Friday 27 September

8:30-9:00 Registration

9:00-9:15 Opening Address

9:15-10:45 Political Update Speaker: Harold Crouch Discussant: Dewi Fortuna Anwar

10:45-11:15 Morning tea

11:15-12:45 Economic Update Speaker: Moh. Ikhsan Discussant: Chris Manning

12:45-14:00 Lunch

14:00-15:30 Panel 1: From the national to the local in Indonesian politics

Ryaas Rasyid: An evaluation of decentralisation: the background, and the score sheet so far

Hans Antlov: Not enough politics? Regional autonomy and the democratic polity

15:30-16:00 Afternoon tea

16:00-17:30 Panel 2: Regional autonomy successes and challenges

Cornelis Lay: The politics of regional autonomy under the Megawati presidency

Mike Malley: Historical patterns of centralisation and decentralisation

19:00 Update dinner
Saturday 28 September

9:00-10:00 Panel 3: Local case studies
Arrellano A Colongon Jnr: What's Happening on the Ground? Findings from the Indonesia Rapid Decentralization Appraisal (IRDA)

Michele Ford: Who are the 'orang Riau'? Negotiating identity across geographic and ethnic fault-lines in the era of regional autonomy

10:00-11:00 Panel 4: Local case studies
Vedi Hadiz: Local politics and the reconstitution of the New Order Elite: Medan and Yogyakarta

Amrih Widodo: Local politics? National politics?: Rethinking the local (and the national) in Post-1999 Election Politics

11:00-11:30 Morning tea

11:30-12:30 Panel 5: Local case studies
Rodd McGibbon: Addressing Indonesia's separatist challenge?: The politics of special autonomy in Papua

Minako Sakai: Privatisation of the state-owned Padang Cement Company: Regional identity and economic hegemony

12:30-13:30 Lunch

13:30-14:30 Panel 6: Gender and environment
Hana Satriyo: One step back, two steps forward? Decentralisation and women in Indonesia

Ida Aju Resosudarmo: Shifting power to the periphery: preliminary impacts of Indonesia's decentralization on forests and forest people

14:30-15:30 Panel 7: Military and society
Marcus Mietzner: Business as usual? TNI, the territorial command system and regional autonomy
Sunday 29 September

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