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FROM THE EDITOR

2019 was another challenging year but yet very satisfying for MiDAS. The Institute was directly involved in developing the Defence White Paper (DWP) through brainstorming session, round table talk, drafting and writing, obtaining stakeholders view and comments collaboration efforts with academicians, as well as organizing seminars.

This edition will continue to focus on activities conducted by MiDAS throughout the year highlighting main events, activities as well as in-house activities. I would like to thank all of MiDAS staff for their commitment and cooperation in producing this bulletin.

The Editorial Board hopes that the publication will serve its aim to promote MiDAS as a credible and respectful institution in defence and security research.

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INTRODUCTION

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It is imperative to comprehend the defence and security of Malaysia is reflected through its obligation by the MAF to uphold the sovereignty, territorial integrity and national interest. The significance of comprehensive defence mechanism with total and integrated efforts undertaken by the government, non-governmental agencies, private sector, NGO's and citizens are certainly indispensable.

In such accordance, the Ministry of Defence have taken initiatives to formulate the national Defence White Paper (DWP) that embodies the government's firm commitment to strengthen national defence. It is the country's strategic direction and defence planning outlook. MiDAS plays an important role as one of the lead agencies to facilitate the process of drafting, formulating and finalising the DWP to be materialise accordingly.

Consequently, the DWP presents a transformative strategy aimed at enhancing Malaysia's overall defence capability in a coherent way. This long-term blueprint seeks to translate the elements of national power into national strengths, which are robust enough to deter potential threats (along the concentric areas of the core, extended and forward areas), comprehensive enough to continuously build resilience at home, as well as credible enough to attract and expand circles of partnerships abroad. The DWP serves Malaysia's national vision in several ways. For the immediate and medium terms, it enables the government to pursue three desired outcomes, namely: legitimacy, acceptability and reliability.

In a nutshell, MiDAS has constantly organised seminars, held conferences, discussions as well as conduct MiDAS Talk and dialogues, to generate the synergy of embracing peace and security atmosphere in the society hence manifested the self-belonging patriotism and awareness spirit among people and stakeholders to defend the country with pride and dignity.

Hence, the year 2019 gives a shift of paradox in defence and security of Malaysia that also coincides with MiDAS objectives to allure a more competitive and formidable nation that abide by the relevancy of secure, sovereign and prosperous Malaysia in years to come.



ROYAL FELLOW

HIS ROYAL HIGHNESS SULTAN NAZRIN MUIZZUDDIN SHAH IBNI ALMARHUM SULTAN AZLAN MUHIBBUDDIN SHAH AL-MAGHFURLAH

D.K., D.K. II (Selangor), D.K.S.A., S.P.C.M., S.P.T.S., S.P.M.P. (Perlis), Ph.D (Harvard)

Sultan of Perak

His Royal Highness Sultan Nazrin Muizzuddin Shah Ibni Almarhum Sultan Azlan Muhibbuddin Shah Al-Maghfurlah was proclaimed the 35th Sultan of the State of Perak on 29th May 2014. He was born on 27th November 1956 in Penang. He is the eldest son of the late Sultan of Perak, Sultan Azlan Muhibbuddin Shah Ibni Almarhum Sultan Yusuf Izzuddin Shah Ghafarullahu and the Raja Permaisuri of Perak Tuanku Bainun binti Mohd Ali. HRH holds a B.A. (Hons) degree in Philosophy, Politics and Economics from Oxford University, a Master in Public Administration from the Kennedy School of Government, Harvard University and a Ph.D. in Political Economy and Government from Harvard University. His research interests are in the area of economic and political development in southeast and northeast Asia, historical national income accounting and economic growth in developing countries. He has written articles and spoken on a wide range of issues including the role of constitutional monarchy in Malaysia, education, Islam, ethnic relations and economic development.



He is currently working on a book on the economic history of Malaysia in the twentieth century. HRH is the President of the Perak Council on Islam and Malay Custom and is also the President of the Perak State Islamic Development Corporation. He has been Pro Chancellor of University Malaysia since 1989. He is also the Chairman of the Board of Governors of the Malay College, Kuala Kangsar. He was President of the Outward Bound Trust of Malaysia from 1989 to 2002.

HRH Raja Dr Nazrin Shah was actively involved in various sporting bodies. He held the position of President of the Malaysian Hockey Federation (2004-2006) and President of the Perak Amateur Football Association (2000-2006). He was the President of the Perak Rugby Association (1988-1991), President of the Perak Hockey Association (1990-2004) and Chairman of the Yayasan Hoki Malaysia (1992-2005) a scholarship fund for talented hockey players. He was the Deputy Chairman (Finance) of the organizing committee of the 2002 10th Men's World Cup hockey tournament.

On 1 April 2004 HRH was commissioned as Brigadier General in the Malaysian Armed Forces and holds the position of Group Commander in the Royal Engineer Regiment (Rejimen Askar Jurutera DiRaja). HRH Raja Dr Nazrin Shah was conferred an honorary degree of Master of Business Administration by the Cranfield Institute of Technology, United Kingdom (1993), an honorary degree of Doctor of Economics by Soka University, Japan (1999) and an honorary membership of Magdalene College, University of Cambridge, United Kingdom (July 2005).



DISTINGUISHED FELLOWS

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Prof. Dato' Sri Dr. Syed Arabi bin Syed Abdullah Iddid
Professor of Communication of
International Islamic University of Malaysia

Prof. Dato' Sri Dr. Syed Arabi has received many academic and state awards and is the author of many books. He is also known for pioneering electoral surveys in Malaysia. Prof. Syed Arabi graduated with a B.A. from University Malaya and a M.A. and Ph.D from the University of Wisconsin. Prof. Syed Arabi worked as a reporter for the national news agency Bernama from 1968 to 1971. He then joined University Kebangsaan Malaysia as a lecturer, later becoming Head of the Department of Communication and the Deputy Dean of the Faculty of Humanities and Social Sciences. In 1999, he joined IIUM as Professor in the Department of Communication. He became Dean of the Research Management Centre in July 2001 and was later appointed as Rector of IIUM on 1 June 2006.



Dato' Dr Muthiah Alagappa
Distinguished Senior Fellow of East-West Centre
(Washington)

Dato' Dr. Muthiah Alagappa is Distinguished Senior Fellow at the East West Center. From 2001 to 2007 he was founding director of East West Center Washington. Prior to that he was director of the integrated research program in East West Center Honolulu and has been a senior fellow at the East West Center since 1989. He was Senior Fellow at ISIS Malaysia from 1985 to 1989 and a career officer in the Malaysian Armed Forces from 1962 to 1982. He received an MA in Politics from the University of Lancaster and a Ph.D. in International Affairs from The Fletcher school of Law and Diplomacy, Tufts University. He held visiting professorships at Columbia University, Stanford University, Keio University, and the Nanyang Technological University. He was Leverhulme visiting professor at University of Bristol in the fall of 2008 and will be Howard Kippenberger Chair in Strategic Studies at Victoria University in Wellington, New Zealand in fall/winter 2010 -11. Dato' Dr Muthiah Alagappa has extensive research experience in Comparative and International Politics of Asia.



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Tan Sri Dato' Seri Mohamed Jawhar Hassan
Chairman and Chief Executive of
Institute of Strategic and International Studies (ISIS)
Malaysia

Tan Sri Dato' Seri Mohamed Jawhar Hassan was Chairman and CEO of ISIS Malaysia. He had served with the government before he joined ISIS Malaysia as Deputy Director General in May 1990. He was appointed Director General in March 1997 and was subsequently appointed Chairman and CEO of ISIS Malaysia from 9 January, 2006. Tan Sri Dato' Seri Jawhar is also a Non Executive Chairman, New Straits

Times (Malaysia); an advisory panel to the Malaysian Anti Corruption Commission, Distinguished Fellow, Institute of Diplomacy and Foreign Relations, Ministry of Foreign Affairs, Malaysia, Chairman, Council for Security Cooperation in the Asia Pacific (CSCAP), and member to various research organisation. He is also the Expert and Eminent Person, for the purposes of the ASEAN Regional Forum (ARF) Register. He is an active member in the nation's economic and security research and holds respected positions such as Co Chair, Network of East Asia Think tanks (NEAT) 2005-2006; Chairman, Malaysian National Committee, Pacific Economic Cooperation Council (PECC) 2006-2010, and Co-Chair (CSCAP) 2007-2009.



Tan Sri Dato' Dr Mohd Munir Abdul Majid
Chairman of
Bank Muamalat Malaysia Berhad

Tan Sri Dato' Dr. Mohd Munir Abdul Majid is currently the Chairman of Bank Muamalat Malaysia Berhad (Bank Muamalat). He received his primary education from St Mark's Butterworth Primary School, Bukit Mertajam High School and Royal Military College. Tan Sri obtained a B.Sc (Econ) from the London School of Economics and Political Science (LSE) in 1971. He also obtained his Ph.D. in International

Relations in 1978 from the same school. He also taught at the Department of International Relations in LSE and he is Visiting Senior Fellow. He was research analyst for Daiwa Europe NV in London. Tan Sri Dato' Dr. Mohd Munir is an Honorary Fellow of the London School of Economics and Political Science. Tan Sri Dato' Dr. Munir is President of the LSE Alumni Society of Malaysia. In 2008 he was made a Senior Visiting Fellow at LSE IDEAS (Centre for the Study of International Affairs, Diplomacy and Strategy) where he heads the Southeast Asia International Affairs Programme. Tan Sri Dato' Dr Munir is Adjunct Professor of Universiti Utara Malaysia (UUM) and member of International Institute for Strategic Studies (IISS) in London. Malaysian National Committee, Pacific Economic Cooperation Council (PECC) 2006-2010, and Co Chair (CSCAP) 2007-2009.



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Prof Datuk Dr. Hamzah bin Ahmad
Professor at the Department of Strategic Studies,
Faculty of Defence Studies and Management,
National Defence University of Malaysia (UPNM)

Prof Datuk Dr. Hamzah bin Ahmad Graduated with a Doctorate from the Fletcher School of Law and Diplomacy in Medford, Boston, USA. BA Hamzah is a very keen student of international politics, International law and security. Currently, he is the Head of CDISS of the National Defence University Malaysia. He has an extensive experience in teaching, research and consultancy. As an academician, he has served Universiti Sains Malaysia, Sultan Idris University of Education (UPSI), Tanjung Malim and the University of Malaya. In research, he spent ten years at ISIS, Malaysia. He was a Fellow at ISEAS in Singapore and Special Senior Fellow at the United Nations Institute of Training and Research (UNITAR) at Hiroshima, Japan. He was also Visiting Scholar at the Lauterpacht Research Centre for International Law, Cambridge University. BA Hamzah was the first Head of Strategic and International Studies at the Malaysian Armed Forces Defence College. He also founded the Maritime Institute of Malaysia (MIMA) and became its first Director General in 1993. He has been a consultant with Petronas and Accenture.



Prof. Datuk Dr. Zakaria bin Ahmad
Senior Vice President of
Help University College of Malaysia

Prof Datuk Dr. Zakaria Ahmad ("Dr Zack") a political scientist by training is Deputy Vice Chancellor (Research) at the HELP University, Kuala Lumpur. Born in Singapore, Prof Zack received his B.Soc Science (Hons) from the University of Singapore (1970), his MA from McMaster University, Canada (1971), and his PhD in Political Science from MIT, USA (1977). He served in the Malaysian Ministry of Foreign Affairs and

the National Institute of Public Administration before joining Universiti Kebangsaan Malaysia (UKM) in 1977. He headed the Political Science Dept at UKM from 1978 till 1983, and then served ISIS Malaysia as Deputy Director General till 1986. From 1987-1998, he headed Strategic Studies at UKM, and then was Dean of Social Sciences and Humanities 1999-2000. From 2000-2003, he was the Tun Abdul Razak Distinguished Chair in Southeast Asian Studies at Ohio University, USA. Concurrently, Prof Zakaria is also the Distinguished Fellow at the Malaysian Armed Forces Defence College (MAFDC).



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Prof. Dr. K.S. Nathan
Director of Institute of Malaysia &
International Studies (IKMAS)

K.S. Nathan was born and educated in Kuala Lumpur, Malaysia. He holds a B.A. Hons. (Class 2 Upper) in History, from the University of Malaya in Kuala Lumpur (1971); Ph.D. in International Relations from Claremont Graduate University in California, USA (1975); LL.B. Hons (Class 2 Upper) from the University of London (1992), Certificate in Legal Practice (CLP) from the Legal Profession Qualifying Board, Malaysia [April 1996], and LL.M. from the University of London [November 1996]. He is also a college trained teacher (Malaysian Teachers College-Regional Training Centre, Kuala Lumpur), having obtained a Certificate in Education (Cert.Ed.) in 1966. Dr. Nathan was appointed Lecturer in International Relations at the Department of History, University of Malaya, from 1975-1983. He was promoted to Associate Professor of International Relations in 1984, and with effect from January 1994, Dr. Nathan was promoted to Full Professor. He served as a Senior Fellow at the Institute of Southeast Asian Studies (ISEAS) in Singapore from 1st April 2001 until 31st March 2007. From January 2003 until April 2007, he was also the Editor of the ISEAS journal, Contemporary Southeast Asia. Currently he is Deputy Director of the Institute of Occidental Studies (IKON), and also Head of the Centre for American Studies (KAMERA, w.e.f 1 April 2007) in IKON, Universiti Kebangsaan Malaysia, Bangi.



Dr Chandra Muzaffar
President of Gerakan Antarabangsa
untuk Dunia Keadilan (JUST)

Dr. Chandra Muzaffar is both a social activist and an academic. He is the President of the International Movement for a Just World (JUST), an international NGO based in Malaysia. Dr. Chandra Muzaffar is also the Chairman of the Board of Trustees of the 1Malaysia Foundation. He has published extensively on civilization dialogue, international politics, religion, human rights and Malaysian society. He is also the author and editor of 26 books in English and Malay. Many of his writings have been translated into other languages. In 1977, he founded a multi ethnic social reform group called Aliran Kesedaran Negara (ALIRAN) which he led for 14 years. Today, apart from his role in JUST, Dr Chandra Muzaffar sits on the board of a number of international NGOs concerned with social justice and civilization dialogue. Dr Chandra Muzaffar also travels abroad frequently giving lectures and speaking at seminars and conferences. He is also a regular speaker at meetings at home in Malaysia and is the recipient of a number of international awards related to his scholarship and social activism.



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Prof Dr. Ruhanas binti Harun

**Professor at the Department of Strategic Studies,
Faculty of Defence Studies and Management,
National Defence University of Malaysia (UPNM)**

Professor Dr. Ruhanas Harun is currently Professor at the Department of Strategic Studies, Faculty of Defence Studies and Management, National Defence University of Malaysia (UPNM). Prior to joining UPNM in June 2010, she served as the Head of the International Relations and Strategic Studies Programme at UKM, and before that as Head of the Department of International and Strategic Studies,

Faculty of Arts & Social Sciences, University of Malaya and Coordinator of the ASEAN Studies Programme at the Asia – Europe Institute, at the same university. She researches, lectures and publishes on the theme “Foreign Policy and National Security”. She holds a BA (Honours) in International Relations from the University of Malaya, and MA from the University of Paris – Sorbonne and a post-graduate diploma in political studies from the Institute of Political Studies (Sc. Po), Paris. A qualified translator, she has a postgraduate diploma in translation from the University of Malaya, Kuala Lumpur. Dr Ruhanas has taught extensively in Malaysia and abroad, including at the National University of Vietnam, Hanoi; University of Cairo, Egypt and Universitas Pembangunan (Veteran), Jogjakarta. From 1996 to 2008, she taught at the Malaysian Armed Forces Staff College (MTAT) in the areas of Malaysian politics, foreign policy and regional affairs. Since 2008 she has been conducting courses in the same field at the Institute of Diplomacy and Foreign Relations (IDFR) and the Malaysian Armed Forces Defence College (MPAT). Currently she is affiliated to the Institute of West Asian Studies (IKRAB), UKM as an associate fellow. She is frequently consulted by the media and government agencies on international affairs.



Prof Datuk Abdul Halim bin Sidek

Legal Advisor, University Malaysia Kelantan (UMK)

Prof Datuk Dr Abdul Halim Sidek is a Professor Faculty Entrepreneurship and Business Universiti Malaysia Kelantan. Born in Singapore, Prof Abdul Halim received his Bachelor of Law degree with honours from University of Malaya, Kuala Lumpur in 1985, his Masters of Law (Criminology and Criminal Justice) from Kings College, London, University of London, his PhD from Universiti Putra Malaysia and

received an Award of excellence in 1987. He was appointed as Chief Executive Officer (CEO) and lead a department of the Ministry of Youth and Sports Malaysia from September 2008 until October 2010. He served as Chief Executive Officer of Institute for Youth Research Malaysia (IYRES) and served as lecturer in local and international university such as Victoria University New Zealand, Universiti Malaysia Sabah and Universiti Malaya before joining Universiti Malaysia Kelantan (UMK).



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HE Datuk Iskandar bin Sarudin

Ambassador of Malaysia to the People's Republic of China

Datuk Iskandar Bin Sarudin has been Non-Executive Independent Directorat COMPLETE LOGISTIC SERVICES BERHAD since April 8, 2015. He holds BA (Hons) in Malay Studies from Universiti Malaya and Diploma of Public Administration. His work experience includes: 1979-1983: Appointed to the Administrative and Diplomatic Service of Malaysia as Assistant Secretary (ASEAN) at the Ministry of Foreign Affairs; 1983-1986: Second Secretary, Embassy of Malaysia, Jakarta, Indonesia; 1986-1989: First Secretary, High Commission of Malaysia, Lagos, Nigeria; 1989-1991: Principal Assistant Secretary (CHOGM), Ministry of Foreign Affairs, Principal Assistant Secretary (East Asia), Ministry of Foreign Affairs; 1991-1996: Tasked by the Ministry to establish Embassy of Malaysia in Republic of Chile, Counselor, Embassy of Malaysia, Santiago, Chile; 1996-1998: Tasked by the Ministry to establish Embassy of Malaysia in Bosnia and Herzegovina, Counselor, Embassy of Malaysia, Sarajevo, Bosnia and Herzegovina; 1998-2000: Deputy Director General (ASEAN), Ministry of Foreign Affairs; 2000-2004: High Commissioner of Malaysia to Sri Lanka, High Commissioner of Malaysia to Republic of Maldives; 2004-2006: Ambassador of Malaysia to the Republic of Philippines, President of Colombo Plan Organization, Colombo (2005-2006); 2006-2010: Deputy Secretary General (Management Affairs) Ministry of Foreign Affairs responsible for Service, Fi-nance, Administration, Security, ICT, Consular Development; 2010-2011: Ambassador of Malaysia to the People's Republic of China, (Presented Credentials to President Hu Jintao on 30 July, 2010); 2011-2015: Ambassador of Malaysia to Mongolia (concurrently accredited from Beijing).



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Vice Chancellor Of National Defence
University Malaysia



« **Vice Admiral Dato' Ganesh Navaratnam**
MiDAS Chief Executive



NETWORK OF ASEAN DEFENCE AND SECURITY INSTITUTIONS (NADI)

NADI ANNUAL MEETING AND RETREAT (THAILAND)



The 12th NADI Annual Meeting was held by the Center for Strategic Studies (SSC), Institute of National Defense Studies (NDSI) Thailand with the title "ASEAN Defense Security Scenes in the Next 2 Decades" at the Holiday Inn, Chiang Mai, Thailand from 25th February to 3rd March 2019. MiDAS was represented by MiDAS Chief Executive Officer, Vice Admiral Dato 'Ganesh Navaratnam along with three other MiDAS officers namely Col Mohd Akib bin Yusof, Lt Col Ir. Suthan s/o Venkatachalam and Lt Col Suresh s/o K.Vijayaratham.



NADI WORKSHOP (VIETNAM)

This workshop was held in Ha Long, Quang Ninh, Vietnam from 22nd to 25th July 2019. MiDAS was represented by Lt Col Azrul Syamsul bin Sahak and Lt Col Dr. Maimunah binti Omar. Lt Col Dr. Maimunah gave a presentation entitled "ASEAN Defense Cooperation in Dealing with Climate Change".





NADI WORKSHOP (PHILIPPINES)

This workshop co-organized by the Philippine National Defense College (NCDP), at Quest Hotel, Clark, Philippines from 5th to 8th November 2019. The theme was Strengthening Defence Diplomacy: Challenges and Prospects of ADMM ". A total of 36 participants, representatives from all member countries attended the meeting. MiDAS was represented by Col Mohd Akib bin Yusof, Deputy Director of MiDAS, Cdr Hafiez Azree bin Mohd Nor RMN and Lt Col Suresh s/o K. Vijayarathnam RMAF.





MIDAS EXECUTIVE DIALOGUES 2019

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SERIAL 1/2019 - 13 FEBRUARY 2019



MiDAS Executive Dialogue Serial 1 in 2019 titled "Realising Malaysia's Defence White Paper: Sharing of Australia's Experience" was successfully organised by the Malaysian Institute of Defence and Security (MiDAS) on 13rd February 2019 at MiDAS Auditorium, Ministry of Defence, Kuala Lumpur.

The presentation was delivered by Mr. Peter

Jennings PSM, Executive Director, Australian Strategic Policy Institute, Australia. It generated a healthy discussion with participants posing numerous questions that require in-depth and detailed information from the speakers.





SERIAL 2/2019 - 20 MARCH 2019

MiDAS Executive Dialogue Serial 2/2019 titled "A Holistic Approach to Assessing Security in the Indo Pacific" was successfully organised by the Malaysian Institute of Defence and Security (MiDAS) on 20th March 2019 at Auditorium Aman, MiDAS.

The presentation was delivered by Ms Asyura Salleh from United State (US) based think tank One Earth Future (OEF). Indo Pacific is a term that has become a root of confusion and contention in the Southeast Asia region. There has not been to date any real or clear definition on what Indo Pacific Strategy that was introduced by United States really mean and what affect it may have on this region. A report launched in February 2019 by OEF under its Stable Sea Program interpreted Indo Pacific in term of geographical concept and focused its study on the Sulu – Celebes Sea security challenges. The study was conducted in collaboration with Malaysia Institute of Malaysia, Mindanao State University, and the UN Office on Drugs and Crime (UNODC).





SERIAL 3/2019 - 9 APRIL 2019

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MiDAS Executive Dialogue Serial 3/2019 titled "Indo-Pacific Construct: A Security Strategy or an Opportunity for Regional Coherence" was successfully organised by the Malaysian Institute of Defence and Security (MiDAS) on 9th April 2019 at Auditorium Aman, MiDAS. The presentation was delivered by Prof Ruhanas Harun and Dr Tharishini Krishnan from National Defence University of Malaysia (NDUM).

It generated a healthy discussion with participants posing numerous questions that require in-depth and detailed information from the speakers.





SERIAL 4/2019 - 2 MAY 2019

MiDAS Executive Dialogue Serial 4/2019 titled "India's Maritime Connectivity: Importance of the bay of Bengal" was successfully organised by the Malaysian Institute of Defence and Security (MiDAS) on 2nd May 2019 at MiDAS Auditorium, Ministry of Defence, Kuala Lumpur. The presentation was delivered by Dr. Anasua Basu Ray Chaudhury.

It generated a healthy discussion with participants posing numerous questions that require in-depth and detailed information from the speakers. The program ended with exchange of mementos and group photograph session.





SERIAL 5/2019 - 3 MAY 2019

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MiDAS Executive Dialogue Serial 5/2019 titled "Translating Military Contingency Planning into Strategic Planning for Policy Maker" was successfully organised by the Malaysian Institute of Defence and Security (MiDAS) on 3rd May 2019 at Auditorium Aman, MiDAS.

The presentation was delivered by Mr. Micheal J. Mc Nerney from International Security and Defence Policy Centre, RAND USA.





SERIAL 6/2019 - 30 MAY 2019



MiDAS Dialogue Serial 6/2019 titled "US-China Relations Under Trump and Xi" was successfully organised by the Malaysian Institute of Defence and Security (MiDAS) on the 30th May 2019 at MiDAS Auditorium, Ministry of Defence, Kuala Lumpur. The talk were delivered by Ms. Bonnie S. Glaser, Director China Power Project Centre for Strategic and International Studies (CSIS). It generated a

healthy discussion with participants posing numerous questions that require in-depth and detailed information from the speakers. The talk ended with exchange of memento.





SERIAL 7/2019 - 17 JULY 2019

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MiDAS Executive Dialogue Serial 7/2019 titled "The Humanitarian Perspective of AI and Cyberwarfare" was successfully organised by the Malaysian Institute of Defence and Security (MiDAS) on the 17th July 2019 at MiDAS Auditorium, Ministry of Defence, Kuala Lumpur. The talk was delivered by Dr. Hugo Slim from International Committee of the Red Cross (ICRC). It generated

a healthy discussion with participants posing numerous questions that require in-depth and detailed information from the speakers. The talk ended with exchange of memento.





ROUND TABLE DISCUSSIONS

**WITH MR ADRIAN TAN, RAJARATNAM
SCHOOL OF INTERNATIONAL STUDIES (RSIS) SINGAPORE
28 FEBRUARY 2019**



A roundtable discussion with delegate from Institute of Defence and Strategic Studies (IDSS), RSIS headed by Mr Adrian Tan, Deputy Head of Coordinator of Malaysia Programme was held in MiDAS on 28th February 2019. A discussion was carried out on contemporary issues of mutual interest including counter violent

extremism and terrorism as well as exchange of best practices in addressing such issues by both countries.





WITH PROF THOMAS J. CHRISTENSEN, DIRECTOR COLUMBIA HARVARD CHINA AND THE WORLD PROGRAM COLUMBIA UNIVERSITY 17 JUNE 2019

A round table discussion was held in MiDAS during the visit of Professor Thomas J. Christensen, Director Columbia Harvard China and the World Program Columbia University. During the session, MiDAS and delegates was discussed and exchange views on US-China Tensions and Implications for Us Policy Towards Region.





WITH H.E. LE QUY QUYNH, VIETNAMESE AMBASSADOR 10 JULY 2019

A round table discussion with the Vietnamese Ambassador H.E. Le Quy Quynh was held in MiDAS on 10th July 2019. A discussion was carried out on

contemporary issues of Vietnam Maritime Policy. Also present Deputy Minister of Defence YB Liew Chin Tong. The discussion generated a healthy question and answer session and ended with exchange of memento.





**WITH MR. MATTHEW ASHLEY, INSTITUTE FOR
SECURITY GOVERNANCE (ISG), CALIFORNIA , USA
12 JULY 2019**

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Roundtable discussion with Institute for Security Governance (ISG) regarding cooperation and improvements in defence strategy, research and possible support for the National Defence College. The ISG team was led by Mr. Matthew Ashley.





WITH COL GERMAN RESEARCHER (GS) DR. FRANK RITCHER 31 JULY 2019

A round table discussion with Col (GS) Dr. Frank Ritcher was held in MiDAS was carried out on sharing their ideas and experiences in developing German's Defence White Paper. The discussion generated a healthy question and answer session and ended with exchange of memento.





WITH DR. DAVID FINKELSTEIN, VICE PRESIDENT OF THE CENTER FOR NAVAL ANALYSES, U.S NAVAL INSTITUTE 15 AUGUST 2019

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A Roundtable Discussion with Dr. David Finkelstein, President of the Center for Naval Analyses was held in MiDAS was chaired by Chief Executive of MiDAS, Vice Admiral Dato' Ganesh Navaratnam. Also present, Mr. Noor Hisham Rosle, Senior Director Security Studies Centre and Colonel Mohd Akib bin Yusof, Senior Director of Defence Studies Centre.





WITH DR. JAN ROMER, INTERNATIONAL COMMITTEE OF RED CROSS (ICRC), GENEVA, SWITZERLAND 19 AUGUST 2019

A Roundtable Discussion on Defence White Paper with Dr. Jan Romer, Regional Legal Adviser, ICRC was chaired by Chief Executive of MiDAS, Vice Admiral Dato' Ganesh Navaratnam. Also present, Mr. Sahipulhijaiman bin Sulaiman,

Deputy Undersecretary Policy and International Relations Branch, Policy and Strategic Planning Division, Mr Noor Hisham Rosle, Senior Director Security Studies Centre and Colonel Mohd Akib bin Yusof, Senior Director of Defence Studies Centre.





WITH DR. MIEMIE WINN BYRD, ASIA PASIFIC CENTER FOR SECURITY STUDIES (APCSS) 9 OCTOBER 2019

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A Roundtable Discussion with Dr. Miemie Winn Byrd, Asia Pacific Center for Security Studies (APCSS) was chaired by Director General of MiDAS, Mr Noor Hisham Rosle. Also present, Captain Martin A Sebastian RMN (R), Fellow and Centre Head of the Centre for Maritime Security and Diplomacy, MIMA.





DEFENCE WHITE PAPER ACTIVITIES

PERWIRA DIALOGUE SERIAL 1/2019 22 JANUARY 2019



A series of Perwira Dialogues was inaugurated by the Deputy Defence Minister on the 22nd January 2019. This dialogue was held in conjunction with the government intent to produce a Defence White Paper. Three sessions of discussions was held in this one day event. The Chief Executive of MiDAS, Vice Admiral Dato'

Ganesh Navaratnam was involved in the third or final session for the day titled "Malaysia's Relations with the Major Powers: Next Steps". He gave his perspective and point of view in realizing the the Defence White Paper.





PERWIRA DIALOGUE SERIAL 2/2019 23 APRIL 2019

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Perwira Dialogue Serial 2/2019 themed "Defence Industry" was successfully organised by the Malaysian Institute of Defence and Security (MiDAS) on 23rd April 2019 at Wisma Perwira Tentera Darat, Kem Sungai Besi, Kuala Lumpur. This dialogue was held in conjunction



with the government intent to produce a Defence White Paper. Three sessions of discussions was held in this one day event. The Deputy Minister YB Liew Chin Tong was officiated the dialogue, while the closing remarks by Deputy Secretary General (Management) Dr. Karminder Singh Dhillon.





PERWIRA DIALOGUE SERIAL 3/2019 22 JULY 2019



Perwira Dialogue Serial 3/2019 themed "People in Defence" was successfully organised by the Malaysian Institute of Defence and Security (MiDAS) on 22nd July 2019 at Auditorium, Ministry of Defence, Kuala Lumpur. This dialogue was held in conjunction

with the government intent to produce a Defence White Paper. Four session of discussions was held in this one day event. The Deputy Minister YB Liew Chin Tong was officiated the dialogue, while the closing remarks by Secretary General Mindef, Datuk Seri Mohd Zuki bin Ali.





PERWIRA DIALOGUE SERIAL 4/2019 24 OCTOBER 2019

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Perwira Dialogue Serial 4/2019 themed "Defence White Paper: Defending the Nation" was successfully organised by the Malaysian Institute of Defence and Security (MiDAS) on 24th Oct 2019 at Parkroyal Hotel, Kuala Lumpur. This dialogue was held in conjunction

with the government intent to produce a Defence White Paper. Minister of Defence YB Mohamad bin Sabu was officiated the dialogue, while the closing remarks by Secretary General Mindef, Datuk Seri Mohd Zuki Bin Ali.





BOOTH LUMUT 19 to 21 APRIL 2019

MiDAS has been invited to participate in the Defense White Paper survey and advocacy activities in conjunction with the Royal Malaysian Navy Day in Lumut, Perak. MiDAS was represented by Mr. Noor Hisham, Col. Hamid RMAF and Ms. Nor Aini. Nearly 2000 local visitors have visited the Defence White Paper exhibition site.





BOOTH LIMA 26 to 30 MARCH 2019

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MiDAS has been entrusted to assist the Ministry of Defence to conduct a study of understanding and advocacy of the Defence White Paper initiative to LIMA 2019 visitors from 26th to 31st March 2019 in Langkawi. Nearly 5,000 visitors from within and outside the country visited the Defence White Paper exhibition site to answer the questionnaire and hear an explanation of the importance of creating a Defence White Paper for the country. MiDAS represented by Ms. Siti Salmiah, Mr. Noor Hisham, Lt Col Suresh and Ms. Nor Aini. Apart from that, MiDAS is also involved in LIMA 2019 Industry Networking Cocktail which is a townhall White Paper Defence session with the Deputy Minister of Defence and the Commander of the Malaysian Armed Forces. The session was attended by more than 300 defence industry players from within and outside the country.



OTHER ACTIVITIES ORGANIZED BY MIDAS

CHIEFS' CIRCLE TALK 1/2019 15 MARCH 19

It was held at Wisma Perwira ATM for the government's intention to produce a Defense White Paper. An explanation was given regarding the ideas and concepts.





MIDAS - KAS CONFERENCE 2019

28 AUGUST 2019

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The MiDAS-KAS Conference 2019 was successfully held at Royale Chulan Hotel, Kuala Lumpur from 27th-28th August 2019. The theme for this Forum was "Humanitarian Assistance And Disaster Relief : A Shared Responsibility". The welcoming remarks was delivered by MiDAS Chief Executive, Vice Admiral Dato' Ganesh Navaratnam while the keynote address by Minister of Defence YB Mohamad bin Sabu. The Closing Remarks was delivered by Mr Wolfgang Hruschka, Country Director Malaysia Office, Konrad Adenauer Stiftung (KAS). Five session of discussions were held in this one and half day event.





CHIEFS' CIRCLE TALK 2/2019 6 NOVEMBER 19

Chiefs' Circle Talk serial 2/2019 was successfully organised by MiDAS on 6th Nov 19. This dialogue was held in conjunction with the government intent to produce a Defence White Paper. The Defence White Paper draft was presented by Mr. Ahmad Nadzri bin Mohd Hassan Deputy Secretary General (Policy).



INAUGURAL DEBRIEF SESSION FOR APCSS ALUMNI 20 NOVEMBER 2019

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An Inaugural Debrief session for Asia Pacific Center for Security Studies (APCSS) Alumni was held in MiDAS chaired by Vice Admiral Dato' Ganesh Navaratnam at MiDAS. The number of participants were 12 officers from various organisation including 4 from the US Embassy.





MIDAS CONFERENCE 2019 **25 NOVEMBER 2019**

The MiDAS Conference 2019 was successfully organised by MiDAS at Pullman Hotel, Kuala Lumpur on 25th November 2019. The welcoming remarks was delivered by MiDAS Director General, Mr Noor Hisham Rosle while the keynote address by Minister of Defence YB The theme for this conference was

“Defending a Maritime Nation:Whither MAF Joint Force?”. As many as 200 participants from a variety of government and non-government agencies as well as defence and security academicians, analysts, policymakers, researchers and law enforcement officials were involved in the Conference. The Conference consisted of two topics of discussion:

- Session One – “Strategic Outlook of a Maritime Nation”
- Session Two – “Shaping the Future Force”



MIDAS PARTICIPATION IN OTHER ACTIVITIES

**AHIBS GLOBAL DIALOGUE BY HER EXCELLENCY THE
AMBASSADOR OF TURKEY
TO MALAYSIA DR. MERVE SAFA KAVAKCI
18 FEBRUARY 2019**



H.E. Dr Merve Safa Kavakci, the Ambassador of Republic of Turkey to Malaysia gave a lecture titled " Paradigm Shift in Foreign Policy: Humanitarian Approach" during the AHIBS Global Dialogue at the Universiti Teknologi Malaysia (UTM) Kuala Lumpur.

The lecture has provided information to create opportunity for Malaysia to think of a way in which cooperation in humanitarian assistance and disaster relief can be establish between Turkey Armed Forces and Malaysia Armed Forces. Not only that we should extend it beyond the military fora as the situation Malaysia currently facing is oddly similar to that faced by Turkey especially in the context of refugees as well as other issues such as Palestine.



KOLKATA COLLOQUIUM 2019 28 AND 29 NOVEMBER 2019



Kolkata Colloquium 2019. Re Imaging Bay of Bengal Initiative for Multi-Sectoral Technical and Economic Cooperation (BIMSTEC) Kolkata India. MiDAS was represented by Capt Wan Baderul Hisan bin Wan Muda RMN.



ASEAN'S INDO-PACIFIC OUTLOOK AND SECURITY COOPERATION IN THE SOUTH CHINA SEA 18 DECEMBER 2019

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The theme of this conference is "ASEAN's Indo-Pacific Outlook and Security Cooperation in the South China Sea". The event was hosted by CISS and MIMA in Sanya, Hainan Province, China. The objective is to be an academic platform to produce meaningful findings through pragmatic discussions by using academic views to enhance progress in realizing

goals to strengthen mutual understanding and encourage dialogue aimed at maintaining peace, stability and prosperity in the South China Sea. MiDAS was represented by Col Sukiman bin Mohamed Ghani.





VISIT TO MiDAS

**SENIOR PRINCIPAL ASSISTANT DIRECTORS
OF MALAYSIAN MARITIME ENFORCEMENT AGENCY (MMEA)
17 JANUARY 2019**



First Admiral (M) Christopher Ravindran and First Admiral (M) Mohd Sabri bin Mohamed, Senior Principal Assistant Director from Malaysian Maritime Enforcement Agency (MMEA) made a courtesy call to MiDAS. The delegation were received by Vice Admiral Dato' Ganesh Navaratnam, Chief Executive of MiDAS. The delegation were given an insight into MiDAS organization, activities and its function as a think tank for MinDef.



HONORABLE LIEW CHIN TONG, DEPUTY DEFENCE MINISTER 14 FEBRUARY 2019

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Honourable Liew Chin Tong, Deputy Defence Minister has made his maiden visit to MiDAS on 14 Feb 19.





NATIONAL DEFENCE UNIVERSITY, PAKISTAN 17 APRIL 2019



MiDAS is honoured to receive a visit from the National Defence University, Pakistan on 17th April 2019 which were led by Brigadier (R) Ajab Khan, Director Area Studies NDU Pakistan. The delegation was received by Chief Executive of MiDAS Vice Admiral Dato' Ganesh Navaratnam. The delegation was briefed on National Purpose & National Power Potential by Brig Gen Mohd Azmi Senior Director DSC. The visit ended with exchange of memento.



FOUAD SHEHAB COLLEGE FOR STAFF AND COMMAND LEBANESE ARMED FORCES 26 APRIL 2019

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Delegation from Fouad Shehab College for Staff and Command Lebanese Armed Forces visited MiDAS. The delegation headed by Colonel Fadi Dergham was received by Vice Admiral Dato' Ganesh Navaratnam, Chief Executive of MiDAS. During the visit, Colonel Hamidi bin Hashim was giving an insight about MiDAS roles and tasks. It generated a healthy question and answer session. The visit ended with exchange of memento.





**PROFESSOR THOMAS J. CHRISTENSEN, DIRECTOR
COLUMBIA HARVARD CHINA AND THE WORLD
PROGRAM, COLUMBIA UNIVERSITY
17 JUNE 2019**



Professor Thomas J. Christensen led the delegation of Columbia Harvard China and participated in a roundtable conference at MiDAS



MAJOR GENERAL (RTD) GONG XIANFU, VICE CHAIRMAN CHINA INSTITUTE FOR INTERNATIONAL STRATEGIC STUDIES 25 JUNE 2019

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A delegation from China Institute for International Strategic Studies visited MiDAS. The delegation headed by Major General (Rtd) Gong Xianfu was received by MiDAS Chief Executive, Vice Admiral Dato' Ganesh Navaratnam and MiDAS officers. The China Institute for International Strategic Studies delegation was briefed on MiDAS roles and analysis on policies related to defence and security. The visit ended with a presentation of memento.





MAJ GEN SUZANNE P. VARES-LUM, US INDOPACOM, HAWAII 10 JULY 2019

Vice Admiral Dato' Ganesh Navaratnam, Chief Executive of MiDAS received a courtesy call by Major General Suzanne P. Vares-Lum, Mobilization Assistant to Commander, U.S. Indo-Pacific Command (US INDOPACOM) on 10th July 2019. Maj Gen Suzanne was given an insight into MiDAS organization, activities and its function as a think tank for MinDef.





DEFENCE MINISTER AND CHIEF SECRETARY GENERAL OF THE MINISTRY OF DEFENCE 23 JULY 2019

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Honourable YB Mohamad bin Sabu, Defence Minister of Malaysia and Tan Sri Mohd Zuki bin Ali, Secretary General of MINDEF have made a first visit to MIDAS in conjunction with the Board of Governor meeting.





COL EMMANUAEL PELTRIAUS, DEFENCE ATTACHE FRANCE 8 AUGUST 2019

A courtesy call by Col Emmanuael Peltriaux, Defence Attache France on 8th August 2019. He was given an insight into MiDAS organization, activities and its function as a think tank for MINDEF.





BANGLADESH NATIONAL DEFENCE COLLEGE (NDC) 30 SEPTEMBER 2019

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A delegation from Bangladesh National Defence College (NDC) visited MiDAS. The delegation headed by Brigadier General Md Shamim Kamal was received by MiDAS Director General, Mr Noor Hisham Rosle and MiDAS officers. The Bangladesh National Defence College delegation was briefed on MiDAS roles and analysis on policies related to defence and security. The visit ended with a presentation of memento.





STAFF ACTIVITIES

HANDING AND TAKING OVER CEREMONIES

CHIEF EXECUTIVE OF MIDAS 9 JANUARY 2019

The handing over ceremony of MiDAS Chief Executive was held at Dewan Perkasa, Wisma Perwira ATM. The ceremony took place between the outgoing MiDAS Chief Executive, Lt Gen Dato' Suhaimi bin Mohd Zuki who handed over duty to the new MiDAS Chief Executive, Vice Admiral Dato' Ganesh Navaratnam. The handing

over of duty ceremony was attended by Chief of Armed Forces, General Tan Sri Dato' Seri Panglima Haji Zulkifli bin Haji Zainal Abidin, Secretary General Ministry of Defence, Dato' Halimi bin Abd Manaf, the MAF and civil senior Officers.





**SENIOR DIRECTOR COMPREHENSIVE DEFENCE AND
SECURITY RESEARCH CENTRE
2 MAY 2019**

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Between Cik Siti Salmiah Dimyati and En Noor Hisham bin Rosle

**DIRECTOR DEFENCE DIPLOMACY
6 MAY 2019**



Between Capt Rosli bin Abd Ghani RMN and
Capt Wan Baderul Hisan bin Wan Muda RMN



DIRECTOR ADMIN AND FINANCE DEPARTMENT 6 MAY 2019



Between Lt Col Ku Syairi bin Ahmad and Maj Harun bin Ramli

DIRECTOR COMPARATIVE TECHNOLOGY 30 AUGUST 2019



Between Col Hamidi bin Hashim RMAF and Lt Col Diwi bin A.Rahman



**DEPUTY DIRECTOR COMPARATIVE TECHNOLOGY
8 JANUARY 2019**

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Between Cdr Rashidi RMN bin and Cdr Zaiham RMN

**PROMOTION CEREMONY P/SJN MOHD NOOR RUDHUAN BIN
GHAZALI
16 JULY 2019**





VICE ADMIRAL DATO' GANESH NAVARATNAM REPORT TO MIDAS 14 JANUARY 2019





BOARD OF GOVERNORS MEETING 23 JULY 2019

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The 13th Board of Governors Meeting was held at MiDAS on 23rd July 2019. The meeting was chaired by the Minister Of Defence: YB Haji Mohamad bin Sabu and attended by Deputy Minister of Defence: YB Liew Chin Tong, Chief of Defence Forces: General Tan Sri Dato' Seri Panglima Hj. Zulkifli bin Hj. Zainal Abidin, Chief Of Army: Gen Dato' Seri Panglima Hj Ahmad Hasbullah bin Hj Mohd Nawawi, Chief Of Navy: Admiral Datuk Mohd Reza bin Mohd Sany, Chief Of Air Force: General Tan Sri Dato' Sri Hj Affendi bin Buang, Secretary General : Datuk Seri Mohd Zuki bin Ali, UPM Vice Chancellor: Lt Gen Dato' Abdul Halim bin Hj Jalal, Chief Executive of MiDAS: Vice Admiral Dato' Ganesh Navaratnam and other senior officials for Ministry of Defence.





MIDAS RETREAT MEETING & ANNUAL DINNER 9 DECEMBER 2019



INTERNSHIP STUDENTS ACTIVITIES INTRODUCTORY SESSION 19 JUNE 2019



INTERNSHIP STUDENTS ACTIVITIES CLOSING CEREMONY SESSION 26 JULY 2019





SOCIAL AND SPORT ACTIVITIES

FAREWELL DINNER CHIEF EXECUTIVES AT KELAB DARUL EHSAN 7 JANUARY 2019





CHIEF EXECUTIVE'S BIRTHDAY CELEBRATION 26 APRIL 2019

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MIDAS HARI RAYA CELEBRATION 18 JULY 2019





SPORT 30 JANUARY 2019

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INCOMING AND OUTGOING OFFICER & STAFF

INCOMING OFFICER & STAFF



Vice Admiral Dato' Ganesh
Navaratnam
Chief Executive
Joined 9 Jan 19



Col Sukiman bin
Mohamed Ghani
Director Defence
Diplomacy
Joined 20 Aug 19



Col Kieron Singh s/o
Santa Singh RMAF
Director Comparative
Technology
Joined 3 Oct 19



Capt Wan Baderul Hisan bin
Wan Muda RMN
Director Contemporary
Security
Joined 8 Apr 19



Lt Col Diwi bin A. Rahman
Deputy Director Defence
Policy
Joined 1 Jan 19



Lt Col Zuhaim bin Ayub
Director Admin and
Finance Department
Joined 18 Feb 19



Lt Col Azrul Syamsul bin
Sahak
Deputy Director
Defence Policy
Joined 15 Feb 19



Lt Col Dr. Maimunah binti
Omar
Deputy Director
Contemporary Security
Joined 9 Apr 19



INCOMING OFFICER & STAFF



**Cdr Hafiez Azree bin
Md Nor RMN**
Deputy Comparative
Technology
Joined 1 Apr 19



**Lt Mohd Saiful Adli bin
Wan Ahmad RMN**
ADC to Chief Executive
Joined 9 Jan 19



**Sgt Mohd Noor Rudhuan
bin Ghazali**
ICT Sepervisor
Joined 3 Apr 19



**Cpl Muhamad Ridzuwan
bin Shamsuddin**
Driver
Joined 2 Jan 19



**Cpl Mohd Ekhwan bin
Mohd Salehan**
Driver
Joined 28 Jan 19



**LR TNL Fakaruddin bin
Mohamad**
Driver
Joined 9 Jan 19



**LR PNK Abu Bakar bin
Ghazali**
Clerk (Pay)
Joined 18 Feb 19



**LR STD Mohd Haniff Azwan
bin Hakimi**
Cook
Joined 30 Sep 19



INCOMING OFFICER & STAFF



**LR I STD Mior Mohamad Aizat
bin Mohd Azmi**
Cook
Joined 9 Jan 19



**Mrs Nor Shahidah binti
Zulkifli**
Office Secretary
Joined 22 Jan 19



**Mrs Shamile d/o
Puspanathan**
Office Assistant
Joined 11 Mar 19



Mrs Nur Hazwani binti Hamid
Office Secretary
Joined 22 Apr 19

OUTGOING OFFICER & STAFF



**Lt Gen Dato' Suhaimi bin
Hj Mohd Zuki**
Joined 16 Dis 16 –
posted 9 Jan 19
to Joint Forces HQ



Capt Rosli bin Abd Ghani
RMN
Joined 21 Mar 18 -
Posted 13 Mei 19
to HQ Naval Education and
Training Command RMN



Col Dr Janudin bin Awang
Joined 25 Feb 16 -
Posted 31 Jul 19
to MAF HQ – BPA (Dir Edn)



**Col Hamidi bin
Hashim RMAF**
Joined 17 Jun 17 -
Posted 1 Sep 19
to LPK (L2) - National
Resilience College (NRC)



OUTGOING OFFICER & STAFF

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Col Rosli bin Bahrn
Joined 8 Jan 18 -
Posted 27 Jan 19
to ESSCOM



**Cdr Wan Zaihan bin
Wan Mat RMN**
Joined 7 Jan 19 -
Posted 28 Jan 19
to KD Sri Gombak



**Lt Col Samhasri
bin Samah**
Joined 10 Oct 18 -
Posted 17 Feb 19
to Sen LPK (I2)/INSPEKA



Lt Col Ku Syairi bin Ahmad
Joined 13 Mar 18 -
Posted 8 Apr 19
to 1 Border Regiment



**Cpl Asharul Nizam
bin Yusof**
Joined 2 Nov 13 -
Posted 2 Apr 19
to 31 Infantry Brigade HQ



**Miss Siti Salmiah
binti Dimyati**
Joined 1 May 13 -
Posted 2 May 19
to Ministry of Energy,
Science, Technology,
Environment and Climate
Change (KeTTHA)



**Mrs Siti Khadijah
binti Jisman**
Joined 9 Jan 19 -
Posted 21 Jan 19
to Joint Forces HQ



Miss Vimala d/o Paramasivam
Joined 5 Mar 18 -
Posted 5 Mar 19
to Air Force Academy



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A professional institution responsible to Malaysian Armed Forces and Ministry of Defence to spearhead issues on defence and security through research and knowledge sharing

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Disseminates research findings

through The Journal of Defence and Security, magazine, monograph and seminar proceedings.

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holistically through networking with those institution.

Develops resource centres for Malaysian Armed Forces and Ministry of Defence

Explores new research areas

with cooperation from other national or international research institutes.