

The Australian National University
Indonesia Update Conference 2002: Local Power and Politics

Friday 27 September

8:30-9:00	Registration	
9:00-9:15	Opening Address	
9:15-10:45	Political Update	Speaker: <i>Harold Crouch</i> Discussant: <i>Dewi Fortuna Anwar</i>
10:45-11:15	Morning tea	
11:15-12:45	Economic Update	Speaker: <i>Moh. Ikhsan</i> Discussant: <i>Chris Manning</i>
12:45-14:00	Lunch	
14:00-15:30	Panel 1: From the national to the local in Indonesian politics	<i>Ryaas Rasyid</i> : An evaluation of decentralisation: the background, and the score sheet so far <i>Hans Antlov</i> : Not enough politics? Regional autonomy and the democratic polity
15:30-16:00	Afternoon tea	
16:00-17:30	Panel 2: Regional autonomy successes and challenges	<i>Cornelis Lay</i> : The politics of regional autonomy under the Megawati presidency <i>Mike Malley</i> : Historical patterns of centralisation and decentralisation
19:00	Update dinner	

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9:00-10:00	Panel 3: Local case studies	<p><i>Arrellano A Colongon Jnr:</i> What's Happening on the Ground? Findings from the Indonesia Rapid Decentralization Appraisal (IRDA)</p> <p><i>Michele Ford:</i> Who are the 'orang Riau'? Negotiating identity across geographic and ethnic fault-lines in the era of regional autonomy</p>
10:00-11:00	Panel 4: Local case studies	<p><i>Vedi Hadiz:</i> Local politics and the reconstitution of the New Order Elite: Medan and Yogyakarta</p> <p><i>Amrih Widodo:</i>Local politics? National politics?: Rethinking the local (and the national) in Post-1999 Election Politics</p>
11:00-11:30	Morning tea	
11:30-12:30	Panel 5: Local case studies	<p><i>Rodd McGibbon:</i> Addressing Indonesia's separatist challenge?: The politics of special autonomy in Papua</p> <p><i>Minako Sakai:</i> Privatisation of the state-owned Padang Cement Company: Regional identity and economic hegemony</p>
12:30-13:30	Lunch	
13:30-14:30	Panel 6: Gender and environment	<p><i>Hana Satriyo:</i> One step back, two steps forward? Decentralisation and women in Indonesia</p> <p><i>Ida Aju Resosudarmo:</i> Shifting power to the periphery: preliminary impacts of Indonesia's decentralization on forests and forest people</p>
14:30-15:30	Panel 7: Military and society	<p><i>Marcus Mietzner:</i> Business as usual? TNI, the territorial command system and regional autonomy</p>

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