



INDONESIA NEDERLAND SOCIETY

Rockstar Team: Grit & Real skill-set **CALCIFY**



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Message from the Chairs

Dear Friends of the Indonesia Nederland Society,

Please find the second edition of the INS annual report in front of you. Although we are present on Twitter, LinkedIn and our website, we aim to give more visibility to the events and activities that we have organized, individually and collectively, supporting and highlighting the excellent relations between our two countries.

The organisation of these activities would not have been possible without the strong support and input of our respective embassies in Jakarta and in The Hague and the financial support of our patrons. In 2022 the INS received financial contributions of 4 patrons. With these funds different activities have been organized, and contributions have been made to our online communication. The INS over 2022 has a positive balance and reserve. We are very grateful for their efforts and the collaboration with other stakeholders. In this report you will find an overview of the various events like webinars, presentations, interviews, climate related initiatives and COVID-relief efforts that took place under the aegis of the INS.

Last year, even more than in previous years, many ideas were born and subsequently implemented following extensive cooperation between our two boards. We are proud of our colleagues in these boards who, in spite of all the COVID-restrictions, managed to organize successful events. We are convinced that all of us will witness this new year another flurry of activities, especially when the restrictions will be eased and we can finally meet again in person. That we also enable us to have more direct contacts between the two boards.

Please follow our information channels closely and we are looking forward to meeting you again in 2023 at one of our online or offline events!



Amir Amiruddin – Chair of the INS Board Indonesia
Ed Kronenburg – Chair of the INS Board Netherlands

Indonesia/Netherlands, April 2023

Our Mission

The mission of the Indonesia Nederland Society (INS) is to strengthen the bilateral relationship between Indonesia and the Netherlands by enhancing mutual understanding between the people of both countries on the basis of equality and reciprocity.

INS develops activities focused on sharing knowledge and bringing networks together in the areas of business, education, science, politics, culture, and history. INS works closely with its key stakeholders: leaders in governmental and non-governmental organisations, educational institutions, the media and business, as well as with the general public in both countries.

Our ambition

INS has the ambition to be the cross-sectoral platform for key partners from Indonesia and the Netherlands. We add value to our partners by bringing knowledge and networks together, and through complementarity of our activities in relation to existing initiatives. Our neutral position makes us effective in making connections and building bridges between sectors, organisations, people and generations, in an informal way.

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Our strategy

In close consultation with its stakeholders INS drafts plans for activities to be initiated and/or organized that reflect the mission of INS. At the end of each year INS will evaluate to what extent its activities have contributed to its overall mission. The INS undertakes to develop an effective social media policy in order to raise the awareness of its activities and to strengthen its position as one of the most important actors in maintaining and promoting the mutual understanding and friendship between Indonesia and the Netherlands. Regular consultations of INS with government and non-government actors are a prerequisite to keep abreast of developments that determine the relationship between both countries.

In memoriam

2022 was the year that the Indonesia Nederland Society lost its founding mother, Ibu Joty.



Wilhelmina Johanna ter Kulve – van Os, our driving force and great inspiration, born on 2 March 1927 in Semarang in the former Dutch East Indies, passed away on 5 July 2022 in her apartment in Wassenaar. Joty ter Kulve- van Os became 95 years old. We will remember her with great fondness and are eternally grateful for everything she did for the relation between Indonesia and the Netherlands in general and the Indonesia Nederland Society in particular.

She will be dearly missed. Selamat jalan Ibu Joty.

Activities

Despite the pandemic, that marked the first half of 2022, INS managed to organize a number of successful offline and online activities in Indonesia and the Netherlands.




1) *Indonesia Nederland Society Innovation Program (INSIP 2022)*

On Saturdays from 3 September 2022 to 22 October 2022, the INS organized a two-month online program, the Indonesia Nederland Society Innovation Program (INSIP 2022). The programme's goal was to let Indonesia's and the Netherlands' young generation develop solutions for sustainability challenges in renewable energy, digital technology, food and agriculture, and circular economy.

Out of 135 applications, 24 participants were selected, who were divided into six groups. Participants learned from industry leaders, venture capitalists, and start-up founders about market segmentation, customer value proposition, finance, key value drivers, climate impact, life-cycle assessment (LCA), and other topics to help participants transform their ideas into presentations and pitch them at the end of the program.

The Winning Team, Calcify, was awarded a one-week validation and networking trip to the Netherlands and Indonesia that will take place in 2023. Calcify is on a mission to transform the limestone industry by offering a sustainable and biodegradable alternative to bone-based calcium oxide. An [extended article on INSIP 2022](#) can be found on the INS website.

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2) *A meeting of minds at Stoephout*

The history of the Netherlands and Indonesia since 1900 shows us examples of '**a meeting of minds**' of Indonesian and Dutch men and women that would finally have lasting impacts on our good relations with one another, privately and as countries. On 11 May Indonesia Nederland Society organized a meeting on this theme in the Stoephout apartment complex in Wassenaar.



Ambassador Mayerfas, photographer/writer Suzanne Liem and former Minister Ben Bot shared their most inspirational narratives, models and historical moments with the audience. A [full report](#) can be read at the INS website.

3) *The beating heart of Sophiahof*

In October 2022, Andhika Rutten and Monica Bouman, board members of the Indonesia Nederland Society (INS) had a conversation with Yvonne van Genugten (director Indisch Herinneringscentrum), and Henry Timisela (director Moluks Historisch Museum). An estimated 2 million people in the Netherlands are connected to Indonesia and the Indonesian archipelago through their family histories. What are the colonial and postcolonial narratives that may be meaningful for representatives of this group and to others? Since February 2022, a semi-permanent exhibition 'Ons Land' has been set up in National Museum Sophiahof in The Hague. ' The exhibition is a co-production of the Indisch Herinneringscentrum and Museum Maluku / Moluks Historisch Museum. For a [full report](#) check the INS website.



4) *B20 dinner at the residence*

In 2022 Indonesia presided over 2022 G20 summit and also hosted the B20 summit, organized by KADIN, Indonesia's Chamber of Commerce and Industry. In preparation for the B20 summit, the Chair of KADIN and his delegation visited the Netherlands to further strengthen the bilateral business relations and to invite Dutch companies to attend the B20 summit that was held on Bali 13-14 November 2022.

On 27 May 2022, the Indonesia Nederland Society co-hosted a dinner for more than 30 people at the residence of Indonesian Ambassador Mayerfas to provide an opportunity for informal discussions between the KADIN delegation, and representatives from the corporate sector and from government. Opening remarks were given by Ambassador Mayerfas and INS chairman Ed Kronenburg.



5) *'Indonesia's New Capital', Design thinking in the classroom*

After the former successful Climate Village for Malino project in 2021 – also coordinated by INS - the Herenweghschool and Sekolah Indonesia SIDH in 2022 started a new project, running September/October, with Minecraft as tool for collaborative learning.



The students (aged 11-14) had the assignment to make a design for a new capital of Indonesia. They met with the ambassador of Indonesia, the president of the Dutch

Senate, the mayor of Wassenaar, a landscape architect and a water engineer of IDN Liveable Cities. Under supervision of their teachers the students collaborated in task groups for Infrastructure & Transportation; Community; Vegetation; Clean Water Management; Health Care; Clean Air; Food Security.

The final result of this collaboration was a model of Indonesia's new capital designed in Minecraft. Hosted by the Indonesian Embassy a presentation of this model by six students of both schools became part of the Indonesia Now program on 1 December in Amsterdam.

Please click [HERE](#) to read the full report on the City-of-Our-Future education project. For a video impression, see [the video made by Ernst de Groot](#). For an overall impression of the Indonesia Now event see the [aftermovie](#).

6) Indonesian Independence Day

On 15 September 2022, Ambassador Mayerfas and his spouse Mrs. Virna Mayerfas, cordially welcomed hundreds of guests to "Wisma Duta" their residence in Wassenaar for the celebration of the 77th Independence Day of Indonesia.

The official date of Indonesian Independence 17 August 1945. During the event, INS chair, Ed Kronenburg, had the honour too start the traditional Nasi Tumpeng dinner.



7) Meeting INS Boards in the Netherlands

In the summer of 2022, a bilateral meeting between INS board members of Indonesia and the Netherlands took place, on the occasion of the visit of Amir Amiruddin, the chair from INS Indonesia. It proved to be a great opportunity to update both sides on current events, plans and ambitions.

Publications

Newsletters

1) February 2022

The [February newsletter of 2022](#) included reports on the literary events around Revolusi, the INS webinars, the climate project for Malino, and the INS COVID relief response.

Social Media

In 2022 INS has communicate through its [website](#), a Twitter channel (@IDN_NL_Society), an Instagram account (indonesia_nederland_society) and [LinkedIN](#).

Governance

Executive Board the Netherlands

- Ed Kronenburg (Chair)
- Andhika Rutten (Vice Chair)
- Johannes Drees (Treasurer)
- Monica Bouman (Secretary)
- Aljosja van Dorssen
- Mervin Bakker

Executive Board Indonesia

- Amir Amiruddin (Chair)
- Daliana Suryanwinata (Treasurer)
- Kreshna Yuditya Rahmat (Secretary)
- Achmad Adhitya
- Apung Sumengkar
- Ferdian Suprata
- Rama Manusama

Trustees in Indonesia

- Adrianto Machribie
- Edwin Soeryadjaya
- Noke Kiroyan
- Rudy Pesik
- Suryo Bambang Sulisto

Trustees in the Netherlands

- Dr. Willem F. van Eekelen
- Dr. Bernard Bot
- Dr. Nikolaos van Dam
- Mrs. Joty ter Kulve – van Os
- Drs. Yvonne van Genugten

Former Board members, active as Trustees

- Jesse Kuijper
- Ate Oostra
- Hans Sprokkreeff
- Rob Zeldenrust
- Frits Blessing
- Rennie Roos
- Anja van Rijs