

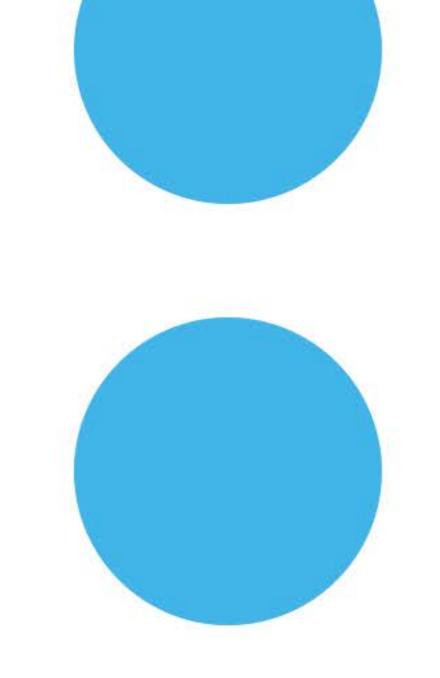


Indonesia-Korea
New Southern Policy
Young Professionals Lab

Public Report







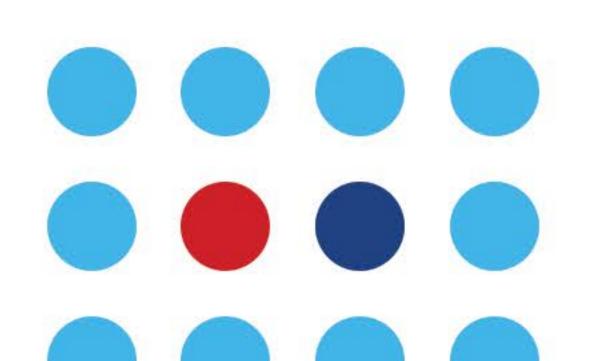
Organizing Committee



The Foreign Policy Community of Indonesia (FPCI) is a non-partisan, non-political, and independent foreign policy organization established in 2015 to introduce and promote discussions on international relations among many relevant actors in Indonesia such as ambassadors and other diplomats, government officials, academicians, researchers, business leaders, media practitioners, lecturers, think-tank associates, and students. FPCI is also dedicated to studying the most pressing foreign policy issues related to ASEAN, geopolitics, middle powers, geo-economics, and the diaspora. To date, FPCI has grown to be the largest foreign policy community in Indonesia with more than 100,000 people in its network.



The Korea Foundation (KF) was established in 1991 to promote the charms of Korea to the world and to perform and support public diplomacy to deepen friendly international civil networks. Since its founding, the KF has worked on various exchange programs including the promotion of Korean studies, networking to foster international cooperation, arts and cultural exchanges, and media projects. Today, the KF stands tall as a specialized public diplomacy organization that represents Korea. According to the Public Diplomacy Act of the Republic of Korea, the KF is the only "institution that conducts public diplomacy" and it is growing, thanks to the participation of all citizens.



About the Indonesia-Korea NSP Young Professionals Lab

The Indonesia-Korea New Southern Policy Young Professionals Lab is a comprehensive program that specifically seeks to promote, incentivize, and increase the number of policy briefs on the Republic of Korea (ROK)'s New Southern Policy (NSP). This program is designed for the Indonesian young professional community—emerging young academicians, researchers, experts, and policymakers. The main structure of the program is a Lab that works as a dynamic platform that creates and nurtures an environment for stimulating discussions, exploration of various ROK-ASEAN and ROK- Indonesia issues, and formulation of research questions and regional issue focuses possible to take place. The two-day program consists of panel discussions and workshops that ultimately lead to the creation of a joint policy recommendation.





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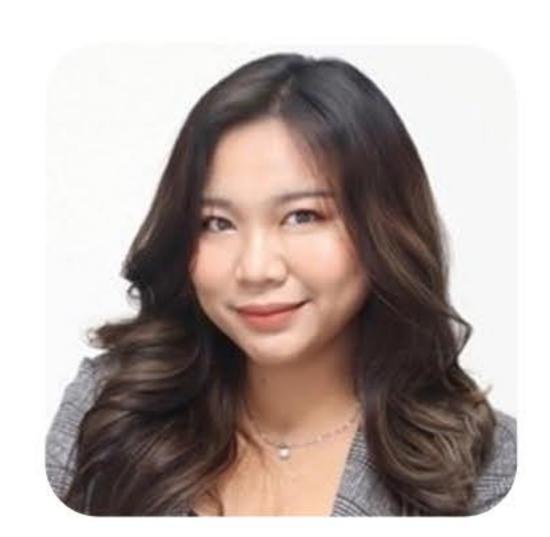


Ten young rising Indonesian professionals participated in the two-day program in Jakarta to conceptualize policy recommendations that address both challenges and opportunities that lie behind the Indonesian perspective and efforts in realizing the goals of NSP, and their proposed solutions to enhance implementation of NSP specifically in Indonesia.



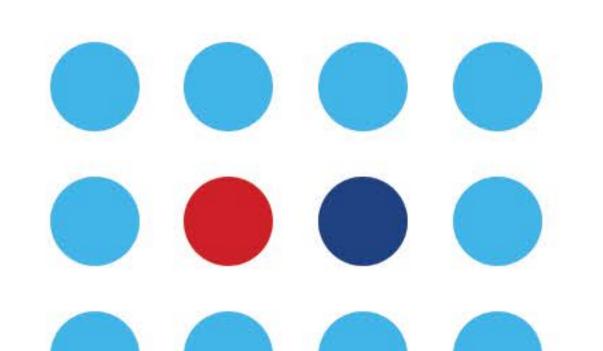
Agatha Lydia Natania
Executive Director, ASEAN Youth Organization

Agatha is the Executive Director of the ASEAN Youth Organization which is the largest youth-led organization in Southeast Asia. She currently works as a staff at the ASEAN-Institute for Peace and Reconciliation Indonesia, Ministry of Foreign Affairs of the Republic of Indonesia. Before serving at ASEAN-IPR, she worked as Personal Assistant of former Indonesian Minister for Foreign Affairs, Dr. Hassan Wirajuda. She obtained her Bachelor's Degree in International Relations from Parahyangan Catholic University. The initial policy recommendation she proposed focuses on youth cooperation particularly in providing scholarships for vocational studies in rural areas and building closer engagement through youth networking events as well as reform in the school curriculum.



Amalia Mastur International Trade Policy Adviser, British Embassy

Amalia is an international Trade Policy and Negotiation Practitioner who works as Policy Adviser at the British Embassy. She has an extensive experience in opening market access for international businesses and is currently involved in one of Indonesia's Bilateral Trade Negotiation agenda. She is interested in technology policy and development. In 2018, she published a paper about Korea's Closure on Kaesong Industrial Complex (KIC) at the International Conference on Contemporary Social and Political Science. Her policy proposal focuses on creating a practical path to Industry 4.0 by enhancing technology cooperation between Indonesia and Korea in areas such as investment for data center infrastructure and capacity building to fill the digital skills gap.







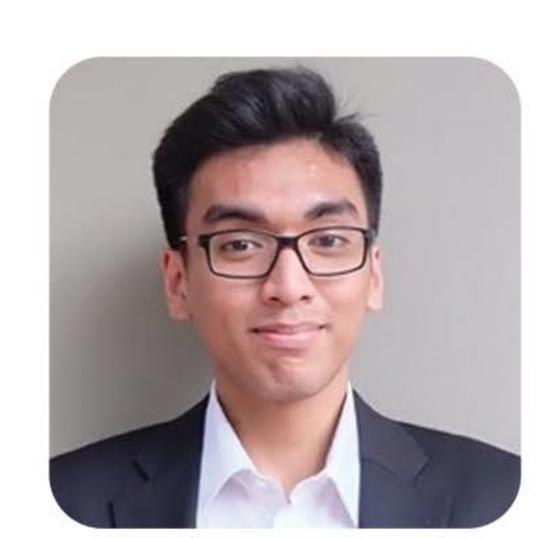
Angelo Wijaya Consultant, World Bank Group

Angelo Wijaya works as a consultant for the World Bank Group to support operations in the East Asia & Pacific and the South Asia regions. He holds a Bachelor's degree in International Relations from Universitas Gadjah Mada, Indonesia. He is interested in the intersection of international relations, political economy, and policy. His policy recommendation offers a way to refine the narrative of NSP by drawing lessons from similar policies of other countries. He also proposed a strategy so that NSP can better synergize with Master Plan on ASEAN Connectivity 2025 and Indonesia's Global Maritime Fulcrum.



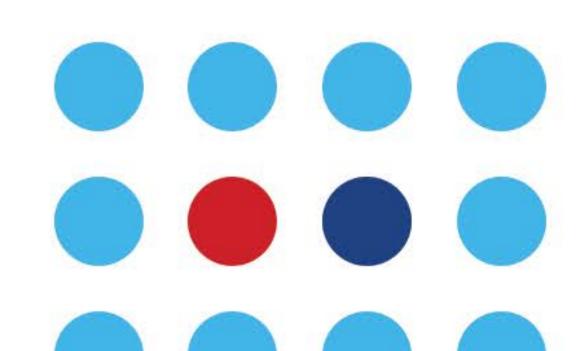
Aristyo Rizka Darmawan Lecturer, University of Indonesia

Aristyo is a lecturer in international law at University of Indonesia and co-Director of the Center for Sustainable Ocean Policy (CSOP). He is involved in the Pacific Forum of Foreign Policy Research Honolulu as a Young Leader. His research focuses on the relationship between International law and foreign policy in the Asia Pacific region. He obtained his Master's Degree in International Law from Tufts University, United States and completed a certification in Public International Law from the Hague Academy of International Law, the Netherlands. His policy proposal aimed at strategic maritime cooperation between Indonesia and Korea particularly in the area of maritime infrastructure, security issues, combating IUU fishing and human resource development.



Equilibrium TampubolonSubstance Support Officer, Ministry of National Development Planning

Eqi serves the Ministry of National Development Planning of Republic of Indonesia as the Substance Support Officer. He is responsible in supporting research on international development projects under ADB, AllB and European Union. He is driven to explore areas of cooperation that are conducive to a strong and inclusive pandemic recovery. He is interested in the development of the tourism sector. His initial policy recommendation focuses on the creation of a bilateral financing facility to support the status of "enabling environment" for Indonesia's Travel and Tourism sector in the post-pandemic era.

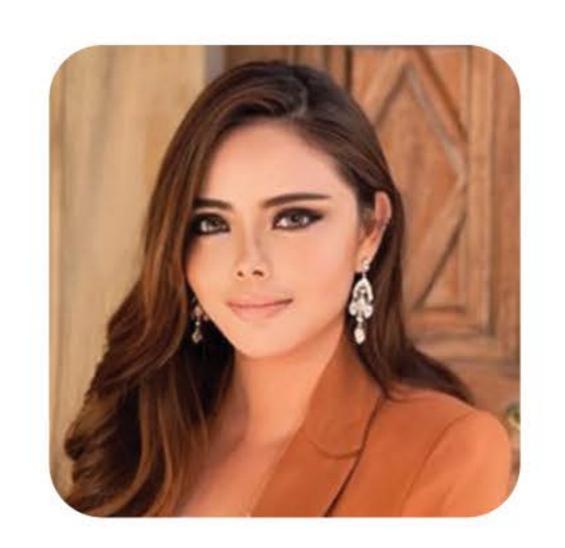






I Gusti Bagus Dharma Agastia Assistant Professor, President University

Agastia is an Assistant Professor in International Relations at President University. His research interests include defence and security policy in Southeast Asia, maritime affairs, and countering violent extremism. He obtained his Master's Degree in Strategic Studies from S. Rajaratnam School of International Studies, Singapore. His initial policy recommendation aims to improve the peace pillar of NSP, particularly by enhancing maritime security cooperation through closer institutional engagements and modernization of naval industry.



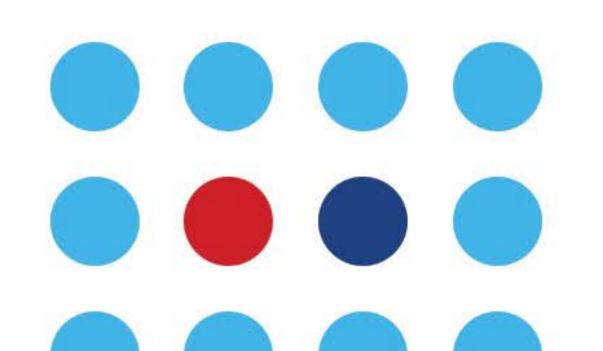
Jessica Natalia Widjaja Head Delegation of Indonesia, W20

Jessica is an author and entrepreneur who has a great passion for foreign affairs. She is the head of Indonesia's delegation to W20 Japan, Saudi Arabia and Italy. She also headed Indonesia's delegation to W20 Indonesia-Korea Relationship Forum which was held in Seoul last February. She has published three books, two of which have been sold for more than 1 million copies. She obtained her Doctoral degree in Constitutional Law and Master's degree in International Trade, Investment and Competition Law from University of Pelita Harapan, Indonesia. Her policy recommendation focuses on strategy to increase trade volume between Indonesia and Korea and suggestions to improve the New Southern Policy in general.



Nadia Caroline
Personal Banker, Citibank

Nadia is an international relations graduate with a passion for finance-related matters. She is currently working as a personal banker at Citibank, Jakarta. Her research focuses on Indonesian financial landscape, specifically on investment and digital technology. She obtained her Bachelor's degree from University of Indonesia. Her initial policy recommendation discusses a more active approach towards post-pandemic economic recovery and growth through cross-ministries collaboration which could enable the New Southern Policy to link with Indonesia's existing policies or program such as Indonesia's National Economic Recovery program, Omnibus Law, Sovereign Wealth Fund.







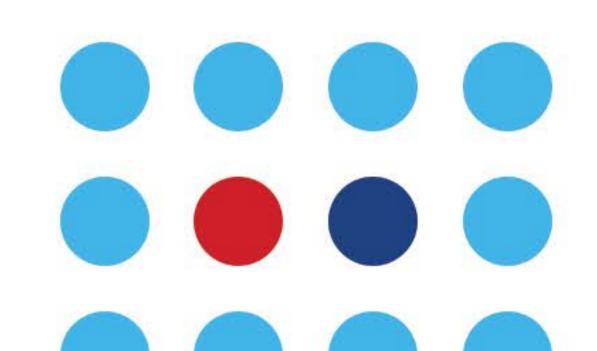
Pamela Simamora
Research Coordinator, Institute for Essential Services Reform

Pamela is the research coordinator at the Institute for Essential Services Reform. She led seven specialist in carrying out research projects. She has over three years of experience in energy policy and advocacy. She obtained her Master of Engineering in Energy from Washington University in St. Louis, United States. Her research specializes on energy transformation, sustainable energy access and green economy programs. She is the creator of Indonesia Clean Energy Outlook (ICEO) which is used as a global and national reference to clean energy status in Indonesia and supported the establishment Indonesia Clean Energy Forum (ICEF). Her policy recommendation focuses on utilizing the New Southern Policy to accelerate Indonesia's transition to clean energy.



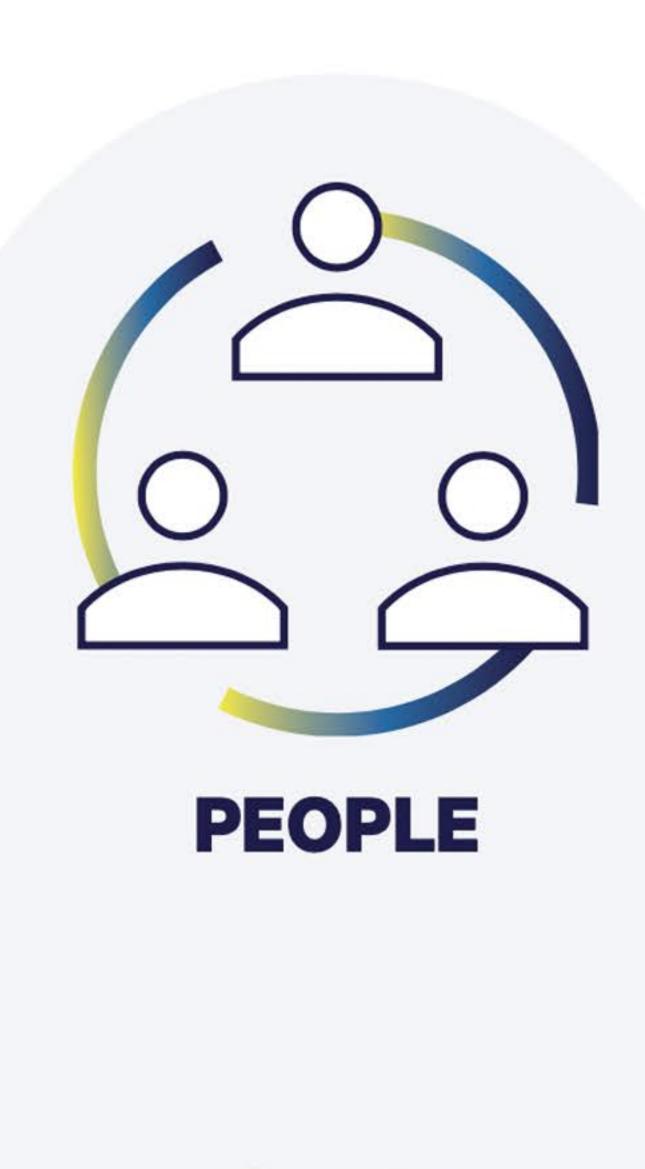
Yani Parasti Siregar Associate, MicroSave Consulting

Yani is an active professional in the financial inclusion sector. She is a keen observer of Indonesia's international relations and public policy, with over a year of experience assisting Indonesian government participation at the Group of 20 (G20). Her research interest includes regional development and financial inclusion. She holds a Master's degree in Public Policy from KDI School of Public Policy and Management, Korea. Her policy recommendation includes Green Technology Partnership Initiative between Indonesia and Korea, particularly in agriculture and smart-farming. She also suggested financing scheme to enable farmers to grow better quality agricultural products.





Innovative and fresh ideas coming from the younger generation will help to create a more inclusive and applicable NSP in Indonesia. Thus, to ensure that the NSP runs effectively and able to reach the overall goals, it needs an individual approach. The NSP needs to be designed and actualized by taking into account the specific interests of Indonesia who plays a leadership role within ASEAN. Consequently, this program has further enriched the understanding of Indonesia-Korea policy issues, particularly within ROK's NSP framework.



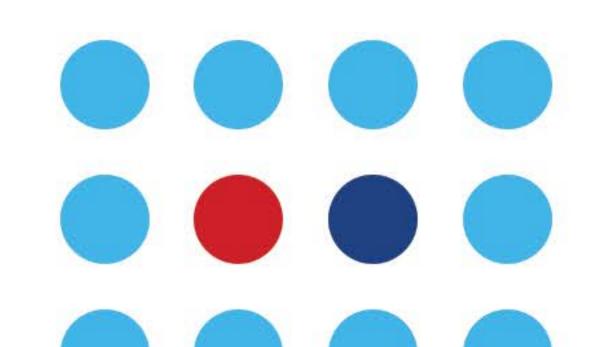
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PEOPLE-CENTERED
COMMUNITY OF CO-EXISTENCE,
PROSPERITY AND PEACE





Source: New Southern Policy Plus, Presidential Committee on the New Southern Policy





NSP Plus Vision 3P







People

Prosperity

Peace

NSP Plus 7 Initiatives



Comprehensive Public Health Cooperation In Post-Covid Era



Support rural villages and urban infrastructure development



Share Korean-style education model and support the development of human resources



Cooperate in future industries for common prosperity



Promote two-way cultural exchanges

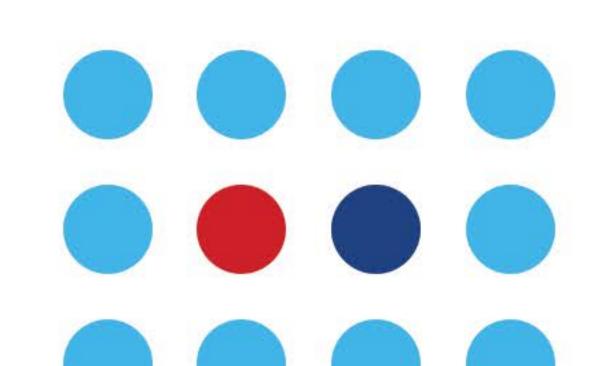


Cooperate for safety and peace promotion at the transnational level



Build the foundation of mutually beneficial and sustainable trade & investment

Source: New Southern Policy Plus, Presidential Committee on the New Southern Policy





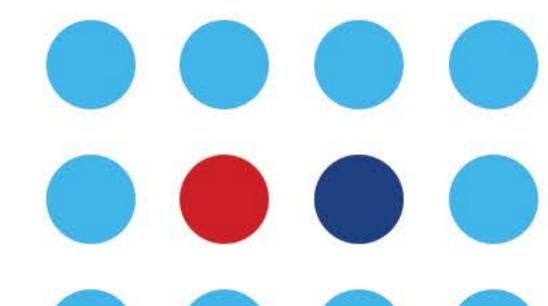
Opening Ceremony



On the 24th of May, FPCI and the Korea Foundation has successfully started the kickoff of the Indonesia-Korea New Southern Policy Young Professionals Lab. The event took place at Ayana Midplaza Hotel Jakarta. Dr. Dino Patti Djalal; Founder & Chairman of Foreign Policy Community of Indonesia (FPCI), Dr. Geun Lee; President of Korea Foundation (KF), H.E. Park Tae-sung; Ambassador of the Republic of Korea to Indonesia, and H.E. Umar Hadi, Ambassador of Indonesia to the Republic of Korea were in attendance to mark the official launch of the program.

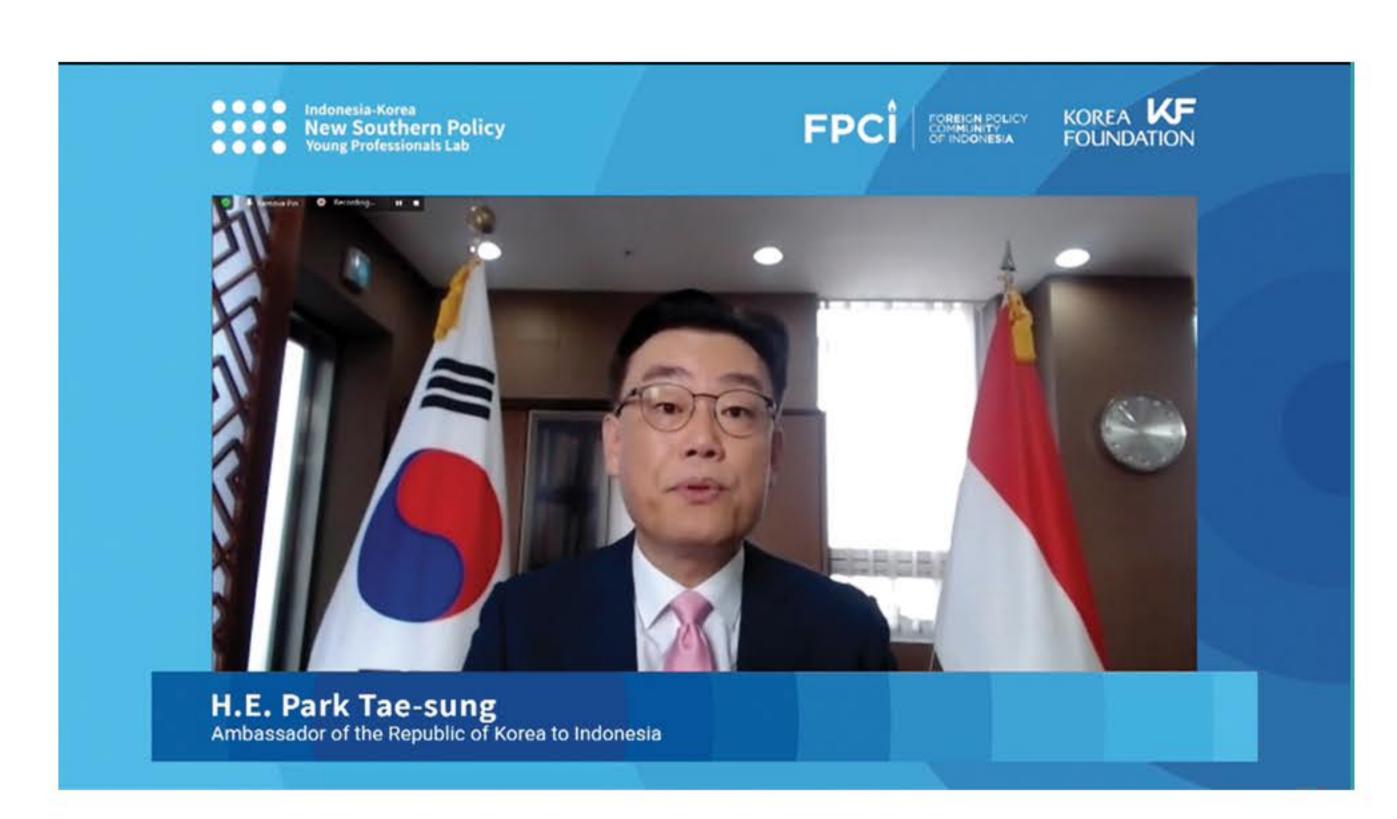












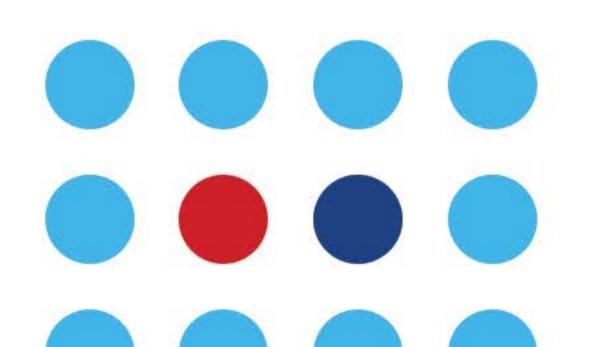


"Indonesia and ROK are middle powers which have much more room and are more versatile to interact with each other. Indonesia and ROK do not have any political baggage nor bad history. The ROK may have some with other countries, and Indonesia too, but not between the two countries. Therefore, it creates more free and open space to work in."

"In order to repair the shortfall in 2020 and advance to the next level of Indonesia-Korea bilateral relationship, both countries should avoid moving and acting blindly, without direction or steady guidance. Instead, the two countries should adapt in a practical way to complex emerging situations, create a long-term strategy and form a common response to accelerating global challenges. To that, the roles of researchers and working-level officials are crucial to make progress at this critical juncture."

"Indonesia as the biggest economy in Southeast Asia and a leading member in ASEAN has been a key partner of the NSP. The ties between Indonesia and ROK have been mutually beneficial since the NSP was initiated."

"To come up with innovation, we need high-quality human resources with fresh ideas that come from different backgrounds and areas of expertise. This is exactly why NSP Young Professionals Lab is very important and timely. The young professionals who come from different fields are expected to share their innovative ideas and aspirations to advance the NSP Cooperation for the benefit of all parties and to bring ASEAN and Korea to not only the largest economic partners but most important counterparts in the coming year."





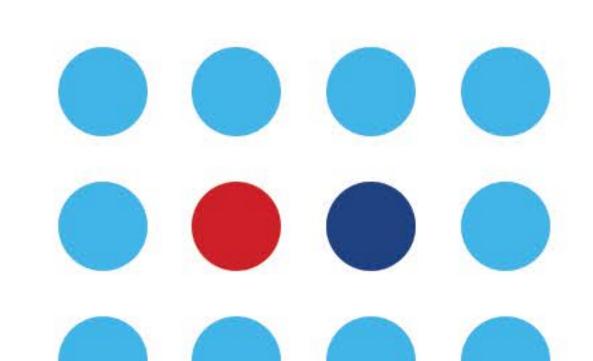
The Individual Presentation of Initial Policy Recommendations

The opening session was followed by individual presentations of the initial policy recommendations by the ten young professionals. They highlighted many important issues such as youth, digital infrastructure, maritime cooperation, tourism, peace, and climate change during their presentations. According to Dr. Dino Patti Djalal in his commentary towards the presentations, the ten young professionals are opportunity-driven and very practical on their proposed policies.







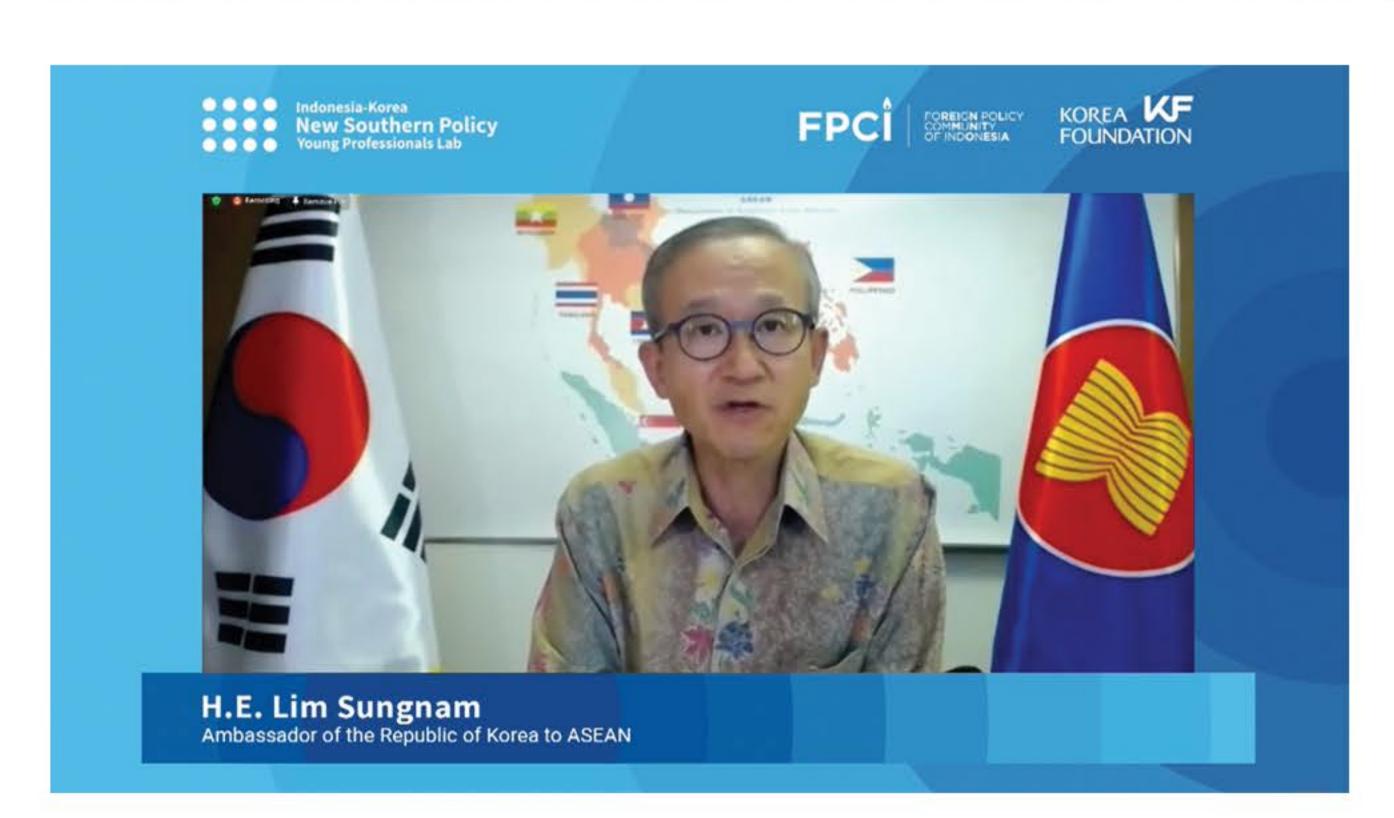




Workshop on the New Southern Policy



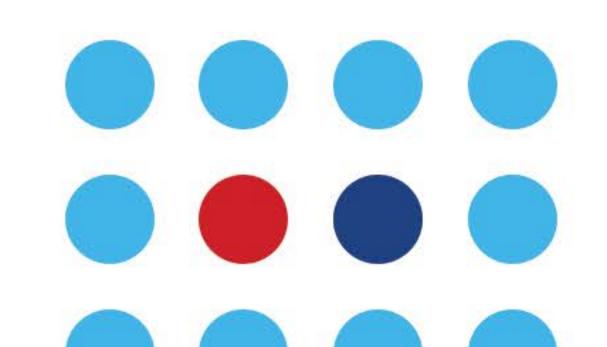
The Lab continued with the Workshop on New Southern Policy by H.E. Lim Sungnam, Ambassador of the Republic of Korea to ASEAN, and Mr. Lee Dong-Gy, Deputy Director-General of the Presidential Committee on the New Southern Policy who shared the conceptual definition and practical framework of the NSP and NSP+ to the participants.



"Of all the 10 members, Indonesia is a very influential diplomatic partner for Korea. NSP is more or less an umbrella, foundational policy for bilateral relationships with ASEAN countries. One of the biggest challenges in the implementation of NSP will be the COVID-19. But despite that, Korea and ASEAN have done really well."



"The NSP Plus is now intended to strengthen the implementation of the peace and cooperative projects. In relation to the ASEAN-Korea relations, people-centered means that we should put people first in our relations. This is in line with ASEAN's people-oriented community. ASEAN also has a big role in the establishment of peace including in the process of peace on the Korean Peninsula."



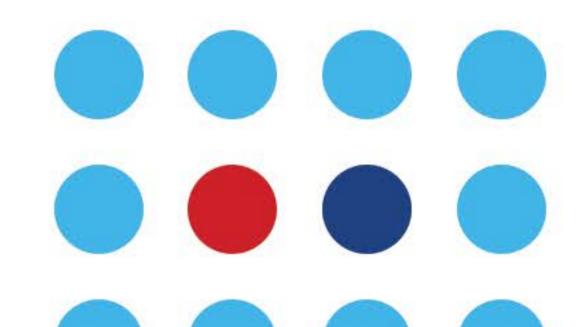


Focus Group Discussion with Indonesian Officials



The Workshop on the New Southern Policy was followed by a Focus Group Discussion with Indonesian Officials and Experts featuring H.E. Thomas Lembong, Minister of Trade of Republic of Indonesia (2015-2016); H.E. Abdul Kadir Jailani, Director-General of the Asia Pacific and Africa, Ministry of Foreign Affairs of Republic of Indonesia; Prof. Bondan Tiara Sofyan, Director-General of Defence Potentials, Ministry of Defence of Republic of Indonesia (2018-2020).





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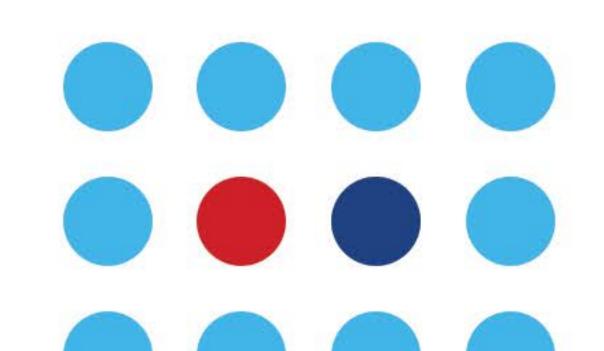
"There is a strong signal and bright light showing the incredible positive nature of the relationship between Indonesia and Korea. Indonesia-Korea CEPA would enable us to consider potential difficulties or issues/concerns. The challenges (but also opportunities) are gigantic. The COVID-19 pandemic we are experiencing right now is just an appetizer; a small case of things to come. There are two more challenges that would drive the course COVID-19 has led: first, climate change is going to infiltrate and flavor every foreign policy issue. The other one is the US-China issue."



"The engagement of Indonesia to NSP will also demonstrate strategic interest. This becomes increasingly important, including to the ASEAN Outlook on the Indo-Pacific. Indonesia also has parallel strategic interests in creating regional stability through stable regional mechanisms. Development cooperation is one of the core pillars of the NSP. Many developing countries find ROK as the role model for development. The ROK is a valuable and attractive partner for development."



"If we can summarize the cooperation in the defense sector, it supports the strategic partnerships, especially NSP. We hope that it (NSP) will not only maintain the national interest but also keep regional safety and security. Strategic cooperation takes a long time. There are still many opportunities to explore."





Before the Q&A session with the young professionals starts, Mr. Bok Dug-gyou, Director of Indonesia – Korea Business Cooperation Center, Korean Trade-Investment Promotion Agency (KOTRA) Jakarta, and Mr. Lee Joo-han, Secretary-General, Korean Chamber of Commerce and Industry (KOCHAM) had a chance to respond to the panel.



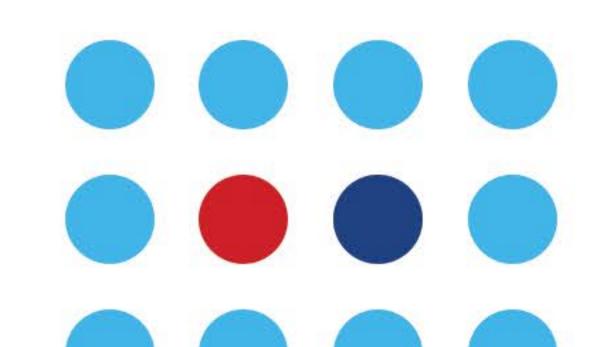




"Indonesia-Korea CEPA should help with to leverage bilateral relations into the kind of cooperation that Vietnam and ROK have now. To reach the level of cooperation with Vietnam, we must promote shipbuilding and automobile investment in Indonesia."

"After NSP was introduced, many Korean companies from many sectors aggressively been entering Indonesia. For us, this is very significant, because more advanced technology industries are entering. ROK and Indonesia can work together to improve ICT sectors and also develop more smart panel houses. ROK is very developed in the ICT sector. The leading trend has changed a lot. We see that the change of lifestyle, online, and mobile keeps on increasing. Both Indonesia and Korea should use this momentum to increase and business transactions improve and cooperation."

After the end of the FGD session, participants focused on developing their joint policy recommendations for the rest of the day.



Focus Group Discussion with Korean Officials and Experts





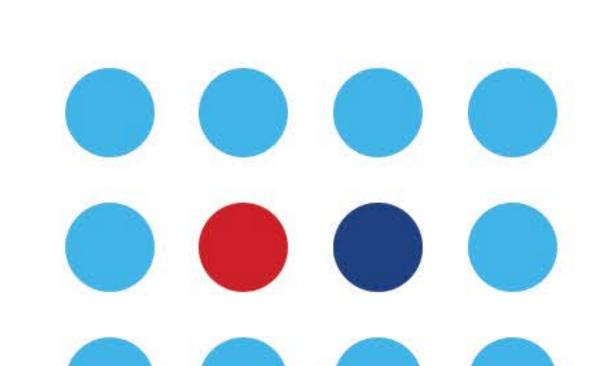
On the second day, the ten young professionals had a chance to participate in a Focus Group Discussion with Korean Officials and Experts. Joining from Seoul were Ms. Pyo Junghwa, Director for ASEAN Cooperation Division, Korean Ministry of Foreign Affairs; H.E. Kim Chang-beom, Ambassador of the Republic of Korea to Indonesia (2018-2020); Ms. Siti Maisarah Haji Majid, Deputy Head of Information and Data Unit, ASEAN-Korea Centre; Dr. Kwak Sungil, Research Fellow, Korea Institute for Economic Policy; and Dr. Lee Jaehyon, Senior Fellow, Asan Institute for Policy Studies.





"The NSP+ announced last year is an updated version of the NSP with seven initiatives while maintaining the three pillars. Since this announcement, MOFA and other ministries have identified key projects. MOFA is implementing five flagship programs for NSP countries such as Inclusive Rural Development, Digital Partnership for Inclusive Development, Inclusive Transportation for Balanced Growth, Higher Education for Prosperous Future, and Smart Cities for People and Planet. ROK appreciates ASEAN's warm reception on NSP and NSP Plus, as it is included in last year's summit. Despite these achievements, there is still more room for closer ties."

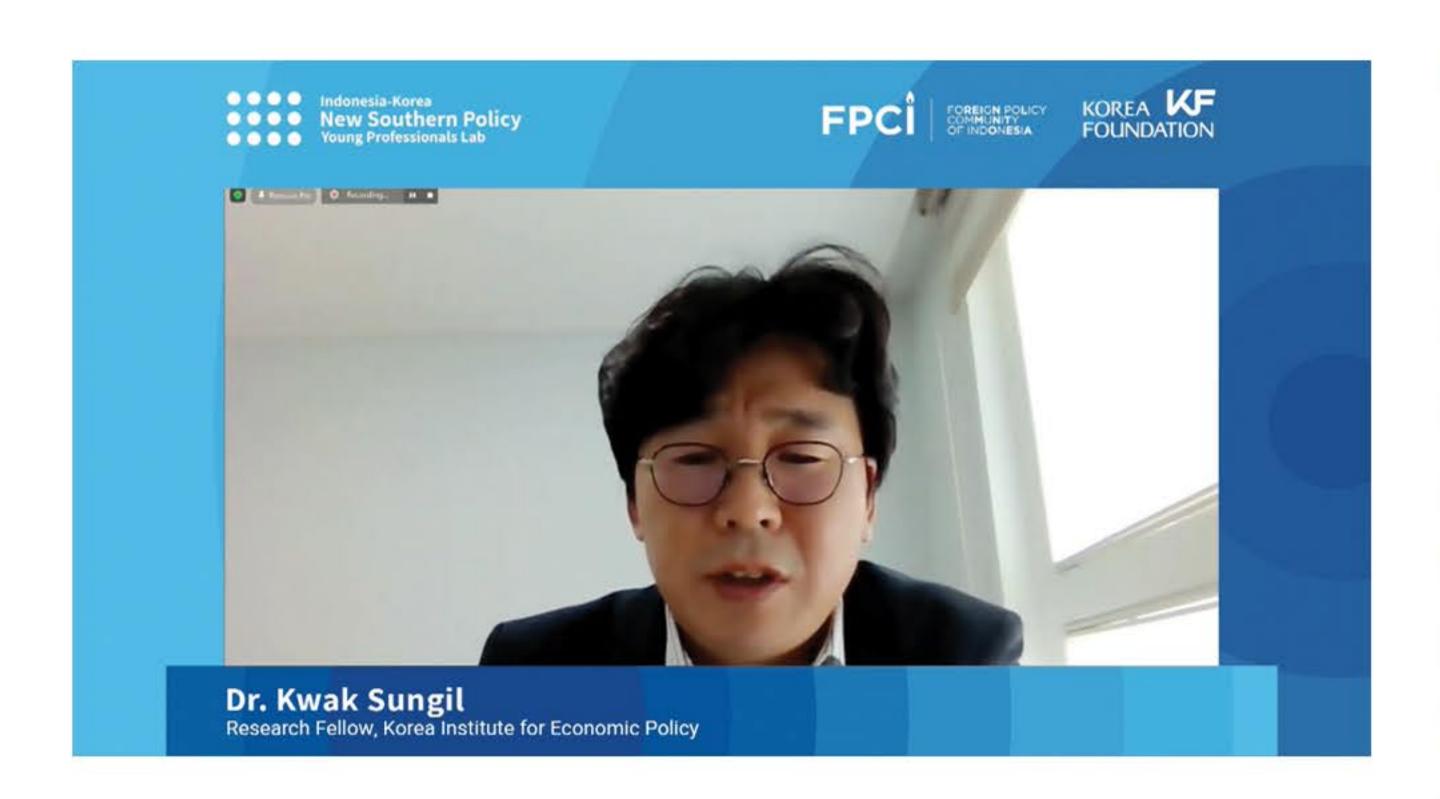
"NSP is an initiative that is more like a guiding light for policy practitioners to coordinate with each other and come up with consistent policy directions. Institutions are working together with aims and objectives so the policy will be well-aligned and synchronized. Under this NSP as the umbrella framework, each individual, bilateral, and multilateral approach can be combined towards these common principles and objectives. Indonesia is standing at a very important place within ROK's NSP. In fact, Jakarta is the place where President Moon announced this policy."







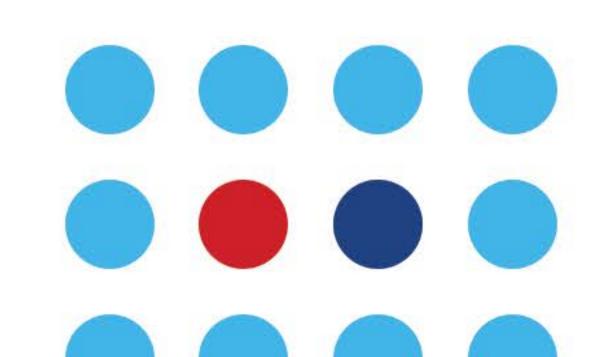
"Engagement with youth as well as academia has become the target. Youth play a crucial role as they will be the next generation leaders that will be pushing the ideas of strong and sustainable ASEAN-ROK partnership. Only with better mutual understanding can youth play a better role. Youth as future leaders therefore can play an important role. For ASEAN, expansion in education and health are sought and aligned with NSP Plus."



"NSP+ maintains the basic framework of the existing NSP which includes its values and fundamental objectives. To improve its engagement with Indonesia, the ROK can focus on the growth of ICT and healthcare sectors during the pandemic. This is very related to the sixth NSP+ initiative which is 'cooperate in future industries for common prosperity. On the other hand, better utilization of complementary relationships, along with the NSP+ Initiatives will be a driver to sustain the NSP and build a new version of the NSP."



"In regards to achievement and consistency (of NSP), President Moon Jae-in has said it is genuine and sincere. It will be consistent to put ASEAN countries as strategic partners. But the problem is the concrete actions. It is not tangible yet. They have made a great effort, but it takes time to see the result. The ROK is not China, Japan, or the U.S. We have relatively small pockets. It takes time to accumulate all of our efforts."



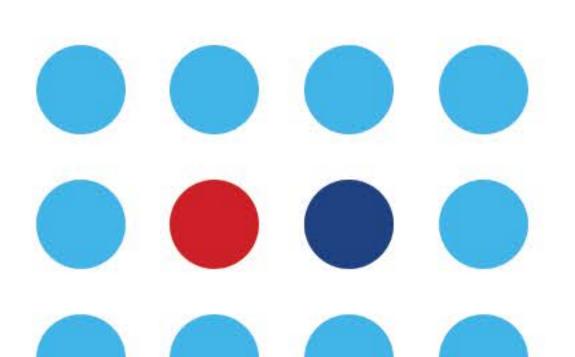


After the ten young professionals finished discussing with Korean experts and officials, they were grouped to the respective pillars of NSP: People, Peace, and Prosperity. Each of the groups presented their draft of the Joint Policy Recommendation in front of the NSP Young Professionals Lab Supervisory Board











Closing Dinner

The NSP Young Professionals Lab was concluded with a Closing Dinner attended by H.E. Park Tae-sung, Ambassador of the Republic of Korea to Indonesia, and Mr. Bae Sung-won, Director of Korea Foundation Jakarta Office. The Dinner was held in Seribu Rasa Restaurant and was joined by all ten NSP Young Professionals and the members of the supervisory board.

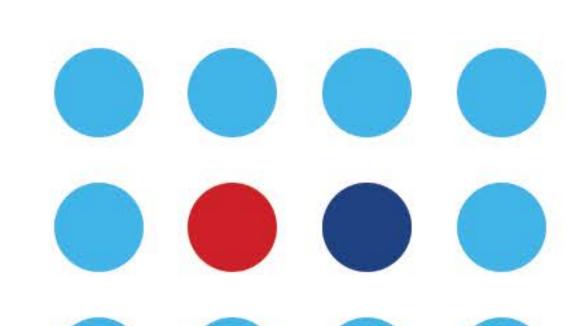












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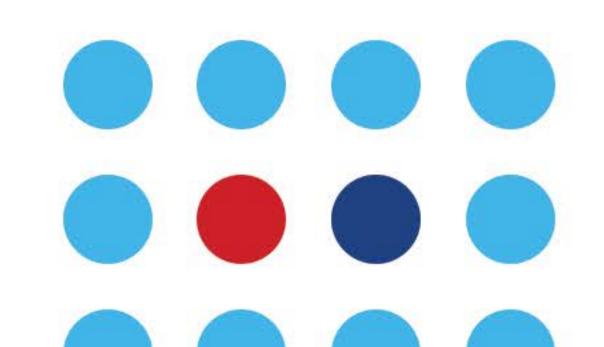
Special Post-Lab Events

Government Briefing and Hand Over of Joint Policy Recommendations Thursday, 10 June 2021



On Thursday, 10 June 2021, the Indonesia-Korea New Southern Policy Young Professionals Lab delegation visited the Indonesian Ministry of Foreign Affairs to officially hand over and discuss the Joint Policy Recommendations of the policy lab, which was held on 24-25 May 2021. The delegation of ten young rising Indonesian professionals was led by Dr. Dino Patti Djalal, Founder and Chairman of Foreign Policy Community of Indonesia (FPCI), and received by Dr. Santo Darmosumarto, Director of East Asia and Pacific of Indonesian Ministry of Foreign Affairs.

The meeting took place in a less formal setting. The members of the delegation began the discussion by introducing themselves to Dr. Santo Darmosumarto. They then talked about the selection process and their experience during the two-days intensive program. Afterward, Dr. Dino Patti Djalal discussed the main purpose of the program and how the Joint Policy Recommendations created by the 10 Young Professionals may be used as a good reference for the Ministry to produce policies that shall strengthen ties with the Republic of Korea.



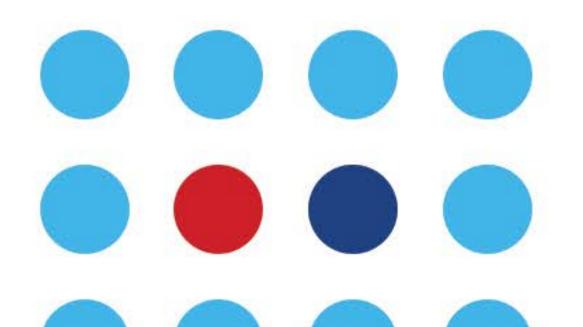




Equilibrium Tampubolon and Angelo Abil Wijaya then explained the Joint Policy Recommendations in detail. In their presentation, they informed that the recommendations are formulated against a backdrop of uncertainties in the international order due to an ongoing strategic rivalry between an established but declining superpower and a rising superpower, as well as the pressing cross-cutting global challenges, including the COVID-19 pandemic, increasing misunderstanding and prejudice among peoples, climate change and unequal digitalization.



Further, the rest of the NSP Young Professionals presented the policy recommendations highlighted under the People, Prosperity, and Peace Pillars. Dr. Santo responded positively to the findings, inputs, and recommendations presented. Dr. Santo suggested a further dialogue between the NSP Young Professionals and Indonesian diplomats. He also encouraged the NSP Young Professionals to be actively involved in strengthening the Indonesia-Korea relations.



Special University Lecture with FPCI Chapters DKI Jakarta Monday, 14 June 2021



On Monday, 14 June 2021, Indonesia-Korea New Southern Policy Young Professionals Lab convened a Special University Lecture with FPCI Chapters DKI Jakarta entitled "Unravelling Paths for a Stronger New Southern Policy (NSP) Implementation After the Pandemic." The Special University Lecture featured Agatha Lydia Natania, Yani Parasti Siregar, and I Gusti Bagus Dharma Agastia as the keynote speakers. One hundred and twenty-one students from seven universities in DKI Jakarta registered for the lecture.



Agatha Lydia Nathania began the forum by briefly explaining the policy lab program and the purpose of the Joint Policy Recommendations they disseminate. She then presented the policy recommendations from the People Pillar, focusing on the healthcare sector, capacity building, and people-to-people interactions. She stated that under the NSP, the two countries should ensure both citizens' access to healthcare and encourage joint research in said sector to reduce dependency on medical supply. She also suggested an increase in scholarships and training in vocational skills to tackle issues related to youth unemployment. Lastly, she recommended the use of digital platforms to increase people-to-people interactions.

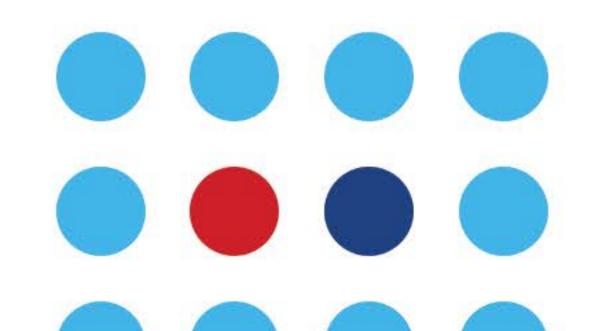


Yani Parasti Siregar then explained the recommendations under Prosperity Pillar. She proposed for the two countries to promote direct trade and investment, particularly in digital technology, clean energy, sustainable agriculture, and a creative economy. These sectors are chosen because digital technology and clean energy is becoming more essential in our daily lives. Meanwhile, sustainable agriculture and creative economy have become the sectors that help many mid to low-income communities, and people in the rural areas survive during the pandemic.



Afterward, Dharma Agastia briefed the students on the recommendations under the Peace Pillar. He proposed that the security cooperation under the NSP should be started through human resources development and focus on the maritime security sector. He also encouraged increased engagements under a framework such as security dialogue at the government-to-government level and the people-to-people level.

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Public Forum and Press Conference Tuesday, 15 June 2021



On Tuesday, 15 June 2021, the Foreign Policy Community of Indonesia convened a virtual public forum entitled "New Southern Policy for a Peaceful, Stable and Prosperous ASEAN Region." The purpose of the public forum is to present the Joint Policy Recommendations and results of the Indonesia-Korea New Southern Policy Young Professionals Lab that was held successfully on 24-25 May 2021. The forum was opened by Dr. Dino Patti Djalal, Founder and Chairman of Foreign Policy Community of Indonesia (FPCI) and followed by the keynote presentation by H.E. Michael Tene, Deputy Secretary-General for ASEAN Political-Security Community, and Prof. Choe Wongi, Head of Center for ASEAN-India Studies, Korea National Diplomatic Academy (KNDA). The forum was moderated by Prof. Dewi Fortuna Anwar, Co-Founder of FPCI.

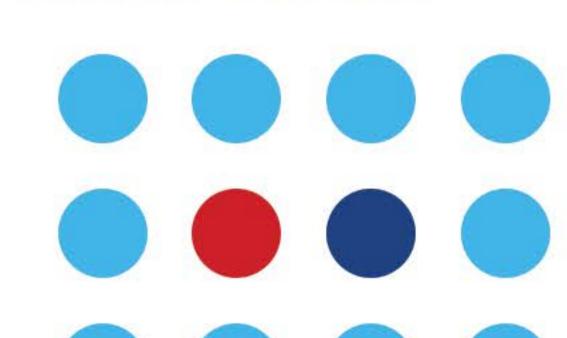


In his remark, Dr. Dino Patti Djalal said that Indonesia and South Korea had developed a strategic partnership. He noted that their relationship is a unique and important one because it is between two middle powers, which are democracies and have the same outlook on regional and global affairs. However, during the implementation, South Korea faced a few criticisms such as lack of focus, not being inclusive enough, and focusing too much on prosperity. In this context, the New Southern Policy Young Professionals Lab is aimed to assess the implementation of the policy and provide recommendations to address such challenges.



H.E. Michael Tene stated that in terms of NSP and regional components, the three pillars of NSP correspond well with ASEAN's Community Pillars. In terms of peace, the Republic of Korea and ASEAN shared objectives in some hotspots in our region, like Korean Peninsula and the South China Sea. He also noted that the Korean Government has always been a strong supporter of ASEAN centrality and ASEAN Outlook on the Indo-Pacific – the latest regional policy that was issued by ASEAN. In the people-to-people context, since NSP was launched, there is a significant increase in people-to-people and educational exchanges before the pandemic. Korea and ASEAN have been doing mutually beneficial cooperation in terms of promoting prosperity in various sectors.







Prof. Choe Wongi explained the main motivations for the NSP, which are diversification of focus from the Big Four to the ASEAN region; nurturing relations with ASEAN as an important partner to enlarging international support, and corresponding to ASEAN status as the fastest-growing economy. He then presented how the NSP has been evolved to NSP Plus by rearranging the priorities into seven sectors. He also mentioned the areas where the NSP can be further developed, for instance, the security pillar. In his assessment, Korea has been deliberately avoiding security traditional issues such as the South China Seas and focused more on non-traditional issues. He concluded his presentation with the prospects for NSP sustainability after President Moon's administration.



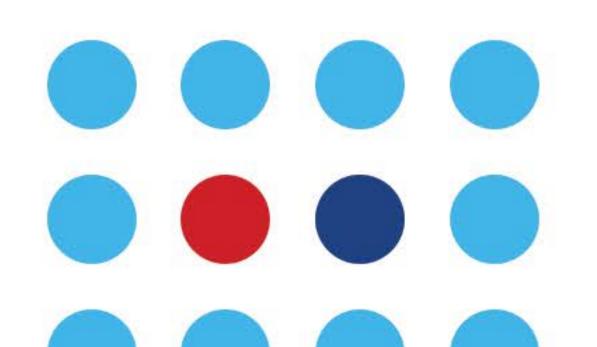
Afterward, Equilibrium Tampubolon, Amalia Mastur, and Angelo Abil Wijaya shared their policy recommendations and strategies to address some of the challenges in Indonesia-Korea relations. Under the People Pillar, Equilibrium Tampubolon described the policy proposal that includes protection of Indonesians and Koreans, especially in the healthcare sector, an increase of meaningful people-to-people interactions, and revival in the tourism sector. He further highlights the importance of practical cooperation to produce tangible development.



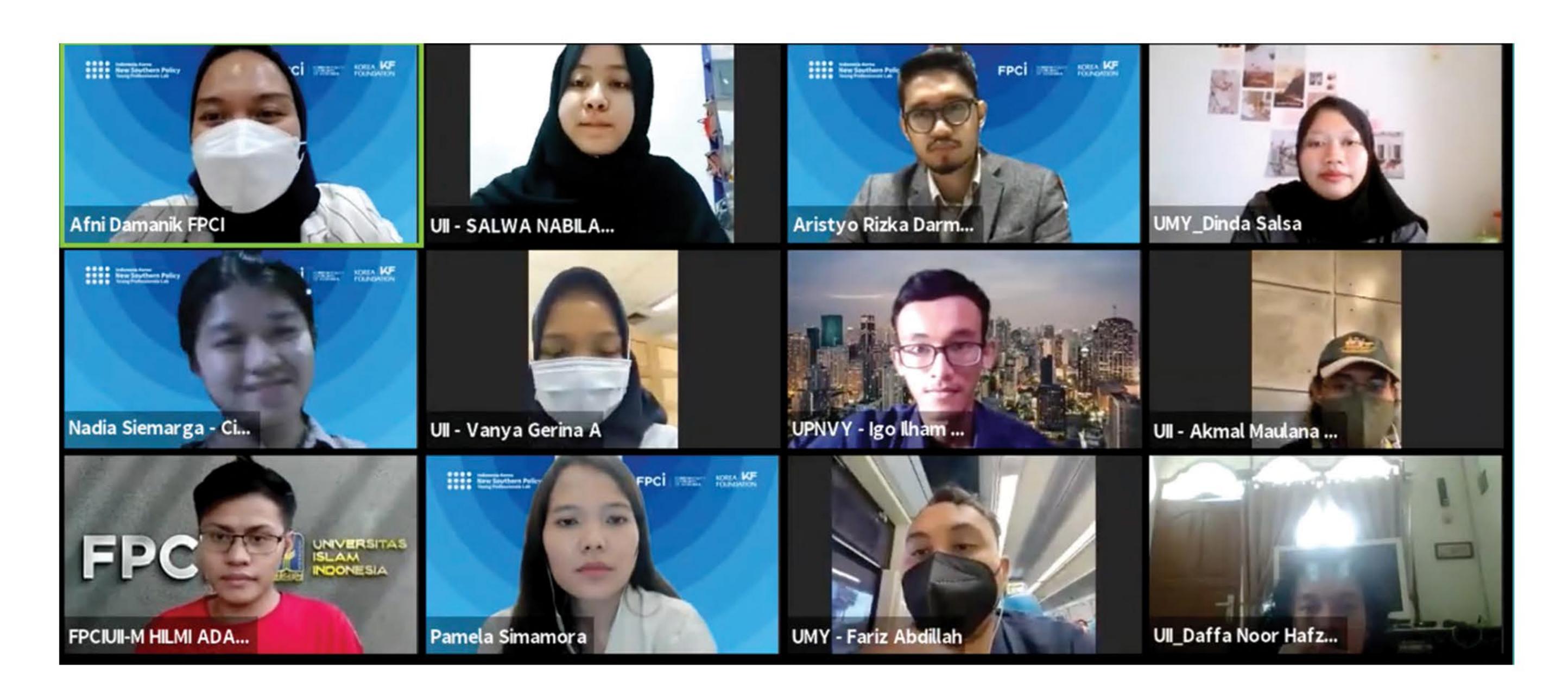
Amalia Mastur then continued the presentation on the Prosperity Pillar. She noted that the recommendations are aimed to `build back better`and that this term should include jargon that could be adapted by the NSP. She also suggested two policy recommendations including promotion of investment and trade for economic recovery, as well as addressing knowledge and economic gap between the two countries.



Angelo Abil Wijaya then presented the policy recommendations under the Peace Pillar that include defense industry and technology cooperation, as well as cooperation among maritime law enforcement agencies. He then emphasizes the importance of peacebuilding and the promotion of democratic values and the rule of law at the grassroots level. The forum is concluded with a question and answer session with the press and general public—three hundred and eighty-three people registered for the forum.



Special University Lecture with FPCI Chapters DI Yogyakarta Wednesday, 16 June 2021



On Wednesday, 16 June 2021, Indonesia-Korea New Southern Policy Young Professionals Lab convened a Special University Lecture with FPCI Chapters DI Yogyakarta entitled "Unravelling Paths for a Stronger NSP Implementation After the Pandemic." The Special University Lecture featured Nadia Caroline, Pamela Simamora, and Aristyo Rizka Darmawan as the keynote speakers. Ninety-seven students from three universities in Yogyakarta registered for the lecture.



Nadia Caroline began the forum by briefly explaining the New Southern Policy and the perspectives behind creating the pillars, namely People, Prosperity, and Peace. She also briefly explained the evolution of NSP until the announcement of the NSP Plus. She emphasized that Indonesian nationals are the second largest in terms of migrant workers in Korea, making the Peace Pillars' recommendations need special attention. She said that people-to-people relations still could be bolstered via means such as TV shows and other digital platforms despite the pandemic.

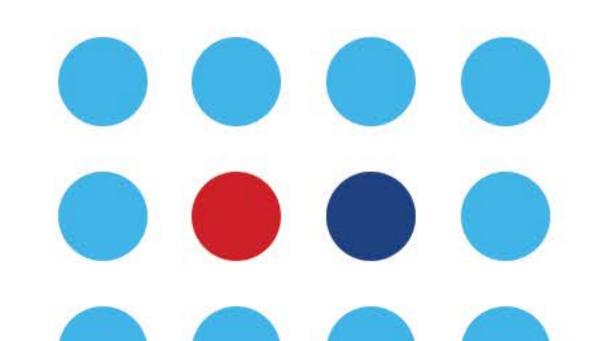


Pamela Simamora focuses her presentation on the realities we face in the sustainable sector. Before presenting the policy recommendations under the Prosperity Pillar, she noted that the COVID-19 pandemic had affected the economy, society, and environment. Therefore the NSP has to find balance in all three sectors because of this causality. She hopes through Indonesia-Korea Comprehensive Economic Partnership Agreement (IK-CEPA), Korean investment, especially in energy sustainability, IT, and digital infrastructure could increase.



Aristyo Rizka Darmawan, then presented the policy recommendations under Peace Pillar, explaining the importance of focusing not only on traditional but also non-traditional security issues. He claimed that both countries share the issue of illegal fishing. Both countries are also facing issues such as people smuggling, human trafficking, and more. Seeing this, Indonesia and Korea should reorient their strategic priorities through regional partnership implemented in practices of defense industry and technology cooperation, security dialogue, and capacity building program.





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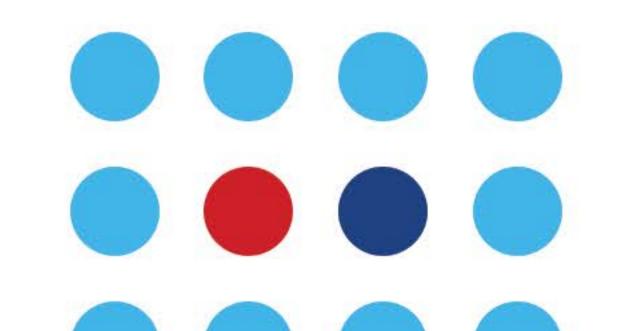
Dr. Dino Patti Djalal - Project Director

Dr. Dino Patti Djalal is a retired career diplomat; former Presidential spokesperson, speech writer and special staff; former Indonesia's Ambassador to the United States; youth activist; academic; author of a national best seller; and former Vice Minister for Foreign Affairs (2014). He is known in Indonesia as Presidential Spokesperson for President Susilo Bambang Yudhoyono – a position he held for 6 years from October 2004 to October 2010, which makes him the longest serving Presidential spokesperson in Indonesia's modern history. In 2015, he founded the Foreign Policy Community of Indonesia (FPCI), an independent non-government non-political non-partisan non-profit forum on international relations, which has grown to be the largest foreign policy group in Indonesia with around 100,000 people in their network. Dr. Djalal serves as the Chairman of the Indonesian Board of Director of the World Resources Institute Indonesia (WRI). He also served as special adviser to the Chairman of the Global Green Growth Institute which is an organization based in Seoul, Republic of Korea. He is the Chairman of the Board of Trustees of Indonesian Diaspora Network Global (IDN-Global). In 2018, he was elected as Chairman of the Indonesian Lecturer Association. He obtained his Bachelor's Degree in Political Science from Carleton University (Ottawa, Canada) and his Masters Degree in Political Science from Simon Fraser University (British Columbia, Canada). In 2000, he received a Doctorate Degree from the London School of Economics and Political Science, after completing and defending a thesis on Preventive Diplomacy under the supervision of renowned scholar on Southeast Asia, the late Professor Michael Leifer.



Prof. Dewi Fortuna Anwar – Supervising Professor

Dewi Fortuna Anwar is an academician of the Indonesian Academy of Sciences (AIPI), a Research Professor at the Center for Political Studies-Indonesian Institute of Sciences (P2P-LIPI), Chairman of the Board of Directors of The Habibie Center (THC), and co-founder of the Foreign Policy Community of Indonesia (FPCI) based in Jakarta. In 2010-2017 Dewi served as a Deputy Secretary to the Vice President of the Republic of Indonesia. Dewi was the Kippenberger Visiting Chair at the Centre for Strategic Studies, Victoria University of Wellington, a Distinguished Visiting Professor at the S. Rajaratnam School of International Studies (RSIS), NTU, Singapore, a Distinguished Visiting Fellow at CSEAS, Kyoto University and a Distinguished Visiting Professor at SAIS, Johns Hopkins University. Dewi sits and has sat in a number of national and international advisory boards including the Centre for Humanitarian Dialogue (HD), the Stockholm International Peace Research Institute (SIPRI), the Weapons of Mass Destruction Commission (WMDC), and the UN Secretary General's Advisory Board on Disarmament Matters. She obtained her PhD from Monash University, Melbourne, while her M.A. and B.A. (Hons) were from the School of Oriental and African Studies (SOAS), University of London.





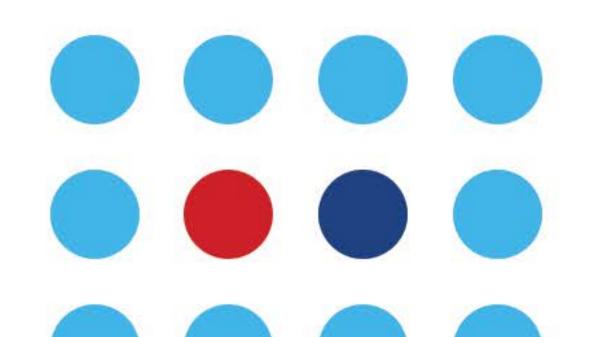
Mr. Jamil Maidan Flores – Senior Editor

Jamil Maidan Flores is a senior associate at Foreign Policy Community of Indonesia (FPCI) and the Director of International Affairs at PinterPolitik. He served as speechwriter for many Indonesian Foreign Ministers including Mr. Ali Alatas, Mr. Alwi Shihab, Mr. Hassan Wirajudha and Mr. Marty Natalegawa. As a senior speechwriter, he is highly experienced in pouring ideas and government policies into international speeches and official documents. From 1996 to 2014, Jamil attended the UN General Assembly sessions as adviser to the foreign ministers. In the same capacity, he attended summits of such organizations as the G-20, APEC, NAM, and ASEM. He is also known as writer of numerous editorial pieces on foreign policy and author of six books including "Peace Talks between the Government of the Republic of Philippines (GRP) and the Moro National Liberation Front (MNLF)" which was published at the ASEAN Secretariat in 2019.



Ms. Dayu Nirma Amurwanti - Facilitator

Ms. Dayu is a Faculty member at Department of International Relations of Bina Nusantara University and an Advisor for Climate and Forest at the Royal Norwegian Embassy. She is the team lead in providing support to the operationalization of Indonesia's Environment Fund, the first Public Service Agency in Indonesia to manage international funding, with more than a billion US Dollars in the pipeline. Prior to joining the Embassy, Dayu was a Climate Finance Manager at Partnership for Governance Reform. She spent a decade of her professional career at World Bank Indonesia – she started in 2007 as an Operations Officer and left as a Senior Institutions Specialist. She obtained her Master's Degree in Public Policy from London School of Economics and Political Science (with distinction) and Master's Degree in Business Law from University of Indonesia. She is also a Senior Counsel at Rahayu and Partners, Board Member of Chevening Alumni Association Indonesia and LSE Alumni Association Indonesia.

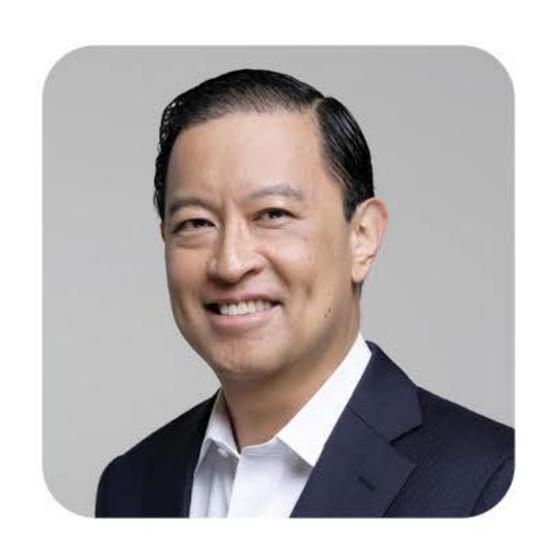


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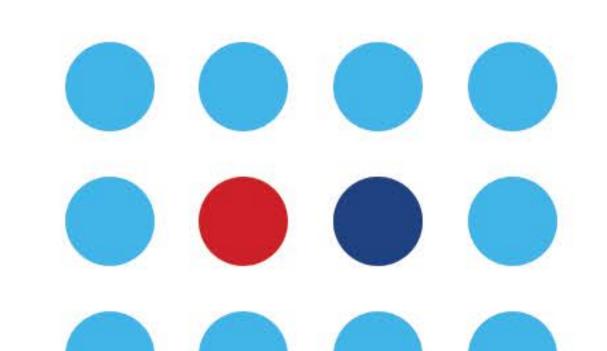
H.E. Robert Matheus Michael Tene
Deputy Secretary-General for ASEAN Political Security Community,
ASEAN

Before assuming his current position, DSG Tene served as a Senior Official at the Directorate General for ASEAN Cooperation at the Ministry of Foreign Affairs (MFA) of Indonesia. He carries 25 years of experience, serving various roles at the MFA Indonesia. In his last overseas posting, DSG Tene was the Deputy Permanent Representative/Ambassador of the Permanent Mission of Indonesia to the UN and other International Organization in Geneva between 2015 and 2018. He obtained his MA in Public Administration from the National Graduate Institute for Policy Studies in Tokyo, Japan, and gained his BA from the Faculty of Economics, the University of Indonesia in Jakarta, Indonesia.



H.E. Thomas Lembong
Minister of Trade of Republic of Indonesia (2015-2016) and
Chairman of Indonesian Investment Coordinating Board
(2016-2019)

Thomas Trikasih Lembong, familiarly known as Tom Lembong, served as the Indonesia Investment Coordinating Board Chairman from July 2016 to October 2019. Prior to that, he was the Indonesian Minister of Trade from August 2015 to July 2016. He now serves as an Advisor to the Jakarta Investment Board and an Advisor to Consilience Policy. Mr. Lembong received his Bachelor of Arts in Architecture and Urban Design from Harvard University in 1994. He began his career in the Equity Division of Morgan Stanley (Singapore) Pte. Ltd in 1995. He was employed as an investment banker at Deutsche Securities Indonesia from 1999 to 2000. Mr. Lembong acted as the Division Head and Senior Vice President at the Indonesian Bank Restructuring Agency (IBRA) from 2000 to 2002 and worked at Farindo Investments from 2002 to 2005. Prior to his appointment to the cabinet, he was Co-Founder, Chief Executive Officer, and Managing Partner at Quvat Management Pte Ltd, a private equity fund established in 2006. He served as President Commissioner of PT Graha Layar Prima Tbk (BlitzMegaplex) from 2012 to 2014. Mr. Lembong was selected as a Young Global Leader by the World Economic Forum in 2008. He was awarded the Asia Society Australia-Victoria Distinguished Fellowship in 2017 and the Gwanghwa Medal from the Government of Republic of Korea in 2020.







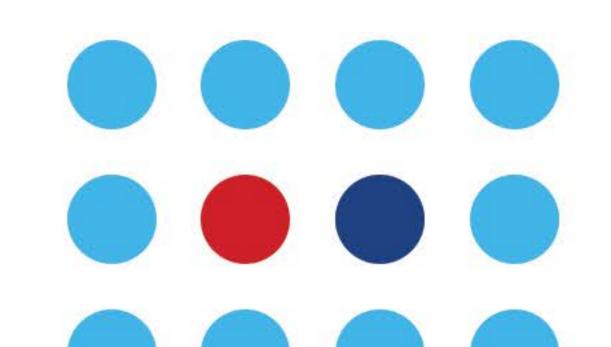
H.E. Lim Sungnam
Ambassador of the Republic of Korea to ASEAN

Lim Sungnam is Ambassador Extraordinary and Plenipotentiary of the Republic of Korea to ASEAN. Prior, he was the first vice Minister of Foreign Affairs. Lim Sungnam served for two years as Ambassador Extraordinary and Plenipotentiary to the United Kingdom of Great Britain and Northern Ireland (2013-2015). He served in various high-ranking positions including as special representative for Korean Peninsula Peace and Security Affairs (2011 – 2013) and deputy chief of mission (DCM) at the ROK Embassy in China (2009 – 2011). He concurrently served as deputy head of the ROK delegation to the Six-Party Talks and director general of the North Korean Nuclear Affairs Bureau with the rank of ambassador (2007 – 2009). Ambassador Lim received a B.A. in International Relations from Seoul National University (1981). He received his first M.A. in Political Science from Seoul National University (1984) and his second M.A. in Political Science from Harvard University (1987).



H.E. Park Tae-sung
Ambassador of the Republic of Korea to Indonesia

Park Tae-sung is the Ambassador Extraordinary and Plenipotentiary of the Republic of Korea to Republic of Indonesia since October, 2020. Ambassador Park started his career as Civil Servant after he passed the 35th High Civil Service Examination in 1991. He has served the Ministry of Commerce, Industry and Energy (MOCIE) as Director of China Cooperation Team in 2005. In 2006, he served as Counsellor at Korean Embassy in Malaysia. In 2009, He served as Director of Semiconductor and Display Division at the Ministry of Knowledge Economy (MKE) and left the Ministry as Director of Local Economy Policy Division in 2010. Ambassador Park has served the Ministry of Trade, Industry, and Energy (MOTIE) as Director of Trade Policy Division in 2013 and left the Ministry as Director General for International Trade and Investment in 2019. Ambassador Park obtained his M.A. in Economics from Oregon State University, US in 1999 and M.A. in Policy Science from Seoul National University, Seoul in 1997. He obtained his BA. in Economics from Seoul National University, Seoul.





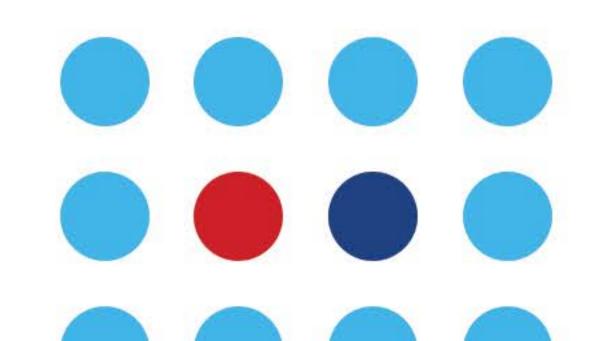
H.E. Umar Hadi Ambassador of Indonesia to the Republic of Korea

Umar Hadi is a career diplomat with 29 years of service. Before he was assigned as Ambassador of the Republic of Indonesia to the Republic of Korea in 2017, he served as the Consul General of the Republic of Indonesia in Los Angeles (2014-2017), Director for West Europe Affairs at the Ministry of Foreign Affairs (2012-2014), Director of Public Diplomacy (2005-2009), Deputy Director at the Office of the Foreign Minister (2001-2005), and officer at an ad-hoc office for the Chairmanship of Indonesia in the Non-Aligned Movement (1992-1995). His overseas posts include Minister Plenipotentiary and Deputy Chief of Mission at the Indonesian Embassy in the Hague, the Netherlands (2009-2012) and Second Secretary at the Indonesian Permanent Mission to the United Nations and other International Organizations in Geneva, Switzerland (1996-2001). He has also been involved in numerous negotiations and international conferences. Umar Hadi served at the Board of Advisors of the Institute for Peace and Democracy, the implementing agency of the Bali Democracy Forum, since its inception in 2008. He studied at the Fletcher School of Law and Diplomacy (Medford, USA), the Graduate Institute of International and Development Studies (Geneva, Switzerland), and the Padjadjaran University (Bandung, Indonesia). Umar Hadi is married and blessed with a daughter.



H.E. Abdul Kadir Jailani
Director-General of East Asia and Pacific, Ministry of Foreign Affairs of Republic of Indonesia

Ambassador Abdul Kadir Jailani is the current Director General for Asia Pacific and Africa at the Ministry of Foreign Affairs of the Republic of Indonesia, responsible for Indonesia's bilateral relations with 114 countries as well as Indonesia's leadership in regional organizations including APEC, IORA, NAASP, SCO, PIF, MSG, CTI-CFF, IMT-GT, BIMP-EAGA, etc. Previously, he was the Ambassador of the Republic of Indonesia to Canada and Permanent Representative of the Republic of Indonesia to the International Civil Aviation Organization. Ambassador Jailani had also served as the Consul General of the Republic of Indonesia in New York. Ambassador Jailani joined the Ministry of Foreign Affairs of the Republic of Indonesia in 1993. He has also actively led negotiations in various bilateral, regional and multilateral negotiations among others the Code of Conduct in South China Sea (2011-2012), Task Force of ASEAN Enhanced Dispute Settlement Mechanism (2013-2016) and Bilateral Comprehensive Economic Partnership between Indonesia and several countries (2013-2016). Furthermore, he acted as Vice-Chairman of Intergovernmental Committee of WIPO on Genetic Resources, Traditional Knowledge and Folklore (2014-2016). He graduated with a Bachelor's degree in Law from the University of Airlangga (1992) and holds a Master of Law from the University of Indonesia (1997) as well as a Master of European Law and Policy from Portsmouth University (2002).







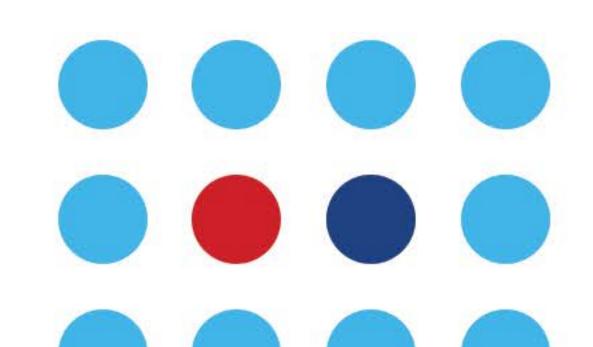
Director Pyo JunghwaDirector for ASEAN Cooperation Affairs, Ministry of Foreign Affairs of Republic of Korea

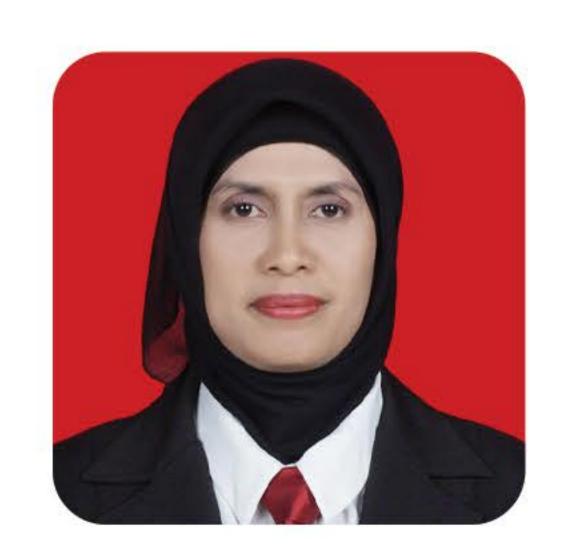
Mrs. Pyo Junghwa is the Director of ASEAN Cooperation Affairs at the Ministry of Foreign Affairs of Republic of Korea since 2020. She started her professional career at the Ministry since 2003. From 2008 to 2010, she serves as the Second Secretary of North Korean Affairs Bureau. From 2010 to 2012, she was posted in Embassy of the Republic of Korea in japan as First Secretary. Director Pyo then posted as Consul at the Consulate General of the Republic of Korea in St. Petersburg in Russia in 2012-2014. She then serve as the Deputy Director of North American Affairs Bureau from 2015 to 2016. She was posted at the Embassy of the Republic of Korea in the United States as First Secretary in 2016-2019 before serving in her current position at the Ministry. She obtained her M.A. in Political Science from John Hopkins University in 2007 and B.A. in Political Science from Yonsei University in 2003.



H.E. Kim Chang-Beom
Founder of Center for Strategic and Cultural Studies (CSCS) and
Former Ambassador of the Republic of Korea to Indonesia

Ambassador KIM Chang-beom is a well-experienced diplomat. He is currently working as co-founder and advisor at the newly established Center for Strategic and Cultural Studies (CSCS), Korea. He has completed his diplomatic career of 39 years in September, 2020. He has served as Korean Ambassador to Indonesia from January, 2018 through July 2020. He also worked in Brussels as Korean Ambassador to European Union and Belgium from 2012 through 2015. Amb. KIM has special ties and experiences with European Union, ASEAN and Indonesia, in particular. During his career, he made significant contributions to the promotion of Korea's partnership with EU and ASEAN through summit meeting preparations and substantial progresses in trade, investment, and people-to-people exchanges. He has worked together with the Indonesian Government in reaching a final conclusion of Indonesia – Korea Comprehensive Economic Partnership Agreement (IK CEPA) in November 2019. As a career foreign service officer, he has served five overseas posts and worked at various positions within the Korean Government ever since he joined the Ministry of Foreign Affairs in December 1981. He earned a Master's degree from Johns Hopkins School of Advanced International Studies in Washington, DC, USA (1986) and is a distinguished graduate of Seoul National University (B.A., 1982). Ambassador Kim is happily married with two sons.





Prof. Dr. Ir. Bondan Tiara Sofyan

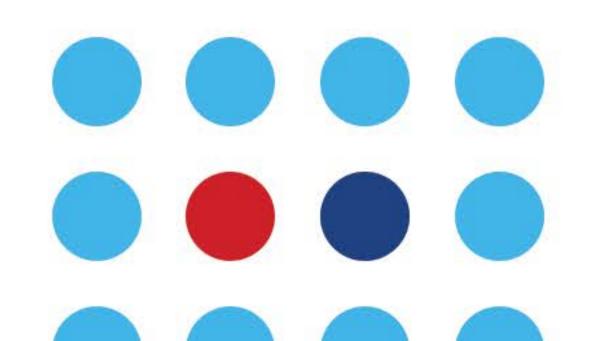
Director-General of Defense Potentials, Ministry of Defense of Republic of Indonesia (2018-2020) and Expert at the National Resilience Institute of Republic of Indonesia (Lemhannas)

Bondan Tiara Sofyan was named Permanent Distinguished Professor by the Department of Metallurgy and Materials Engineering, Faculty of Engineering, University of Indonesia (FTUI) in 2010. She obtained a Doctoral Degree in Materials Engineering from Monash University, Australia in 2003, a Master's Degree in Materials Studies from University of Indonesia in 1995 and a Bachelor's Degree in Metallurgy Engineering from University of Indonesia in 1991. Prof. Bondan specializes her research on the development of high strength high performance materials, such as aluminium composites that are able to resist the penetration of 7.62 mm calibre bullets. Prof. Bondan has authored more than 100 journal articles and received numerous awards for her research. In 2013, Prof. Bondan was appointed as an Expert of Science and Technology at National Resilience Institute of Republic of Indonesia, where she provide inputs for the President of Republic of Indonesia. In 2016, she served the Minister of Defense as Expert in Economics where she aided the Minister of Defense in mapping out Indonesia's national defense programs under Nawa Cita. In 2018, she was appointed as Director-General of Defence Potentials at the Ministry of Defence of Republic of Indonesia. Prof. Bondan returned to National Resilience Institute of Republic of Indonesia as Expert of Science and Technology in 2021.



Dr. Geun Lee President, the Korea Foundation (KF)

Dr. Lee is the President of the Korea Foundation, the institution that conducts Republic of Korea's public diplomacy. He earned his Bachelor's degree in Political Science from Seoul National University and his Master's and Doctoral Degree in Political Science from University of Wisconsin, Madison, US. Formerly, Dr. Lee was a Professor at the Institute of Foreign Affairs and National Security, Ministry of Foreign Affairs and Trade of Korea. He was a member of Policy Specialist Committee at the National Security Council of Korea and Consulting Member at the Ministry of Foreign Affairs and Trade, Ministry of Unification, and Ministry of Defence. He has served as President of the Korea Institute for Future Strategies and Director for the Institute of International Affairs at Seoul National University. Dr. Lee is currently the Chief Vision Officer of Mirezi (Future Insight) think tank. Concurrently he is the Vice-President of International Affairs and Dean at the Office of International Affairs of Seoul National University.





Mr. Lee Dong-gy
Deputy Director-General, Presidential Committee on the New
Southern Policy

Mr. Lee Dong-gy joined the Ministry of Foreign Affairs and Trade (MOFAT) in March 1999. After working at the Korean Embassy in the Socialist Republic of Vietnam and then the Korean Embassy in Japan since July 2011, he was appointed as Director of the Territory and Oceans Division in June 2015, and then Director of the Southeast Asia Division at the Ministry of Foreign Affairs (MOFA) in December 2016. He works at the Presidential Committee on New Southern Policy since March 2020 after serving as Assistant Secretary at the Office of National Security in the Presidential Office. He obtained his Bachelor of Arts in Political Science from Seoul National University of Korea. He has received a Professional Certificate on Non-Proliferation Studies from Monterey Institute of International Studies, California, US.



Mr. Bok Dug Gyou

Director of Indonesia – Korea Business Cooperation Center, Korean

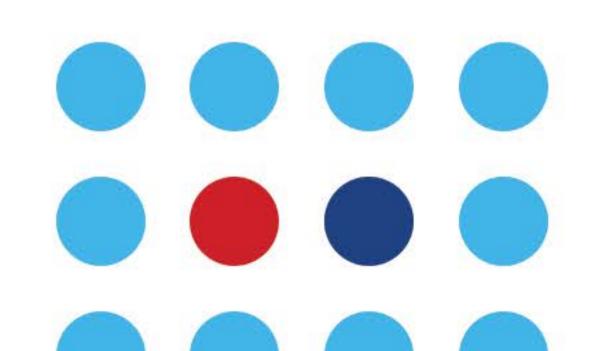
Trade-Investment Promotion Agency (KOTRA) Jakarta

Mr. Bok Dug Gyou is the Director of Indonesia Korea Business Cooperation Center at the Korean Trade-Investment Promotion Agency (KOTRA). He first joined KOTRA in January 1998 and has been serving the agency in various positions and capacity. He formerly held the position of ASEAN Specialist, Deputy Director and Union Leader KOTRA. He obtained his Master's Degree in Public Administration from Seoul National University in 1998.

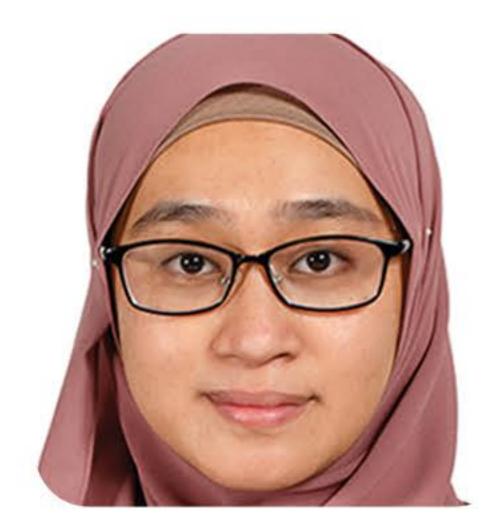


Mr. Lee Joohan
Secretary-General, Korean Chamber of Commerce and Industry (KOCHAM)

Mr. Lee Joohan is the Secretary General of Korean Chamber of Commerce and Industry (KOCHAM). He is also the Former Vice Chairman for Property & General Trading Indonesian CCI at Korea Committee in KADIN (Kamar Dagang dan Industri Indonesia). He has an extensive experience as director for various private companies in Indonesia in the field of Healthcare Distribution, Oil & Gas, Medical Manufacturing to Defense Industry. He currently holds the position of Advisory Member of Korea Youth Association in Indonesia, Council Member of the National Unification Advisory Council for Republic of Korea, Director of Korean Association in Indonesia, Vice President of World Federation of Overseas Korean Traders Associations (OKTA) Indonesia Chapter, Member of APINDO SME Committee and President of Korean Young Business Leaders Network (YBLN) Worldwide. He obtained his Bachelor's Degree from Yonsei University, Seoul, Korea.







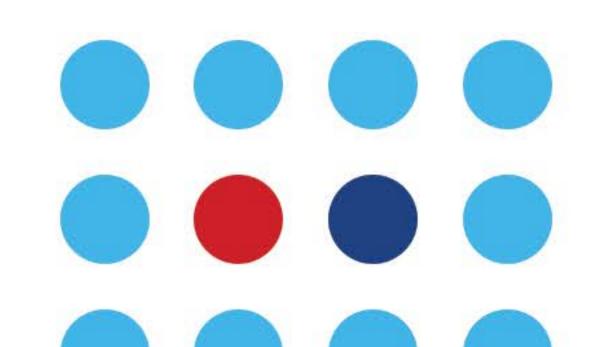
Ms. Siti Maisarah Haji Majid
Deputy Head of Information and Data Unit, ASEAN-Korea Centre (AKC)

Ms. Majid is the Deputy Head of Information and Data Unit at ASEAN-Korea Center, Seoul. Her work scope includes overseeing programs related to youth and people-to-people exchanges with the objective to promote and enhance cooperation and relations between ASEAN member states and Republic of Korea. Ms. Majid began her professional career as an Officer at Personnel and Finance Department of Baiduri Bank Brunei in 2007. She then served the Prime Minister of Brunei's Office as Economic Officer at Department of Policy and Planning at the end of 2007 and left the Office as Senior Economic Officer in 2018. She then joined the Ministry of Finance and Economy of Brunei as Senior Economic Officer and left the Ministry as Acting Assistant Director at Research and Development Division in 2021. Ms. Majid obtained her Master's Degree in International Development from University of Manchester, United Kingdom and her Bachelor's Degree in Economics from Singapore Management University, Singapore.



Prof. Choe Wongi
Head of the Center for ASEAN-India Studies, Korea National Diplomatic
Academy (KNDA)

Prof. Choe Wongi is a Professor and Head of the Center for ASEAN–India Studies at the Korea National Diplomatic Academy (KNDA), where he has been doing policy research on various topics in Asian regional politics, climate change and global governance, etc since 2006. He is currently a member of the advisory group for the Presidential Committee on New Southern Policy in Korea. His current research interests focus on the role of Korea in the geopolitical dynamics and regional architecture in the Indo-Pacific.







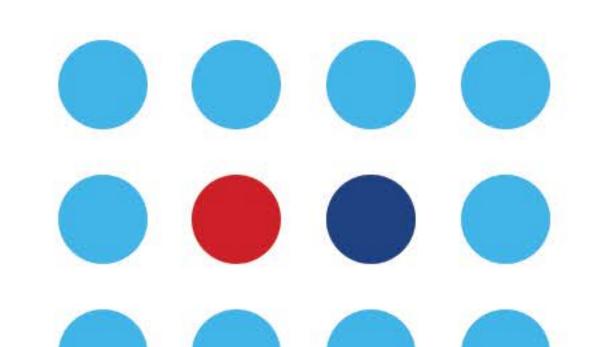
Dr. Kwak Sungil
Research Fellow, Korea Institute for Economic Policy

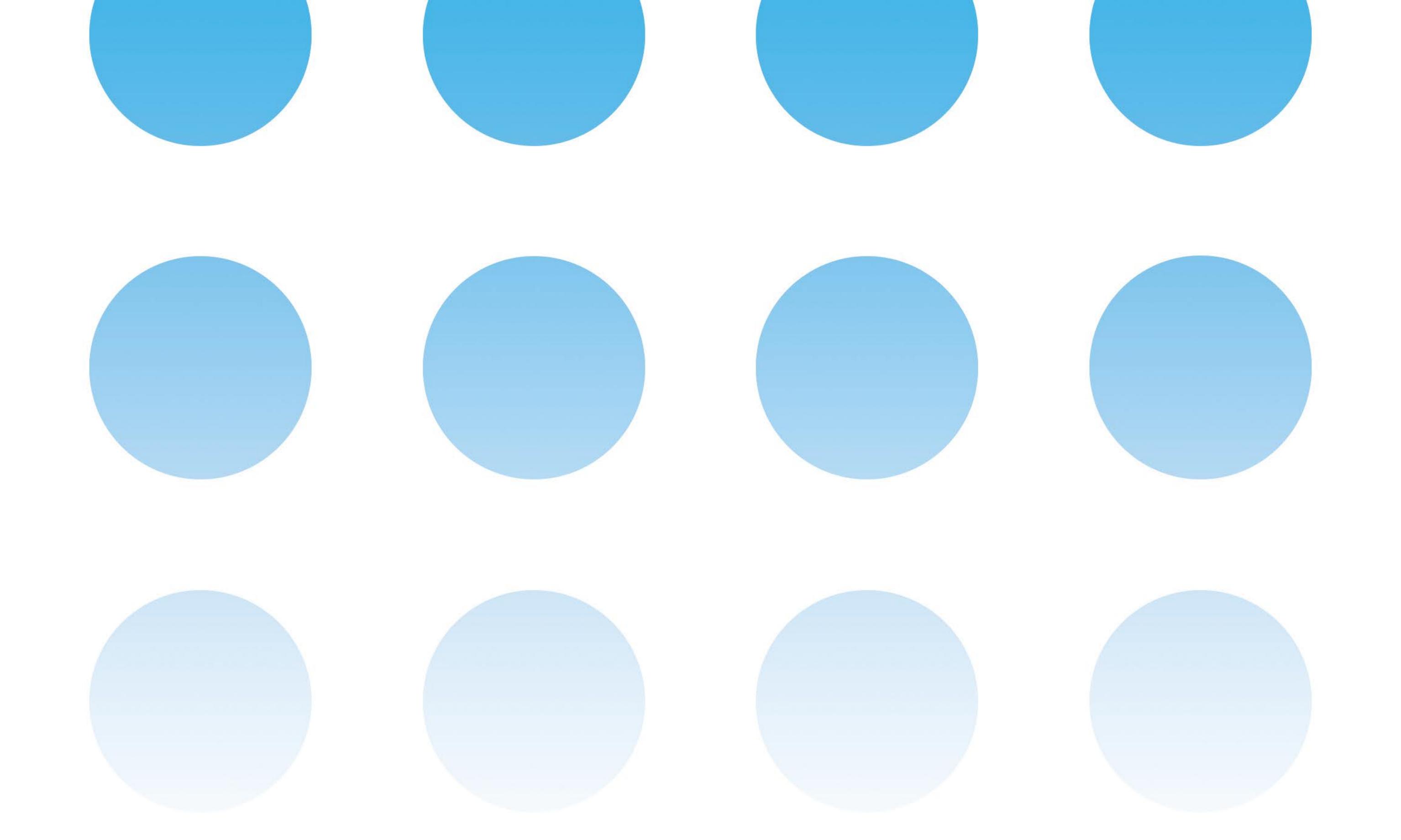
Dr. Sungil is currently working as a research fellow of New Southern Policy Department at the Korea Institute for International Economic Policy. The department has been seeking strategies for sustainable cooperation between India, ASEAN and Republic of Korea to solidify the New Southern Policy. He was served as an Assistant Adviser to the President for Economic Affairs at the Office of the President, Republic of Korea. He received Ph.D in Economics from the George Washington University. He was a faculty fellow at American University as well. He is an author of Study on the Strategies for Building a Regional Production Networks in ASEAN Region (2016), which explores how ASEAN local firms participate in Korean firms' production network in ASEAN region. In addition, he worked on Evaluation of Korean SMEs' Management Status in Southeast Asia and Policy Implication (2017), in which he analyzed management status of Korean SMEs operating in the ASEAN region and suggested the direction of support policy. Meanwhile, he had a serious concern that the recent trend of Republic of Korea's investment and trade with ASEAN has been concentrated on Vietnam. He studied Overseas Expansion Strategy of Major Countries' Firms toward Viet Nam and the Implications for Korea (2016), in which he pointed out that the current trade and investment should be diversified into other ASEAN member states and India.



Dr. Lee JaehyonSenior Fellow, Asan Institute for Policy Studies

Dr. Lee is a research fellow and director of the Center for ASEAN and Oceania Studies at the Asan Institute for Policy Studies. Prior to joining the Asan Institute, Dr. Lee was a research fellow at the Korean Institute of Southeast Asian Studies and a visiting professor at the Institute of Foreign Affairs and National Security at the Korean National Diplomatic Academy. He writes extensively on international relations in Southeast Asia, ASEAN, and regional cooperation in East Asia. His research interests include Southeast Asian politics and international relations, regional cooperation in East Asia, and non-traditional and human security issues in general. He is the author of multiple articles, and his most recent publication is "Transnational Natural Disasters and Environmental Issues in East Asia: Current Situation and the Way Forward in the Perspective of Regional Cooperation" (2011). He received a B.A. and an M.A. in political science from Yonsei University and a Ph.D. in politics from Murdoch University in Australia.













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