



In Memoriam; Djohan Effendi

Founder of Indonesian Conference
on Religion and Peace (ICRP)

- Birth: Kandangan, 1 Oktober 1939
- Pass Away : Geelong, 17 November 2017
- Principal Researcher in Religious Affair Departement
- Chief of Research and Development Body of Religious Affair Department
- Minister of State Secretary of Indonesia
- Together with some Religious Leaders of Indonesia, he founded ICRP in 2000

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INDONESIA IN 2017

- People become more intolerant of differences (religion, school, or sexual orientation). Indonesia becomes more radical and intolerant.
- In some areas, the construction of houses of worship becomes increasingly difficult.
- Democracy and Information Freedom is used as a means of spreading hatred.
- The lack of strictness of the state embodies the principle of diversity and fulfills the right to freedom of religion of all religious believers in this country.



ICRP' S ROLE

- More massive "Religions for Peace" campaigns across all media campaigns.
- Engaging youth communities in a wider campaign.
- The formulation of a better strategy in pressuring the government to immediately handle the problem of intolerance.
- Tirelessly mainstreaming human rights, democracy and tolerance in the life of the nation.

Sekolah Agama "Studi Konflik dan Resolusi Konflik"



FORMAL EDUCATION RELIGIOUS STUDIES IN UNIVERSITY

- All the students were not separated based on their religion
- They were taught the differences between religions, and how the religions can live together in harmony.
- The student will have to visit the house of worship of most religions; Islam, Protestant, Katolik, Hindu, Buddha, Khonghucu, Sikh, etc.
- As Final Project, students will have to make a product, either visual or audio-visual product based on their understandings.
- Working together with Pembangunan Jaya University – Bintaro, since 2010 until now
- All students of this university are obligated to take this subject.

CAMPAIGNS

- **Seminar “Indonesia on Crossroads; Theocracy vs Pancasila State” (in partnership with Intefidei), April 8, 2017**
 - A response of the increasing of intolerance and radicalism in Indonesia. This seminar also purposed to give voice to the voiceless majority, and to ensure everyone that Pancasila is final for Indonesia.
 - Speakers: Buya Syafii Maarif (National Figure); Jend. Pol. Tito Karnavian (Chief of Police of Indonesia), etc
- **Working together with UKP Pancasila; to promote Pancasila Habitus**
 - Supporting the Presidential Working Unit – On Pancasila
- **Djohan Effendi Memorial Lecture, 1st serial**
 - The thinking of Djohan Effendi is very important and relevant in supporting efforts to build inter-religious dialogue in Indonesia and at the same time maintain the diversity Indonesia. ICRP together with IPSK - LIPI (Indonesian Institute of Sciences) try to preserve and to develop Djohan Effendi's thoughts and ideas thru Djohan Effendi Memorial Lecture series. Lecture delivered by Prof. Musdah Mulia, the current ICRP's Chairperson.

EDUCATION

- **Study on Religions**

- This program is intended to enable young people to gain knowledge about the Religions, both known and unknown, both mainstream and madhhab streams and streams. The existence of knowledge about religious diversity is expected to provide insight to young children so as not easily provoked.
- Monthly, speakers from respecting religious community

- **Hebrew Class**

- This Hebrew Course is being implemented so that Indonesians can better understand Israeli / Jewish culture and civilization through Hebrew to reduce prejudices that have been in existence.
- Every Monday – Thursday, 19.00 – 21.00 pm

- **Thematic Discussions**

- Discuss current issues as well as books, to give participants a better perspective on the changes taking place around them.
- Monthly program

CAPACITY BUILDING

- **Management Training**

- This training aims to provide technical skills to NGO activists on the management of program implementation in an effective and efficient way. Delivered by Experts Team from PT. Agro Astra

- **Focused Group Discussion on Education of Diversities**

- The education system in Indonesia is suspected to be one of the causes of our failure to cope with radicalism and intolerance in society. Instead of educating students to be open-minded individuals, our education system even keeps students closed and unable to cope with diversity in society.

- **Human Rights Workshop for Religious Leaders and Activists**

- Human Rights City is the process of becoming a community as well as a socio-political process in the local context by placing human rights into fundamental values and guiding principles in the development of urban governance. In this idea local governments, local parliaments (DPRD), civil society, and the private sector work together as partners to promote the quality of co-existence based on human rights norms. Religious Leaders become important pillar to encourage all parties to realize a Human Rights City.

YOUTH

- **Peace Train**

- Indonesia is a country with evidence of diversity that can be found in various places. Peace Train program brings youngsters across faith by visiting and exploring different cities and to encounter the diversities in diverse cities. With direct visits, these young people can also recognize the various cultures and habits and also problems facing by each community.
- Semarang (15-17 September 2017), Surabaya (3-5 November 2017), Jogjakarta (26-28 Januari 2018), Bandung (23-25 Maret 2018)

- **Peace in Diversity**

- With this program, the participants are intensively trained through the provision of materials of nationality and diversity. They are also provided with the technical ability to write reflectively-narratives to express opinions. Not to forget, ICRP always brings young people to know various religious groups and discuss with different people.
- 2016 and 2017

These programs has result many alumni community that actively move in their cities

WOMEN

- **Moral Call of Interfaith Women Network to Guard the Diversity in Indonesia**

- The increasingly strong ethnic and religious identity-based politics invite the concerns of various parties, not to mention the women of faith. They called for politicians not to abuse religion for a momentary political purpose, as well as the importance of women of all faiths and religions to unite against violence, discrimination and fooling of women, children and other vulnerable groups
- ICRP, AMAN Indonesia, API Kartini, KePPak Perempuan, PERUATI, WKRI, PERHIN MATAKIN, WBI, Bahai Indonesia

- **Interfaith Women Bazaar**

- Some women's groups already have production lines for their economic empowerment, whether in the form of food, handicrafts, or service products. ICRP provides a marketing space for their products through bazaars. The bazaar is also a place to coordinate each other in order to collaborate between the women's communities. The bazaar is also interspersed with discussions about the movement of women and film screenings.

PUBLICATIONS

- **Book Publishing “Djohan Effendi; Stories from Friends”**

- This book is a tribute to the late Djohan Effendi, one of the founders of the ICRP who died on November 17, 2018. Contains testimony from friends and people who know Djohan Effendi

- **Djohan Effendi Memorial Library**

- As a tribute to the services of Djohan Effendi, the ICRP Library was renamed Djohan Effendi Memorial Library. One part of the library is devoted to Djohan Effendi's books and his collections.

- **www.icrp-online.com**



THANK YOU

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