



## UMA Chancellor Attends UI Greenmetrics Workshop

The Chancellor of Medan Area University, attended the UI GreenMetric Workshop with approximately 130 participants from several universities in Indonesia. This activity took place at 09.00 am at the BRI Unhas Center of Microfinance, Tamalanrea Campus, Makassar, Thursday (22/08).

The UI GreenMetric 2019 National Workshop presented the Governor of South Sulawesi, represented by the Head of the Environmental Management Agency (Ir. Andi Hasbi, MT), Chair of UI GreenMetric (Prof. Dr. Riri Fitri Sari, M. Sc., MM), National Coordinator of UI GWURN Indonesia (Prof. Dr. Ir. Ambariyanto, M.Sc), and Deputy Chairperson of UI GreenMetric (Junaidi, SS, MA). Also present were the deans along with the Unhas academic community.

The Chair of the UI Greenmetrics Workshop and National Seminar, Suharman Hamzah, Ph.D., in his report explained the preparations that had been made to host activities and several programs carried out by Unhas as a city forest campus.

"This activity has started since last Wednesday, with a discussion agenda that produced several important points. In this activity we will listen together with UI explanation on GreenMetric," said Suharman.

On this occasion, Suharman also used the Workshop and Seminar to introduce the Reducing Plastic Trash Hasanuddin University (KuSaPa Unhas) program. This program is part of Unhas's efforts to ensure environmental sustainability, by eliminating the maximum possible use of material that has the potential to damage the environment in the long run.

Unhas Chancellor officially opened the UI GreenMetric National Workshop in 2019 which took the main theme: "Sustainable Development". In his opening

remarks, the Rector of Unhas welcomed all the participants present. He believes that this activity is a learning process and forum for discussion for the sake of better universities in Indonesia. In addition, Prof. Dwia also explained related to the concept of Unhas Campus which leads to the City Forest.

"I thank you for the trust given by Unhas as the host. I need to inform you, ladies and gentlemen, they are currently on the Tamalanrea campus which has an area of approximately 220 hectares. Before the SDG concept was announced, previous Unhas leaders had designed the Unhas development with the concept of Urban Forests. We as the next generation remain committed to making Unhas a City Forest campus," explained Prof. Dwia.

At the end of his remarks, Prof. Dwia hoped that this activity could produce critical views related to environmental management towards an environmentally friendly concept.

As for the Speaker, Prof. Dr. H. Moh. Mukri, M.Ag (Rector of UIN Raden Intan Lampung), Dr. Irvan Sophian, S.T., M.A., (Padjadjaran University Manager of the Office of Environmental Management), Ir. FX. Pri Joeno Guntoro, Dipl. HE., M. Si., (Main Manager of UGM Residence, UGM), Prof. Dr. Jamal Wiwoho, S.H., (Rector of Sebelas Maret University), Prof. Dr. Ir. Bustami Syam, M.S.M.E., (Deputy Chancellor IV, University of North Sumatra).

UI GreenMetric Workshop was divided into two parallel sessions, namely parallel session I discussed "Management of Structuring and Infrastructure, Energy and Climate Change, Waste." While the parallel session II discussed "Water Management, Transportation, Education and Research."

After the workshop process was completed, the participants were then invited to see the process of making Unhas chocolate in Teaching Industry and see the management of Unhas hospital waste.

Next year's UI GreenMetric Workshop will take place at Riau University as the host.