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PREFACE

All praise and gratitude to Almighty God, for His blessings and guidance that have enabled the completion of this ebook, “Listening to Riau Malay Local Genius”. This book is designed as a teaching material for the *Listening* course, integrating English listening skills with the richness of local wisdom, particularly Malay culture, Although this book mainly explores stories from the malay tradition, it represents the spirit of Nusantara Indonesia’s diverse local wisdom and cultural richness. Listening is one of the fundamental skills in mastering a language. Through systematic and purposeful listening, students are trained not only to capture general and detailed information, but also to think critically, evaluate discourse, and relate it to social and cultural contexts. Therefore, this book adopts the L-CUEBE learning model (Listen – Comprehend – Use –Evaluate- Build – Express), combining scientific, project-based, and constructivist approaches. In addition to providing listening practices for various types of English discourse, this book introduces Malay cultural content such as art, music, dance, cuisine, folktales, and local wisdom. Thus, students are expected to enhance their linguistic competence while also developing cultural awareness, which is essential for refined cross-cultural communication. The authors realize that this book is far from perfect. Therefore, constructive feedback and suggestions are highly appreciated for the improvement of future editions. It is our hope that this textbook will contribute, even in a small way, to improving the quality of language learning and strengthening cultural identity in the midst of globalization.

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