

The Role of the Centre for Constitutional and Legislation Studies in Developing Legal Studies at the Faculty of Sharia and Law

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Abstract: The Centre for Legal Studies is an institution that must exist in every law faculty, but not all faculties have a centre for legal studies. Among the faculties with a centre for legal studies is the Faculty of Sharia and Law Sunan Ampel State Islamic University, Surabaya, Indonesia, named the Centre for Constitutional and Legislation Studies (PUSKOLEGIS). This article discusses the role of the Centre for Constitutional and Legislation Studies in developing legal studies at the Faculty of Sharia and Law, Sunan Ampel State Islamic University, Surabaya, Indonesia. The research conducted was at the Centre for Constitutional and Legislation Studies (PUSKOLEGIS) Faculty of Sharia and Law Sunan Ampel State Islamic University, Surabaya, Indonesia. The data collected was through observation, interview, and documentation, and the data was analyzed qualitatively. This study concluded that PUSKOLEGIS is essential in developing legal studies at the Faculty of Sharia and Law, Sunan Ampel State Islamic University, Surabaya, Indonesia. PUSKOLEGIS was formed on August 10, 2022, and has carried out various activities that can contribute to developing legal studies at the Faculty of Sharia and Law, Sunan Ampel State Islamic University, Surabaya, Indonesia, through multiple activities, such as making academic manuscripts and draft regional regulations, webinars/conference, discussions, research, press release and training. However, PUSKOLEGIS focuses on positive legal studies in Indonesia and less on Islamic Law. For this reason, we recommend that the Faculty of Sharia and Law also form Islamic Law studies to develop legal studies based on Islamic Law/Sharia.

Keywords: Centre for Constitutional and Legislation Studies, legal studies, Faculty of Sharia and Law.

1. Introduction

A study centre is a mono or multidisciplinary unit formed to conduct research, training and various scientific services (UII). Therefore, the presence of university study centres is significant (Sandfreni, Muhammad Bahrul Ulum, et al. 346). A study centre at a university can act as a supporting element that shows the university's existence in the community (LPPM UNS; Mutambo et al. 46).

Sunan Ampel State Islamic University, Surabaya, strongly desires to develop science in its vision and mission. Scientific development cannot be separated from research activities and community service in various fields of science and expertise. To support this vision and mission, UINSA presents various Study Centres in the UINSA academic community, such as the Centre for Gender and Child Studies, the Centre for Pancasila Studies, and the Centre for Constitutional and Legislation Studies.

The Dean of the Faculty of Sharia and Law established the Centre for Constitutional and Legislation Studies (PUSKOLEGIS) on August 10, 2022, based on the Dean's Decree number 2727 of 2022 and was inaugurated by the Constitutional Court Judge and Vice Dean for Education on May 5, 2023. The purpose of establishing PUSKOLEGIS is to increase the role of institutions in education, research and service in the fields of law, constitution and legislation (Dekan Fakultas Syariah dan Hukum UIN Sunan Ampel Surabaya). Many parties support the existence of PUSKOLEGIS; however, some criticize its existence. Based on this, this article aims to discuss the role of the Centre for Constitutional and Legislation Studies in the development of legal studies at the Faculty of Sharia and Law UIN Sunan Ampel Surabaya.

There have been several studies on university study centres in previous studies, although none have discussed legal study centres. There are two studies on the Centre for gender studies as conducted by Musyafa'ah, which examined "The Role of the Centre for Gender and Child Studies in Preventing Sexual Violence on Campus Islamic Criminal Law Perspective" (Musyafaah et al.) and Octarina's research on "The Role of Women's Study Centre (PSW) in Gender Mainstreaming at Sunan Kalijaga State Islamic University (UIN)" (Octarina). In addition to gender, there is technology-related research such as those conducted by Sandfreni on "Role Based Goal Oriented Model Modeling in Developing Electronic Study Centre Services at Fasilkom Esa Unggul University" (Sandfreni, M. Bahrul Ulum, et al.) and "Analysis of Information System

Design Study Centre at the Faculty of Computer Science, Esa Unggul University" (Sandfreni, Muhammad Bahrul Ulum, et al.). In addition, there is research on the Centre for Social Studies conducted by A'yunin on "Library Promotion of the Centre for Southeast Asian Social Studies, Universitas Gadjah Mada Yogyakarta Through Social Media" (A'yunin, 2018). Meanwhile, Afryand researched "Internalization of Pancasila Values through the Centre for Pancasila Studies as an Effort to Strengthen the Nation's Ideology for the Young Generation" (Afryand and Sapriya) and Ata researched "The Role of the Centre for Islamic Studies and Da'wah Students (Pusdam al Shahwah) Sleman in Improving the Quality of Qur'an Reading in 2006/2007" (Ata). Based on the research above, no research has discussed the Centre for Legal Studies or the Centre for Constitutional Studies in the development of legal studies in universities. Hence, this research is essential to continue.

2. Literature Review

In Law Number 20 of 2003 concerning the National Education System Article 20, universities are obliged to organize education, research and community service (Presiden Republik Indonesia 11). These three things are known as the tri dharma of higher education (Chudzaifah et al. 79; Istambul 15). Study centres at higher education institutions have an important role in supporting the tri dharma (Supianudin 1–3).

The study centre is a useful forum for learning and education that provides knowledge, values, and intelligence for the community to respond to things that have and will happen in the future (Sri Cahyadi 17–18). The term study centre is widely used for naming an institution intended as a centre for study, research and community service from a higher education institution or non-higher education institution (Supianudin 3–4).

The study centre is a scientific and expertise group that has an interest in the study of science that carries out planning and implementation activities, quality control activities and research and community service cooperation in the context of monodisciplinary and/or multidisciplinary scientific development as a support for the implementation of faculty duties (Sandfreni, M. Bahrul Ulum, et al. 651).

3. Methodology

This field research was conducted at the Centre for Constitutional and Legislation Studies, Faculty of Sharia and Law UIN Sunan Ampel Surabaya. Data collection is done through observations, interviews and documentation. Observations were made at the PUSKOLEGIS office, PUSKOLEGIS social media and activities held by PUSKOLEGIS. Interviews were conducted with PUSKOLEGIS managers, lecturers, students and graduates of FSH UINSA. The documentation is carried out by tracing documents owned by PUSKOLEGIS, such as letters, activity reports, and files related to PUSKOLEGIS. The collected data is analyzed in a qualitative descriptive manner.

4. Result

4.1 Profile of Centre for Constitution and Legislation Studies Faculty of Sharia and Law UIN Sunan Ampel Surabaya

UIN Sunan Ampel Surabaya has several study centres: the Centre for Gender and Child Studies, the Centre for Pancasila Studies, the Centre for Indonesian-Chinese Studies, and the Centre for Constitutional and Legislation Studies. The Centre for Constitutional and Legislation Studies, or PUSKOLEGIS, is a study centre at the Faculty of Sharia and Law, Sunan Ampel State Islamic University, Surabaya. PUSKOLEGIS was established based on the Decree of the Dean of the Faculty of Sharia and Law Number 2757 of 2022 concerning the Establishment of the Centre for Constitutional and Legislation Studies of the Faculty of Sharia and Law UIN Sunan Ampel Surabaya (PUSKOLEGIS, *Anggaran Dasar Pusat Studi Konstitusi Dan Legislasi* 1).

The purpose of establishing PUSKOLEGIS is to increase the institution's role as a centre for research, development and service in law, constitution, and legislation based on Pancasila values and the integration of Islamic values. In addition, the Centre for Constitutional and Legislation Studies also strives to contribute to the renewal of the legal and constitutional system in Indonesia through deep, comprehensive, and holistic studies (Dekan Fakultas Syariah dan Hukum UIN Sunan Ampel Surabaya 1).

As an independent institution, the Centre for Constitutional and Legislation Studies has formulated a concept map for 2022-2026 to increase the capacity of human resources to have competence as professional legal drafters, increase the quantity of cooperation with related agencies in various fields, strengthen the position of internal institutions to create a conducive atmosphere free from intervention, build public trust through various means and activities that lead to alignment with the people, increasing institutional capacity in the form of high trust of cooperation partners and the community in legislation and constitution issues, as well as maintaining the quality and quality of activities carried out by the Centre for Constitutional and Legislation Studies (Studi).

In carrying out the concept map as intended, the Centre for Constitutional and Legislation Studies has

several sections, namely the section on research and strategic studies, the section on education and training, and the section on publication, media and documentation. Each section has a work program in accordance with the main tasks and functions of each (PUSKOLEGIS, "Laporan Tahunan PUSKOLEGIS" 1). The following is a figure of PUSKOLEGIS 2022-2026 management structure.

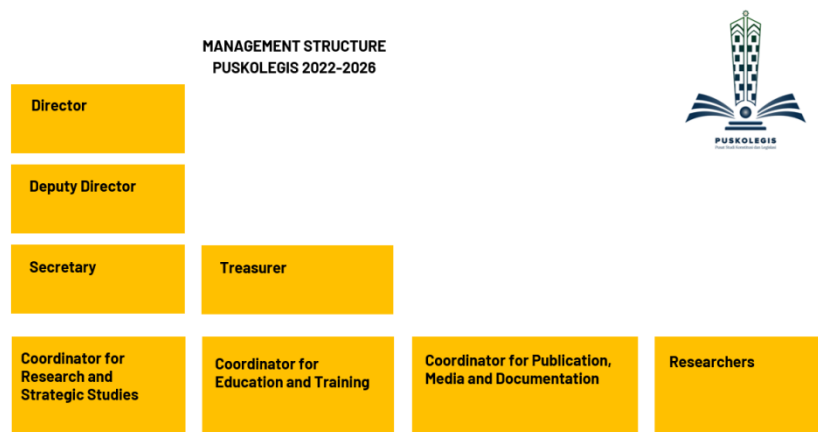


Figure 1: The management structure of PUSKOLEGIS 2022-2026.

The vision of PUSKOLEGIS is to become a study centre that can contribute to the renewal and development of the Indonesian administrative system, as well as a forum for the scientific development of students and lecturers in the fields of constitution and legislation.

To achieve this vision, the missions of PUSKOLEGIS are:

1. Conduct studies and research on various developments in law, constitution, and legislation as well as constitutional practice;
2. Increase understanding of constitutional rights of citizens and encourage state administrators to realize constitutional values in state life;
3. Conducting academic development for students and lecturers through the interaction of ideas and thoughts in the fields of law, constitution, and legislation; and
4. Build networks of cooperation with various national and international institutions.

4.2 The Role of the Centre for Constitutional and Legislation Studies in Developing Legal Studies in Higher Education

Since its establishment on August 10, 2022, until now, PUSKOLEGIS has carried out several activities both internally and externally, including:

1. Preparing Academic Manuscripts and Draft Regional Regulations

In this case, PUSKOLEGIS has prepared five Academic Manuscripts and Draft Regional Regulations, namely: Academic Manuscripts and Draft Regional Regulations of Depok City concerning Social Security Employment; an Academic Paper and Draft Regional Regulation of Jember Regency on Regional Spatial Plan; Academic Paper on the Promotion of Regional Culture and Pancasila Education and National Insight; Academic Manuscript on the Promotion of Regional Culture and Pancasila Education and National Insight, and Academic Manuscript and Surabaya Regional Regulation on Protection of Disability.

2. Organizing a Webinar Series on General Elections

Webinar Series is an academic forum in the form of online seminars with a serial design. The Election Law Series will be held twice with themes around election law: "Questioning the 2024 Elections" Saturday, December 3, 2022.

"Questioning the Resolution of Election Disputes in Indonesia" Saturday, January 28 2023. Webinar Series is an academic forum in the form of online seminars with a serial design. The Election Law Series will be held twice with different themes around election law. This Election Law Webinar Series produces a formulation of improvements to the electoral law framework, including the following: 1) Improvements in aspects of Political Parties and political recruitment in public office; 2) Construction of recall system by constituents; 3) Elimination of the presidential threshold setting for competitive presidential elections; 4) Structuring coalition rules; 5) Improvement of parliamentary threshold settings; 6) Term limits of the president and vice president; and 7) Reformat the design of simultaneous elections. The study's final results will be outlined in diktats or academic manuscripts as official recommendations from the Puskolegis for the

improvement of election law in the future (PUSKOLEGIS, *Laporan Akhir Tahun Bidang Riset Dan Kajian Strategis*).

3. Organizing a National Seminar on PERPPU

On May 5, 2023, PUSKOLEGIS held a national seminar themed "Dynamics of Substitute Regulations Law in the Indonesian Constitutional System". This seminar presented speakers from the Constitutional Court judges, Dr. Daniel YusmicPancastakiFoekh, S.H., M.H. attended this seminar 250 participants, from lecturers and students (PUSKOLEGIS, *Keputusan Direktur PUSKOLEGIS Nomor 1 Tahun 2023 Tentang Susunan Panitia Seminar Nasional*).

4. Organizing Lecturer Discussions

PUSKOLEGIS has held three lecturer discussions, namely on "Quo Vadis: The Concept of Penalties in Indonesia According to the National Criminal Code (From Human Rights and Law Enforcement Aspects)" on January 4, 2023, "Problems with the Issuance of Output Cards for Siri Marriage Couples" on February 15, 2023, and "Legal Aspects and Validity of Buying and Selling in the Metaverse" on June 14, 2023. This lecturer discussion was carried out to optimize the role of lecturers in developing their knowledge and as a means of sharing knowledge between lecturers related to legal issues being studied in the community.

5. Conducting Constitutional Studies

The Constitutional Review is held once a week, every Friday from 08.00 to 11.30 WIB, located in the PUSKOLEGIS room. Participants of the Constitutional Study are selected students. These namely students are considered to meet the minimum qualification standards to take part in the Constitutional Study selected by the PUSKOLEGIS team. The participants of the Constitutional Study amounted to 12 students of the Faculty of Sharia and Law. The purpose of this Constitutional Study is to accelerate understanding of constitutional law and constitutional law so that students are ready when they are sent down to national competitions or competitions of an academic nature in Indonesia, especially competitions related to the constitution, such as constitutional debates. This activity can leverage students' critical reasoning regarding constitutional issues. Constitutional Studies is oriented as a forum for effective student development in the field of law and constitution.

6. School of Legislative Drafting

Implementing the Legislative Drafting School is actually to provide experience and knowledge on the procedures for forming laws and regulations quickly, precisely, comprehensively and effectively, especially for human resources at the Centre for Constitutional and Legislation Studies. The purpose of the Legislative Drafting School is to provide understanding related to the technical preparation of Academic Manuscripts, Regional Regulations and Regional Head Regulations quickly, precisely and effectively and provide experience through sharing experiences from the Speaker to all participants. The School Legislative Drafting activity was held online through the Zoom Meeting application on Thursday, October 27, 2022. The participants of this activity were present at the Faculty of Sharia and Law, Sunan Ampel State Islamic University Surabaya directly (PUSKOLEGIS, *Kerangka Acuan Sekolah Legislatif Drafting*).

7. Research

The research conducted by PUSKOLEGIS is an interdisciplinary basic research cluster entitled "The Role of Higher Education in East Java in Halal Certification Assistance for Micro, Small and Medium Enterprises (MSMEs)". In addition, PUSKOLEGIS is writing a book about ELECTIONS.

8. Community service

The community service carried out is "Assistance in Strengthening Village Information Systems (SID) as a Form of Public Service in Lamongan Regency with a Participatory Action Research (PAR) Approach". This assistance was carried out in three villages in Lamongan Regency.

9. Education column through the Instagram

The education column is a media published through Instagram PUSKOLEGIS, which aims to provide information related to essential theories or knowledge related to the constitution or legislative process that is informative and educative. The educational column has been published several times, including 1) Constitutalk through the YouTube Channel; To provide information and education to the public about legal developments in Indonesia in particular laws, constitutions and legislation, a special channel in the form of

constitutional and legislative podcasts is needed. The podcast, called "Constitutalk", has been running twice on the topics "Observing the Implementation of the Sexual Violence Law" and "Land Acquisition for Public Interest: Between Public Interest and Protection of Private Rights. With the presence of this Constitutalk podcast, it is hoped that it can present the public with easy listening legal information.

10. Infographics via Instagram channel

Infographic is a program initiated to present information and current legal issues through simple and short data presentation. The presentation of data in infographics is needed for people who do not explore a particular study. In addition, the visual arrangement of data with graphic design can attract people's attention to read the news without taking a long time. The current issues summarized in the PUSKOLEGIS infographic are two infographics.

11. Centre for Constitutional and Legislative Studies goes to Media

Academic information and opinions can be massively disseminated intensely through print and online media. Researchers of the Centre for Constitutional and Legislation Studies of the Faculty of Sharia and Law need to participate in media authorship. It aims not only to provide information or academic opinions but also to improve writing competence for researchers. In addition to containing information and strategic legal studies, releasing activities to the media is also needed to improve self-branding both researchers and institutionally. PUSKOLEGIS goes to media was realized five times: 1) "Flood in Communal Tradition" *Republika* November 7, 2022 (Riza Multazam) 2) "Acceleration of Tourism Village Development" *Sindo Jakarta Newspaper*, December 9, 2022 (Riza Multazam) 3) "The Urgency of Canceling the PERPPU on Job Creation", *matabanua*, March 1, 2023 (Hendrik Kurniawan) 4) "Question the Central Jakarta District Court's Decision in Postponing the 2024 Elections", *Kalimantan Post*, April 3, 2023 (Hendrik Kurniawan) 5) "Ready! By Order of the Employer", *Street Parliament*, April 1 2023 (M. Asrori Ibrahim).

12. Press Release on actual constitutional issues

Disclosure of strategic issues carried out through academic studies must be published on every news channel, both mainstream and social media, so that the release of attitude statements in press releases is needed to increase public awareness of the issues discussed. In addition, press releases can also provide input to policymakers and related stakeholders. PUSKOLEGIS has released an investigation into the issue of dismissal of Constitutional Court judges (PUSKOLEGIS, *Tindakan Inkonstitusional Dan Merusak Independensi Hakim Konstitusi*), Opposing the Issue of Extending the Term of Office of Village Heads that Violates the Spirit of the Constitution (PUSKOLEGIS, *Menentang Isu Perpanjangan Masa Jabatan Kepala Desa Yang Mencederai Semangat Konstitusi*), Challenging Government Authoritarianism in the Job Creation Perppu (PUSKOLEGIS, *Menggugat Otoritarianisme Pemerintah Dalam Perppu Cipta Kerja*), Extension of KPK Term of Office by the Constitutional Court: Between Constitutional or Political Interests Only? (PUSKOLEGIS, *Perpanjangan Masa Jabatan KPK Oleh MK: Antara Kepentingan Konstitusional Atau Politis Semata?*).

13. PUSKOLEGIS Documentary

As part of efforts to collect activity documentation on each Centre for Constitutional and Legislation Studies agenda, there is a program in the form of PUSKOLEGIS Documentary. This documentation activity is carried out at the end of each month, both documentation of routine activities and additional activities. In each activity, a recapitulation is carried out in the form of image and video documentation, both moving and not moving. This program has been implemented in several feasible activities, School Legislative Drafting, Webinars and regular meetings.

14. Social Media Management

Social Media Management is the main core for the Publication, Media and Documentation division of the Centre for Constitutional and Legislation Studies. Social media management is a means of communication with external parties, such as the community and stakeholders in the legal field. Some of the media managed are Instagram, TikTok, YouTube and communication media in the form of mailing. These media channels are the downstream part of every Centre for Constitutional and Legislative Studies agenda.

4.3 Benefits of the Existence of PUSKOLEGIS at the Faculty of Sharia and Law UIN Sunan Ampel Surabaya

Based on interviews with PUSKOLEGIS managers, they feel benefits while joining PUSKOLEGIS, such as increasing their legal insight and knowledge, increasing work experience, and collaborating with partners. It

is as stated by Indy, a student who is a research assistant at PUSKOLEGIS:

"During joining PUSKOLEGIS, I gained a lot of useful knowledge, relationships and experiences that I did not get in college. In addition, I came from the Department of Islamic Family Law, then at PUSKOLEGIS met with lecturers from legal experts in their respective fields, helped me gain insight into the law, and shaped my mindset for the better."

Bagus, lecturer and Secretary of PUSKOLEGIS said:

"Puskolegis presents a fairly good academic atmosphere, so it allows me to develop my capacity as a lecturer. The culture of punctuality and mutual respect makes me better."

It is supported by the statement of Helga, an FSH alumna who is a research assistant to PUSKOLEGIS:

"PUSKOLEGIS provides opportunities for students and alumni who join to be directly involved in research and drafting laws and regulations PUSKOLEGIS facilitates several trainings and strengthens skills in the field of law, such as legislative drafting training and writing training which will certainly provide additional knowledge and skills for participants PUSKOLEGIS presents quality academic activities with expert speakers such as Webinar Series, National Seminars, Legal Discussions, and Legal Discourse certainly provide knowledge in the field of law from direct experts."

In addition to benefits for students or lecturers who manage PUSKOLEGIS, the existence of PUSKOLEGIS in general also brings benefits to the Faculty of Sharia and Law UIN Sunan Ampel Surabaya, as conveyed by Wisma, FSH Students:

"The contribution of PUSKOLEGIS to FSH UINSA is enormous. With this Puskoledis, it can participate in advancing FSH not only within the campus but also outside the campus. A regular agenda of legal discussions by PUSKOLEGIS can increase familiarity and togetherness between FSH lecturers and students who actively participate in discussions. In addition, with the national seminar held by PUSKOLEGIS participated in bringing the good name of the Faculty of Sharia and Law. It invited great speakers from outside, including the Judge of the Constitutional Court. With this, FSH can be better known."

The same thing was conveyed by Lutfil, lecturer and secretary of the Islamic Public Law department:

"The existence of PUSKOLEGIS has benefits for the Faculty of Sharia and Law, namely: 1. Building a better academic culture within FSH UINSA, by facilitating lecturers to disseminate their knowledge in the form of webinars, national seminars, legal discussions, etc. 2. Students get a wider space to deepen their legal knowledge through various PUSKOLEGIS activities. 3. As a means of a more in-depth and comprehensive legal review within the FSH UINSA environment. 4. Provide space for the faculty to cooperate with state institutions."

Elva, an FSH lecturer, also said that the presence of PUSKOLEGIS is useful for improving the quality of FSH internally and externally.

The following is a table of the benefits of PUSKOLEGIS for PUSKOLEGIS Management and the Faculty of Sharia and Law, which is processed from interviews with participant of this research:

Table 1: Benefits of the Existence of PUSKOLEGIS for PUSKOLEGIS Management and Faculty of Sharia and Law

Number	Benefits for PUSKOLEGIS Management	Benefits of PUSKOLEGIS for Faculty
1	Increase knowledge in the field of law	Build a better academic culture within FSH UINSA
2	Increase practical experience in the law.	Students get a wider space to deepen their legal knowledge through various PUSKOLEGIS activities.
3	Increase TEAM work experience.	PUSKOLEGIS as a means of a more in-depth and comprehensive legal review within the FSH UINSA environment.
4	Join PUSKOLEGIS as a means of service	Provide space for the faculty to cooperate with state institutions.
5	Supporting performance as lecturers and students	To improve the quality of FSH internally and externally
6	Improving Relations and Cooperation	Supporting the tri dharma of higher education

However, there are several obstacles in carrying out tasks and activities at PUSKOLEGIS. The following are the constraints and evaluations of the implementation of the management and work program of the Centre for Constitutional and Legislation Studies:

1. Human resources. Not all human resources (researchers) at the Centre for Constitutional and Legislation Studies can draft laws and regulations. Therefore, activities are needed in human resource development at the Centre for Constitutional and Legislation Studies.
2. The active management of PUSKOLEGIS. In addition to carrying out obligations as lecturers in the form of the Tri Darma of Higher Education, the Board of the Centre for Constitutional and Legislation Studies is also involved in many external and internal activities. In addition, the existence of Research Assistants, most of whom are students, have a busy routine lecture. So, in this case, you must divide enough time and work harder.
3. The finances of the Centre for Constitutional and Legislation Studies are still unstable, so the implementation of activities must be well-measured. Therefore, as an independent study centre in the future, the Centre for Constitutional and Legislation Studies must increase cooperation with the government and private institutions in research and community service.
4. The Centre for Constitutional and Legislation Studies facilities and infrastructure are inadequate. For example, there is no availability of Treepods, Cameras or other instruments that can be used in law and constitution. It is reasonable considering the absence of sufficient financial resources. But the spirit of management deserves appreciation. With limited facilities and infrastructure, activities are still running well.
5. The performance of researchers in the Centre for Constitutional and Legislation Studies has not been optimal. In management, the Centre for Constitutional and Legislation Studies has researchers who are separate from management in the form of fields. However, in general, many activities are carried out by Field Coordinators and Research Assistants.

The suggestions submitted to PUSKOLEGIS include those suggested by Safiudin, Lecturer and Secretary of the Constitutional Law Study Program:

“Membership is strengthened (working team, human resource competency development, etc.) with adequate task load distribution, expanding cooperation networks, daring to hold significant events related to the national scale PUSKOLEGIS field so that it gets a lot of attention and hopes to bring cooperation in the future.”

Meanwhile, Ilmi, FSH Lecturer, suggested that PUSKOLEGIS often involves students in various activities to learn forums and add experience.

Hendrik, FSH Alumnus, conveyed the same thing: It is further improved in terms of studies to bring up qualified scientists in their fields so that PUSKOLEGIS can participate at the national level and contribute to national-scale government policymaking.

Megita, FSH Student, also expressed her hope that in the future, PUSKOLEGIS will grow, and the results of his research will become a reference for all circles or have penetrated, becoming a constitutional consultant.

The following is a table of Respondents' suggestions for PUSKOLGIS, which is processed from interviews with various parties:

Table 2: Inhibiting Factors in PUSKOLEGIS

Number	Theme	Description	Suggestion
1	Human resources	Not all human resources (researchers) at the Centre for Constitutional and Legislation Studies can draft laws and regulations.	Membership (working team, Human Resources competency development, etc.) is strengthened with adequate task load distribution.
2	Cooperation and partnership	There is still little partnership.	Expanding the Cooperation network
3	Financial	Not yet stable	Manage finances as well as possible.
4	facilities and infrastructure	Inadequate	Fulfil facilities and infrastructure gradually.

5	Performance	Not optimal yet.	Periodically evaluate and improve activities that benefit each element.
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4.4 Analysis of the Role of PUSKOLEGIS in the Development of Legal Studies at the Faculty of Sharia and Law UIN Sunan Ampel Surabaya

The Study Centre is a group of scientists and experts interested in science that carries out planning and implementation activities, quality control activities and research and community service cooperation (Institut Bisnis dan Teknologi Indonesia). Study centres are essential in higher education (Stahler and Tash). The study centre must own five functions: Implementation of Strategic Thinking from campus, student partners in scientific studies, lecturer partners, knowledge machines and community assistants. In this case, PUSKOLEGIS has implemented five functions of the study centre.

As a source of knowledge and innovative works, the campus must implement all of it for the community's welfare. The study centre is at the forefront of implementing that. Through systematic programs, they must be able to convey this message to the community. Study centres can work with partners to maximize results. In this case, PUSKOLEGIS has collaborated with various parties to develop networks. Cooperation is carried out with the Constitutional Court in organizing a national seminar by inviting Constitutional Court judges as resource persons. In addition, collaboration is also carried out with other campuses as part of knowledge sharing, such as cooperation with UII and UNITOMO in organizing webinars. In making Draft local regulations (RAPERDA), PUSKOLEGIS also collaborates with related partners.

In carrying out activities, PUSKOLEGIS actively involves students and lecturers. Lecturers and students are helped through meetings or discussions with the study centre. The lecturers are also members of the study centre, so they understand what important material to discuss is. Various study materials will be returned to students for input in learning materials.

The study centre consists of selected human resources. So naturally, the study centre becomes the originator of important ideas in encouraging increased campus competitiveness. In addition, as a government partner in regional or national development. Through the study centre, various creativity will be born that can provide a way for people to improve their lives. In this case, PUSKOLEGIS actively conveys the latest issues related to legal problems and developments to the community.

In applying various findings, The study centre performs the function of mentoring. It is to oversee strategic plans so that they are implemented properly. Socialize various government regulations or policies at the community level. It is hoped that people's knowledge and understanding will increase and enlighten the development direction (Achmad).

The five points above are part of implementing the tri dharma of higher education. The development of PUSKOLEGIS is to support the implementation of the tri dharma. In Education, PUSKOLEGIS actively organizes legal studies through webinars, seminars, weekly studies, training, and social media. Regarding research, PUSKOLEGIS conducts various activities related to research, such as writing books, writing opinions, articles and research. In dedication, PUSKOLEGIS is a forum for lecturers and students to develop scientific studies and add practical experience related to law. In addition, PUSKOLEGIS assists the community by managing Village Information Systems in three villages in the Lamongan district, East Java.

Community service is part of the Tri Dharma of Higher Education and the other two dharmas: research and teaching. Dharma devotion manifests the interconnectedness of science, charity and social transformation. Community Service is a real medium in bridging universities and communities facing various problems and social needs because universities are required not only to be the Centre of science development but also to implement science for the benefit of society (Soehadha 2).

Table 3: Implementation of the Tri Dharma of Higher Education by PUSKOLEGIS

Number	Tri Dharma of College	Activities
1	Education	The conference, Webinar, Discussion, School of legal drafting, training, Socialisation of law via social
2	Research	Write books and opinions, research, compile academic media manuscripts and draft regional regulations.
3	Community service	PUSKOLEGIS is a place for student internships, educating the public through various media, voicing justice through press releases, providing community assistance

The Faculty of Sharia and Law is a place of education that studies Sharia science and legal science. However, until now, the existing study centre is a centre for constitutional and legislation studies whose studies are still limited to legal science and do not discuss sharia studies. To meet the needs of studies in the field of sharia, the Faculty of Sharia and Law should also establish a centre for sharia studies to facilitate fulfilling these needs.

5. Conclusion

This study concluded that the Centre for Studies and Constitution is important in developing legal studies, especially at the Faculty of Sharia and Law UIN Sunan Ampel Surabaya. Although not yet a year old, PUSKOLEGIS has carried out various activities that support the implementation of the Tri Dharma of Higher Education, Education, research and service. In Education, PUSKOLEGIS actively organizes legal studies through webinars, seminars, weekly studies, training, and social media. Regarding research, PUSKOLEGIS conducts various activities related to research, such as writing books, writing opinions, articles and research. Meanwhile, in the service community, PUSKOLEGIS is a forum for lecturers and students who want to devote themselves to internships at PUSKOLEGIS. In addition, PUSKOLEGIS also assists in the community by assisting in managing Village Information Systems in three villages in Lamongan Regency.

This research is only limited to the role of PUSKOLEGIS in the development of legal studies at the Faculty of Sharia and Law UIN Sunan Ampel Surabaya. This research needs to be developed by examining the Centre for Law Studies in universities in Indonesia to get a more detailed picture of the influence of study centres on the development of legal studies in universities in Indonesia.

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