

CSEAS Weekly Bulletin

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Members of the Indonesian Elections Commission attending a weeklong training program Dec. 8–15 with Monday presenter John Briscoe, NIU Management Professor, fourth from right; translator Rahmi Aoyama, far left, and CSEAS Director Eric Jones, fourth from left. Details below.

Indonesian elections

*Best wishes to all for final exams, fall graduation and the upcoming holidays!
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1. CSEAS and College of Business welcome Indonesian Election Commission **NEW**

Eight members of the national Indonesian Elections Commission (Komisi Pemilihan Umum or KPU) flew to Chicago over the weekend to participate in a weeklong leadership management and elections training program organized by CSEAS and the College of Business (COB). The KPU is responsible for running Indonesia's national elections across the country's 17,000-island archipelago. These [elections](#) are considered the most complicated, yet some of the best-run, in the world. CSEAS Director Eric Jones and COB Director of Global Programs Anthony Preston put together the program, held at NIU Naperville, after a visit to Indonesia in November. Faculty from both COB and the College of Liberal Arts and Sciences (CLAS) are serving as presenters: Jon Briscoe, Onkar Malgonde, Amy Buhrow and Dean Balaji Rajagopalan from COB and CSEAS associate Scot Schraufnagel (Political Science) and Jones from CLAS. Also presenting are CSEAS graduate assistant Azri Agoes and alumni Paul Chambers, Center for ASEAN Community Studies at Naresuan University, and Dr. Srie Ramli. Session topics range from organizational behavior, leadership management in the digital age, ethics and integrity and conflict resolution to comparative electoral systems, U.S. election systems and design, recent developments in democratization across the world. The group will be on campus **Dec. 12**, where they will attend a three-hour session at the College of Business, followed by a field trip to the NIU Center for Governmental Studies and the DeKalb County Election Division office in Sycamore. The group also visited the Indonesian consulate in Chicago **Dec. 11**. Throughout the program, Indonesian instructor Rahmi Aoyama acted as translator. The program concludes with a farewell dinner **Dec. 13** and a final session on leadership management in the digital age by Dean Rajagopalan Saturday, **Dec. 14**.

2. Campus notes: CSEAS oral history, honors, and moving on **NEW**

Students in HIST 494/594, an oral-history interview class looking back at NIU history as part of the university's upcoming 125th anniversary in 2020, interviewed three members of the CSEAS

community as part of their project: Anthropology Professor and Acting College of Liberal Arts and Sciences Dean Judy Ledgerwood, and retired CSEAS associates Arlene Neher and Grant Olson. Students reported on their interviews and others conducted for the class **Dec. 9** in a special anniversary event in the Sky Room at the Holmes Student Center. The class was led by Associate History Professor Amanda Littauer led the class, assisted by History PhD candidate and former FLAS Fellow JoAnn LoSavio, who worked on the project as a summer graduate assistant with the Regional History Center. The history center, along with the NIU President's Office, the 125th Anniversary Committee, the

Department of History and Friends of the Library, funded the event. . . . FLAS Fellows Liam McCown, a first-year law student, and Matthew Werstler (MM candidate, world music), were both inducted into the Phi Beta Delta international honor society during International Education Week in November. . . . Former FLAS Fellow and CSEAS graduate assistant Nicole Loring (PhD political science, 2019) returns to her home state of New Hampshire in January as an assistant professor of political science at Rivier University in Nashua. Loring has been at NIU since 2011, when she started in the Political Science department's MA/PhD program and began studying Burmese. As a doctoral



HIST 494/594 students present results of their oral-history interviews with narrators Dec. 9 in the Sky Room.

student, she researched Myanmar's transition from authoritarian to civilian rule, served as an undergraduate advisor in her department, and taught several classes. We wish her well in her new endeavors.

3. Call for papers: Spring SEA Studies Student Conference **NEW**



Hawkins

The Southeast Asia Club invites papers for its 2020 Southeast Asia Student Conference, Nexus: Southeast Asia, which is set for Saturday, **April 18**, at the Holmes Student Center. Papers may be submitted from any discipline on a topic pertaining to Southeast Asia; **Deadline for abstracts: Jan. 31. Final papers are due Friday, March 15.** Email inquiries or abstracts to niuseaclub@gmail.com (please put student conference in the subject). Best paper awards will be given for undergraduate and graduate papers. The keynote speaker will be Creighton University historian and NIU alumnus Michael Hawkins. A former Fulbright Fellow to the Philippines and NIU alumnus, Hawkins is the author of *Making Moros: Imperial Historicism and American Military Rule in the Philippine Muslim South* (Northern Illinois University Press, 2012) and the forthcoming *Semi-Civilized: The Moro Village at the Louisiana Purchase Exposition* (Cornell University Press). The NIU Graduate Colloquium is co-sponsoring Hawkins' visit to NIU.

4. Pick Museum internship class added to spring SEA classes **NEW**

SEAS 490/590, Pick Museum of Anthropology Curation and Exhibition Internship, has been added to CSEAS's [spring classes](#). Students will work closely with Pick staff to research, plan and develop an exhibition focusing on Southeast Asia performing arts, scheduled to open in fall 2020. A Thai Music Ensemble class for undergraduates and graduate students, MUSE321-0002/621-0002, taught by NIU music alumnus Chamni Sripraram, has also been added. Also new for undergraduate and graduate students is ANTH 491/591, Urban Life in Asian Cities, taught by Anthropology instructor Matthew Trew. Graduate students are invited to sign up for SEAS 625, Great Readings in Southeast Asian Studies, which also will be taught by Trew, time and days to be determined. In addition, Eric Jones (History) will be offering SEAS 590 (see online list below), which will study the Vietnam conflicts as historical events and through the lens of film. The Center's foundational undergraduate class, SEAS 225, Southeast Asia: Crossroads of the World (instructor of record Jui-Ching Wang), is offered from 12:30 to 1:45 p.m. Tuesdays, Thursdays in DuSable 148.

Online offerings this spring include:

- HIST 346, Women in Asian History (Trude Jacobsen)
- HIST 390, Film and History (Eric Jones)
- POLS 384, Contemporary Foreign Policy (Xu Ke, associate professor, Xiamen University School of International Relations)
- SEAS 590, Advanced Topics in Interdisciplinary Studies (Eric Jones)

Students also will have an [internship](#) opportunity through the Political Science department in POLS 490, Internship in Southeast Asian Youth Leadership Programs (April Clark). The course allows students to apply what they have learned in the classroom while earning academic credit. Students will intern with one of two U.S. Department of State youth leadership programs run by CSEAS at NIU in spring: the Southeast Asia Youth Leadership Program ([SEAYLP](#)) and the Philippine Youth Leadership Program ([PYLP](#)).

In addition to our continuing SEA language classes in Burmese, Indonesian, Khmer, Tagalog and Thai, other spring SEA courses include:

- ARTH 701, Women in a Thousand Years of Buddhist Art in Southeast Asia (Catherine Raymond)
- POLS 285, Introduction to International Relations (Aarjen Glas)
- POLS 378, Political Islam (Kikue Hamayotsu)
- POLS 668, The Political Economy of Developing Areas (Kheang Un)
- POLS 682, Seminar in International Law and Organization (Aarjen Glas)
- MUHL 431/531, Music of Southeast Asia (Chamni Sripraram, instructor)
- MUSE 370/670, Gamelan I (Alex Yoffe, instructor).

5. SEA study abroad: Cambodia, Thailand, Vietnam

NIU and CSEAS are offering three opportunities to study abroad for credit next summer in Thailand, Vietnam and Cambodia. Learn more about studying abroad at a [Study Abroad 101](#) workshop, held at 3:30 p.m. once a week in the NIU [Study Abroad](#) office, 417 Williston. **Also, check out funding for studying abroad with a Student Engagement Fund travel grant (deadline to apply: Dec. 8).** Contact engage@niu.edu. For details on these programs, email program directors, niuabroad@niu.edu, or CSEAS at cseas@niu.edu.

- **Thailand:** Humanitarian Aid, Sustainable Development and Refugee Studies Global Internship, **June 1–July 26**, is an interdisciplinary program that begins with one month of campus study in June, followed by a three-week internship experience in Bangkok and Chiang Mai **July 5–26**. The program is designed to allow you to broaden your field of study by exploring such topics as sustainability, social entrepreneurship, community development, diversity leadership, migration, curriculum design, public health and international/global relations among others. Courses offered are at both undergraduate and graduate levels: SEAS 490/590 and INTL 301/501; six hours credit. **Deadline to apply: Feb. 1.** For more information, contact program director Karla Findley at kfindley1@niu.edu.
- **Vietnam:** War and Peace in Vietnam, **June 15–July 7**, is a month-long program that includes six days of on-campus study before and after a 12-day study tour to Vietnam. Led by



Chiang Mai



Hanoi

Associate History Professor Stanley Arnold, the program focuses on the American experience in Vietnam and examines the impact of the war on Vietnam, the region and the world. You will visit Hanoi, Hue, Ho Chi Minh City, Khe Sanh, My Lai and other historical sites, and interact with local communities. Three undergraduate and three graduate courses are offered: HIST 396, HIST 469, HIST 493, HIST 569, HIST 600 and HIST 736; six hours credit. **Deadline to apply: Feb. 1.** For details, contact Arnold at sarnold@niu.edu.

- **Cambodia:** Cambodian Culture and Civilization, **June 8–26**, is an immersive three-week program offering a global and cultural perspective on rural and urban cultures in Cambodia. You will spend two weeks in Siem Reap and one week in the capital city of Phnom Penh, including the Angkor Wat temple complex in Siem Reap, Buddhist temples, and Cambodian Genocide historical sites. You will attend lectures on politics, sociology, language, the environment, archaeology and culture and dance at the Center for Khmer Studies in Siem Reap. The program also includes service learning, meaningful community engagement and immersion in Khmer culture. Undergraduate and graduate courses offered include SEAS 225, SEAS 590, and INTL 201 and 501; six hours credit. **Deadline to apply: March 1.** On-site directors are sociologist Kathleen Westman and Sauk Valley Community College political science professor Paul Edleman. For more information, contact Westman at kwestman911@gmail.com.



Center for Khmer Studies, Siem Reap

6. Sign up now for non-credit distance Indonesian class next spring

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7. Two FLAS opportunities, one application, one deadline

Whether you're applying for a summer 2020 or an academic-year 2020–21 FLAS fellowship, or both, you can apply for a Foreign Language and Area Studies (FLAS) fellowship with **one application**. The application and all information on both summer and academic-year FLAS awards are posted on the CSEAS [website](#). The deadline for both **summer FLAS grants and academic-year FLAS fellowships is Jan. 15.** The U.S. Department of Education's Title VI Program of Foreign Language and Area Studies Fellowships funds FLAS fellowships. Summer FLAS fellowships provide for the summer study of Southeast Asian languages at any U.S. Department of Education-approved [educational institution](#), especially those in Southeast Asia, but also including the [Southeast Asian Studies Summer Institute](#) at the University of Wisconsin-Madison. Questions? Contact Assistant CSEAS Director Jui-Ching Wang at jcwang@niu.edu. The U.S. Department of Education funds FLAS fellowships.

8. Applications open: Clark and Arlene Neher Graduate Fellowship

U.S. and international graduate students are invited to apply for the Center's 2020–21 Clark and Arlene Neher Graduate Fellowship for the Study of Southeast Asia. The fellowship includes a tuition waiver and a \$5,000 annual stipend. To apply, you should be at an advanced stage in your master's or doctoral program, and planning field or archival research in SEA studies. You must also be in good standing with NIU and demonstrate a commitment to career involving SEA Studies. **Deadline to apply: Jan. 15.** For details, see CSEAS [website](#).

9. Applications open: Dwight Y. King Graduate Scholarship

International students pursuing advanced degrees involving substantial Indonesia research are invited to apply for the 2020–21 Dwight Y. King Graduate Scholarship for the Study of Indonesia. Applicants for this \$1,000 award should be a student in good standing and at an advanced stage in their master's or doctoral program. In keeping with King's lifelong commitment to public affairs, preference given to students interested in working in developing countries. Application must include a personal statement, research proposal, PDF of graduate transcript and a letter of recommendation. **Deadline to apply: Jan. 15.** For details, see CSEAS [website](#).

10. **Save the dates: FLAS deadlines, abstracts due NEW**

- **Jan. 15:** Deadline for Foreign Language and Area Studies (FLAS) summer grants and academic-year fellowships, graduate Neher fellowship, and graduate King scholarship. See CSEAS [Funding](#).
- **Jan. 31:** Abstracts due for Spring Southeast Asian Studies Student Conference. Send abstracts to niuseaconference@gmail.com. **NEW**
- **April 4:** Southeast Asia Performing Arts Showcase, a 125th NIU Anniversary event. Boutell Memorial Concert Hall. Time TBA.

11. **Southeast Asia Crossroads: Religious, Ethnic Voter Sentiments in Jakarta**



Tune in to the latest episode of CSEAS's [Southeast Asia Crossroads](#) podcast series to hear Notre Dame University political scientist Nathanael Sumaktoyo discuss the puzzle of Muslim voting behavior with double minority candidates with host Eric Jones. Hat tip to Agung Pradanta for this episode's music. Our podcast following (more than 18,500 listens since its 2016 debut) keeps growing around the world with listeners in 70 countries as we cover topics from history and politics to art and culture.

12. **Mandala 2019: Looking back at an event-full year**

CSEAS and NIU launch new academic initiatives in SEA. A FLAS Fellow meets his father in Laos. State Department youth exchange programs by the numbers. A banner year for donations to the Donn V. Hart Southeast Asia Collection. Plus faculty news, student accomplishments, alumni updates and more in the 2019 edition of *Mandala*, now [online](#) and available in print at CSEAS. Read all about it!

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14. **Burnish your resumé with Southeast Asian Studies**

Add a Southeast Asian Studies minor to a bachelor's degree or a graduate certificate to an advanced degree and pull your resumé to the top of the pile. Visit the [CSEAS website](#) or stop by CSEAS at 520 College View Court. Undergraduates should contact adviser Matt Jagel at mjagel2@niu.edu; graduate students should contact Assistant Director Jui-Ching Wang at jcwang@niu.edu.

15. Looking for a few good SEA manuscripts



Northern Illinois University Press is seeking quality scholarly, accessible book-length manuscripts in Southeast Asian Studies to consider for publication. Address inquiries to Kenton Clymer, editor, Southeast Asian Series, NIU Press (an imprint of Cornell University Press), at kclymer@niu.edu.

16. Money for study

Council of American Overseas Research Centers

- **National Endowment for the Humanities Senior Research Fellowship:** Open to American postdoc researchers and international postdoc scholars who have resided in the U.S. for three or more years. **Deadline to apply: Jan. 24.** See [website](#).

USINDO

- **Subsidized study abroad:** United States-Indonesia Society's 10-week language and culture program, **June 5–Aug. 12**, in Yogyakarta and Jakarta. Cost: \$2,000 with all other fees paid by USINDO. Open to junior and senior undergraduates, graduate students or recent graduates of accredited U.S. college or university. **Deadline to apply: Jan. 24.** See [website](#).

Howard University

- **Charles B. Rangel International Affairs Program:** Six-week [summer enrichment program](#) for college seniors who want to join the Foreign Service. **Deadline to apply for undergraduate summer enrichment program: Feb. 4.** Program also offers two-year graduate program, which includes financial support, two summer internships, mentoring from a Foreign Service officer and other professional development activities. See [website](#) for details on both.

Phi Kappa Phi

- **Study abroad grants:** Competitive \$1,000 grants for undergraduates at institutions with active chapter (NIU is one). **Applications open Dec. 15; deadline to apply March 15.** See [website](#).

Blakemore Foundation

- **Fellowships for Advanced Asian Language Study:** 2020-21 fellowships for recent graduates, graduate students and working professionals, covering tuition and a stipend for educational, living and travel expenses. **Deadline to apply: Dec. 20.** See [website](#).

National Endowment for the Humanities

- **CAORC senior research fellowships:** Applications open for 2019–20 fellowships for U.S. and international postdoctoral scholars who have resided in the U.S. for three or more years. Research to be conducted between May 2020 and November 2021 in an American overseas research center in Cambodia, Indonesia or Myanmar. **Deadline to apply: Jan. 23.** See [website](#).

Center for Indonesian Policy Studies

- **Visiting research fellowships:** Opportunities for Indonesian and non-Indonesian students completing their Indonesia-related doctorate and post-graduate theses to conduct field research in Indonesia over 3-6 month period. **No deadline to apply.** See [website](#).

Rotary International

- **Rotary Peace Fellowships:** Fully paid fellowships for master's degree (up to two years) or professional development certificate studies (three months) offered through six universities worldwide. **Deadline to apply: May 31.** See [website](#).

East-West Center

- **Affiliate Scholar Program:** Short-term affiliation with the East-West Center for graduate students from around the world to pursue thesis or dissertation research in 2018. **Revolving deadlines to submit.** See [website](#).

ProFellow

- **Dissertation Research Fellowships:** Check the ProFellow [website](#) for 30 different opportunities for dissertation research funding.

17. Conferences, symposia, calls for papers

- **Other Voices: European Influence in the Cold War in Asia**, Jan. 20–21, Bangkok. International workshop hosted by the Centre for European Studies and Chulalongkorn University Department of History. See [website](#).
- **International Graduate Student Conference on the Asia Pacific**, Feb. 13–15, East-West Center, Honolulu. See [website](#).
- **18th Urban Research Plaza's Forum, Saving Our Urban Habitat**, March 5–6, Chulalongkorn University, Bangkok. See [website](#).
- **22nd Cornell Southeast Asia Program Graduate Student Conference**, March 13–15, Ithaca, NY. See [website](#). Some travel funding available.
- **1st International Conference on Preventing/Countering Violent Extremism in Malaysia and Southeast Asia**, March 16–18, Kuala Lumpur. Sponsored by the University of Maryland's National Consortium for the Study of Terrorism and Responses to Terrorism in cooperation with the U.S. Embassy-Malaysia and the International Islamic University Malaysia. See [website](#).
- **2020 Southeast Asian Studies Student Conference**, April 18, Northern Illinois University, DeKalb, Ill. Open to undergraduate and graduate students. Call for papers on all SEA topics. **Deadline for abstracts: Jan. 31.** Email to niuseaconference@gmail.com.
- **Midwest Political Science Association**, April 16–19, Chicago. See [website](#).
- **UC-Berkeley-UCLA Southeast Asian Studies Conference**, April 24–25, UCLA. Theme: Ethnic and Community Identity in SEA. Open to scholars and graduate students. Call for papers. **Deadline for abstracts: Jan. 20.** See [website](#).
- **Southeast Asian Linguistics Society**, May 18–20, University of Hawai'i-Manoa, Honolulu. **Deadline for abstracts: Jan. 5.** See [website](#).
- **Asian Studies on the Pacific Coast**, June 12–13, University of Hawaii-Hilo. Diverse topics in humanities, arts, social sciences, health, law or other disciplines related to Asia and Asian diaspora. **Deadline for proposals: Feb. 29.** See [website](#).
- **Association for Critical Heritage Studies 2020**, Aug. 26–30, University College, London. See [website](#).
- **International Conference on Philippines Studies**, Sept. 21-23, Universidad de Alicante, San Vicente del Raspeig, Spain. **Deadline for abstracts: Dec. 15.** See [website](#).

18. Careers

University of Nevada-Reno

- **Endowed appointment:** Applications open for advanced associate or full professor in international studies. Demonstrated expertise in contemporary or historical research of global, world regional, or comparative focus. Priority given to candidates in Anthropology, English, History and Political Science. **Deadline to apply: Jan. 30.** See [website](#).

Midwestern State University Texas

- **Assistant or Associate Professor:** Tenure-track position in history (Southeast Asia, China or Indian Ocean World), starting fall 2020. **Deadline to apply: Jan. 15.** See [website](#).

ISEAS Yusof Ishak Institute

- **Visiting Fellow/China and Mainland SEA:** Two- to six-month fellowship to study social and cultural impact of Chinese capital and labor flows into villages, towns and cities of Vietnam, Thailand, Myanmar, Cambodia and/or Laos, starting Jan. 2020. PhD required (political science, sociology, anthropology or demography studies preferred). See [website](#).

U.S.-ASEAN Business Council

- **Policy and research internships:** Semester [internships](#) based in Washington, D.C. Recent graduates encouraged to apply. For details, email internships@usasean.org. See [website](#).

VIA

- **Global Community Fellowship:** 13-15-month program for graduating seniors (2019) and young professionals to work at NGOs, schools, universities and social enterprises in Indonesia, Myanmar, Thailand and Vietnam. Monthly stipend, travel insurance, 10-day training in Thailand, midyear conference and year-end wrap-up provided; participants pay for transport to and from Asia, plus funds for food during VIA gatherings. See [website](#).

Bridge to Success

- **English Teachers in China:** Ten-month- internships and jobs for English speakers with bachelor's degree minimum. See [website](#).

Center for Strategic and International Studies

- **Internships:** Full- and part-time internships for undergraduates, advanced students and recent graduates who are interested in gaining practical experience in public policy. Based in Washington, DC. Rolling deadlines to apply. See [website](#).

Eurasia Group

- See [website](#) for job opportunities.

Globaljobs.org

- **Job/internship opportunities:** Turn area studies into an internship or a career. See job listings at NGOs, think tanks, government, and private-sector employers. See [website](#).

Chinese Mutual Aid Association

- **Interns:** Pan-Asian social service organization accepting candidates for interns for business development, grant writing and workforce development and outreach liaison duties. Contact Michelle White at michellew@chinesemutualaid.org or 773-784-2900. See [website](#).

US Department of State

- **Student internship program:** Internship opportunities for undergraduate and graduate students at Washington headquarters and US embassies, consulates and missions worldwide. Explore postgraduate civil-service career paths as well. See [program website](#).

ASEAN/ASEC

- **Job listings:** Check [website](#) frequently for open positions at the Association of Southeast Asian Nations (ASEAN) and ASEAN Secretariat (ASEC).

Asia Society

- **Career opportunities:** Internships and jobs posted regularly on [website](#).

Association of Southeast Asian Nations

- Jobs listed under [Opportunities](#) tab of ASEAN website.

Devex: Do Good. Do It Well

- International aid and development jobs in 1,000 agencies, companies and NGOs in 100 countries. See [website](#).

DevMetJOBS.org

- International development jobs and consulting opportunities. See [website](#).

Hess International Educational Group

- **Teach English across Asia:** Taiwan-based organization offers free training, benefits, and flex scheduling. See [website](#).

Idealist.org

- Privately funded website offers searchable database of nonprofit international jobs and volunteer opportunities. See [website](#).

Learn How to Become

- Privately funded website offers searchable database of meaningful volunteer and nonprofit career options and resources. See [website](#).

ReliefWeb

- Specialized digital service of the UN Office for the Coordination of Humanitarian Affairs that posts jobs regularly. See [website](#).

World Health Organization

- Global health agency in the United Nations system encourages online applications for potential employment. See [website](#).

19. Area cultural opportunities

- Go behind the scenes of the Philippine Collections at the Field Museum. Contact the museum's co-curation team at cocuration.philippines@fieldmuseum.org. To learn more about the museum's Philippines work, see the co-curation team's [newsletter](#).
- Thai Cultural and Fine Arts Institute of Chicago offers classes in Thai language, dance and music among other programs. Phone 312-725-0640.
- "Remembering the Killing Fields" exhibit on display at the Cambodian American Heritage Museum and Killing Fields Memorial, 2831 W. Lawrence Ave., Chicago. The [Cambodian Association of Illinois](#) also holds free Cambodian music and dance lessons.
- The Indonesian consulate in Chicago offers free Saturday classes: Indonesian language classes at 10:30 a.m. (intermediate) and 1 p.m. (children's class); Indonesian traditional dance, 2 to 4 p.m.; and Javanese gamelan, 4 to 6 p.m. All classes held at the Indonesian Cultural Center, 711 W. Grand Avenue. Call 312-920-1880, ext. 104/105, or email icc@indonesiachicago.org. See the consulate's [Facebook](#) page.
- Indonesian Dance of Illinois offers traditional dance and gamelan music lessons Saturdays in Evanston. See [website](#).

The future calls

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