



Visiting Fellow Programme at Universitas Airlangga Surabaya Indonesia

Under the Beyond Boundaries Law Programme, two of our lecturers, Puan Habibah Omar and Dr. Noraiza Abdul Rahman visited Universitas Airlangga (UNAIR) upon being appointed as Visiting Fellows of the University. The visit was made from 28 April-3 May 2019. They joined another fellow lecturer, Cik Mazlifah Mansoor who has been at Universitas Airlangga since 22 April 2019 on the same fellowship programme. These visits have provided excellent platform for academicians from both universities to discuss, share and strengthen mutual relation and at the same time discussing ventures for future collaboration. Puan Habibah gave public lectures to both undergraduate and postgraduate students in the area of Administrative Law and matters relating to government's accountability. Dr. Noraiza on the other hand, gave a lecture on research and legal methodology to the first and second year students of Universitas Airlangga .



Dr. Siti Hafsyah Idris
appointed as Visiting Fellow Western
Sydney University School of Law
(1 July – 31 August 2019)
and University of Newcastle School of Law
(15-16 August 2019)
for research and collaboration activities

Appointment as Malaysia's National Researcher

Dr. Nadzriah Ahmad has been appointed as Malaysia's National Researcher to undertake a study for ASEAN International Commission on Human Rights (AICHR) entitled "Thematic Study on Juvenile Justice, With Particular Emphasis on Interrogation Practices for Children in Conflict with the Law". The study focuses on the interrogation practices for children in conflict with the law. Its objectives are to provide a comprehensive regional report on the practices and conduct of interrogation by officials toward children in conflict with the law (CICL) and to share/learn good practices on the same within the jurisdiction of ASEAN Member States (AMS). The study also aims to contribute to the promotion and protection of the rights of the child as enshrined in the ASEAN Human Rights Declaration (AHRD) and the UN Convention on the Rights of the Child (CRC).

Presentation to the National Children Council, Ministry of Women, Family and Community Development

On 14 February 2019, Dr. Nadzriah Ahmad presented to the National Children Council, Ministry of Women, Family and Community Development on social issues among children and teenagers in Malaysia as well as making recommendations to the Ministry in order to afford better protection to children and teenagers in these three main settings; (a) healthcare; (b) safety and (c) education.

Moderator for the National Consultation for Mid Term Review (MTR) on ASEAN Regional Plan of Action on the Elimination of Violence against Children (ASEAN RPA-EVAC)

On 18 February 2019, Dr. Nadzriah moderated the National Consultation for Mid Term Review on ASEAN Regional Plan of Action on the Elimination of Violence against Children (MTR ASEAN RPA-EVAC) in order to identify the developments, progress as well as challenges in the legal framework, prosecution and justice system. The MTR will take note of the latest progress in ASEAN Member States across sectors towards strengthening the response to violence against children. The analysis and findings will form a Regional Report. which will then be used to prepare for the 7th UN High-Level Political Forum on Sustainable Development (HLPF) in 2019 on the theme "Empowering people and ensuring inclusiveness and equality".



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