Yale Indonesia Forum



The Yale Indonesia Forum (YIF) is an interdisciplinary group that aims to serve members of the Yale community with a common interest in Indonesia and Indonesian affairs. While YIF actively seeks to raise awareness on Indonesia and its related issues on-campus through various activities, its main focus is to bring together faculty, students, and outside experts to present and discuss scholarship relating to Indonesia in the sub-national, regional, and global context. The group encourages presentations of works-in-progress by students and faculty, and welcomes outside speakers on Indonesia as well. The disciplinary focus is broad; topics of interest include the arts and humanities, social sciences, and current events and policy studies.

Religious Pluralism in Indonesia

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Abdulkadir Jailani is an eminent and experienced diplomat who has served the Ministry of Foreign Affairs of the Republic of Indonesia for more than twenty years. Mr. Jailani earned a Master of European Law and Policy from Portsmouth University, UK, and attended the Doctorate Program of Law at the University of Indonesia from 2002 until 2005.

Mr. Jailani's role includes supporting Indonesia's strategic foreign and domestic policy interests. For example, he has served as a lead negotiator in the establishment of Association of South East Asian Nations (ASEAN) Framework Instrument on Protection of the Rights of Migrant Workers and as Vice – Chairman of Intern-governmental Committee of WIPO on Genetic Resources, Traditional Knowledge and Folklore (2014).

Mr. Jailani is an avid reader of philosophy and politics and an enthusiastic black and white photographer. His life philosophy is "nothing has any foundation - things should be approached from particular perspective and particular end".

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