

International Symposium

Indigenous Communities: Voices towards Sustainability

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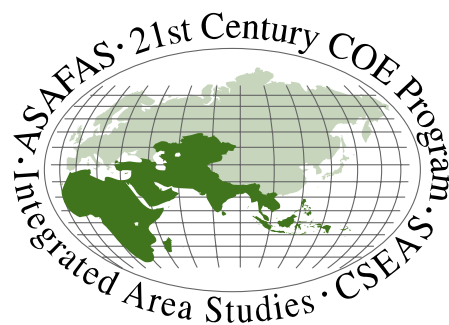
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AIMS

1. To bring together representatives from indigenous communities of the Southeast Asia to relate their perceptions and visions towards sustainable development
2. Collaboration in organizing symposiums and workshops across cultures within national economies.

OBJECTIVES:

1. To promote discussion on sustainable development for communities on the periphery of developed areas within certain regions.
2. To provide a forum aimed at broader discussion of issues related to development of indigenous communities.
3. To discuss general strategies towards greater social participation in national development.



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Programme

9.00-9:15	Registration of Participants	
9:15-9:30	Welcoming Remarks Poetry reading Opening Address	Prof. Dato' Dr Hood Salleh, Lestari, UKM Akiya, An Orang Asli Writer Deputy Vice Chancellor, UKM Prof. Ibrahim Komoo
Session 1:		Moderator:
9:30-10:15	Orang Asli Non-Violence : Some New Reflections (Special lecture)	Dr. Robert Dentan Professor, New York University at Buffalo, USA
10:15-10:45	A Perspective from the indigenous community in Sabah "Islamization of the Sama Dilaut and its Local Meanings: A Social History at the Malaysian Periphery"	Dr. Nagatsu Kazufumi Research Associate, Center for Southeast Asian Studies, Kyoto University
10:45-11:15	Break and Orang Asli Photography Exhibition	
Session 2:		Moderator:
11:15-11:45	Voice from Terengganu	Dr. Ramle Abdullah. et al. University Darul Iman Malaysia (UDM)
11:45-12:15	Voice from Tasik Chini: People and plants in Tasik Bera and Tasik Chini	Associate Professor Dr. Hakim Mohd. Zin, Universiti Technology Malaysia
12:15-12:45	The Rural Development and Transition of Indigenous Community in Negeri Sembilan, Peninsular Malaysia	Naito Daisuke Ph. D. Candidate, Graduate School of Asian and African Area Studies, Kyoto University
12:45-14:00	Lunch	
Session 3:		Moderator:
14:00-14:30	A Perspective from the indigenous community in Sarawak Urban Sojourners and Rural Communities: Changing Family Relations among the Iban in Sarawak	Dr. Soda Ryoji Associate Professor, Graduate School of Letters, Hokkaido University
14:30-15:00	Voice from Damansara , Kuala Lumpur	Acom Luji Former broadcaster, Radio TV Malaysia
Session 4:		
15:00-16:00	Round Table Discussion: Sustainable development and the future of indigenous communities	Moderator:
16:00-16:15	Closing remarks	Dr. Nagatsu Kazufumi Research Associate, Center for Southeast Asian Studies, Kyoto University
