

# Seminars on Gender Issues 2017

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CSEAS, Kyoto University

## The 3rd Seminar on Gender Issues in Academia

Date and time 14:30-16:30, 13 November (Mon.) 2017

## Special Seminar: Frontiers of Gender Studies in Asia

Date and time 14:00-16:00, 14 November (Tue.) 2017

**Venue** Room 213, the 2nd floor, Inamori Foundation Memorial Building,  
CSEAS, Kyoto University

### Speakers



#### ◆ Dr. Kurniawati Hastuti Dewi

Senior Researcher in the Research Center for Politics, the Indonesian Institute of Sciences. She is also a member of the Asian Association of Women's Studies (AAWS). She earned her Ph.D. in Area Studies from Kyoto University, and MA in Asian Studies from the Australian National University. Her research interests are in the areas of gender and politics, gender and decentralization, Islam and women leadership, representation of women and ethnic minorities, human rights of women and children. Her publications have appeared in leading academic journals.



#### ◆ Dr. Shanthi Thambiah

Deputy Dean of Post Graduate Studies, Associate Professor of Gender Studies at the Faculty of Arts and Social Sciences, University of Malaya. She studied at the University of Malaya for her bachelor's degree, M.Phil from the University of Cambridge and her PhD in Social Anthropology is from the University of Hull. She has published widely on gender, family and work and changing gender relations in Malaysia.

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### Talk 1

Title: More than Just Passion: Reflective Note of Female Young Scholar in Promoting Gender Studies and Improving Participation of Women in Academia Indonesia

Speaker: Dr. Kurniawati Hastuti Dewi

### Talk 2

Title: The Development and Growth of the Gender Studies Program at the University of Malaya, Kuala Lumpur, Malaysia

Speaker: Dr. Shanthi Thambiah

### Commentators

Takuro Furusawa (Chair, Fieldworker Family Care Support Group, Associate Professor, Graduate School of Asian and African Area Studies, Kyoto University)

Liulan Wang-Kanda (Associate Professor, Faculty of Global and Regional Studies, Doshisha University)

### Moderator

Chika Obiya (Associate Professor, CSEAS)

\*This seminar is organized in collaboration with the Fieldworker Family Care Support Group, ASAFAS, Kyoto University.

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### Talk 1

Title: Research on Women's Leadership in Indonesia: Women as the Source of Knowledge, New Narratives, and Existing Limitations (2005-2017)

Speaker: Dr. Kurniawati Hastuti Dewi

### Talk 2

Title: Gender in Southeast Asia: Fluid, Contested and Negotiable

Speaker: Dr. Shanthi Thambiah

### Commentators

Yoko Hayami (Professor, CSEAS)

Emi Goto (Associate Professor, Network for Education and Research on Asia & Institute for Advanced Studies on Asia, The University of Tokyo)

### Moderator

Caroline Hau (Professor, CSEAS)

\*\*This seminar is organized in collaboration with CSEAS/CIRAS joint usage/research project "Gender, Family and Modernity in Post-Socialist Islamic Space: Seeking for Links with Middle East Islamic Area Studies."

- For these seminars, we will provide a nursing service in a room near the venue for free. If you are interested in using it, please contact us not later than November 5, 2017.

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Take No.4, No.17 or No.205 bus and get off at "Kojinguchi".  
Then walk for five minutes to the east.
- ▶ From "Jingu-Marutamachi" Station of Keihan Railway.  
Walk for five minutes to the north.

