





World Forum for Muslim Democrats 2015

Program

Jakarta, Indonesia

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Hotel Le Meridien, Jakarta

22 November Arrival of foreign participants

1830-1915 Coordination meeting for sessions' moderators and speakers

1930- Dinner: Foreign participants and representatives from joint organizers

23 November

0830-0930 Registration

Coffee/Tea

0930-1000 Keynote Speech

H. E. Dr. Anies Baswedan, Minister of Education and Culture, Republic of Indonesia

1000-1030 Opening Session

Welcoming Remarks

Rahimah Abdulrahim, Executive Director, The Habibie Center

Opening Remarks

Jiro Hanyu, Chairman, The Sasakawa Peace Foundation, Japan Khalid Jaafar, Executive Director, Institut Kajian Dasar Malaysia

Representative from SETA Turkey

1030-1100 Speech by Nurul Izzah, Member of Parliament, Malaysia

Read on behalf of Datuk Seri Anwar Ibrahim, Chairman of the World Forum for

Muslim Democrats

1100-1130 Photo session/Press Interview

1200-1300 Lunch

1300-1530 Breakup Sessions

Group 1: Islamic State (ISIS), Sectarian Conflict and Islamic Extremism

Moderator: Kilic Bugra Kanat, Research Director, SETA Foundation in Washington DC

Ufuk Ulutas, Director, SETA, Turkey

Dr Abolghasem Jafari, University of Religions and Denominations, Iran

Satoshi Ikeuchi, Associate Professor, Research Center for Advanced Science and

Technology, The University of Tokyo, Japan

Group 2: Human Rights and Refugees (Rohingya and Syria)

Moderator: Thomas Vargas, Country Representative, UNCHR Indonesia

Kamarudin Jaffar, Member of Parliament, Malaysia

Thorsten Hutter, Deputy Head of the German Embassy to Indonesia

Febionesta, Chairperson, SUAKA (Indonesian Civil Society Network for Refugee

Protection), Indonesia

Group 3: Islamophobia and Minorities (Muslim minority in non-muslim countries)

Moderator: Shada Islam, Director of Policy, Friends of Europe and Freelance journalist

Akifumi Ikeda, President, Toyo Eiwa University, Japan

Tariq Ramadan, Professor, Contemporary Islamic Studies in the Faculty of Oriental

Studies, The University of Oxford

Komaruddin Hidayat, former Rector, UIN Syarif Hidayatullah, Indonesia

Group 4: Social Justice and Rule of Law (Non-muslim minority in Muslim countries)

Moderator: Endy Bayuni, Former Chief Editor, Jakarta Post, Indonesia

Datuk Saifuddin Abdullah, former Deputy Minister of Higher Education, Malaysia

Azyumardi Azra, UIN Syarif Hidayatullah, Indonesia

Mohammad Reza Dehshiri, Deputy Dean, School of International Relations (Tehran,

Iran) in Academic Cooperation

1530-1600 Coffee/tea Break

1600-1730 Closing Plenary for 23 November

Way forward (What to be done and role of media and other actors)

Moderator: Bridget Welsh, Associate Fellow, The Habibie Center

Group 1 Moderator: Kilic Bugra Kanat Group 2 Moderator: Igor Vorontsov Group 3 Moderator: Shada Islam Group 4 Moderator: Endy Bayuni,

1800- Welcoming Dinner (for all participants)

24 November

0830-0930 Registration

Coffee/tea

0930-1130 High Level Plenary

Opening remarks (Summary of Day 1 proceedings)

By a representative of the joint-organizers

Keynote Speeches

Dr. (H.C.) Zulkifli Hasan, Chairman, People's Consultative Assembly, Republic of

Indonesia

Surin Pitsuwan, Former Secretary General, the ASEAN Secretariat

Mohamed Azmin Ali, Chief Minister of Selangor, Malaysia

Rached Ghannouchi, co-founder of the Ennahda Movement*

1130-1200 Closing Ceremony

Declaration and Action Plan

Closing remarks (speaker TBC)

1200 Lunch (for all participants)

1300-1330 Press conference

25 November Departure of Foreign Participants