

## **My Best Class Introduction Contest**

### **BECAUSE I LOVE WRITING SO MUCH**

My name is TUSWADI, a master student of IDEC-Hiroshima University. I come from INDONESIA. I began my study in October 2009 and will graduate this coming September and start the doctoral program in October 2011.

Among 14 subjects that I have taken in IDEC, for several reasons Graduate Writing is the most favorite one. First of all, the Professor who teaches this subject is the only native speaker of English that IDEC has. Mr. Gold burry comes from Britain and has quite long teaching experience. For me, the native speaker of English is the best resource for learning and improving my English. No wonder so many students in IDEC registered Graduate Writing class every semester.

Secondly, the way of Mr. Gold burry teaches us is so interesting that almost all students in the class said that they really enjoy Graduate Writing. In the first day of his teaching, Mr. Gold burry gave us the outline of the class content for one semester and explained to us the targets that we had to achieve. What he taught was mainly about how to write good and acceptable master thesis so that he gave us many writing exercises and homework to do. During the lesson, he was close to the students and very clear in delivering the lesson with his good English. He spoke English modestly so that all students were easily catching his explanation.

Thirdly, Mr. Gold burry is diligent in correcting our homework. At least two weeks after the submission, Mr. Gold burry returned our checked homework papers. In the beginning of the lesson, he often approached each student to make sure that we were satisfied with his written comments in our paper. By doing so, we could easily confirm the mistakes we have made in the

homework.

Next, Mr. Gold burry allowed us to submit the homework either by email or by paper. Thus, for example, if we did not have much time to print out the paper homework at home, we could easily submit it by email. And in other days Mr. Gold burry would give it back to us with his written comments on it.

In addition, the class was full of fun. One day when we learnt how to describe things and people, Mr. Gold burry let us watch very interesting movies in the class. Because it was quite hard to catch the description of the people in the movies, Mr. Gold burry repeatedly turned on the movies until we could write the description appropriately.

At last but not the least, we were so happy that in the end of the semester, after finishing the class, Mr. Gold burry had a group picture session with us. We took photos with him to remind us that we have gotten one of the best Professors teaching us in IDEC. And thanks to Mr. Gold burry, that in June 2010 I succeeded in getting the third prize of National Book Writing Competition held by the Ministry of National Education of Republic Indonesia in which I was invited to come to Jakarta to receive the most prestigious award that I have ever had.

I do hope that Professor Gold burry will keep teaching in IDEC because his job really supports the students' ability in writing good master thesis and dissertation. Thank you very much.

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