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## JAKARTA and BALI POST TRIP REPORT 12 to 19<sup>th</sup> May Terry Mills MLA Member for Blain

The purpose of the trip was two-fold.

1. One was to assess a new English language facility in Bali that is being developed to prepare Indonesian students and workers for service in the Northern Territory.
- The language training centre is seeking advice on appropriate curriculum to match the requirements of both the hospitality and farm worker needs and requirements in the Northern Territory.
2. The second purpose was to attend an Indonesia Australia Business Council meeting in Jakarta as an executive member of the Australia Indonesia Business Council in the NT.

### Organizations Visited

1. Rama Group training Centre Jimbaran Bali, Indonesia Australia Business Council executive Jakarta.

### Useful Resources Obtained and Recommendations

- To seriously consider and plan for meaningful economic engagement with Indonesia requires maintaining a close dialogue with like-minded organizations that share a similar agenda.  
<http://www.iabc.or.id/>
- The biennial conference for Indonesian Australian Business Council is in November and will be held in Surabaya. See the notice below.  
<http://iabc.or.id/download/IABC%20Conference%202017%20-%20Pre-Announcement.pdf>
- Also the IA-CEPA the **Indonesia-Australia Comprehensive Economic Partnership Agreement**: is an important document outlining terms of economic engagement between Australia and Indonesia.  
<http://iabc.or.id/download/IACEPABPGENGLISH.pdf>
- It is hoped that the IA-CEPA is formalized by November 2017 in time for the biennial Surabaya conference.



President of IABC Peter Fanning is a former Darwin resident and lawyer.



Exec Director IABC Vic Halim is a friend of the NT



Nico Daryanto former Sec General of PDI-P and advisor to Megawati is keen to develop NT connections

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