SEMINAR PROGRAMME
Reforms in Islamic Higher Education in Meeting Contemporary Challenges
Saturday 30th July – Sunday 31st July 2011

Venue: Main Lecture Room (2nd Floor) Graduate School of Education and Human Development, Nagoya University

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DAY 1 SATURDAY 30TH JULY
Venue: Main Lecture Room (2nd Floor) Graduate School of Education and Human Development, Nagoya University

08.45-09.15am  Registration (& Breakfast)
09.15-09.30am  Introduction & Welcoming Remarks – Assoc. Prof Mina Hattori
09.30-10.45am  Session 1 Reviving the sacred in contemporary acquired sciences

Chair: Prof Rosnani Hashim
Prof Sutrisno (Sunan Kalijaga State Islamic University, Indonesia)
Toward Integration of Sciences and Islamic Studies in the Islamic State University (ISU)
Sunan Kalijaga Yogyakarta

Prof Nishino Setsuo (GSEHD, Nagoya University, Japan)
Islamisation of Higher Education: A Comparative Analysis of Malaysia and Indonesia.

10.45-11.00am  Tea break
11.00 -12.30pm  Session 2 Curricular Reforms and Development

Chair: Assoc Prof Kamaroniah Kamaruzzaman
Assoc Prof Ghazali Basri (Seri Begawan Univ College, Brunei)
Harmonizing Faith And Science In An Integrated Teacher Education Curriculum For Seri Begawan Religious Teachers University College- A Case Study

Dr. Bambang Suryadi (Sharif Hidayatullah State Islamic University, Indonesia)
The Role of Islamic Higher Education in Harmonizing the Religion and Sciences: Indonesian Experiences; A case study at Syarif Hidayatullah State Islamic University, Jakarta

Dr. Gamal Abdul Nasir Zakaria (Universiti Brunei Darussalam)
The Role of State Islamic Religious Institutes (IAIN) in the Education System Reform of the "Madrasah" in Indonesia

12.30-01.45pm  Lunch Break

01.45-03.15pm  Session 3 Economics and Human capital development

Chair: Prof Aref Al-Atari

*Dr Fatah Syukur (Walisongo State Islamic Institution, Indonesia)*

Islamic Higher Education and Human Capital Development

*Dr. Ahmed Belouafi & Abderrazak Belabes (Islamic Economics Research Centre, King Abdul Aziz University, Saudi Arabia)*

Islamic Finance Programs at Higher Education Institutions: Overview and Prospects

*Mr. Sigit Pramono* (Paramadina University, Jakarta, Indonesia)

& *Mr. Taufik Ridlo (SEBI School of Islamic Economics, Jakarta, Indonesia)*

The Strategic Role of Universities in Preparing Human Resource For Islamic Finance Industry In Indonesia: *Lessons From The Curricular Development Program In Islamic Economics Teaching At Undergraduate Level*

03.15 – 3.30pm  Tea Break

03.30-05.00pm  Rest

05.30 – 09.00pm  Festival Mando in Kariya  (Bus will leave from Toyoda Auditorium)

**DAY 2 SUNDAY 31ST JULY**

08.45-09.15am  Breakfast

09.15-10.45am  Session 4 Intellectual Creativity/ Academic Freedom

Chair:  Assoc Prof Dr Ghazali Basri

*Assoc Prof Dr Yedullah Kazmi (International Islamic University Malaysia)*

Islamic Higher Education and the Issue of Freedom and Creativity

*Saheed Ahmad Rufai* (University of Lagos, Nigeria)

Academic Freedom in the Islamic Tradition: Can Islamic Higher Learning be anything but creative?

*Dr Rahimah Embong (International Islamic University Malaysia)*
Islamic Integrated Curriculum (IIC): Theoretical Framework and Analysis of Contemporary Models

10.45-11.00am  Tea break

11.00 -12.30pm  Session 5  Privatization & Internationalisation of Higher Education

Chair: Dr Sarkat Arani Mohammad Reza (Seijoh University, Japan)

_Prof Aref Tawfeq al-Atari_ (Yarmouk University, Jordan)
The 'Sacred' and the 'profane': shall the twain ever meet? Privatization of Higher Education in Arab Countries as an Example

_Ms. Yuki Nakata_ (Toyo University, Japan)
The role of private universities in the era of national building in Indonesia: Focusing on the efforts of Indonesian Islamic University (UII) in the 1950's.

_Prof Rosnani Hashim_ (International Islamic University Malaysia)
Internationalisation of Contemporary Islamic Higher Education and Ummatic Development: A Case Study of the International Islamic University Malaysia

12.30-01.45pm  Lunch Break

01.45- 03.30pm  Session 6 The challenges of cultural diversity & Minority Muslims

Chair: Prof H. Sutrisno

_Assoc Prof Kamaroniah Kamaruzzaman_ (International Islamic University Malaysia).
Islamic Higher Education and the Challenges of Diversity

_Prof Ahmed Akgunduz_ (Islamic University of Rotterdam, The Netherlands)
The role of higher education for Muslim communities in Europe

_Assoc Prof Mina Hattori_ (GSEHD, Nagoya University, Japan)
Functions of Islamic Higher Education in a Multicultural society: A Comparative Analysis of the United Kingdom and the Netherlands.

03.30 -03.45pm  Concluding remark – Prof Rosnani Hashim

03.45 -04.00pm  Tea & Sayounara