Flexible studies at AeU

ASIA e University (AeU) held its fourth convocation ceremony at Putra World Trade Centre, Kuala Lumpur, on Sept 21.

Of the 1,200 graduates who received their scrolls, about 300 were international graduates.

Among them was a new batch of Indonesian students who graduated from the Bachelor of Information & Communications Technology (Hons) or BICT programme.

This programme is a joint collaboration between AeU and the State Polytechnics of Jakarta (PNJ), Indonesia.

The BICT students from PNJ did their final year at AeU, KL campus, after completing AeU's Online Distance Learning (ODL) mode for the first three years and with the given class support by the polytechnics in Indonesia.

They are supported by myPLS, AeU's learning management system where they can access learning materials and video content for their courses, communicate with their academic facilitators via forum, as well as submit their assignment online.

PNJ students are given the option to either remain in Indonesia as AeU's ODL students during their fourth year of studies or to continue their final year degree in AeU Malaysia as full-time students.

For AeU-PNJ students, their industrial training and examinations are arranged either in PNJ, Indonesia or in AeU, KL, depending on where they are based.

Both international and local students can enrol in BICT (Hons) programme either on a full-time, or part-time basis, spanning three years or around 14 semesters.

In terms of flexibility, students can switch their mode of study from part-time ODL to full-time or vice versa, during their study period.

Nana Puspita Sari, a recent graduate in BICT, says: “I really enjoyed the communication class which were conducted outdoors and away from the classroom setting.”

Nana was recently hired to work for Dell Asia Pacific Sdn Bhd, Penang.

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