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Pura Mangkunegaran, Surakarta, 13-14 July 2023





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Sri Paduka Mangkoenagoro X

Opening Speech



Prof. Ben Arps

Keynote Speech



Prof. Syamsul Bakri, M.Ag.

Keynote Speech



Maarten Manse

Organizer



Adrian Perkasa

Organizer



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Day 1: Thursday, 13 July 2023

Ancient Forms of Power: the Javanese Court as Nexus in Intra-Political, Spiritual and Religious Networks

Chair	: Martina Safitri (UIN Raden Mas Said Surakarta)
Discussant	: Adrian Perkasa
Andrea Acri	: Tantric Traditions and the State in Pre-modern Java
Wayan Jarrah Sastrawan	: The Open Courts of Classic Java (500-1500 CE)
Muhammad Faiz	: Peran Pura Mangkunegaran dalam Keperbukalaan Jawa Kuno (1853-1944)
Wahyu Widodo	: Mystical Science of Perfection Inside and Outside the Palace Wall of Surakarta

Globalizing Ideas of Kingship and Power at the Court: Wisdom, Science, and Authority

Chair	: Nor Huda (UIN Raden Mas Said Surakarta)
Discussant	: Andrea Acri
Umi Masfiah, <i>et.al.</i>	: Karakter Generasi Muda Tangguh: Dalam Naskah-Naskah Karya Sri Paduka Mangkunegara IV
Sri Lestari	: Peran Perempuan Kerajaan dalam Penentuan Kebijakan Ekonomi dan Politik di Masa Istana Jawa
Heri Priyatmoko	: Lifting the Dark Veil: Aristocratic Contributions to Algemeene Middelbare School AI in Surakarta 1926-1932
Sudibyo dan Sri Ratna Sakti	: Noto Soeroto, Mangkunegoro VII, Politik Asosiasi, dan Konsep Aristo-demokratis



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Political Economy and the Constellation of Modern Javanese Courts I: Economy, Land and Infrastructure

Chair	: Hamdan (UIN Raden Mas Said Surakarta)
Discussant	: Maarten Manse
Manneke Budiman, Ade Ariyani	: Pribumi Entrepreneur-king, Colonial Sugar Industry, and Postcolonial Adaptive Land Use
Harmilyanti Sulistyani	: Java's Monarchs, Infrastructure, and Contact Zones: Kraton as Modernity Catalysator
Ben Arps, Siti Muslifah, Asti Kurniawati	: Mapping the Road from Semarang in 1825
Rendra Agusta	: Siti Dhusun Praja Mangkunegaran: Sebuah Kajian Filologi Historis

Day 2: Friday, 14 July 2023

Reading Javanese Court Architecture

Chair	: Titan Kusuma, S.Ant., M.A.
Discussant	: Manneke Budiman
Revianto Budi Santosa	: Cast Iron Diplomacy: The Incorporation of Cast Iron Components in Javanese Court Architecture
Sander Lugtenberg	: The Hybridity of Court-Architecture in Surakarta. Cultural Dualism Expressed in Time and Stone
Nicolaus Aji	: Materiality in the architecture: Of Pracima Tuin, Pura Mangkunegaran



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Day 2: Friday, 14 July 2023

Political Economy and the Constellation of Modern Javanese Courts II: Politics, Diplomacy and Resistance

Chair	: Wildi Aldila (UIN Raden Mas Said Surakarta)
Discussant	: Manneke Budiman
Bayu Aji, Asep Yudha Wirajaya & Hary Sulistyio	: Perlawanan Sunan Kuning dan Etnis Tionghoa terhadap Pakubuwana II dan Kompeni dalam Geger Pacinan berdasarkan Hikayat Susunan Kuning dalam Negeri Gagelang
Maarten Manse	: New White Kings?: The Politics of Dutch-Japanese Treaty-Making and the Question of Sovereignty in Times of Crisis
Zacky Khairul Umam	: Rethinking Islamic Sovereignty in Java and Sumatra (1600-1700)
Simon Kemper	: The Javanese Court amidst World Famine: How Mangkunegaran Administrators Tried to Escape the yoke of the Japanese army, 1943-1945
Christopher Reinhart	: Mangkunegaran in Transition and the Question of Political Footing, 1945–1949

Global Engagements of Javanese Culture: Arts, Religion, and Knowledge Exchanges of the Indonesian Court

Chair	: R. Ng. Christopher S. Lebe
Discussant	: Ben Arps
Sumarsam	: Reading Javanese Society Through Cultural Performances
Hans van den Akker	: The Visit from Prince Hario Gondosiriwojo of Mangkunegaran and Gamelan to Arnhem
Judith E. Bosnak	: The Mangkunegaran through the Eyes of a Noble Traveler. Literary Perspectives from a Son-in-law in Disguise (± 1860-1875)
Ajeng Arainikasih & Adrian Perkasa	: Colonial Politics, Knowledge Production, and the Museums of the Javanese Courts



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Workshop

Engaging Javanese Courts in Global History

- Chair : Tyassanti Kusumo Dewanti
- Discussant : TBA
- Aji Cahyo Baskoro : Narasi tentang Kesultanan Mataram dalam Buku-buku Terbitan Jepang, Sejak Permulaan Abad ke-20 sampai Meletusnya Perang Pasifik
- Fariz Ilham Rosyidi, Octavia : Batik As A Cultural Diplomacy Between Java and Siam
- Novita Sari, and Nilna Maulida : Courts: A Study of King Chulalongkorn Journey to Java
- Muhamad Alnoza : Reading the Development of the Mataram Kingdom's Kingship Pattern in Priangan through Piyagem
- Dara Sylvia : Mengurai Eksklusivitas: Kehidupan Bangsawan Mangkunegaran, 1950an
- Elisabeth Ermuliana Kembaren : Future Partnership of Mangkunegara X and Mayor of Surakarta: Revitalisation of Pura Mangkunegaran's Are
- Syora Alya Eka Putri : Promoting Public Understanding in Javanese Culture Through Science Communication



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REGISTRATION (Limited Seats Available)

Those who wish to take part as "Observer" in the International Symposium shall register themselves through the following link:

<https://tinyurl.com/MNIntSymposium>

We set a daily quota for Observers who can attend the Symposium offline at Pura Mangkunegaran, Surakarta. If the quota has been met, other Observers can attend (online) using the link listed on the Registration Form.

Observer candidates who get quotas will be contacted by the committee to confirm their attendance on the selected day.

Kindly note that on the spot registration is not available.