**Improving Proposal Quality, 104 Participants Join Research and Service Proposal Clinics**

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The Research and Community Service Office (LPPM) Universitas Gorontalo held the activity for "Research Proposal Clinic and Community Service Program" in the UNG Rectorate Meeting Room Tuesday (March 3, 2020).

The events began with remarks from the Head of LPPM Prof. Dr. Ishak Isa, M.Si. In his speech, he said, “Clinics are part of the strategy to improve the quality of proposals and the opportunities to receive research grants from the Directorate General of Higher Education (Dikti). From 104 research and community service proposals participating in the clinic, it is targeted that at least 52 proposals can pass and receive Dikti grants. This activity will be held for two days, Tuesday and Wednesday. Tomorrow we will move to the Postgraduate Building.” he said.

“One by one, the various shortcomings of the proposals will be reviewed so that improvements will be made with the resource persons. This is an opportunity for all of us to be able to ask anything related to the tricks of proposing a proposal and God willing, we can pass as expected, "he concluded, Prof. Ishak.

LPPM specifically invited Prof. Dr. Abu Bakar Tawali from Universitas Hasanudin as a resource person. Prof. Abu Bakar is one of the senior national reviewers of Dikti of the region of Sulawesi. Before the presentation of the material by the resource person, the Rector of the State University of Gorontalo, who was represented by the Vice Rector I for Academic Affairs, Dr. Harto Malik, M.Hum delivered his remarks, "With the guidance of the quality of UNG Lecturer proposals will be better and can compete with other universities in obtaining grants" he concluded.

The event continued with the presentation of materials on guidelines and the ins and outs of proposal preparation by the resource persons. Prof. Ir Abu Bakar Tawali, accompanied by Dr. Lukman A.R. Laliyo, M.Pd, M.M, gave the material for 2 (two) days.

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