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# BOOKLET

# DIG-ASIA

## Summer Course

# 2021

October 6th – 13th, 2021

Welcome to

# Dig-Asia **2021** Summer Course

This booklet is cordially set up for all Digital Asia Summer Course 2021 participants where you could get a detailed information pertaining to the programme.

You might get information which consists of:

- 1. Background of the course**
- 2. Course director and teachers**
- 3. Study load**
- 4. Target group and credits**
- 5. Class schedule**
- 6. Application procedure**

We are happy to welcome you, If you have question, please just let us know. You could reach us through:

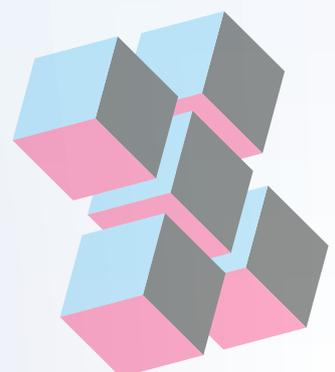
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**Thank you**



# BACKGROUND

This one week-intensive summer course will unravel the digital transformation issue in Asia. Over the last decade, a rapid and never-ending digital technology innovation and its incorporation in various aspects of human life have brought significant changes which require people, governments, and businesses to adapt. Keeping away from these changes is not a choice. Meanwhile, different parts of the world have different existing conditions in terms of infrastructure, human resources, and public systems to adapt to this rapid global transformation. Moreover, the Covid-19 pandemic has pushed us to undergo a much faster digital technology adoption to minimize physical movement and interaction to avoid the virus infection. Then, some questions that may arise are: does everyone has equal capacity and adaptability in this transformation? Does this transformation bring benefit and justice to all? How does this technological shift relate to the sustainability of nature as a whole?

By focusing on Asia, this summer course will bring cross-country and regional perspectives on how Asian countries are undergoing digital transformation. We aim to cover four major areas: politics and government, economy, ecology, and culture, including religion and youth issues. By presenting speakers from several countries and different backgrounds -academia and practitioners- we strive to have rich discussions with all participants from diverse nationalities. Not only lectures, participants will also be engaged in discussions based on case studies on which they can share their perspectives and experience based on their localities. With this design, this summer course will bring fruitful insights and experience for both speakers and participants.

## **Course Director**

Dr. Yuyun Sunesti

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## **Course Instructors**

Dr. Yuyun Sunesti, G.D.Soc., MA  
Prof. Dr.phil. Hermin Indah Wahyuni  
Dr. Aris Arif Mundayat  
Dr. Rino Ardhian Nugroho  
Dr. Priyambudi Sulistyanto  
Dr. Leni Winarni  
Dr. Putra Pamungkas

Dr. M. Falikul Isbah  
Dr. Keo Piseth  
Dr. Vissia Ita Yulianto  
Dr. Hew Wai Weng  
Irfan Amalee, M.A  
Sidiq Harimadya, M.Sc

## **Facilitators:**

Dr. Yuyun Sunesti  
Dr. Rino Ardhian Nugroho  
Dr. M. Falikul Isbah  
Dr. Vissia Ita Yulianto

**Course Objectives:**

Based on seminars, readings, class discussions, presentations, and final paper students would build up:

- A.** An overview of the main research questions, theories, and current empirical findings on digital transformation in Asia in times of Covid 19 pandemic
- B.** The ability to critically evaluate empirical research
- C.** The ability to apply this knowledge to new problems within this field.

**Study Load**

- A. 6 days of lectures, group assignments, and group discussion (daily from 09.00 – 12.00)
- B. Self-study: reading materials daily right after the class (12.00 – 15.00)
- C. Final paper, short individual assignments, and group presentation

**Period**

October 6 – 13, 2021

**Target Group**

The course is designed for all nationalities student both in the social or natural sciences fascinated in current digital transformation and its challenge. It is relevant for those students who are interested in nowadays socio-technology relation, innovation, politics and governmental affairs, media & culture, economics, and ecology by focusing on Asia. The course is suitable for Bachelor and Master students. Credits: 2 credits and certificate of attendance

## Wednesday, October 06

| Time   | Topic                                   | Instructor   |
|--|---|--|
| 09.00 – 09.30<br>(UTC+7/Western Indonesian Time) | Opening Ceremony                        | Prof. Dr. Jamal Wiwoho<br>(Rector of UNS)<br>Prof. Dr. Ismi Dwi Astuti N.<br>(Dean, FISIP UNS)<br>Prof. Dr. phil. Hermin Indah Wahyuni<br>(Director, CESASS UGM)<br>FISIP UNS-CESASS UGM Committee |
| 09.30 – 10.00                                    | Introduction to the course              | Dr. Yuyun Sunesti<br>FISIP UNS-CESASS UGM Committee  |
| 10.00 – 12.00                                    | Introduction to Digital Society in Asia | Dr. Aris Arif Mundayat<br>Universitas Sebelas Maret, Indonesia   |

## Thursday, October 07

### *Thematic Issue: Politics & Government*

| Time   | Topic   | Instructor   |
|--|---|--|
| 09.00 – 10.00<br>(UTC+7/Western Indonesian Time) | E-Government and Government Response to Pandemic Crisis   | Dr. Rino Ardhian Nugroho<br>Universitas Sebelas Maret, Indonesia   |
| 10.00 – 11.00                                    | Myanmar and ASEAN : Where to go from Now?   | Dr. Priyambudi Sulistyanto<br>Flinders University, South Australia |
| 11.00 – 12.00                                    | Governance in the time of crisis: lesson learned from different countries<br>(Student Group Discussion) | Dr. Rino Ardhian Nugroho<br>Universitas Sebelas Maret, Indonesia   |

## Friday, October 08

### *Thematic Issue: Media and Culture*

| Time   | Topic  | Instructor   |
|--|--|--|
| 09.00 – 10.00<br>(UTC+7/Western Indonesian Time) | Media and Digital Culture in Southeast Asia        | Prof. Dr.phil. Hermin Indah Wahyuni,<br>Universitas Gadjah Mada, Indonesia     |
| 10.00 – 11.00                                    | Social Media and Infodemic during the Crisis       | Sidiq Harimadya, M.Sc<br>Universitas Gadjah Mada, Indonesia                    |
| 11.00 – 11.50                                    | Family and Digital Life during the Pandemic Crisis | Dr. Leni Winarni and Dr. Yuyun Sunesti<br>Universitas Sebelas Maret, Indonesia |

## Monday, October 11

### *Thematic Issue: Economics*

| Time   | Topic  | Instructor  |
|--|--|---|
| 09.00 – 10.00<br>(UTC+7/Western Indonesian Time) | Digital Economy:<br>Fintech and inclusive Finance                      | Dr. Putra Pamungkas<br>Universitas Sebelas Maret, Indonesia |
| 10.00 – 11.00                                    | Employment and the Fate of Justice                                     | Dr. M. Falikul Isbah<br>Universitas Gadjah Mada, Indonesia  |
| 11.00 – 12.00                                    | Digitalized Jobs and the Fate of Justice<br>(Student Group Discussion) | Dr. M. Falikul Isbah<br>Universitas Gadjah Mada, Indonesia  |

## Tuesday, October 12

### *Thematic Issue: Ecology*

| Time   | Topic  | Instructor  |
|--|--|---|
| 09.00 – 10.00<br>(UTC+7/Western Indonesian Time) | Ecological Crisis in Asia                                      | Dr. Keo Piseth<br>Asian Vision Institute, Cambodia            |
| 10.00 – 11.00                                    | The Anthropology of Waste in the Risk Society                  | Dr. Vissia Ita Yulianto<br>Universitas Gadjah Mada, Indonesia |
| 11.00 – 12.00                                    | Waste Bank Management Initiative<br>(Student Group Discussion) | Dr. Vissia Ita Yulianto<br>Universitas Gadjah Mada, Indonesia |

## Wednesday, October 13

### *Thematic Issue: Youth and Religion*

| Time   | Topic  | Instructor  |
|--|--|---|
| 09.00 – 10.00<br>(UTC+7/Western Indonesian Time) | Digitalized Religion in a Time of Pandemic                     | Dr. Hew Wai Weng<br>National University of Malaysia   |
| 10.00 – 11.00                                    | Peace Generation and Digital Life                              | Irfan Amalee, M.A<br>Peace Generation Indonesia   |
| 11.00 – 11.50                                    | Youth, Religion and Digital Life<br>(Student Group Discussion) | Dr. M. Falikul Isbah<br>Universitas Gadjah Mada, Indonesia  |
| 11.35 – 12.00                                    | Closing and Final Evaluation                                   | Dr. Prahastiwi Utari<br>(Vice Dean, FISIP UNS)<br>Dr. Yuyun Sunesti<br>FISIP UNS-CESASS UGM Committee |

## **Fees**

The Digital Asia Summer Course 2021 is **FREE OF CHARGE.**

## **Application procedure**

Our application will open in October 20 and the application form will be available online. Please use the aforementioned link to start your application [bit.ly/AdmissionDIGASIA](https://bit.ly/AdmissionDIGASIA)

## **Guidelines for Applying**

- a.** Ensure your full name is exactly printed on your national identity or passport
- b.** Double check your email address as we will contact the result of your application process
- c.** Write your discipline area in Degree Major or specify department you officially enrolled
- d.** Recheck carefully your application before submitting

## **Rules of Credit Transfer and Certificate**

Digital Asia Summer Course 2021 provides two administrative issues on behalf of Universitas Sebelas Maret and CESASS UGM pertaining to completion of the course you attend; course transcript and certificate of attendance. The course transcript will detail the mark you earn in each class session and include overall score. You may use it to transfer academic credit in your home university/institution. The course transcript approximately takes two weeks after the last day of summer course, we will keep you updated once it is ready.

- \* Please note **the course transcript is only issued for participants who completely attend all class sessions.** In condition you miss a class, we will only provide a certificate of attendance.

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