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President
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Senior Institutions and Governance
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Chevening Alumna 2012/13

Dayu is a public policy practitioner and researcher, currently working as a Senior Institutions and Governance Specialist at World Bank Indonesia. She was previously a Climate Finance Advisor at an Indonesian based Non-Government Organization, Kemitraan or Partnership for Governance Reform. She is also an associate faculty member at International Relations Department, Bina Nusantara University. Prior to joining Kemitraan, Dayu worked as an Operations Officer and Governance and Anti-Corruption Specialist at World Bank Indonesia.

Dayu is an economist, and she furthered her studies in business law in University of Indonesia prior to being awarded Chevening Scholarship in 2012 to study in London School of Economics and Political Science, studying Public Management and Governance. Dayu is also a competitive debate enthusiast, was selected as a national coach for Indonesia at 2004 World Schools Debating Championship. She is also a volunteer at Indonesia Mengajar (“Teach for Indonesia”), President and co-founder of Chevening Alumni Association Indonesia, Treasurer for LSE Alumni Association Indonesia and is part of SMP Labschool Jakarta School Committee. Dayu is also a Co-Founder of PT Jagad Data Bhramara, a company currently developing a platform for freelancers and gig workers.



Ms. Fatin Arifin

Secretary General,
Chevening Alumni Brunei

Manager,
Product Development, Procurement &
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Chevening Alumna 2013/14

Fatin Arifin is passionate about being a catalyst of development. She plays an active role in various initiatives including entrepreneurship and youth development and serves in various capacities both locally and regionally. She is the President of the Young Entrepreneurs Association of Brunei and is a member of the ASEAN Young Entrepreneurs Council. She also serves as the Secretary General of the Chevening Alumni Brunei. Fatin also manages multiple portfolio at bruneihalalfoods as the Manager for Marketing, Product Development and Procurement. She also previously spearheaded the ASEAN Young Professionals Volunteer Corps. (AYPVC) from 2013 to 2015 for the Brunei Government which mobilised over 180 young professionals to various community development projects across ASEAN.

She founded the Brunei Chevening Youth Forum in 2015 which has brought together over 1300 youth in 10 forums and talk series. The success led her to create a similar model in ASEAN through progressive development of the region through the Chevening Youth Forum.

She undertook an MSc in Emerging Economies and International Development at King’s College London when she was awarded with the Chevening Scholarship in 2013. Fatin is a Global Shaper for the Bandar Seri Begawan hub and served as the Curator in 2016/17. She is the recipient of the Merititious Youth Service Award 2015 and the Excellent Youth Award 2017 by His Majesty’s Government of Brunei and the ASEAN Youth Award 2016.

Speakers



Mr. Lim Ming Soon

Chief Executive Officer
Network Integrity Assurance Technologies (NIAT),
Brunei

Chevening Alumnus Brunei 2003/04

Prior to being CEO at NIAT, Ming Soon has held various senior positions in telecommunication industry companies over the past 18 years, from transmission, datacom, broadband and eventually heading the commercial department to drive the company's profitability and business strategy. During this time, he also held the top position as Deputy CEO and CEO of B-Mobile Communications and Chief Marketing Officer of Telekom Brunei Berhad. Ming Soon served on the Board of Directors for several local firms and international alliances including Network Integrity Assurance Technologies Sdn Bhd (NIAT) and ComQuest Sdn Bhd, and international Alliances with ASEAN's leading carriers including Asean Telecom Holdings (ATH), ACASIA Sdn Bhd, International Cables Pte Ltd (ICPL), and ASEAN Cables Pte Ltd (ACPL).

During his tenure in Telbru, Ming Soon has executed several key strategies, not only to drive company's growth, but also contributing to nation's economy growth and development. With Brunei's vision 2035, he took the initiatives to strategize Telbru to embark on Smart nation, at the same time to promote the importance of ICT development for our nation's economic growth and sustainability. In addition, Ming Soon also coaches young startup entrepreneurs on effective market approach and rationalize commercial decision with this vast experience in market analytic and go-to-market strategy.

A Chartered Engineer (CEng.) by training, Ming Soon possesses 1st class Honour in Bachelor of Electrical & Electronics Engineering (BEng.) from Glasgow University, Scotland. Under the prestigious Chevening Scholarship, Ming Soon completed a Masters in Communications Management with Distinction from the University of Coventry, UK in 2004.

Ming Soon is also an Internationally Certified Personal Trainer from American Council on Exercise (ACE), and also possesses various other fitness coaching certifications from FIT, FITM, TrainFitness, Functional Tool Institute (FTI), etc. He has been a fitness enthusiast for the past 18 years.



Dr Hajah Norbayah Haji Shahminan

Education Officer, Ministry of Education

Deputy General Secretary, Chevening Alumni Brunei

Chevening Alumna Brunei 2003/04

Dr. Hajah Norbayah a passionate advocate for the hearing impaired in Brunei and the region. When she is not teaching, she is actively supporting the community to develop their confidence to integrate with society. She also encourages people to learn to interact through sign language where she regularly teaches community classes in Brunei. She began her journey in deaf studies in 1999 when she began getting involved with deaf students. She first undertook a diploma in deaf education at Christchurch College of Education and advanced to do her MA in Special Education and PhD majoring in deaf studies at Brunel University Middlesex. Her programme 'JariKu' or My Fingers is well renowned in Brunei.



Ms. Rosanich Sou

Strategic Planning Manager
Marketing Solutions Asia Ltd. (MSA)

Chevening Alumna Cambodia 2016/17

Rosanich Sou, a strategic planning manager, a university lecturer, a social supporter, and a nominee for Women of the Future Awards Southeast Asia. Her solid goals have been to, first, bring Cambodia economic status to the next level through actively supporting business and marketing processes that encourage economic activity; second, to speak and inspire Cambodian youth on self-motivation, education and career decisions, life choices, and taking actions; and third, to contribute to the development of Cambodia human resources.

Working on marketing strategies in advertising sector is where she handles clients from different industries, her personal objective is to foresee and accomplish one small part of the economic chain – one where marketing pushes businesses growth, where businesses growth strengthens competition, innovation, and consumer satisfaction, and where KPIs foster economic growth. This long-term objective is being achieved through daily work of art of innovation and creativity.

During her 16 months abroad, she had opportunities to pitch project ideas to British companies like The Economist and later on signed contract with Glasgow Caledonian University and moved to Scotland to help on projects in Southeast Asia and Latin America in regards with “social innovation”, whereas in Cambodia, she has been teaching business and marketing classes at undergraduate level. She is now leading a market project titled, “Cambodia Business Intelligence”, aimed to do big-scale industry and consumer research and transfer research skills to undergraduate students in Cambodia.

Speaking to youth is also her main mission. Upon her return, she has been given opportunities to give speeches, mentorship, formal classes, moderating, and hosting on different platforms that connected youths in Cambodia on a wide range of topics. Her purposes are “inspiration and call-to-actions” – to tell stories, flex the downside tradition, and inspire doers, which will eventually enhance Cambodian human capital. Rosanich believes there are words youth need to hear and actions they need to see to not turn their backs on reality and the many goals they can actually accomplish. This has impacted, if not all, many young minds, for which she hopes to keep doing moving forward.



Mr. Suntheng Khieu

Financial Investment Specialist
Ministry of Economy and Finance, Cambodia

Co-Founder, Link – Urban Mobility App

Chevening Alumnus Cambodia 2016/17

By profession, he has worked in a role as Relationship Banker within a well-established financial service industry player like ANZ Banking Group for almost 3 years, predominately managing both local and international corporate client segment in the bank. He has just altered into a governmental sector taking up a responsibility for implementing Value Chain Innovation Fund in order to achieve greater financial return of smallholders, including poor farmers, via pledging themselves to innovative agriculture investment and for designing Entrepreneurship Development Fund, which is to build a strong and vibrant startup ecosystem in Cambodia. By passion, he is a member in Cambodia Economic Association and also a co-founder in a local start up business, which aims for addressing Urban Mobility issue, nurturing from Impact Hub, UNDP & Grab to create real impact in future mobility and transportation.

Suntheng is skilled in CRM, Leadership, Financial and Economic Analysis & Research. He received a Chevening Scholarship Award in 2016 and has become Chevening Alumni Cambodia 2016/17. He graduated in Master of Science - International Development focused on Public Economic Management from University of Birmingham (United Kingdom). Additionally, he also earned a joint-global politic summer school certificate led by Freie Universität Berlin (Germany) and continues to pursue an accredited APMG Public-Private Partnerships Certification Program to enhance his professional skill.



Ms. Adelia S. Pratiwi

Economist to Head of Fiscal Policy Agency,
Ministry of Finance, Indonesia

Former Consultant (Seconded) at World Bank
Indonesia

Chevening Alumna Indonesia 2013/14

Adelia works for the head of Finance Ministry's Fiscal Policy Agency. She advises the Deputy Minister on analysis and harmonization of the Agency's strategic policies including macroeconomic, fiscal, and financial policies.

She aspires to be financial development specialist. Her recent research has focused on infrastructure financing, investment, and financial technology. She co-authored several MoF's policy papers, such as "*Addressing Infrastructure Financing Gap In Indonesia: Role of Financial Sector*" that was presented at MoF, Australian Government, Asian Development Bank, Agence Française de Développement, and World Bank's joint flagships on International Economic Development and Public Policy Forum in 2016. Her recent publications include *Cryptocurrencies and Financing Opportunities*, *Recognizing the Benefit of Asset Recycling*, *Mobilizing Pension Funds for Infrastructure*, and *Asset Securitization for Infrastructure Financing*.

Her contributions to economic and public policy literature has been in line with her active role in promoting Government of Indonesia's recent strategic initiative on innovative infrastructure financing namely infrastructure asset securitization. The initiative was the first in Indonesian history and was commenced by President of Indonesia in 2017.

Adelia is a Chevening alumni and a graduate of University of Birmingham where she receives her MSc degree in International Money and Banking. She is also a lecturer at Indonesia's State College of Accounting and a co-writer of Soul Travellers book.



Mr. Bayu Adi Persada

Senior Product Manager
Bukalapak

Chevening Alumnus Indonesia 2014/15

Bayu is currently working as Senior Product Manager in Bukalapak, one of the unicorns in Indonesia, where he can channel his passion in technology and people to spread the benefits of digital commerce for as many people as possible in the country. He got his master in ICTs for Development from University of Manchester in 2015 and graduated with distinction. Apart from his professional life, Bayu also mentors startups and occasionally conducts training related to product management.



Iqbal Damit

Founder, ILHAM Association, Brunei

Iqbal Damit is a part-time volunteer since 2010, who has done a number of charity and humanitarian work locally and abroad. With an attitude 'Just say yes now and think later', he was able to plan, organize and execute 31 local projects and 17 projects abroad. His passion in volunteerism does not only include doing projects but also promoting and raising awareness of volunteerism spirit among the community particularly the youth.

Iqbal has done work in Brunei Darussalam, Cambodia, Indonesia, Malaysia, Philippines and Bangladesh. He received a 'Youth Service Award' from His Majesty Sultan Haji Hassanal Bolkiah Mu'izzaddin Waddaulah during the Brunei Darussalam National Youth Day, in August 2017. In February 2018, he was the Bruneian to the Commonwealth Points of Lights award. It is an esteemed recognition from Her Majesty Queen Elizabeth II for his initiative in mobilising aid to the Rohingya refugees fleeing from the Rakhine State of Myanmar to Bangladesh.



Mr. Enda Ginting

Assistant Deputy,
Office of the President, Indonesia

Chevening Alumnus Indonesia 2008/09

nda works for the Executive Office of the President of Indonesia on Priority Program Management. His overall focus is on improving government business processes whilst also working on specific sectors such as the sustainable environmental financing portfolio, fiscal reforms and the government's community driven development program. Prior to this Enda worked for the World Bank as a Public Financial Management resident advisor for the Government of Indonesia. Enda has also worked for the Ministry of Finance, office of the Treasury and also the budget office during the ministry's early reform stages. Enda holds a masters in Economics, Finance and Management from the University of Bristol, UK.

Enda was awarded with the Presidential Award for Best Public Service in 2007.



Mr. Gigih Septianto

Co-Founder & Chief Executive Officer,
WeCare.id

A computer engineer turned social entrepreneur in healthcare sector, Gigih believes on leveraging web technology to enable people to help each other's easier. He is the Co-Founder & CEO of WeCare.id, Indonesian based medical crowdfunding platform enabling poor and underserved patients to secure their individual funding for primary and verified medical treatments through direct donations and membership scheme in Indonesia. Since 2016 WeCare.id has crowdfunded more than USD 500K medical fund for 500+ patients, involving 13,800+ donors & 350+ medical partners all around Indonesia. Through his work he had also earned various recognition including Australia-ASEAN Emerging Leaders in Social Enterprise 2017 by Australian Minister of Foreign Affairs, Globally listed at 100 Impactful Healthcare Leaders 2018 from World Health & Wellness Congress in India, as well as recognized at the World Health Summit 2017 by German Minister of Health.

About WeCare.id

WeCare.id, Indonesian based medical crowdfunding platform enabling undeserved patients to secure their individual funding for primary and verified medical treatments through direct donations and membership scheme in Indonesia.



Ms. Gita Syahrani

Executive Director
Secretariat of Sustainable District Association

Chevening Alumna Indonesia 2010/11

Gita Syahrani is the Executive Director to the Secretariat of Sustainable District Association or Lingkar Temu Kabupaten Lestari (LTKL). LTKL is a membership based association established and managed by Districts Leaders in Indonesia since July 2017. Using 'Collective Impact' approach, this innovative districts partnership intends to accelerate and better support district's sustainable vision aligned with Sustainable Development Goals, Indonesia's emission reduction targets and Open Government principles. With more than a decade of legal, financing structure and strategic management consulting & programme implementation experience, Gita is a sustainability professional focusing on climate change & green investment. She was the Senior Programme Management for the Indonesia Palm Oil Pledge (IPOP) and a leading member of the Planning & Funding Deputy of the former National REDD+ Agency, involved in the design, construction, negotiation and implementation of strategic work plan and funding instrument mechanism for REDD+ Indonesia. Prior to her time with the National REDD+ Agency, she held a Senior Associate and Lead Counsel for Green Investment and Climate Change division position at one of the first-tier independent corporate law firms in Indonesia. Gita is also serving as member of for the Permanent Committee of International Affairs at the Indonesia Chambers of Commerce & Industry (KADIN).



Mr. Ivan Tambunan

Chief Executive Officer & Co-Founder,
Akseleran

Chevening Alumnus Indonesia 2013/14

Ivan Tambunan is the CEO and Co-Founder of Akseleran, one of the fastest growing peer-to-peer lending platforms in Indonesia, connecting SMEs with crowdenders to get loan funding or make alternative investment.

Before Akseleran, Ivan practiced law for more than 8 years, the last 5 years of which as a transactional banking lawyer at Allen&Overy in its Jakarta and London office, specializing in leverage finance, project finance, and general lending. He holds a Bachelor of Law degree from University of Indonesia and a Masters in Law and Finance (with distinction) from Queen Mary University of London. Ivan was both a Chevening and a Mansion House scholar.



Ms. Karlina Octaviany

Founder
Indonesia Voice of Women (InVow)

Chevening Alumna Indonesia 2015/16

With a master degree on Digital Anthropology from University College London and winning Chevening Alumni Programme Fund, Karlina Octaviany found Indonesia Voice of Women (InVow) which empower women on digital literacy through training low-income women. Her portfolio drive from experiences as journalist covering Asia Pacific and Social Media Consultant at The World Bank for National Program for Community Empowerment. Her vision for tolerance shown through Chevening Diversity Film Festival. As Advocacy Consultant for Australia-Indonesia Partnership for Gender Equality and Women's Empowerment (MAMPU), she trained women activist on digital campaign for women's issues like violence against women.

Indonesia Voice of Women (InVow) is an initiative to empower women for hoax mitigation and digital activism on women's issues and tolerance through critical digital media literacy workshop. The initiative founded by Chevening Indonesia Alumni, Karlina Octaviany and Citra Lestari, also a lecturer from Prof Dr Moestopo (Beragama) University, Dwi Ajeng Widarini. With the support from Chevening Alumni Programme Fund 2017, the program trained low-income women in urban sub-districts in Jakarta, Tangerang Selatan, and Bandung which vulnerable as victims of the hoax with the lack access to information. As the organization grows, InVow provides training for women activists for digital activism in women's issues like violence against women, social protection, reproductive health and nutrition. InVow participates in influencing digital literacy module for the Ministry of Women's Empowerment and Child Protection, also Bali Democracy Forum with the Ministry of Foreign Affairs. InVow believes that women hold a critical role in safeguarding media literacy for their family and society, while at the same time also play a pivotal role to voice the need of the society and media. InVow wants to reclaim the internet as a source of knowledge with fact-checking capacity, power search, positive content creation, and influencing policies through bridging the gender gap in ICT to lead digital transformation for greater digital ASEAN.



Ms. Maria Widya Sahara

Senior Associate
Product Management,Shopee

Chevening Alumna Indonesia 2014/15

Majoring in Infrastructure Investment and Finance UCL, Maria spent 5 years on her early career in Development and Project Financing field. She has been diverting her contribution to digital industry as a Fintech Product Manager since 2015. As a Chevening - HSBC sponsored alumni, she got a chance to work for the bank both in the London and also in Jakarta before going to the startup fields in Indonesia. She learns about technology and working software by online courses and community engagements that she gets a certification of scrum product ownership. Now she is focusing on user-centred platform and payment product development.



Dr. Moch Faisal Karim

Lecturer,
International Relations Department,
Bina Nusantara University
Indonesia

Moch Faisal Karim, PhD is a lecturer within International Relations Department at Bina Nusantara University. Faisal holds PhD from the University of Warwick and was previously a Global Challenges Junior Fellow at the Institute for Advanced Study and the School of Public Policy at the Central European University, Budapest. He was also a visiting fellow at the Global Public Policy Institute, Berlin. He was awarded Sumitro Fellow sponsored by US-Indonesia Society and ASEAN-Canada Junior Fellow sponsored by RSIS NTU, Singapore.

He has published in academic outlets such as Australian Journal of International Affairs, the Pacific Review, Asian Journal of Social Science, European Journal of East Asian Studies and Journal of International Migration and Integration as well as non-academic outlets such as the Jakarta Post, East Asia Forum, and the Conversation.



Dr. Paramitaningrum,

Faculty member
International Relations Department
BINUS University

Dr Paramitaningrum is currently a faculty member in the International Relations Department at Bina Nusantara (BINUS) University, Jakarta, Indonesia. She received her Ph.D. in European studies from Tamkang University, Taiwan (2014). Paramita previously taught in the University of Indonesia, at the Department of International Relations, Faculty of Social and Political Sciences, and Postgraduate Program of European Studies.

Besides, she is the Coordinator of External and Institutional Collaboration in Indonesian Association of International Relations (Asosiasi Ilmu Hubungan Internasional Indonesia – AIHII)

Her research interests are European Union-Southeast Asia relations, ASEAN, Indonesia-Taiwan relations, people-to-people interaction, and middle power diplomacy. She has published several journal articles on Diplomacy, Partnership and people-to-people interaction.



Mr. Ryan Rahardjo

Government Relations and Public Policy Senior Analyst, Google

Chevening Alumnus Indonesia 2014/15

Ryan Rahardjo is a Senior Analyst Public Policy & Government Relations for Google Indonesia. Mr. Raharjo works on content, privacy, security, counter-extremism, misinformation, digital literacy, small and medium businesses and freedom of expression in Indonesia.

Prior to his role at Google, Ryan worked as a Parliamentarians Advocate at the United Nations Population Fund (UNFPA) where he executed UNFPA's communication and advocacy program to the Indonesian Parliament. Ryan also served in the External Relations Division of the ASEAN Secretariat, managing the strategic partnerships between ASEAN and its dialogue partners particularly Australia, Canada, EU, New Zealand and the United States. Ryan holds a Master of International Strategy and Diplomacy from the London School of Economics and Political Science (LSE), on a fully-funded Chevening scholarship from the UK government, and a B.A. in International Relations from Parahyangan University in Indonesia.



Mr. Khavi Homsombath

Programme Manager
 Frank Family Foundation

Chevening Alumnus Lao PDR 2017/18

Khavi Homsombath is a social enterprise practitioner and a lecturer on youth leadership in which he has been teaching more than 300 Lao students at a local college in Vientiane, Laos. Khavi has been working with development sectors in Laos for almost 6 years where he professionally involved in a topic of media for change, education, design thinking and youth entrepreneurship.

Prior to Chevening journey, He worked as a head of program at a local nonprofit called Aide et Action Laos where he collaborated with the Ministry of Education and Sports in Laos to introduce the the concept of Electronic library and various online learning platforms to enhance the learning and teaching experience in Laos.

Khavi has a strong passion in social entrepreneurship and youth development that he has been running special courses on these two topics on a weekly basis for students and individuals who are interested in utilizing the concept of social entrepreneurship and design thinking to address and tackle issues in their communities. Khavi has been offering these sessions for pro bono with the hope to see the improvement and the expansion of the social enterprise ecosystem in Laos.

Khavi holds two masters, first in Social Enterprise, and second in Education and International development in which he has optioned from his Chevening pursuit at the Institute of Education, University College London.



Mr. Benedict Carandang

Vice-President for External Relations,
First Circle,
Philippines

Chevening Alumnus Philippines 2011/12

Benedict Carandang is the Vice-President for External Relations of First Circle (www.firstcircle.ph), a fintech company that finances Purchase Orders and Invoices for SMEs. He has a Double Bachelors of Science in Applied Economics and Management of Financial Institutions, De La Salle University - Manila; Foreign and Commonwealth Office of the UK Chevening Scholar MBA at the University of Westminster - London; Executive Education, Harvard Kennedy School of Government and Yale Jackson Institute for Global Affairs. He is a Young Global Leader, World Economic Forum (2012). Recipient, awards and honours: International Young Creative Entrepreneur, British Council (2008); Most Inspiring Young Entrepreneur, Philippine Center for Entrepreneurship (2009); British Chevening Scholar to the UK (2011); Finalist, Student of the Year, The Independent Newspaper - Association of MBAs (2012).



Mr. Ray Simon "Monch" Roderos

Freelance Data Consulting
London, U.K

Board Member
Chevening Alumni Alliance

Chevening Alumnus Philippines 2011/12

Monch is an analyst who has professional experience in Asia and Europe. He has worked for the both the public-sector and the private-sector. His public-sector experience includes working for the Philippine government's economic development department (NEDA) and the trade and investment section of the Philippine Embassy in the UK (PTIC-London). His private-sector roles include working under the CEO of EY Indonesia on strategies for market growth in which he lived in Jakarta and grew to love the internet (indomie-telor-kornet). His latest role was with Future Cities Catapult, the United Kingdom's urban innovation organisation for the advancement of smart cities. He worked on the market viability of various smart city technologies which include digital street furniture. In his spare time, he volunteers for the Science Museum in London to help digitise their more than 320,000 objects. During the weekends, he also conducts a walking tour in his neighbourhood, Notting Hill. Monch is interested in the intersection of government and technology. He believes that data, used correctly and responsibly, will be able to help solve cities' economic, social and environmental challenges. He was a Chevening Scholar from 2011-2012 at King's College London. He is also a Board Member of the Chevening Alumni Alliance, the global Chevening alumni organisation based in London. He currently is a freelance data consultant and lives in London.



Mr. Saroj Srisai

Coordinator, Forest Carbon Partnership Fund (FCPF)
Thailand

Chevening Alumnus Thailand 2011/12

Mr. Saroj Srisai is currently serving as the Coordinator for the Forest Carbon Partnership Fund (FCPF) for Thailand. He also serves as a part of the UN REDD team with the Food and Agriculture Organization of the United Nations (FAO) based in Bangkok. His main responsibility is to oversee the FCPF Thailand program and to link it with the UN REDD program at large. The ultimate goal is to assist Thailand with its committed Nationally Determined Contributions (NDCs) under the UNFCCC Paris Climate Agreement. Prior to joining the United Nations, he served as the Assistant Director/Head of Environment Division under the Sustainable Development Directorate, ASEAN Socio-Cultural Community Department at the ASEAN Secretariat based in Jakarta. His current responsibilities included all ASEAN regional related-matters on environment, namely, water resources and management, coastal marine, natural resources and biodiversity, climate change, sustainable eco-cities, chemical and waste, environmental education as well as partnerships.

He spent 10 years with the Royal Thai Government serving in the Ministry of Energy and the Ministry of Natural Resources and Environment. Prior to both UN and ASEAN, he worked for various international and regional organizations, namely the International Union for Conservation of Nature (IUCN), Asia Regional Office, based in Bangkok, and the ASEAN Coordinating Centre for Humanitarian Assistance on disaster management (AHA Centre), based in Jakarta. He participated in various international environment forum such as the Conference of the Parties (COP) under the Framework of the United Nations Framework Convention on Climate Change (UNFCCC), COP of Convention on Biological Diversity (CBD), the World Conservation Congress, the Ramsar COP and many others. He served national committees on energy and environment, and was the country negotiator at international forums. Saroj obtained two Master Degrees; one in Diplomacy and International Strategy from London School of Economics in the UK with support from Chevening program, and in Energy and Resources Study from University of California, Berkeley, USA with Royal Thai Government scholarship.



Ms. Kun Shan Sum

Senior Development Partner
Enterprise Singapore

Chevening Alumna Singapore 2012/13

Kun Shan currently looks at trade promotion of the energy sector at Enterprise Singapore, the agency championing enterprise development, and covers a broad range of products across the sector, including crude oil, LNG, LPG, petrochemicals, as well as carbon trading. Previously, Kun Shan was with the Energy Market Authority of Singapore working to develop a dynamic energy landscape and drive energy security for Singapore, through the development of gas policies and infrastructure which included conceptualising the development of the 2nd liquefied natural gas (LNG) terminal for Singapore, as well as clean and renewable energy projects. Kun Shan is well versed in business development, project management and infrastructure development. As a recipient of the UK Chevening Scholarship in 2012, Kun Shan graduated with a MSc in Sustainable Energy Futures at Imperial College in 2013, and obtained MSc in Environmental Engineering and B.Eng in Chemical Engineering with Honours from NUS in 2011 and 2007 respectively.



Ms. Hnin Thazin

Project Coordinator
Myanmar for Knowledge Platform

Chevening Alumna Myanmar 2016/17

Hnin Thazin Soe is the Project Coordinator in Myanmar for Knowledge Platform; a social enterprise that provides blended learning solutions across Asia. She leads and manages an education project focusing on basic education funded by the Myanmar Education Consortium (MEC) to ensure improved learning outcomes among students and improved performance of teachers in the project with the help of technology (digital classrooms) in Myanmar. Hnin holds a Master Degree in Globalisation, Business and Development from the University of Sussex, Institute of Development Studies in the UK and specialised in Industrialisation and Trade during her studies. Additionally, she had completed her thesis on “Myanmar Industrial Reform: Pro-poor Industrial Policy and its Challenges”, where she discusses “To what extent is Myanmar Industrial 2016 Policy pro-poor, and how could it be made more so?” examining with the two factors (i) creating job opportunities for the poor and (ii) creating decent jobs for the poor to get out the poverty. Hnin's previous work experience includes giving advice in major foreign investment projects and bids in Myanmar, research, government affairs and operations with international institutions, international non-government organisations, embassy and the private sector. Prior to Knowledge Platform, she worked as Operations Officer at Allen & Overy Yangon, a leading U.K. law firm; Program Assistant at the Embassy of Canada to Myanmar; Service Learning Coordinator at Sarus Exchange Program in Cambodia; and External Relations Associate at Proximity Designs in Yangon. She also worked as a volunteer teacher with several grassroots organisations in Myanmar.



Ms. Anita Ahmad

Senior Vice President
Head of Community Development, Hasanah
Foundation

Chevening Alumna Malaysia 2003/04

Anita is currently the Senior Vice President, Head of Community Development in Hasanah Foundation (a foundation of Khazanah Nasional Berhad), where she is developing and piloting community based interventions in low income urban and rural areas.

She has 16 years' experience in different capacities in the nonprofit sector including in the United Nations in Malaysia and the NGO MERCY Malaysia. At the UN, she supported the Government of Malaysia in developing policies on gender equality, indigenous people and persons with disabilities. At MERCY, she coordinated and implemented humanitarian projects in Sudan, Afghanistan, Syria and Jordan amongst others.

In 2017, Anita was awarded the Eisenhower Fellowship and the John S. Wolf Fellowship during which time she spent two months in the US understanding different organisations' approaches to community development. She also has a masters' degree in social development (during which time she was awarded the Chevening Scholarship) and a bachelors' degree in law – also from the UK.

She enjoys travelling, writing on her travels on her blog Travel&Be (<http://travelandbe.com>), reading and gardening.



Mr. Alexander C. Chandra

Assistant Director & Head of Analysis and
Monitoring on Trade, Industry and Emerging Issues
Division
ASEAN Integration Monitoring Directorate
ASEAN Secretariat

A specialist on Southeast Asian regionalism, Alexander C. CHANDRA recently joined the ASEAN Secretariat to serve as its Assistant Director and Head of the Analysis and Monitoring on Trade, Industry, and Emerging Issues Division under the ASEAN Integration Monitoring Directorate. Previously, he spent over a decade of his professional career working on issues spanning all the three pillars of the ASEAN Community with research think-tanks (e.g. the Habibie Center (2015-2018), the Trade Knowledge Network of the International Institute for Sustainable Development (2009-2014)), private sector organisation (e.g. the ASEAN Business Advisory Council (2014-2015)), and various nongovernmental organisations (2004-2009). He holds a Ph.D. in Southeast Asian Studies from the University of Hull, the United Kingdom (2004), with research interests covering the political-economy of Southeast and East Asian regionalism, international economic diplomacy, the role of non-state actors in regional governance, and the wider development/emerging aspects/issues surrounding ASEAN cooperation.



Dr. Yanuar Nugroho

Deputy Chief of Staff to the President
Executive Office of the President of the Republic of
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Honorary Research Fellow
University of Manchester

Chevening Alumnus Indonesia 2000/01

YANUAR NUGROHO, Ph.D. is the Deputy Chief of Staff to the President at the Executive Office of the President of the Republic of Indonesia and a Honorary Research Fellow at the University of Manchester, UK. Before returning to Indonesia, he lived and worked in the UK as an academic and policymaker for development planning in the UK and European Union. He was a Special Adviser to the Head of the Indonesian President's Delivery Unit for Development Monitoring and Oversight (UKP4) and a negotiator of Indonesia to the United Nations for the Post-2015 Development Agenda, or, Sustainable Development Goals (SDGs).

Yanuar's main duty is to translate the President's political vision into Government action plan particularly on the strategic issues on social, cultural, and ecological affairs. He is also the Indonesian National Focal Point for the Open Government Partnership (OGP) and sits in the Council of the Multi-Donor Trust Fund OGP-The World Bank.



Mr. Joshua Smith

Chief Technology Officer of MyPay
Malaysia

Chevening Alumnus Malaysia 2014/15

Envisioning an efficient, secure and transparent ecosystem that allows seamless interaction between the public and the government, Joshua co-founded MyPay. He serves as the Chief Technology Officer of MyPay, who is quite the tech aficionado. The idea and belief is to transform Malaysia into a digital society.

Throughout his six-year career, Joshua has ventured into a number of working fields – from software and hardware engineering, data analytics, strategic management, to entrepreneurship.

He first started his career at Citibank Malaysia as a Management Engineer before taking on a Technology Consultant role at Accenture. In 2015, he moved to Oxford, UK to work as an Analytics Consultant at OXIS Energy Ltd. He then returned to KL the following year to lead the Analytics Team at Uber Malaysia. Right before co-founding MyPay, he was the Chief Data Officer at TheLorry.

Joshua received the Chevening Scholarship from the UK Foreign & Commonwealth Office to study masters course in the UK. He graduated from Cranfield University with an MSc in Automotive Engineering majoring in electric vehicles. Prior to that, he obtained his Bachelor's Degree in Mechanical Engineering at the University of Sunderland. He also pursued a course in Strategic Management and Innovation at Copenhagen Business School.

MyPay

MyPay is an online platform that consolidates various government services to allow information viewing, status checking, and online payments.



Ms. Shinto Nugroho

Chief of Policy & Government Relations,
GOJEK

Chevening Alumna Indonesia 2004/05

Ms Nugroho joins Go-Jek since March 2018 as their Chief of Policy and Government Relations. Previously she was the Head of Public Policy and Government Relations at Google Indonesia for more than 5 years, acting as lead on public policy issues and stakeholder engagement for Google Indonesia. She has also been a member of Regulatory Affairs committee at the Indonesian E-Commerce Association since 2013. Prior to joining Google she was the Special Staff to the Minister of Trade of the Republic of Indonesia, after a successful career in International Finance Corporation (Sector Leader for Advisory Services for Infrastructure, Agribusiness and Sustainable Energy) and the World Bank. Ms Nugroho is a lawyer by training, she joined Citibank as part of the Legal Department and left as a manager. She also played a role in Indonesian Banking Restructuring as part of Makes and Partners law firm.

Ms Nugroho was listed as one of 21 Asia's Young Leaders in 2012. She has an LLM degree from Columbia Law School, MSc in Social Policy and Planning from London School of Economics. She also had two bachelor degrees from University of Indonesia, majoring in Law and International Relations.

Moderators



Ms. Yulia Supadmo

Editor-in-Chief,
Rajawali Televisi (RTV)

Chevening Alumna Indonesia 2001/02

Yulia Supadmo is the editor in chief of Rajawali Television (RTV) based in Jakarta. Previously she was a Communications Specialist at World Bank Indonesia, acting as communications lead for the Indonesia Sustainable Landscape Program (2016-2017). Prior to joining the World Bank, Ms Supadmo was the Managing Editor and Vice General Manager for news and current affairs at Kompas TV Indonesia (2013-2016). Her career as a journalist began with Rajawali Citra Televisi Indonesia (RCTI) - a media company for which Ms Supadmo's roles range from news anchor, production staff, executive producer, and senior international affairs editor (1996-2012).

Ms Yulia Supadmo is a Chevening Scholar of 2001/2002, studying International Communications and Global Media at Goldsmiths University. She graduated from University of Indonesia in 1996 majoring in International Relations.



Ms. Ledy Simarmata

Superintendent, Corporate Communications
Department, PT Freeport Indonesia

Chevening Alumna Indonesia 2009/10

As a part of the communications department in PT Freeport Indonesia (PTFI), my main responsibility is managing and supervising the media team in Jakarta office and work closely in coordination with PTFI's media team in Papua, as well as with the communications team of Freeport-McMoRan Inc., USA (holding company). My daily tasks include, but not limited to, developing corporate communications/media plan, managing corporate campaign program (supervising creative works, media planning, budget control, and feedback survey), managing media monitoring system, building and maintaining relationships with media community, assisting PTFI's corporate spokesperson (VP Corporate Communications), initiating and managing media partnerships and engagement programs, and handling media inquiries. During my work in PTFI, I also have involved in issues and crisis management. One of the biggest crises we faced was the underground accident in 2013. Our work in managing the crisis was appreciated with Indonesia PR of the Year Award 2014 for Best Corporate Public Relations Program. I also have led several corporate branding activities with one of PTFI's prominent strategic partners, Persipura Jayapura Football Club. In 2013, I led the launch of Persipura Mobile Application, the first football club mobile application in Indonesia. The mobile application was developed by PTFI and handed to Persipura FC for further use by the club.



Ms. Ni Wayan Desi

Partner,
AP and Partners

Chevening Alumna Indonesia 2017/2018

Desi is a legal professional with experiences in energy business and corporate matters. Prior to joining her colleague to start a law firm, she worked for Pertamina, an Indonesia state owned energy company in which she focused her work in LNG business; and before that she worked for Robert Khuana & Partners in Bali.

Desi received Chevening Scholarship to take master degree in Law at University College London.



Mr. Bayu L Pamungkas

Production Engineer,
Pertamina Hulu Energi

Chevening Alumnus Indonesia, 2017/2018.

Bayu L Pamungkas, one the Chevening Scholars from Indonesia, was graduated in Petroleum Production Engineering at University of Leeds United Kingdom. He has acquired more than 7 years of experience in oil and gas industry, especially in an offshore field. Currently he works in Pertamina Hulu Energi as a Production Engineer.

Bayu is a Chevening alumni of 2017/18

Your Committee



Ms. Karina Utari

Competition Policy and Law Officer,
ASEAN Secretariat

Communications Officer,
Chevening Alumni Association Indonesia

Chevening alumna, 2015/2016

Karina Utari is an officer for Competition Policy and Law at the ASEAN Secretariat. She is assisting the ASEAN Experts Group on Competition (AEGC) in implementing competition initiatives under the ASEAN Economic Blueprint and the ASEAN Competition Action Plan (2016-2025).

Prior to this role, Karina worked in a consultancy company, providing assistance to governments and international organisations on developing as well as evaluating policies related to industrialisation. With a previous background as an advisor for Foreign Direct Investment projects, Karina is keen to build her expertise on trade and industrialisation in which competition policy is deemed essential for the development of a conducive business environment. Karina was a Chevening scholar (2015/2016) at King's

College London with a MSc in Emerging Economies and Inclusive Development.



Ms. Sheyka Fadela

Assistant Project Manager,
WWF Indonesia

Secretary,
Chevening Alumni Association Indonesia

Chevening alumna, 2015/2016

SHEYKA N. FADELA is an assistant project manager for Dugong and Seagrass Conservation Project at the WWF-Indonesia and has been working in the organization since 2012.

She is a marine mammalogist by training, but a conservation communicator at heart.

Ms. Fadela was awarded a Chevening scholarship in 2015 to study Marine Mammal Science at the University of St Andrews in 2016.

Facilitators



Ms. Citra Indah Lestari

Communications Specialist

Chevening Alumna 2015/2016

Citra is a Communication and Knowledge Management Professional in the area of policy reform, innovation for social change, and community development. With communication study as her educational background and extensive experiences on development projects, she furthered her study on International Development at the University of Birmingham with Chevening Scholarship from the UK Government on 2015.

Citra is currently consulting for numbers of Australia Government funded development project in Indonesia such as Knowledge Sector Initiative, KOMPAK, MAMPU and Red Meat & Cattle Sector Partnership to develop and lead the implementation of communication and knowledge exchange strategy. She was previously a Communication Manager at an Indonesian based Non-Government Organization, Kemitraan of Partnership for Governance Reform; and Head of Communication for PNPM Support Facility (PSF) at the World Bank Indonesia. She is also a lecturer at Universitas Multimedia Nusantara (UMN) and co-founder of Indonesia Voice of Women (InVoW), an initiative to empower women through digital literacy to facilitate Indonesian women in reclaiming the use of internet for the benefit of the women, their children and their family.



Ms. Pratiwi Hamdhana

Founder, Tenoon

Chevening Alumna 2016/2017

Founded TENOON (www.tenoon.id), a social enterprise that preserving Indonesia woven fabrics throughwoven fabrics-based product innovation and provide inclusive employment opportunities for marginalised community. Also a Community management program senior officer at BUKALAPAK (www.bukalapak.com), one of the four Indonesia's startup unicorn, as well as one of the leaders in e-commerce industry. Previously at Indonesia Mengajar.

Ms. Hamdhana is awarded YSEALI Professional Fellow, 1st Winner of Eastern Indonesia Young Entrepreneur in Creative Industry (Wirausaha Muda Mandiri), Bank Mandiri, 2011, National Finalist of Young Entrepreneur Award, Bank Mandiri, 2012, and Awardee of Makassar Nobel Entrepreneurs School (STIE) as creative and young entrepreneur in eastern Indonesia, 2014.



Ms. Sriati Sumowidagdo

Lecturer, Entrepreneur

Chevening Alumna 2016/2018

Ms Sumawidagdo is a teacher, lecturer, and entrepreneur. Her hobby is travelling, reading, gathering and cooking. Her motto is “Be yourself”.

She went to Edinburgh University, majoring Entrepreneurship and innovation (MSc Entrepreneurship and innovation).

She was awarded Chevening scholarship in 2016.



Ms. Nesy Diana Kumalla Sari

Cash Product Manager,
Standard Chartered Jakarta & Singapore

Chevening Alumna 2016/2017

Prior to being the Cash Product Manager for corporate clients, she joined Standard Chartered in 2013 as an International Graduate and has been assigned in multiple departments such as Client Coverage and Corporate Finance in Jakarta and Singapore.

Ms Sari used to teach various Finance subjects at Bakrie University, and currently she is actively participating in Financial Education for Kids programme as part of volunteering activities in her bank. She is a Chevening Scholar batch 2016/2017 and holds MSc in Banking and International Finance from City University of London.



Ms. Dwi Rahardiani

Consultant,
Climate Change, Resilience, Social Research

Chevening Alumna 2011/2012

Ms. Rahardiani has worked in the development sector for more than 10 years, primarily in the socio-environment sector. Her sectoral expertise covers climate change adaptation, community resilience, and social research with working experience in Indonesia and Timor Leste. During her tenure as Consultant at Oxford Policy Management Ltd (OPM) in Indonesia, she has been involved in designing and implementing various studies and lead the implementation of a number of projects, including study on skills for the future for UNICEF and study on analysing the opportunities and rapid technological changes in Indonesia for Blavatnik School of Government, University of Oxford.

Dwi holds an MSc in Environment and Development from the University of Edinburgh, with a research on scaling up community-based climate change adaptation projects in Bangladesh.



Ms. Ria Fitriana

Independent consultant in coastal resources related livelihoods

Chevening Alumna 1998/1999

Ria Fitriana has been working in coastal and marine resources for more than twenty years. She specializes in livelihoods of coastal communities, traditional use right and access for fishing, gender's role in fisheries and community based economic development. Her interests in stakeholder and community engagement and building markets for community developed marine products has enabled her to also support the participation of coastal communities in marine product value chains and bring stakeholder groups at regional, national and local levels to discuss opportunities and ways to address constraints and opportunities to improve the participation.

Ria holds a PhD from Charles Darwin University, Darwin-Australia, Master degree in Business Strategy and Environmental Management, University of Bradford, UK and Bachelor in Engineering from Institute of Technology of Bandung, Indonesia.



Mr. Ricci Wijaya

HR Business partner,
GOJEK

Chevening Alumna 2015/2016

Ricci Saadi Wijaya was enrolled at the University of Indonesia for his Undergraduate study. Through his study, he has obtained a solid background in Psychology from the best university in Indonesia. In 2009, he graduated cum laude from the University of Indonesia. Furthermore, he was awarded the prestigious Chevening Scholarship in 2015 from the UK government to pursue his Master's degree at University of Warwick majoring in Creative and Media Enterprises.

In his day-to-day job, he has successfully managed an end-to-end Talent Management process, developed numerous policies related to employee's compensation & benefit, and involved in various massive HR projects. As a result of this, he believes that he is a reliable and enthusiastic person. Moreover, he is also a well-rounded and easy going individual who can work well with others.



Ms. Rina Kusuma

Co founder, Kawanmain.com and Coordinator,
Mama Aleta Fund.

Chevening Alumna 2015/2016.

Rina Kusuma is a co-founder of Kawanmain.co and Coordinator of the Mama Aleta Fund. She is Chevening Indonesia Alumna 2015-2016 for MA. Children, Youth and International Development at Brunel University London.



Ms Lisa Wijayani

Development Worker

Chevening Alumna 2017/2018

Lisa has been working in a development field for almost seven years, including volunteers and internships, at the national and international organisations addressing social, economic, and environment issues.

She pursued her Bachelor Degree at the University of Indonesia majoring in English where she focused her study to learn on cultural understanding, social, and political history. Following to her Bachelor Degree, she received a scholarship to study social entrepreneurship in the US as she had a passion to alleviate poverty and create an independent society by promoting entrepreneurship. During her study, she was also a delegate at the American Model United Nations which was held in Chicago.

Before receiving a Chevening Scholarship 2017/2018, Lisa was working at the ASEAN Secretariat as the officer for enterprise development and stakeholder engagement in which she assisted in the development and promotion of Micro, Small, and Medium enterprises (MSMEs) in ASEAN. When working for the ASEAN Secretariat, Lisa was involved in the drafting of ASEAN MSME Strategic Action Plan 2016-2025 (SAP SMED 2025) together with the ASEAN Coordinating Committee of Micro, Small, and Medium Enterprises (ACCMSME).

Lisa pursued her Master Degree on Ecological Economics at the University of Edinburgh since she is passionate to combat climate change by promoting sustainable business activities and involving MSMEs in realising sustainable development goals. Lisa has just currently joined the United Nations Sustainable Development Solutions Network (UNSDSN) for Indonesia chapter as network manager that engage research center, universities, and civil society organisations in the effort of achieving sustainable development.