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PREFACE



Assalamu'alaikum Wr.Wb.

First, let us express our gratitude to Allah SWT for His blessings so that the International Conference on Bioscience & Biotechnology (ICBB) 2011 can successfully be held on 11-12 October 2011 in Yogyakarta, Indonesia.

The event was organized by Department of Biology, State Islamic University Sunan Kalijaga which supported by Indonesian Society for Biodiversity and Universiti Kebangsaan Malaysia.

More than 140 well-known experts, researchers, lecturers, and students have been invited and attend this conference. The high enthusiasm to this conference was in line with one of the ICBB objectives, i.e. to provide an international forum for students, researchers, academics and practitioners to share the most recent research, theory and practice. We further hope that the network built through this conference can be a good foundation for future collaboration research among ICBB 2011 participants.

Ladies and Gentlemen, A large proportion of the world's biodiversity is found in tropical countries, with comprises of more than 70% of world biodiversity. Among them, many have been recognized as the important sources for food, medicine, timbers, and as material supporting for everyday life. The chemical and biological diversity have interrelationship and interdependence as a whole system. Each species, each dimension of the planet, makes its unique contribution to the good of the whole. Our survival is intimately connected to the survival of the other species of the planet.

Finally, I would like to extend my sincere thanks and appreciation to the invited speakers, reviewers, editors, sponsors, people in the Department of Biology, Faculty of Science & Technology, State Islamic University Sunan Kalijaga as organizers, who have dedicated their time and efforts to this conference.

See you in next ICBB conference!

Wassalamu'alaikum Wr. Wb.

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