



**INDONESIA UPDATE 2007**  
**EXPRESSING ISLAM: RELIGIOUS LIFE AND POLITICS**  
**CONFERENCE PROGRAM**

**FRIDAY 7 SEPTEMBER**

**9.00 am** Welcoming address

Robin Jeffrey (*Convener, College of Asia and the Pacific, ANU*)

**9:10 am** Politics Update

**Chair:** Michele Ford (*University of Sydney*)

**Speaker:** Anies Baswedan (*Paramadina University*)

Indonesian Politics in 2007: Declining Presidential Authority and  
Growing Diversity in Local Politics

**Discussant:** Greg Barton (*Monash University*)

**10.30 am** Morning tea

**11.00 am** Economics Update

**Chair:** Hal Hill

**Speakers:** Sadayuki Takii and Eric Ramstetter (*ICSEAD - International Centre  
for the Study of East Asian Development, Kitakyushu*)

**Discussant:** Yogi Vidyattama (*ANU*)

**12.30 pm** Lunch

**ISLAM SESSIONS**

**1.30 pm** Keynote Address

**Chair:** Greg Fealy (*ANU*)

**Speaker:** Merle Ricklefs (*NUS - National University of Singapore*)

**2.30 pm Islamic Lifestyles**

**Chair:** Ann Kumar (ANU)

**Speakers:** Greg Fealy (ANU).

Consuming Islam: Commodified Religion and Aspirational Muslim Pietism in Contemporary Indonesia.

**Assoc Prof Julia Day Howell (Griffith University)**

Modulations of Active Piety in Indonesian 'Sufisme'.

**3.30 pm Afternoon tea**

**4.00 pm Education and Culture**

**Chair:** George Quinn (ANU)

**Speakers:** Maria Ulfah Anshor MP (*Indonesian Parliament*) and Dr Sally White (ANU)

*Islam and gender in contemporary Indonesia: Public discourse and Personal choice.*

**Julian Millie (Monash University)**

*Islamic predication.*

**Nadirsyah Hosen (University of Wollongong)**

Online Fatwa in Indonesia: from Fatwa Shopping to Kiai Google.

## SATURDAY 8 SEPTEMBER

### 9.00 am Islamic Economy and Development

Chair: **Minako Sakai** (*University of New South Wales*)

Speakers: **Umar Juoro** (*Habibie Centre*).

The Development of Islamic Banks in the Recovering Indonesian Economy

**Syafi'i Antonio** (*Batasa Tazkia Consulting*).

Islamic micro-finance and insurance.

### 10.30 am Morning tea

### 11.00 am Political Islam and Shari'a-isation

Chair: **Kathy Robinson** (*ANU*)

Speakers: **Jamhari Makruf** (*UIN Syarif Hidayatullah*)

Islamic political parties

**Dr Robin Bush** (*The Asia Foundation, Jakarta*).

Regional "Shari'ah" Legislation: anomaly or symptom?

### 12.30 pm Lunch (in the Coombs Tearoom)

### 1.30 pm Eight: Radicalisation and Terrorism

Chair: **Harold Crouch** (*ANU*)

Speakers: **Ian Wilson** (*Murdoch University*)

"As long as it's Halal"; Islamic Preman in Jakarta.

**Ken Ward** (*Independent Consultant*)

Reflections on Jemaah Islamiyah.

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