from TDMRC and IRIDeS sides. Under this program, at first Dr. Syamsidik visited IRIDeS during 9-27 July and Assoc. Prof. Anawat Suppasri visited TDMRC during 8-15 August. During the stay in TDMRC, Assoc. Prof. Anawat Suppasri delivered a presentation on introduction of Tohoku University, IRIDeS and tsunami mitigation in Japan to Syiah Kuala University's rector, vice rector and other professors as a kick-off of the selected WCP program. Besides, Assoc. Prof. Anawat Suppasri was also an instructor for tsunami modeling workshop to transfer tsunami modeling technique to TDMRC and a formal meeting with Syiah Kuala University's vice-rector on university level MOU between the two universities was also organized. After this TDMRC visit, few joint publications in international journals will be made under this program.



Presentation and exchange at the rector office

Tsunami research group



Tsunami modeling workshop

Meeting on future collaboration

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