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Workshop on "Basic Molecular Training on DNA Forensic of Sea Turtle" was held as part of the Magister Program of Udayana University on 18th-19th September 2017. With the collaborative effort of BIONESIA, Udayana University and WWF-Indonesia, this workshop was managed to train participants from 10 public and private universities across Bali, and also three government institutions with the total of 27 participants. During this workshop, the participants were introduced to basic genetic laboratory work for forensic purposes and very excited to have their hands-on experience on doing the laboratory work. The discussion about sea turtle conservation and research was also intense with some of the university participants proposing several ideas for research on sea turtles. The results of this workshop were aligned with the goal of the project in building the networking of the sea turtle conservation across Bali. Details about this event have been updated on our website (http://bionesia.org/?p=425)



Opening speech by Dr. Ida Ayu Astarini, Head of Magister Biology Program of Udayana University.



One of the participants was learning to do DNA extraction.