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The Institute of Southeast Asian Studies

Established as an autonomous corporation by an Act of the Parliament of the Republic of Singapore in May, 1968, the Institute of Southeast Asian Studies is a regional research centre for scholars and other specialists concerned with modern Southeast Asia. The Institute's research interest is focussed on the many-faceted problems of modernization and social change in Southeast Asia.

The Institute is governed by a 24-member Board of Trustees on which are represented the University of Singapore and Nanyang University, appointees from the Government, as well as representatives from a broad range of professional and civic organizations and groups. A ten-man Executive Committee oversees day-to-day operations; it is *ex-officio* chaired by the Director, the Institute's chief academic and administrative officer.



The Institute Building



The Library Reading Room

Institute of Southeast Asian Studies

Annual Report

1 April 1972 - 31 March 1973

"For the promotion of research on Southeast Asia and on all matters appertaining to Southeast Asia, there shall be established an Institute to be styled the Institute of Southeast Asian Studies"

(Act of the Parliament of Singapore, No. 9 of 1968)

INTRODUCTION

If the progress of a regional organization can be measured by the diversity and tempo of its research activities and programmes, then the Institute of Southeast Asian Studies has in the first five years of its life made an excellent start towards achieving the objective for which it was established. The report below outlines the Institute's main activities during the past year as well as touches upon some of its forthcoming programmes.

BOARD OF TRUSTEES

Three members of the Board — Mr. Dick Wilson, Dr. Augustine Tan and Dr. David Chew — resigned during the year. Mr. Wilson was replaced by Mr. Leonard Rayner, the local representative of the Confederation of British Industries, while Prof. Wu Teh-yao, Head of the Department of Political Science, University of Singapore, was appointed in place of Dr. Augustine Tan. No appointment has yet been made to replace Dr. David Chew. The Institute would like to thank Mr. Dick Wilson, Dr. Augustine Tan and Dr. David Chew

for their valuable advice and the services which they rendered the Institute during their term of office and at the same time welcome Mr. Leonard Rayner and Prof. Wu Teh Yao.

Changes in its membership notwithstanding, the Board continued to meet regularly throughout the year, first under the chairmanship of Mr. David Marshall, the Chairman of the Board, and later under that of Mr. Eric Khoo, the Deputy-Chairman, who acted as Chairman of the Board during the period November 1972 — March 1973 when Mr. Marshall was away on leave.

STAFF

Prof. Kernial Singh Sandhu assumed the Directorship of the Institute in July 1972. Prof. Sandhu is no stranger to Singapore or Southeast Asia, having his home in Malaysia and having studied and taught at the University of Singapore. Prof. Sandhu's last held position before joining the Institute was as Associate Professor in the Department of Geography, University of British Columbia, Vancouver, Canada.

In saying welcome to Prof. Sandhu, the Institute also bid farewell to Prof. Silverstein who had completed his two years' term as the Institute's third Director. The Institute deeply appreciates Prof. Silverstein's active guidance and administration over the past two years and wishes him and his family an enjoyable and pleasant return home.

Mr. Raja Segaran Arumugam, who went on an Asia Foundation scholarship to study for a Master of Arts degree at the University of Ohio and for language training in Burmese at the School of Oriental and African Studies of the University of London, returned after successfully completing his studies. Mr. Arumugam took up his appointment as Research Officer with the Institute in August 1972 and with this the number of the Institute's Research Officers increased to seven.

SCHOLARSHIPS

Miss Ng Shui Meng is continuing with her Master of Arts studies at the University of Michigan. She is concentrating on Sociology and Vietnamese and is expected to return to the Institute soon. In the meantime, continuing with its efforts to find promising potential scholars for its staff positions, the Institute was able to send a ninth trainee for post-graduate studies — this time to Japan. This trainee is Mr. Lim Han Yong from Nanyang University. After completing basic training in Japanese in Osaka, Mr. Lim will enrol for a Master of Arts degree in Economics at Kyoto University.

FELLOWSHIPS

In the course of the year three of the Institute's Research Fellows completed their fellowships at the Institute. Two of these Fellows have returned home to Indonesia and one has joined the staff of the University of Singapore.

New fellowships awarded during the year included three senior awards to Dr. Serafin D. Quiason, Director of the National Library of the Philippines, Prof. Edilberto K. Tiempo, Dean of the Graduate School, Silliman University of the Philippines, and Prof. Kyaw Thet of Burma.

The Institute also had three Visiting Fellows, two from the United States and one from the U.S.S.R.

A complete list of all the Fellows and their topics of research is provided in Appendix II. It should how-

ever be noted that these awards represent but a handful of those who applied. The Institute would have liked to make more awards but was unable to do so on account of insufficient funds.

CONFERENCES AND SEMINARS

The Institute held a successful international conference on New Directions in the International Relations of Southeast Asia. The opening ceremony was performed by Mr. S. Rajaratnam, the Republic of Singapore's Minister for Foreign Affairs, while the conference itself was attended by more than forty foreign and local scholars. The various proceedings drew capacity audiences of academics, journalists, diplomats and members of the local professional and business community, in addition to producing a set of interesting papers which have been published by Singapore University Press in two volumes, *New Directions in the International Relations of Southeast Asia: Economic Relations*, edited by Dr. Lee Soo Ann, and *New Directions in the International Relations of Southeast Asia: The Great Powers and Southeast Asia*, edited by Dr. Lau Teik Soon.

The week-long conference ended with a closing address by no less a distinguished personage than Mr. Adam Malik, Foreign Minister of the Republic of Indonesia, and the Institute is most grateful to both Mr. Malik and Mr. Rajaratnam for honouring the conference with their presence.

On 20 May 1972, the Institute held the fourth of its series of Trends Seminars. This time it was decided to analyse once more the trends in Indonesia in view of the changes that had taken place in that country since the general elections in July 1971. The papers and proceedings of this seminar have been published by the Singapore University Press.

On 10 December 1972, the Institute inaugurated a new series of seminars called Current Issues Seminars.

The objective of this series is to bring together knowledgeable and interested people to discuss topics of current concern and importance to the region. The first seminar in this series was on Multinational Corporations and their Implications for Southeast Asia. About 150 persons attended the seminar which was generally well received. The Institute has published the complete proceedings of the seminar.

The Occasional Seminar programme of the Institute also continued to flourish, benefitting to no small extent from the various scholars who visited the Institute during the year and spoke at its informal gatherings. A full list of presentations in this and other seminar series appears in Appendix III.

Partly in response to the Institute's concern for the wider community of which it is an integral part and its desire to impart and disseminate accurate information and knowledge about and in Southeast Asia to all legitimate and interested parties without fear or favour, and also because it feels it has developed sufficient expertise to allow it to effectively discharge such responsibilities, the Institute is now, upon request and at its absolute discretion, prepared to assist private firms and other bodies in organizing seminars and meetings. In effect a beginning in this direction was already made in March 1973 when the Institute organized a seminar on Economic and Political Trends in Southeast Asia for the benefit of the visiting journalists and other delegates to the International Press Conference sponsored by Rollei of Singapore.

PUBLICATIONS

The publication programme of the Institute gathered further momentum during the year with the expansion of the existing, and the introduction of new, series of publications.

With regard to its existing series, the Institute, in the first place, published its fifteenth *Occasional Paper*,

entitled *The Second Malaysia Plan 1971-1975: A Critique*, by Prof. Syed Hussein Alatas of the University of Singapore and its sixth *Library Bulletin*, entitled *Oil Discovery and Technical Change in Southeast Asia: A Bibliography*, by Miss Quah Swee Lan of the Institute, is in the press. Then, the Institute's *Trends in Southeast Asia* seminar proceedings published by the Singapore University Press, were further enhanced with the publication of the *Trends in Indonesia* volume. Moreover, as the *Trends in Southeast Asia Seminars* have been adopted as an integral part of the Institute's long-term professional activities, the *Trends* series of publications promise to be both regular and expansive. Last but not least, the Institute's two monographs, Prof. Sartono Kartodirdjo's *Protest Movements in Rural Java: A Study of Agrarian Unrest in the 19th and 20th Centuries* and the proceedings of the seminar on Modernization in Southeast Asia, edited by Prof. Hans-Dieter Evers, are in the final stages of production and the two volumes are expected to be published in June or July 1973. They form part of the *Monographs of the Institute of Southeast Asian Studies* series which Oxford University Press has agreed to publish under the auspices of the Institute.

To further expand and, more importantly, improve the Institute's publication activities, the Institute inaugurated four new series of publications during the year. Firstly, there are the *Oral History Pilot Study* publications arising out of the Institute's Oral History Project. Then there is the *Field Report Series* embodying the research work of the Institute's staff and Fellows. Paralleling this is the *Southeast Asian Perspectives* series being translations into English of significant original papers in indigenous Southeast Asian languages; this series will hopefully provide a channel for greater and wider dissemination of Southeast Asian thinking and viewpoints. Finally, there is the *Current Issues Seminar Series* based on papers presented at the Institute's new seminar programme of the same name.

A total of seven publications were completed during the year in the above new series. Full titles of these and also of other publications in other series of the Institute are provided in Appendix IV.

PRINTING

A generous grant from the Lee Foundation of Singapore has enabled the Institute to purchase an off-set printing unit. This has greatly improved the range and quality of ISEAS publications.

RESEARCH

The Institute systematized and expanded its work during the year on its two on-going research projects in Oil Discovery and Technical Change in Southeast Asia and in Oral History.

Oil Discovery & Technical Change in Southeast Asia

With Mr. Segaran Arumugam joining the staff of the Institute, it was possible to include Burma within the Oil Discovery project. Mr. Arumugam has in fact completed his survey of the structure and present status of the oil industry in Burma. At about the same time, while Mr. Robert Fabrikant was completing his two studies, *Legal Aspects of Production Sharing Contracts in the Indonesian Petroleum Industry*, and *The Indonesian Petroleum Industry: Miscellaneous Source Material*, Messrs Cyrus Das and Vinayak Pradhan, researching under the general direction of Mr. Fabrikant, also finalized their work on *Some International Law Problems Regarding the Straits of Malacca*. All these three studies have been published and are on sale.

The manuscripts on *Pertamina and the Management of Oil Resources in Indonesia*, by Miss Eileen Lim, and *The Politics of Oil in the Philippines*, by Mr. M. Rajarethnam, are nearing completion and will be published soon while Miss Lim So Jean's study of *The Socio-Economic Impact of the Oil Industry in Singapore* is in the final

stages of analysis and should be ready for publication within the next couple of months.

In connection with its Oil Discovery Project as a whole, the Institute also held a Workshop on 6 January 1973 with the aim of reviewing the progress made and to determine the future course and focus of this project. The general conclusion of the Workshop was that the Institute should continue with this project.

Oral History

Mr. Gerald de Cruz completed his six months-long pilot study in Oral History and the Institute would like to thank him for his services. In the course of his pilot study, Mr. de Cruz interviewed Mr. Philip Hoalim Senior, Chairman and co-founder of the Malayan Democratic Union, and Mr. Andrew Gilmour, C.M.G., who was Singapore's Secretary for Economic Affairs and then Financial Secretary and Acting Colonial Secretary during the period 1946-1953. Mr. Hoalim's memoir has already been published while that of Mr. Gilmour is in the press.

The experience gained from the pilot project was valuable and it prompted the Institute to make Oral History a regular part of its professional programme. To this end, it has established an Advisory Committee, including representatives from the academic community and the National Archives, to assist in systematising and expanding its Oral History coverage, especially in the area of social and economic history. Thanks to support from the Asia Foundation, the Institute was able to send one of its Research Officers, Miss Lim Yoon Lin, M.A. (History), to the United States for an intensive five-weeks training programme in the latest techniques and methods of Oral History. Miss Lim is now in charge of the Institute's Oral History Project and is presently in the process of mapping out the Institute's long-term programme in Oral History. We are thankful for the gift of two tape-recorders to help her in her work. One is from the German Embassy and the other from Mr. Leonard Rayner.

Kra Canal/Pipeline

The announcement by the Thai Government in July 1972 of its intention to explore the technical, engineering and economic feasibility of the construction of the Kra Canal, to be completed in nine years' time, caused a great deal of speculation, debate and some concern in trading, shipping and governmental circles. In the circumstances the Institute felt that it would be helpful if there was some scholarly assessment of the potential significance of a Kra Canal/Pipeline for the region. With this in mind and as a prelude to the possibilities of a more solid and foregoing research into the whole matter, the Institute initiated a preliminary investigation into the political and economic implications of the Kra Canal/Pipeline project for the region. Thanks to a grant from the Asia Foundation the first part of this study has been completed and published and the second part is in progress. Depending on how this latter part of the study progresses and develops, the Institute may want to consider the question of the Kra Canal/Pipeline as a separate short-term corporate research project in its own right.

Future Research Projects

Bearing in mind its professional objectives and its limited staff and financial resources, the Institute cannot afford to encourage paradigms of unmitigated individualism in its research activities. On the other hand complete discouragement of the freedom of individual research interests and initiatives could probably lead to a collection of intellectual drones. Perhaps an ideal arrangement would be a judicious mix of academically inclined and problem-oriented or applied research, with individual research accommodating the former and the corporate projects the latter. With regard to the former, the Institute looks forward to receiving individual research proposals from its Research Officers and Fellows. As for corporate or joint research in general, the Institute feels it should adopt a double-pronged strategy aimed at:

- (i) Short-term projects associated with specific problems or issues; for the time being the Institute considers its Oil Discovery Project in this light.
- (ii) Long-term serious investigations under the rubric of particular areas of research in which the Institute aspires to become not only the premier regional, but also a world centre, in terms of library resources, professional expertise and intellectual output. The Institute has decided that the study of Race Relations and Minority Problems will be one of its long-term interests, especially in view of the Institute's unique location and contacts.

LIBRARY

The library collection at the end of March 1973 stood as follows, the stock figures given comprising only those materials that have been catalogued and processed:

	1971/72	1972/73
Books and bound periodicals (vols.)	12,060	14,400
Microfilms (reels)	1,550	2,080
Microfiches (fiches)	15,460	20,300
Current serials (titles)	860	1,170

Of the serial titles, 560 were received on subscription, 275 on exchange and 335 as gifts. The library had exchange arrangements with 215 persons and institutions.

Library acquisitions policy began with emphasis on publications on and from insular Southeast Asia, that is Singapore, Malaysia, Indonesia and the Philippines. In the year under review, the in-depth acquisitions policy was extended to Thailand and Vietnam. During a visit to Bangkok, one of the Assistant Librarians, Miss Quah Swee Lan, visited Thai libraries and research institutions

to strengthen and extend the library's contacts and exchange programmes. Arrangements have also been made for a regular supply of Vietnamese publications.

The major investment during this year, as in the preceding year, was the library's participation in the Joint Microfiche Project Indonesia of which eight instalments out of twelve have been received. Material not yet catalogued and processed because of space and language problems includes four instalments (approximately 20,000 fiches) of the Joint Microfiche Project Indonesia and approximately 300 Thai publications and 1,000 Vietnamese publications.

Other major acquisitions include:

Angkatan Bersendjata (Jakarta), 1965-69, 8 reels.

Bangkok World, 1965-68, 44 reels.

Dam, Pieter van, *Beschryvinge van de Oostindische Compagnie* ('s-Gravenhage, 1927-43), 3 vols. in 6.

Saranukrom Thai (Encyclopedia Thai), (Bangkok, 1956-), 14 vols.

Koloniaal Museum, *Bulletin* (Haarlem), no. 1-52, 1892-1913, 52 vols.

Netherlands, Centraal Bureau voor de Statistiek, *Jaarcijfers voor het Koninkrijk der Nederlanden; Kolonien*, ('s-Gravenhage), 1888-1921, 31 vols. in 6.

Siam Rath (Bangkok), 1961-71, 62 reels.

Straits Times (Kuala Lumpur), 1968-70, 18 reels.

Trompet Masjarakat (Jakarta), 1948-55, 1957-65, 17 reels.

The library received more than 270 items as gifts and the Institute duly acknowledges herewith its

appreciation of such support, particularly from the following:

National Library of the Philippines

National Library of Thailand

Royal Institute of Thailand

Asia Foundation

Consulate General of the Republic of Vietnam

With the continuing growth of its collection, the library's space problems, already serious last year, grew progressively severe. It is estimated that more than two years' excess growth has been forced into the existing accommodation. The shortage of space has seriously affected the proper development and utilization of the library resources. A large proportion of the collection is inaccessible or not easily accessible, the backlog of purchases awaiting unpacking has increased and reader space has been reduced.

The indexing and description of the Tan Cheng Lock Papers was completed. The whole collection of eighteen folios was microfilmed and a set of the microfilms presented to the donor in accordance with the terms of the Deed of Trust. The index was published under the title *Tan Cheng Lock Papers: a Descriptive List*.

Miss Quah Swee Lan, served as a member of the Council of the Library Association of Singapore and editor of its *Newsletter*. She also attended the Regional Seminar on Information Storage, Retrieval and Dissemination in Bangkok from 26 to 30 March 1973 as the Institute's representative.

The Librarian continued as Chairman and ISEAS representative on the joint Library Association of Malaysia and Singapore's Subcommittee on Microforms. She was chief editor of the *Proceedings of the First Conference of Southeast Asian Librarians held at the University of Singapore on 14th-16th August 1970* (Singapore:

Chopmen, 1972). She also served as Co-ordinator of the SARBICA/CONSAL Regional Microfilm Clearing-House and editor of its *Southeast Asia Microfilms Newsletter*. The latter is published by ISEAS for the Clearing-House and continues the Institute's support for co-operative efforts towards improving research resources on Southeast Asia, particularly through the Southeast Asian Regional Branch of the Council on Archives and the Conference of Southeast Asian Librarians.

BUILDING AND SPACE

In order to alleviate the acute shortage of space, the Institute made a request to the Ministry of Finance for funds to construct a second temporary annexe building and also to carry out structural alterations to the existing main building. The Ministry of Finance has kindly agreed to these requests and the Institute is now working with the Public Works Department in finalizing plans and costs.

The above alterations and extensions, together with the first annexe building now nearing completion, will provide eighteen offices, in addition to sorely needed extra seminar and library space.

FINANCE

The total expenditure of the Institute during 1972/73 was \$540,979.07. The Institute's main source of financial support continues to be its own Endowment Fund, the Government of Singapore, and donations from foundations, firms and individuals. At the end of the year, the Endowment Fund stood at \$835,000, that is, at the same total as last year, while the Government of Singapore grant was increased from \$367,540 in 1971/72 to \$446,628. The Institute is also pleased to record its appreciation of the support received throughout the year from various foundations, firms and individuals. The

Institute would particularly like to thank the Asia Foundation, the Ford Foundation and the Lee Foundation for their generous grants. Details of these grants and also of those by other donors are listed in full in Appendix V.

It would seem superfluous to stress that if the Institute is to continue its present momentum of development it must have greater and sustained support from all well-wishers. Indeed, the Institute needs endowments of at least another \$700,000 by 1976/77 and a further \$1,000,000 before the end of 1983/84 to effectively implement its current and projected fellowship programme, let alone the development of other professional activities.

CONCLUSION

In closing, this year's report shares the optimism of its predecessor of last year, in that the Institute is vital and growing, and the Board of Trustees can be justly proud of their efforts in developing the Institute to such a stature in such a relatively short time. It is the feeling now that the Institute should raise its sights and forthwith begin planning for the Institute's further expansion and improvement so that it would rapidly reach its ultimate objective of becoming the foremost centre of its kind in Southeast Asia and one of the world's leading institutions devoted to advanced quality research on the region. In addition to the promotion of research on modern Southeast Asia through the provision of first rate 'back-up' facilities and a library of Western and indigenous Southeast Asian source materials capable of supporting original research on the region, such a centre would hopefully undertake research projects which, *inter alia*, would help to illuminate the existing and potential Southeast Asian political, economic and social *mores*, thereby assisting policy-makers and scholars alike in their search for viable and meaningful solutions to the varied problems confronting the

peoples of Southeast Asia. Through the provision of liberal financial and/or other incentives, it would also seek to attract a small but highly sophisticated and capable group of Fellows and scholars both from within and outside the region for periods of stay and study at the Institute. Furthermore, through a judicious 'mix' of interests and individuals, coupled with adequate facilities and opportunities for discussions, seminars, conferences and publications, it would seek to stimulate and nurture

a scholarly environment conducive to maximum intellectual stimulation and creativity. Such a community of interests could see not only the mounting and execution of an effective and dynamic research and professional programme but, perhaps, also be the nucleus around which to build a series of brief but high-powered advanced seminars or training courses on the realities of Southeast Asia for, say, diplomats, civil servants and executives of the region.

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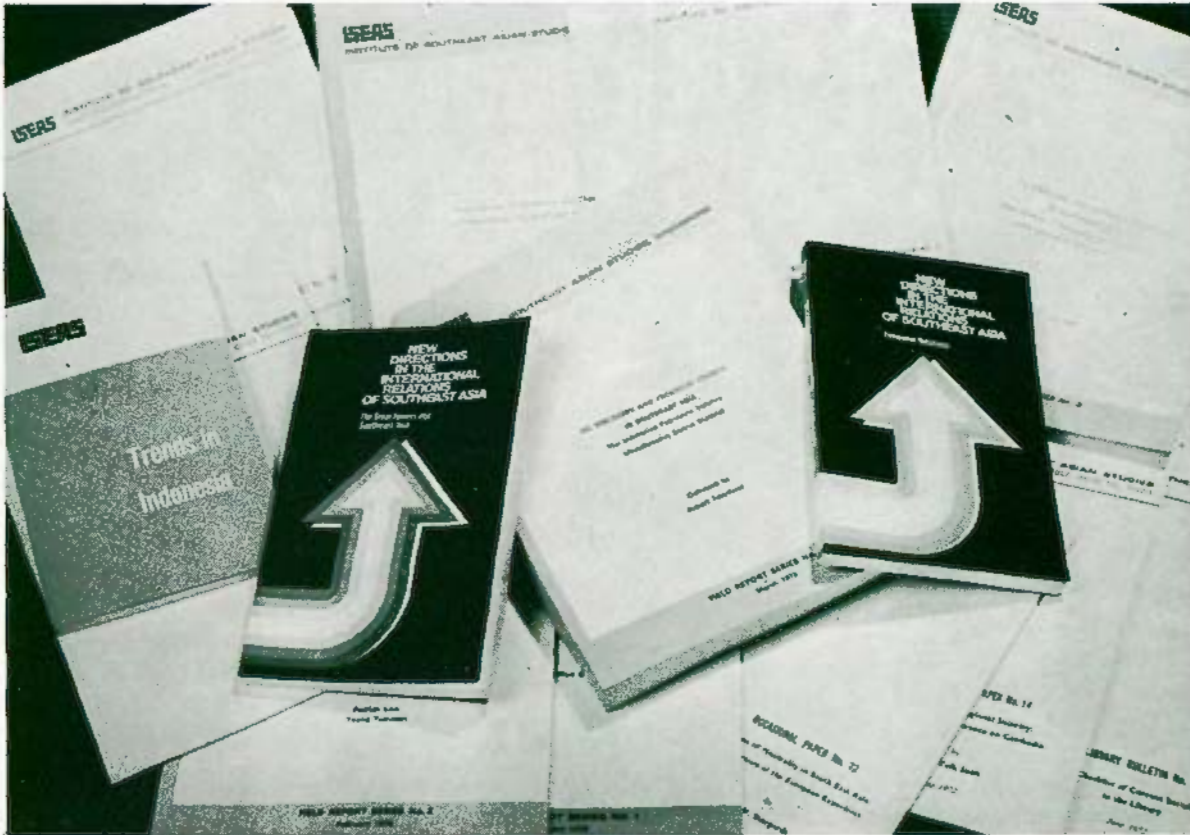
	Name	Nationality	Title of Research Project
1.	Mr. Lee Boon Hiok	Singaporean	The Singapore Civil Service and its Perceptions of Time.
2.	Prof. Achmad Sanusi	Indonesian	Development Administration and Social Change at the Desa-level with special reference to West Java.
3.	Dr. Otto Sutomo Roesnadi	Indonesian	The Political Role of KAMI
4.	Dr. Serafin D. Quiason	Filipino	History of the Commercial Activities and Cultural Life of the British Mercantile Firms and Merchants and their Roles in the 19th Century Economic Life of the Philippines.
5.	Prof. Edilberto K. Tiempo	Filipino	A Study of the Southeast Asian Novel with particular attention to work done in Singapore, Malaysia and Indonesia.
6.	Prof. Kyaw Thet	Burmese	A Comparative Study of the Elites of Burma, Thailand and Indonesia.
7.	Mr. Chin Kin Wah	Malaysian	The Anglo-Malayan (Malaysian) Defence Agreement 1957-1971: Alliance Transformation in the Light of Evolving Intra-alliance Relations.

VISITING FELLOWS

	Name	Nationality	Title of Research Project
1.	Sharon Wolz (Mrs.)	American	Role of Voluntary Organizations in Overseas Chinese Social Organization.
2.	Prof. Lea Williams	American	An Introductory Thematic History of Southeast Asia.
3.	Dr. V. Arkhipov	Russian	Problems of Industrialization in Southeast Asia.
4.	Mr. Harold Wilson	Canadian	Higher Education in Singapore: Continuity and Change.

**LIST OF SEMINARS AND CONFERENCES
AND NAMES OF SPEAKERS**

1. **Trends in Indonesia — 20 May 1972**
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| Mr. Rosihan Anwar | — | Editor of <i>Pedoman</i> . |
| Dr. Alfian | — | Director of the Political and Social Research Division of LEKNAS. |
| Dr. M. Sirait | — | A Golkar member of the Indonesian Parliament. |
| Prof. Y. Panglaykim | — | Formerly Director and Professor, School of Accountancy and Business Administration, University of Singapore. |
| Dr. Azhari Zahri | — | Economic Consultant to Asia Research (Pte.) Ltd., Singapore. |
| Dr. O. S. Roesnadi | — | Research Fellow, ISEAS. |
2. **New Directions in the International Relations of Southeast Asia — 3-8 July 1972**
- Indonesia*
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| Prof. Mochtar Kusumaatmadja | — | Dean of the Faculty of Law, University of Padjadjaran. |
| Dr. Lie Tek-tjeng | — | Director, National Institute for Cultural Studies, Indonesian Institute for Sciences. |
| Mr. Nugroho | — | Corporation Lawyer and Legal Consultant. |
| Prof. Y. Panglaykim | — | Former Director and Professor, School of Accountancy and Business Administration, University of Singapore. |
| Dr. Suhadi Mangkusuwondo | — | Senior Lecturer in Economics, University of Indonesia. |
- Malaysia*
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| Dr. Abdul Halim Ismail | — | Acting Head, Department of Economics and Commerce, National University of Malaysia. |
| Drs. Goh Cheng Teik | — | Lecturer in International Relations, University of Malaya. |
| Mr. Murugesu Pathmanathan | — | Lecturer, Faculty of Economics and Administration, University of Malaya. |
| Mr. Zain Azraai | — | Principal Private Secretary (Special) to the Prime Minister of Malaysia. |
| Prof. Zainal Abidin bin Abdul Wahid | — | Professor of History, National University of Malaysia. |



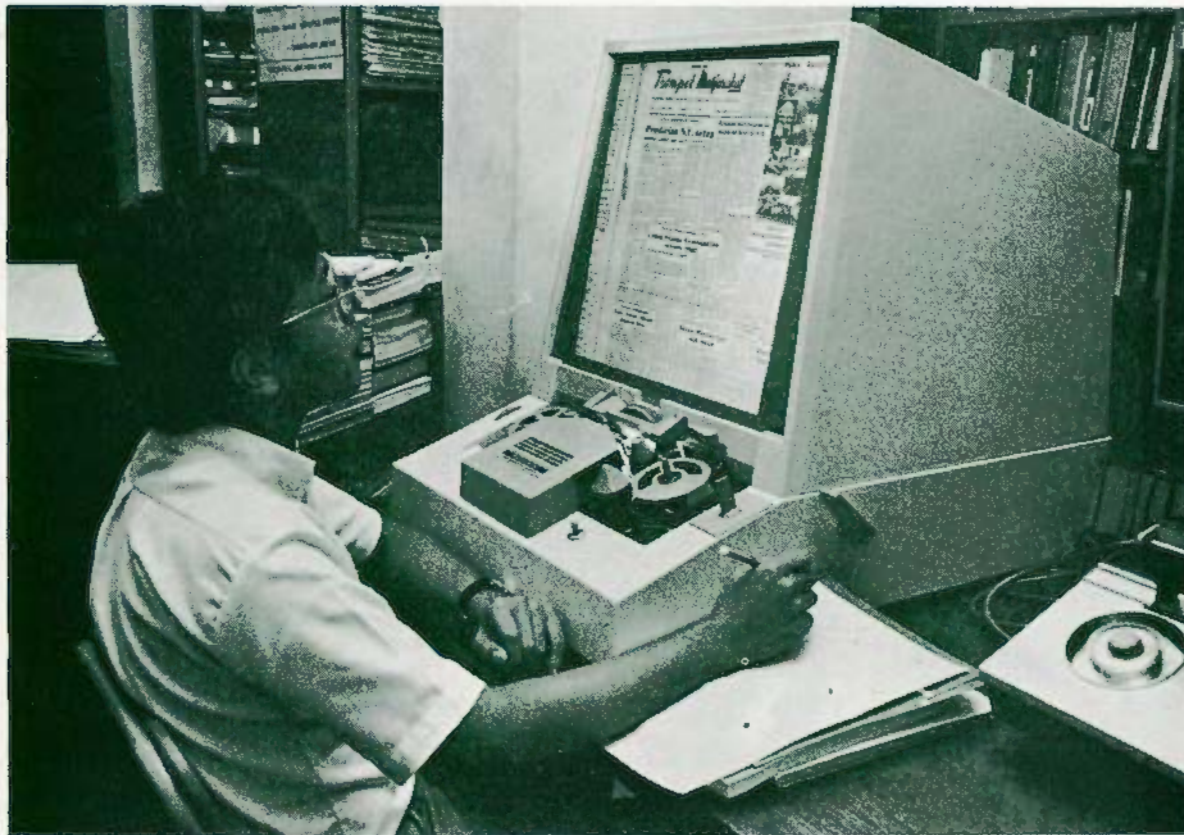
Some recent Institute publications



Mr. Rajaretnam delivers the opening address at the Institute's International Conference.



A section of the audience listening to the Minister.



A Microfilm Reader — one of the many facilities available at the Institute library.

Philippines

- Prof. Amado A. Castro — Professor of Economics and Dean, School of Economics, University of the Philippines.
- Prof. Silvino V. Epistola — Associate Professor at the Asian Centre, University of the Philippines.
- Prof. Ajit Singh Rye — Assistant Professor of Indian Studies, Asian Centre, University of the Philippines.

Singapore

- Miss Chan Heng Chee — Lecturer, Department of Political Science, University of Singapore.
- Dr. Chiang Hai Ding — Member of Parliament, Singapore, and Singapore High Commissioner to Malaysia.
- Dr. Ulrich Grundler — Visiting Lecturer, Department of Political Science, University of Singapore.
- Prof. T. T. B. Koh — Dean, Faculty of Law, University of Singapore.
- Prof. Kyaw Thet — Professor of Asian Studies, University of Windsor, and Senior Research Fellow, ISEAS.
- Dr. Lau Teik Soon — Lecturer, Department of Political Science, University of Singapore.
- Prof. Lim Chong Yah — Professor of Economics and Dean, Faculty of Arts and Social Sciences, University of Singapore.
- Dr. Png Poh-Seng — Senior Lecturer, Department of History, University of Singapore.
- Dr. Sharom Ahmat — Senior Lecturer, Department of History, University of Singapore.
- Prof. K. E. Shaw — Dean, College of Arts, Nanyang University.
- Dr. John Wong — Lecturer, Department of Economics, University of Singapore.
- Prof. Wu Teh-yao — Professor and Head, Department of Political Science, University of Singapore.

Thailand

- Prof. Prachoom Chomchai — Professor and Dean of Economics, Chulalongkorn University.
- Dr. Pracha Guna-Kasem — Consul-General for Thailand in Hong Kong.
- Dr. Thamrong Nawasawat, T. — Deputy Undersecretary of State for Agriculture.

Japan

- Prof. Atsushi Murakami — Professor of Economics, Kobe University.
Prof. Noboru Yamamoto — Professor of Economics and Director of the International Centre, Keio University.

Australia

- Dr. Peter J. Boyce — Reader in Political Science, University of Tasmania.
Mr. J. L. S. Girling — Fellow in International Relations, Australian National University.

Britain

- Dr. Peter Lyon — Senior Lecturer in Commonwealth Studies, University of London, and Secretary, Institute of Commonwealth Studies.
Prof. A. W. Stargardt — Fellow, Centre of International Studies, University of Cambridge, and Director of the Cambridge Project on Neutrality.

France

- Prof. Philippe Devillers — Director of Southeast Asian Studies, Centre for the Study of International Relations, and Professor of Modern Southeast Asian History, Institute of Political Studies, Paris.

United States

- Prof. John C. H. Fei — Professor of Economics, Yale University.
Prof. George McT. Kahin — Visiting Fellow, Centre for the Study of Democratic Institutions, Santa Barbara, California.
Prof. David Mozingo — Director, China Programme, and Associate Professor of Government, Cornell University.
Prof. Douglas S. Paauw — Chairman, Department of Economics, Wayne State University.

3. Multinational Corporations and Their Implications for Southeast Asia — 10 December 1972

- Mr. Baey Lian Peck — Chairman, Singapore Metrication Board and an industrialist.
Mr. Frank Delong — Managing Director, Esso Standard Malaysia Bhd.

Mr. Leon Howell	—	Correspondent for Despatch News Service International and Religious News Service.
Mr. William Hui	—	Lecturer, Faculty of Law, University of Singapore.
Dr. V. Kanapathy	—	Economic Adviser to the United Malayan Banking Corporation, Malaysia.
Prof. T. T. B. Koh	—	Dean, Faculty of Law, University of Singapore.
Mr. Gerald Tan	—	Lecturer, Department of Economics, University of Singapore.
Mr. Wan Shoung Fan	—	Deputy Director, Economic Development Board, Singapore.
Prof. Ashok Kapoor	—	Associate Professor of Marketing and International Business, Graduate School of Business Administration, New York University.
4. Occasional Seminars		
Mr. Mike Morrow (2.5.72) ✓	+	American Air Bases in Thailand: A Neglected Area of Inquiry.
Mr. Harold E. Wilson (3.5.72) ✓	—	Problems of Education in Pre-War Singapore.
Prof. Herbert Feith (11.5.72) ✓	—	Shakedown Politics in Bangla Desh.
Prof. Syed Hussein Alatas (21.6.72) ✓	—	The Second Malaysia Plan, 1971-1975.
Dr. Peter Weldon (20.7.72) ✓	—	Comparative Analysis of Status Differences Between Indonesians and Chinese in Urban Java.
Prof. Jurgen Domes (28.7.72) ✓	—	Towards a New Political System in China: The Role of the Party and the Army.
Mr. Peter Carey (15.8.72) ✓	—	Dipanagara and Javanese Sources.
Mr. Henry G. Aveling (28.8.72) ✓	—	Modern Indonesian Literature Abroad.

Prof. Allan Samson (25.9.72) ✓	—	Islam in Indonesian Politics.
Mr. Douglas Pike (6.10.72) ✓	—	North and South Vietnam and the Trends in the Vietnam War.
Prof. Gayl D. Ness (14.11.72) ✓	—	Population Control Programming in the Philippines, Singapore, Malaysia and Thailand: A Comparative Study of the Political and Bureaucratic Dynamics in Population Planning.
Miss C. Inglis (5.12.72) ✓	—	Economic Organization and Credit Relationship Among the New Guinea Chinese.
Prof. Ann Krueger (6.12.72) ✓	—	Alternatives to Foreign Investment in Southeast Asia: Problems and Realities.
Dr. Ulf Sundhaussen (8.2.73) ✓	—	The Military in Indonesia.
Prof. Harold R. Isaacs (13.2.73) ✓	—	Group Identity and Political Change.
Mr. Harold E. Wilson (16.2.73) ✓	—	Educational Policy and Performance in Singapore, 1942-1945.
Prof. J. W. Spellman (28.2.73) ✓	—	The Business of Aid in the Development Game.
Dr. V. Arkhipov (27.3.73)	—	Some Economic Trends in the Development of Indonesia, 1945-1968.

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2. P. Lim Pui Huen, *Newspapers published in the Malaysian Area: with a union list of local holdings*. 42 pp. April 1970.
3. Chan Heng Chee, *Nation-Building in Southeast Asia: The Singapore Case*. 19 pp. February 1971.
4. Eva Horakova, *Problems of Filipino Settlers*. 24 pp. March 1971. (Out of Print)
5. Mochtar Naim, *Merantau: Causes and Effects of Minangkabau Voluntary Migration*. 19 pp. May 1971. (Out of Print).
6. Paul Pedersen, comp., *Youth in Southeast Asia: A Bibliography*. Modified and Expanded by Joseph B. Tamney and others. 69 pp. June 1971.
7. J. L. S. Girling, *Cambodia and the Sihanouk Myths*. 26 pp. June 1971. (Out of Print)
8. R. P. Dore, *Japanese Industrialization and the Developing Countries: Model, Warning or Source of Healthy Doubts?* 18 pp. August 1971. (Out of Print)
9. Michael Stenson, *The 1948 Communist Revolt in Malaysia: A Note on Historical Sources and Interpretation and A Reply* by Gerald de Cruz. 30 pp. November 1971.
10. Riaz Hassan, *Social Status and Bureaucratic Contacts Among the Public Housing Tenants in Singapore*. 16 pp. March 1972.
11. *Youth in Southeast Asia: Edited Proceedings of the Seminar of 5th-7th March 1971*. Edited by Joseph B. Tamney. 75 pp. March 1972.
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International Conference

1. *New Directions in the International Relations of Southeast Asia*. Singapore University Press 1973.
2 volumes comprising:
Economic Relations. Edited by Lee Soo Ann. 135 pp.
The Great Powers and Southeast Asia. Edited by Lau Teik Soon. 208 pp.

DONATIONS RECEIVED DURING THE YEAR 1972/73

Name	Sum donated	Project
Ford Foundation	\$13,410.10	Partial support for conference on New Directions in the International Relations of Southeast Asia.
Chip Seng Co.	1,000.00	Partial support for conference on New Directions in the International Relations of Southeast Asia.
Anonymous	1,000.00	Partial support for conference on New Directions in the International Relations of Southeast Asia.
Lee Foundation	800.00	Partial support for Dr. Achmad Sanusi's research project.
Lee Foundation	5,593.00	Partial support for purchasing an off-set printing unit.
Asia Foundation	3,374.00	Partial support for Kra Canal/Pipeline Project.
Asia Foundation	510.00	Workshop on Oil Discovery and Technical Change in Southeast Asia.
Asia Foundation	8,175.78	Oral History Project.
Mr. Wee Mon Cheng	600.00	Partial support for seminar on Multinational Corporations and their Implications for Southeast Asia.
Mr. D. D. Sachdev	250.00	Partial support for seminar on Multinational Corporations and their Implications for Southeast Asia.

INSTITUTE OF SOUTHEAST ASIAN STUDIES
INCOME & EXPENDITURE ACCOUNT FOR THE YEAR ENDED 31ST MARCH 1973

EXPENDITURE		INCOME	
Expenditure as per Statement I attached	S\$545,979.07	Grant from the Government	S\$446,628.52
		Donations to General Fund	NIL
		Interest from Fixed Deposits	77,814.41
		Miscellaneous Receipts	3,935.66
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			528,378.59
		Balance (Deficit for the year)	
		transferred to General Fund	17,600.48
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	<u>S\$545,979.07</u>		<u>S\$545,979.07</u>

BALANCE SHEET AS AT 31ST MARCH 1973

FUNDS		CURRENT ASSETS	
GENERAL FUND		CASH	
As at 1st April 1972	114,347.01	In Hand	\$ 209.74
Less: Deficit for the year	17,600.48	At Bank	46,951.21
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ENDOWMENT FUND	S\$ 96,746.53		S\$ 47,160.95
As at 1st April 1972	835,000.00	FIXED DEPOSITS WITH BANKS	
Add: Donations Received		On account of —	
during the year	NIL	General Fund	60,000.00
	<hr/>	Endowment Fund	835,000.00
	835,000.00	Funds for Specific Purposes	NIL
FUNDS FOR SPECIFIC PURPOSES			<hr/>
As Per Statement II attached	8,967.32		895,000.00
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	940,713.85		
CURRENT LIABILITIES		SUNDRY DEPOSITS	610.00
SUNDRY CREDITORS	2,057.10		<hr/>
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STATEMENT OF EXPENDITURE FOR THE YEAR ENDED 31ST MARCH 1973

Allocation	Amount Budgeted (incorporating subsequent transfers, if any)		Expenditure
Directorship	\$ 60,490.00		\$ 60,480.39
Staff Emoluments	222,560.00		222,556.50
Superannuation	30,160.00		30,158.43
Fellowships	75,320.00		61,837.48
Scholarships	24,000.00		16,362.30
Library Acquisitions	100,290.00		100,283.66
Library Binding & Stationery	4,090.00		4,086.78
General Expenses:—			
Auditors' Honorarium	\$ 300.00	\$ 300.00	
Entertainment	2,580.00	2,576.18	
Insurance of contents of Premises	1,010.00	1,004.84	
Local Transport	430.00	420.70	
Maintenance (incl. Insurance & Road Tax) of Motor Car	2,480.00	2,478.21	
Maintenance of Premises, Equipment & Furniture	2,450.00	2,446.95	
Medical Benefits	2,370.00	2,369.30	
Miscellaneous	180.00	179.80	
Postage & Telegrams	2,710.00	2,707.31	
Public Utilities	5,110.00	5,101.70	
Stationery & Printing	2,410.00	2,400.92	
Telephones	2,700.00	2,699.38	24,685.29
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Field Research & Overseas Travel	2,680.00		2,679.65
Publications, Bibliographical & Translation Services	6,050.00		6,049.94
Local Conferences & Seminars	1,610.00		1,601.30
Building Plan Fees	—		—
Equipment & Furniture	8,280.00		8,272.35
Motor Car	5,340.00		5,340.00
Alterations to Premises	1,590.00		1,585.00
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TOTAL	\$567,190.00		\$545,979.07
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STATEMENT OF FUNDS FOR SPECIFIC PURPOSES FOR THE YEAR ENDED 31ST MARCH 1973

Purpose for which Fund was received	(1) Unspent balance brought forward from the previous year	(2) Add donations received during the year	(3) Total of columns (1) & (2)	(4) Less Expenditure during the year	(5) Unspent balance at the end of the year carried forward to next year
Project on "Oil Discovery & Technical Change in Southeast Asia"	S\$ 8,394.90	NIL	S\$ 8,394.90	S\$ 5,159.06	S\$ 3,235.84
Seminar on "New Directions in the International Relations of Southeast Asia"	28,040.18	S\$23,910.00	51,950.18	51,950.18	NIL
Project on "Oral History"	4,490.32	6,939.11	11,429.43	9,071.95	2,357.48
Project on "Kra Canal/Pipeline"	NIL	3,374.00	3,374.00	NIL	3,374.00
Seminar on "Trends in Indonesia"	NIL	949.65	949.65	949.65	NIL
Seminar on "Multinational Corporations & Their Implications for Southeast Asia"	NIL	1,611.60	1,611.60	1,611.60	NIL
Workshop on "Oil Discovery & Technical Change in Southeast Asia"	NIL	510.00	510.00	510.00	NIL
Project on "Tan Cheng Lock Papers"	NIL	2,000.00	2,000.00	2,000.00	NIL
Purchase of roof tilings for first Annexe Building	NIL	1,028.90	1,028.90	1,028.90	NIL
Purchase of one Rex-Rotary Offset Platemaker and Duplicator	NIL	5,593.00	5,593.00	5,593.00	NIL
TOTAL	<u>S\$40,925.40</u>	<u>S\$45,916.26</u>	<u>S\$86,841.66</u>	<u>S\$77,874.34</u>	<u>S\$ 8,967.32</u>