

## News Release

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# Manulife Indonesia Grants Scholarship for Deaf and Hard of Hearing Students through Indonesia Open University

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**Jakarta, Indonesia** – Manulife Indonesia has donated USD15,000 of scholarship funds for Deaf and hard-of-hearing students, channeled through Indonesia Open University. This donation offers a full scholarship for a four-year undergraduate study (eight semesters in total) for 20 students who have been identified through a selection process.

"At Manulife, we are focused on decisions made easier. Lives made better. It is core to our being. Enabling better inclusion and access to education through this scholarship program with Indonesia Open University is one more way we are delivering on our mission and building a better business to better the world," said Ryan Charland, President Director & CEO, Manulife Indonesia.

The basis of this scholarship is related to two interconnected pillars within our Global Impact Agenda – empowering sustained health and well-being, and driving inclusive economic opportunities to create a more even playing field for all. It portrays Manulife's strong commitment to respecting people's right to have a better future. The scholarship recipients will have the opportunity to join Manulife in the future.

"We are grateful that through this scholarship, we are increasing better inclusion and access to education for deaf and hard of hearing students," said Rahmat Budiman, Vice-Rector, Indonesia Open University.

Indonesia Open University applies an open system that does not require in-class presence as learning is facilitated by various accessible media, facilitating better education access and

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inclusion for all. The 20 selected students will then benefit from the scholarship and study in an undergraduate program of their choice at the university.

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