

Universitas Gajah Mada

Teaching Fellow Post Yogyakarta, Indonesia

Post Summary:

Sekolah Vokasi at UGM has a practical application approach with its curriculum. As a VIA fellow in the English Department you will work with the students primarily on their speaking skills and you will also be responsible for the second course of the cross cultural understanding series. There are many opportunities for the VIA fellow to collaborate with students and other lecturers on projects and activities outside of the class. Doing so proves to be a great way to build strong relationships at your post as well as with the community.







Partner:

<u>UGM</u> is one of Indonesia's oldest and most prestigious universities. With 55,000 students, UGM is also Indonesia's largest university. Sekolah Vokasi is the Vocational School of UGM where students focus on job-specific training and areas of study.

Location and Logistics:

Delicious food, a bustling city of students, a region that is rich and alive in culture - all these await at VIA's GCF post at UGM in Yogyakarta, Indonesia. Jogja, as this city at the foot of Merapi Volcano is affectionately called, is a great place to launch one's exposure to Indonesia with its blend of past and present and its multi-faceted diversity. It is widely known as the center of Javanese culture as well as a center of learning. This designation is marked by the existence of 120 state and private tertiary educational institutions, with a student population of over 300,000.

Housing:

At UGM, the VIA fellow is helped by VIA local staff to find suitable housing. In the past, VIA fellows have lived in individual apartments and guesthouses throughout the city.

Desired Qualifications:

Interest in cross-cultural understanding, ability to work independently and in a team, experience teaching English.