

The Important Role of Faculty of Mathematics and Natural Science of Bogor Agricultural University for Agriculture Development

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Faculty of Mathematics and Natural Sciences (FMIPA-IPB) is the Faculty under Bogor Agricultural University that offers basic science to support the development of the entire field of science. "As it is attached to Bogor Agriculture University, thus indirectly the said Faculty has played an important role in supporting the agricultural sciences in the broad sense. We participate in the development of sustainable agriculture," said the Dean of Faculty of Mathematics and Natural Sciences, Dr. Ir. Sri Nurdianti, M. Sc in Dialogue morning of RRI, on Tuesday, 13 December 2011.

With the increasing number of students who are interested in the Mathematics and Natural Sciences fields, therefore, the Faculty of Mathematics and Natural Sciences Bogor Agricultural University has expanded and developed into eight departments, namely Statistics, Geophysics and Meteorology (Geomet), Biology, Chemistry, Physics, Mathematics, Computer Science, Physics and Biochemistry. "Here in this Faculty we just admitted the best students with a capacity of 1: 10. Of the existing eight departments, the Department of Statistics and Computer Science are the most demanding Departments," he continued.

There are a lot of government agencies in Bogor, therefore, FMIPA IPB has established networks and cooperation with those agencies. "We also conduct collaborative research with private agencies. However, for our products / results we have not been able to market them. We expect that both the government and the private sectors will assist FMIPA-IPB to assist in the marketing of the research results or their other works," added Dr. Nurdianti.

To conclude, Dr. Nurdianti stated that choosing the Department of Mathematics and Natural Sciences is the right choice. "As in reality, even prior to the graduation of the University, but a lot of jobs await them. In general, the graduates of FMIPA – IPB have to wait less than a year to get a job. Diligent and persistent is the key to success," said Dr. Nurdianti. (Wied).