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FROM THE CHIEF EDITOR

Assalamualaikum and Salam Sejahtera to all MiDAS Touch readers. Alhamdulillah, all praises to Allah the Almighty for His kindness in allowing this edition of MiDAS Touch to be published as planned.

Year 2017 marks the start of Malaysian Institute of Defence and Security (MiDAS) operated from its new building. The official launching ceremony was held on 22 December 2016 and was officiated by Yang Berhormat Dato' Seri Hishammuddin bin Tun Hussein, Malaysian Defence Minister.

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 served its aim to promote MiDAS as a credible and respectful institution in defence and security research.

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ABOUT US

The characteristics of a sovereign country would be the ability of that country to ensure the safety, security and well-being of its people. With these in mind, the Ministry of Defence, Malaysia is responsible to ensure that the sovereignty of Malaysia's territories would always be secured and protected from threats, foreign or domestic. This responsibility would better be implemented through sufficient and latest military equipment, together with the right defence policy, approach and actions.

Through comprehensive, in-depth research and analysis, the right policies would better be shaped and implemented. The Institute was established with the aim to research and analyse issues pertinent to internal and external defence and security, hence becoming the lead agency for their country in proposing, amending and improving their country's defence strategies and security. As a strategic institute that is based on ASEAN's Track 2, it is a stand-alone "think-tank", independent and capable of providing suggestions in improving the nation, or the ASEAN region, in general, in the areas pertaining regional defence and security.

Following this, the establishment of MiDAS suits the objectives above, to embark on researches and analysis on both defence and security issues, in addition to provide information, unbiased views and suggestions on defence and security of Malaysia and its territory to the Ministry of Defence. Information, knowledge, views and suggestions provided by the institute could further assist the Government of Malaysia and policy-makers, to make the right decision in shaping or developing its national defence and security policies.

Under the purview of defence and security, MiDAS has established two centres, specific to the research and development of strategies, mainly:

- Comprehensive Defence and Security Research Centre (CDSRC)
- MiDAS Blue Ocean Strategy Centre (MBOSC); and

These two centres are supported by the Administration and Development Department (A&DD) which coordinates trainings, publications, administration, human resources and financial matters of the Institute.

"I believed that by working together - to strengthen ASEAN, and to develop deeper connection between our region and the world - we can be better prepared for the security challenges we will face in the years to come. In the midst of a period of sustained economic and geopolitical interest, we can ensure Asia's rise is both peaceful and prosperous ..."

(Excerpt from a message during Putrajaya Forum 2014)

Dato' Sri Mohd Najib bin Tun Abdul Razak
Prime Minister of Malaysia
and Patron of MiDAS

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

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His Royal Highness Sultan Dr Nazrin Shah is the Sultan of the state of Perak, Malaysia. He was proclaimed as the 35th Sultan of Perak on 29th May 2014. 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 areas 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.

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 Malaya 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 Sultan 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 organising 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 Sultan 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).

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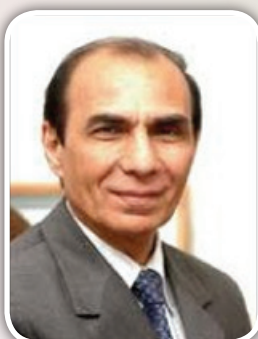
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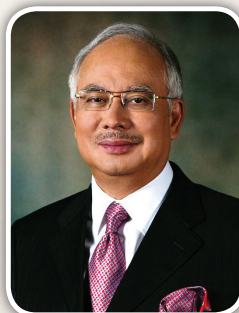


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COMPREHENSIVE DEFENCE AND SECURITY RESEARCH CENTRE (CDSRC)

The CDSRC is responsible to conduct research for the Malaysian Armed Forces (MAF) and the Ministry of Defence (MinDef), specific to issues pertinent to the following:

- Traditional Military Affairs;
- Non-Traditional Military Affairs; and
- Strategy and Policy.

Military Affairs

The department of Military Affairs is responsible to conduct research for the Armed Forces and Ministry of Defence on issues related to threats generated from military forces and military related technologies. The areas of research are as follows:

- Conventional Military Threats.
- Non-Conventional Military Threats.
- Cyber/space Warfare.
- Law of Armed Conflict, Law of the Sea, Air Laws.

Non Military Affairs

The department of Non Military Affairs is responsible to conduct research for the Armed Forces and Ministry of Defence on issues related to threats generated from non-conventional military forces and non-conventional military related technologies. The areas of research are as follows:

- International Terrorism.
- Internal Security.
- Environmental Security.
- Humanitarian Aid and Disaster Relief (HADR).

Strategy and Policy Research

The department of Policy and Strategy Research is responsible to conduct research for the Armed Forces and Ministry of Defence on the following issues:

- National defence and security issues.
- Foreign Policy.
- Military Diplomacy analysis.
- Collaboration for formulation of following documents:
- National Security Policy and Report.
- Defence policy.
- National Resilience.

NETWORK OF ASEAN DEFENCE AND SECURITY INSTITUTIONS (NADI)

Background of NADI

The establishment of Track II Network of ASEAN Defence and Security Institutions (NADI) in August 2007 is to support the ASEAN Defence Minister's Meeting (ADMM) and to provide the ADMM track with fresh ideas and relevant policy recommendations. NADI members are represented by core NADI institutions from each ASEAN countries. The chairmanship of NADI is on rotational basis following with the ASEAN chairmanship. The chairman of NADI will organise NADI Annual Meeting and Retreat, meanwhile other NADI members will organise Workshops on various topics on voluntary basis.

For 2017, the Philippines hosted the 11th NADI Annual Meeting in March and Retreat in November and a total of five NADI Workshops were conducted throughout the year by the NADI members.

NADI Annual Meeting (Philippines)

The Track II Network of ASEAN Defence and Security Institutions (NADI) 10th Annual Meeting was co-organised by the National Defence College of the Philippines (NDCP) and the Armed Forces of the Philippines-Office for Strategic Studies and Strategy Management (AFP-OSSSM) at Conrad, Manila, Philippines from 27-30 March 2017 at Conrad, Manila, Philippines. MiDAS was represented by Lt Gen Dato' Suhaimi bin Hj Mohd Zuki, Chief Executive of MiDAS and Lt Col Ir. Suthan Venkatachalam.

In his presentation, Lt Gen Dato' Suhaimi bin Hj Mohd Zuki provided an overview on how to enhance NADI as the Track II Think Tank Group in support to ADMM and promoting regional security cooperation. He suggested some of the areas that can be considered by NADI are: (i) review on the past and present initiatives by identifying short comings and strengthen them, (ii) promote cross cultural interaction by bringing in young professionals to generate new ideas which are creative and innovative, (iii) maintain continuity through connectivity where issues arising from Track I (ADMM) needs to be shared to Track II (NADI) in timely manner - vice versa and (iv) conduct discussions outside NADI's network by using social network service in order to discuss issues promptly and enhance the cohesiveness among its members.

He then highlighted contemporary issues that threaten regional security architecture and provided some recommendations to enhance NADI's contribution in promoting regional security cooperation. Lt Gen Dato' Suhaimi bin Hj Mohd Zuki finally gave an overview on the establishment King Salman Centre for International Peace (KSCIP) in Kuala Lumpur which is the latest initiative by Malaysia and Saudi Arabia. The main purpose of this centre is to defeat terrorism and extremism. KSCIP will find ways to promote peace through wasatiyyah and moderation.



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NADI Workshop (Thailand)

NADI Workshop hosted by Thai Strategic Studies Centre (SSC) was held at Suntara Wellness Resort & Hotel, Chachoengsao, Thailand on 18 to 22 April 2017. MiDAS was represented by Colonel Nasharuddin bin Mohamad and Lt Col Wan Azni bin Wan Muhammad who shared Malaysian experiences on the topic of "Countering Extremist Narratives: Integrated Efforts and Approaches within ASEAN". All ten ASEAN countries were represented. This workshop provided knowledge, best practices as well as experience sharing which is also a good platform for deepening understanding and fostering closer relation among NADI members.



NADI Workshop (Singapore)

The Track II Network of ASEAN Defence and Security Institutions (NADI) 10th Anniversary Commemorative Workshop was organised by the S. Rajaratnam School of International Studies (RSIS), Singapore, at the Holiday Inn Singapore Atrium, from 2 to 5 May 2017. MiDAS was represented by Lt Col Ir. Suthan Venkatachalam who shared Malaysian experiences on the topic of "Future Directions of NADI". The delegates had an active exchange of views and agreed that NADI has done well over the past 10 years, with good mechanisms and practices in place to take NADI forward. NADI has achieved much in the last 10 years in terms of providing relevant recommendations to the ADMM, and should continue to do so. The participants acknowledged the importance of NADI remaining flexible so as to be able to respond to rapidly-changing regional dynamics and emerging issues. At this event, Singapore launched NADI book in commemorating 10 years of NADI.



NADI Workshop (Indonesia)

NADI Workshop hosted by Indonesia Defence University (IDU) was held at Hotel Majapahit, Surabaya, Indonesia from 25 to 28 July 2017. MiDAS was represented by Lt Col Suresh K. Vijayarajnam RMAF and Lt Col Suthan Venkatachalam who shared MiDAS thoughts and views on the theme "Defence Diplomacy as A Way of Strengthening The Respect of National Sovereignty". All ten ASEAN NADI Core Institutions were represented. Among the main issues highlighted and discussed were Effects of Major Power Rivalry towards ASEAN, South China Sea Disputes, Roles of ADMM in Defence Diplomacy and other current regional security concerns. The workshop provided opportunity for delegates to share knowledge and experiences while fostering closer relations and networking among NADI members. Delegates were also brought on a site visit to PT PAL, a state-owned enterprise that manufactures ships for military and civilian use.





NADI Workshop (Malaysia)

MiDAS was once again given the opportunity to host a NADI Workshop which was held at Pullman City Center Hotel Residences Kuala Lumpur from 14 to 17 August 2017. The theme chosen for the workshop was "Evaluating ASEAN Defence and Security Initiatives with Dialogue Partners".

A total of 44 participants from all 10 member countries of NADI attended the Workshop. MiDAS Chief Executive Lt Gen Dato` Suhaimi bin Hj Mohd Zuki gave his welcoming remarks during the opening where he reminded delegates on the aim and purpose of ASEAN which is to promote regional peace and stability through mutual respect for justice and the rule of law in the relationship among countries of the region. This was followed by two keynote addresses by the Director General of MIMA Dato` Chin Yoon Chin and Undersecretary for Policy & Strategic Planning Division Ministry of Defence, Mr Ahmad Nadzri bin Mohd Hassan.

The Workshop was divided into three sessions that covered a wide range of interesting topics relating to the defence and security spheres with special focus on Cyber Security, Terrorism, and Humanitarian Assistance and Disaster Relief (HADR) issues. The workshop provided opportunity for delegates to share knowledge and experiences while fostering closer relations and networking among NADI members. Delegates were also brought on a cultural tour to the Royal Museum.



MIDAS DIALOGUES 2017

Serial 4/2017

MiDAS Dialogue 4/2017 was held on 28th February 2017, at MiDAS Auditorium. Lt. General Vinod Khandare, Director General of Defence Intelligence Agency of India was the guest speaker for the session and shared his experience on 'Counter Terrorism'. The program started with a short briefing about MiDAS by the Chief Executive and a brief tour of MiDAS gallery. During the dialogue, the guest speaker shared on prevention and intervention in counter terrorism and challenges faced by the Indian Counter Terrorist Operatives. He also took some questions from the audience. The program was attended by participants mainly from the Malaysian Armed Forces and civilians of the Ministry of Defence, students from Staff College, Defence College and National Defence University Malaysia. This knowledge sharing session was also a good opportunity for international bonding and fostering closer bilateral defence ties between Malaysia and India.



Serial 5/2017

MiDAS Dialogue 5/2017 was held on 4th April 2017 at MiDAS Auditorium. The guest speaker was Professor Dr. Maria Sultan, Director of South Asian Strategic Stability Institute (SASSI), Pakistan. She presented on the topic of 'Counter Terrorism on Pakistan's Perspective'. She shared Pakistan's experience in combating terrorism since the 9/11 terrorist attack in the US. She explained how counter terrorism mechanisms operate in Pakistan, collaboration between the military and civilian organisations and the challenges they faced throughout the years. The program was attended by participants mainly from the Malaysian Armed Forces and civilians of the Ministry of Defence, students from Staff College, Defence College and National Defence University Malaysia.



Serial 6/2017

MiDAS Dialogue 6/2017 was held on 10th October 2017, at MiDAS Auditorium on the title “North Korean War Threat: Nuclear, Ballistic Missile and Military Provocations”. Dr. Hoo Chiew Ping, Senior lecturer from National University of Malaysia and Mr. Shahriman Lockman, Senior Analyst from Institute of Strategic and International Studies (ISIS) Malaysia were the guest speakers for the session. They shared on the history of conflicts that Korea has faced, the progress of North Korea's nuclear capabilities, threats and provocations in the region as well as the recent North Korea's nuclear test and missiles development. The program was attended by participants mainly from the Malaysian Armed Forces and civilians of the Ministry of Defence, students from Staff College, Defence College and National Defence University Malaysia.



Serial 7/2017

MiDAS Dialogue 7/2017 was held on 17 November 2017 at MiDAS Auditorium. This session featured Dr Mohamed Nawab Mohamed Osman, Assistant Professor and Coordinator of Malaysia Programme, Institute of Defence and Strategic Studies, S. Rajaratnam School of International Studies (RSIS), Singapore. He presented on the topic of 'Terrorism in the Bastion of Moderation' where he also touched on concept of 'Islamist terrorism' and its origin in Asia. He then dwelled on the social roots of radicalisation in Southeast Asia mainly Singapore, Malaysia, Indonesia and the Philippines. Lastly, he shared some thoughts on the future issues related to radicalisation which include the rise of neo-conservatives and non-violent extremism. The program was attended by the Malaysian Armed Forces, civilians Ministry of Defence, academia from the National Defence University Malaysia and staff and students from the Malaysian Staff College as well as the Malaysian Defence College.



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ROUND TABLE DISCUSSION

Japan

On 25th of January 2017, Mr. Yusuke Arai, Director National Security Policy Division, Foreign Policy Bureau of Japan visited MiDAS. He was accompanied by Mr. Takeshi Kodo, Political Officer and Col Masataka Nishinaga, Defence Attache, from the Embassy of Japan. The visit was hosted by the Chief Executive of MiDAS, Lt Gen Dato' Suhaimi bin Mohd Zuki. After a short briefing on MiDAS's role and function the two sides conducted a roundtable discussion and exchanged views on some common strategic issues. Mr Arai shared some insights on Japan's greater contribution to peace, security and stability in Asia. He shared on the East Asia security environment including the Korean Peninsula issues, North Korea's ballistic missiles provocations; South China Sea mainly on the artificial island building by the Chinese as well as the PCA tribunal award on the case between China and Philippines; East China Sea - Senkaku Island; Japan-China Relation as well as Japan new Foreign Policy Strategy which is 'free and open Indo-Pacific Strategy'. The new legislation allows Japan to pursue 'proactive contribution to peace' for international peace and stability as well as to exercise the right of collective self-defence.



Australia

Ms Rebecca Skinner is a Deputy Secretary Strategic Policy and Intelligence, Ministry of Defence Australia paid a visit to MiDAS on 7 July 2017. She was received and hosted by the Chief Executive of MiDAS. After a brief introduction on MiDAS's role and function, both Ms Skinner and Lt Gen Dato' Suhaimi discussed and exchanged views on various contemporary and strategic issues including the development of King Salman Centre for International Peace; National Blue Ocean Strategy and how it contributes to the internal security; Qatar diplomatic crisis; Singapore internal crisis; North Korea nuclear issue; and Marawi under siege incident. The discussion was held in a frank and candid manner where both side expressed intention to work together with the regional partners in its effort to combat terrorism as well as to forge closer defence ties.



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MIDAS PARTICIPATION IN OTHER ACTIVITIES

6th Malaysia - Germany Security Dialogue

The 6th Germany - Malaysia Security Dialogue was co-organized by ISIS Malaysia and Konrad - Adenauer - Stiftung (KAS) at The Majestic Hotel Kuala Lumpur from 11 to 12 September 2017. The Dialogue provides a platform for security experts from Germany and Malaysia to exchange perspectives on regional and global security issues of mutual concern. It also aims to strengthen bilateral relations between Berlin and Kuala Lumpur at the non-governmental level. The two day intellectual discourse discussed a wide array of current geo strategic issues and was divided into seven sessions which discussed among others "Resettling Migrants – Reconfiguring Social Peace and Public Security in Newly Cosmopolitan Societies"; "Formal Strategies and Laws – Reconciling Values, Harmonising Practises via Integration or Assimilation?"; "Anti-Terrorism: Reviewing Stock Measures - Filling Gaps in Public Awareness and Policing"; "Counter Terrorism: Understanding Radicalisation and Energising Deradicalisation Programmes"; "Navigating between Cyberespionage and Cyber Security - What Next?"; "Strategic and Security Implications of Belt and Road Initiative (BRI) in a Multipolar World"; "What Lies Ahead for the EU and the ASEAN Community?".

Among the speakers presented during the Dialogue were Ms Aegile Fernandez (Tenaganita), Prof Dato Dr Shamsul Amri Baharuddin (UKM), Dr Christine Hegenbart (Bundestag), DCP Dato Ayob Khan bin Mydin Pitchay (PDRM), Mr Bunn Nagara (ISIS), Dr Gudrun Wacker (SWP) and Dr Roy Anthony Rogers (UM). Chief Executive of MiDAS Lt Gen Dato` Suhaimi bin Hj Mohd Zuki moderated the third session on "Anti-Terrorism: Reviewing Stock Measures – Filling Gaps in Public Awareness and Policing".



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BAHRAIN INTERNATIONAL DEFENCE EXHIBITION AND CONFERENCE (BIDEC) 2017

The 1st edition of Bahrain International Defence Exhibition & Conference (BIDEC) was took place from 16 to 18 October 2017 at Bahrain International Exhibition & Convention Centre. BIDEC is fully supported by the Bahrain Defence Force, and presents a unique opportunity for exhibitors to showcase the latest technology, equipment and hardware across land, sea and air. BIDEC 2017 achieved over 9,000 visitors and hosted 180 exhibiting companies from 39 countries.

In conjunction with BIDEC 2017, the Middle East Military Alliances & Coalitions (MEMAC) Conference was held with the aim to address the challenges facing the region, and the wider global implications. During the conference, Chief Executive of MiDAS was also invited as a speaker at Session D - Findings and Policy Formulation. The Chief Executive was accompanied with Lt Cdr Mohd Firdaus bin Arbaain.



Chief of Defense Force was invited and become as a speaker during sesion A.

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CONFERENCE ON RENEWING COOPERATION IN THE SOUTH CHINA SEA AND NEW APPROACHES TO ADDRESSING MARITIME SECURITY

Maritime Institute of Malaysia (MIMA) and the China Institute for International Strategic Studies (CIISS) co-organized a conference from 7 - 8 November 2017 in Beijing, China. The three plenary sessions of this conference involved academics and practitioners from China, Malaysia, and other ASEAN countries including the Philippines, Vietnam, Cambodia, Indonesia, Laos, and Singapore.

The first two plenary sessions covered the geostrategic environment, the cooperative mechanism available for ASEAN and China, and the sustainable development goals that need attention due to recent infrastructure project developments under Belt and Road Initiative (BRI) and challenges in resource and environmental protection. The third plenary session themed "Expanding Ties and Enhancing Mutual Benefits on Non-Traditional Security" involved three group discussions on specific areas of cooperation between China and ASEAN. It covered humanitarian and disaster relief & search and rescue, maritime illegal activities and the nexus of maritime terrorism, and counter-piracy multilateral cooperation in the South China Sea. Each group brainstormed and prepared a one-page policy note on current cooperation arrangements, gaps, and challenges, and explored new mechanisms for cooperation.

Ms Siti Salmiah Haji Dimiyati, Senior Director of CDSRC was involved as one of the panel speakers in the discussion group, whom offered views on the regional defence mechanisms, experiences and challenges in HADR and SAR as well as the potential cooperation between ASEAN and China.

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MIDAS BLUE OCEAN STRATEGY CENTRE (MBOSC)

The MBOSC is responsible to spearhead the implementation of the Blue Ocean Strategy (BOS) for the Malaysian Armed Forces (MAF) and the Ministry of Defence (MinDef), with that responsibility MBOSC is to carry out the following tasks:

To inculcate the concept of the BOS into MinDef strategic thinking and defence/security strategy and policy research efforts;

To promote the understanding and facilitate education effort on the BOS throughout the MAF and MinDef;

To act as the centre for coordination/interface and cooperation between civil agencies and MinDef/MAF in the practice of the BOS; and

To act as the centre for idea generation for practical implementation.

NBOS Exhibition - Langkawi International Maritime and Aerospace Exhibition (LIMA 17)

MiDAS participated at the 14th Langkawi International Maritime & Aerospace Exhibition (LIMA 17) from 21st to 25th Mar 17 held at Mahsuri International Exhibition Centre (MIEC) Langkawi. The LIMA 17 was officially opened by Prime Minister YAB Dato' Sri Mohd Najib bin Tun Haji Abdul Razak. During the exhibition, MiDAS booth displayed various items and products

from seventeen National Blue Ocean initiatives implemented by MINDEF and MAF.

Heir Apparent (Raja Muda) of Perlis, His Royal Highness Tuanku Syed Faizuddin Putra Jamalullail, YTM Tunku Temenggong Kedah, Brigadier Jeneral Tan Sri Dato' Seri Diraja Tunku Puteri Intan Shafinaz Sultan Abdul Halim Tuanku Al-Haj and Governor of Sarawak, His Excellency Tun Pehin Sri Haji Abdul Taib Mahmud were among Royals and VVIPs visited MiDAS Booth. The LIMA 17 recorded a total of 2,000 visitors visited



MiDAS Booth over the five days of the exhibition.

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NBOS Exhibition - Hari Peladang, Penternak & Nelayan Kebangsaan 2017 (HPPNK 17)

MiDAS participated at Hari Peladang, Penternak & Nelayan Kebangsaan 2017 (HPPNK 17) from 28th Sep to 1st Oct 17 held at Malaysian Agro Exposition Park Serdang (MAEPS) Selangor. The HPPNK 17 was officially opened by Prime Minister, YAB Dato' Sri Mohd Najib bin Tun Haji Abdul Razak. Among VVIP that visited the Agro NBOS Pavillion was The Governor of Penang, His Excellency Tun Dato' Seri Utama (Dr) Haji Abdul Rahman bin Haji Abbas. During the four-day exhibition, MiDAS Booth displayed various items and products from three National Blue Ocean Strategy initiatives namely Community Rehabilitation Program (CRP), Military Community Transformation Centre (MCTC) and NBOS 3 Sepang Idle Land - Rock Melon Project. MINDEF NBOS Quiz was also conducted during the exhibition. The HPPNK 17 concluded with a total of more than 9,000 visitors recorded visited MiDAS Booth over the four days of the exhibition.



NBOS Exhibition @ Ekspresi Negaraku 2017

MINDEF and collaborating agencies participated in eight series of Ekspresi Negaraku (EN) 2017 program since Apr 2017 until Nov 2017. The EN 2017 officially opened either by YAB Prime Minister, Deputy Prime Minister or Chief Secretary to the Government of Malaysia. In each EN, MINDEF Booth displayed various items and products from seventeen NBOS initiatives. This EN will be continued to next year for three more states namely Johor, Pahang and Pulau Pinang. The objectives of the program are as follows:

To enable all agencies involved to explain to the rakyat the impact of the success of the NBOS initiatives that have been and are being implemented by MINDEF with other NBOS Strategic Partners.

To enable all agencies to demonstrate the success of NBOS initiatives and programs by displaying NBOS products and materials to be seen and known by the rakyat.

The eight states involved in the program are Kedah, Perak, Sabah, Melaka, Negeri Sembilan, Kelantan, Terengganu and Sarawak.

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NBOS Exhibition @Ekspresi Negaraku Kedah 2017

MINDEF and collaborating agencies participated at Ekspresi Negaraku Kedah 2017 (EN Kedah 2017) on 8th Apr 17 held at Dataran Amanjaya, Sungai Petani, Kedah. The EN Kedah 2017 was officially opened by Chief Secretary to the Government of Malaysia,

YBhg Tan Sri Dr Ali Hamsa accompanied by Director-General of Public Service, YBhg Tan Sri Zainal Rahim bin Seman. The exhibition also attended by Chief of Defence Force,

YM Gen Tan Sri Raja Mohamed Affandi bin Raja Mohamed Noor and Deputy Inspector General of Police, YBhg Tan Sri Dato' Sri Noor Rashid bin Ibrahim. MINDEF Booth has recorded 1,500 visitors throughout this one-day exhibition.



NBOS Exhibition @ Ekspresi Negaraku Perak 2017

MINDEF and collaborating agencies participated at Ekspresi Negaraku Perak 2017 (EN Perak 2017) on 15th Apr 17 held at Dataran Pavilion Kuala Kangsar, Perak. The EN Perak 2017 was officially opened by Deputy Prime Minister, YAB Datuk Seri Dr Ahmad Zahid bin Hamidi. The EN Perak 2017 concluded with a total of

more than 1,500 visitors recorded visited MINDEF Booth over this one-day exhibition.



NBOS Exhibition @Ekspresi Negaraku Melaka 2017

MINDEF and collaborating agencies participated at Ekspresi Negaraku Melaka 2017 (EN Melaka 2017) on 15th Jul 17 held at Dataran Pahlawan, Melaka. The EN Melaka 2017 was officially opened by Deputy Minister of Science, Technology & Innovation Ministry, YB Datuk Wira Dr Abu Bakar bin Mohamad Diah. MINDEF Booth has recorded 1,000 visitors throughout this one-day exhibition.



NBOS Exhibition @ Ekspresi Negaraku Negeri Sembilan 2017

MINDEF and initiative partners participated at Ekspresi Negaraku Negeri Sembilan 2017 (EN Negeri Sembilan 2017) on 24th Sep 17 held at Dataran Sri Kemang, Port Dickson, Negeri Sembilan. The EN Negeri Sembilan 2017 was officially opened by Deputy Prime Minister, YAB Datuk Seri Dr Ahmad Zahid bin Hamidi and accompanied by Menteri Besar of Negeri Sembilan, YAB Dato' Seri Utama Haji Mohamad Hasan. The EN Negeri Sembilan 2017 has recorded 1,300 visitors throughout this one-day exhibition.



NBOS Exhibition @ Ekspresi Negaraku Sabah 2017

MINDEF and collaboration agencies participated at Ekspresi Negaraku Sabah 2017 (EN Sabah 2017) on 7th May 17 held at Padang Bandaran, Sandakan, Sabah. The EN Sabah 2017 was officially opened by Prime Minister YAB Dato' Sri Mohd Najib bin Tun Haji Abdul Razak and accompanied by Chief Minister of Sabah, YAB Tan Sri Datuk Seri Panglima Musa Haji Aman. The EN Sabah 2017 has recorded 2,000 visitors visited MINDEF Booth throughout this one-day exhibition.



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NBOS Exhibition @Ekspresi Negaraku Kelantan 2017

MINDEF and collaborating agencies participated at Ekspresi Negaraku Kelantan 2017 (EN Kelantan 2017) on 13th May 17 held at Padang Sekolah Menengah Kebangsaan Sungai Petai, Pasir Puteh, Kelantan. The EN Kelantan 2017 was officially opened by Deputy Prime Minister, YAB Datuk Seri Dr Ahmad Zahid bin Hamidi accompanied by Minister of International Trade and Industry, YB Dato' Sri Mustapa Mohamed. MINDEF Booth has recorded 1,500 visitors throughout this one-day exhibition.



NBOS Exhibition @Ekspresi Negaraku Terengganu 2017

MINDEF and initiative partners participated at Ekspresi Negaraku Terengganu 2017 (EN Terengganu 2017) on 14th Oct 17 held at Dataran Dewan Merdeka, Dungun, Terengganu. The EN Terengganu 2017 was officially opened by Deputy Prime Minister, YAB Datuk Seri Dr Ahmad Zahid bin Hamidi and accompanied by Menteri Besar of Terengganu, YAB Dato' Seri Haji Ahmad Razif Abdul Rahman. The EN Terengganu 2017 has recorded 1,300 visitors throughout this one-day exhibition.



NBOS Exhibition @Ekspresi Negaraku Sarawak 2017

MINDEF and collaborating agencies participated at Ekspresi Negaraku Sarawak 2017 (EN Sarawak 2017) on 5th Nov 17 held at Dataran Perayaan, Petra Jaya, Sarawak. The EN Sarawak 2017 was officially opened by Deputy Prime Minister, YAB Datuk Seri Dr Ahmad Zahid bin Hamidi and accompanied by Chief Minister of Sarawak, YAB Datuk Patinggi (Dr) Abang Haji Abdul Rahman Zohari bin Tun Datuk Abang Haji Openg. The EN Sarawak 2017 recorded 1,800 visitors throughout the one-day exhibition.



Working Visit Chief Executive of MiDAS to NBOS 3 Idle Land Project, Sepang



Chief Executive of MiDAS, made a working visit to NBOS 3 Idle Land Project at Sepang, Selangor on 10th Feb 17. The purpose of the visit was to monitor the progress of current projects and to give guidance for future development of NBOS 3 Sepang Initiative. This NBOS 3 Idle Land project is engaged with Rock Melon Agriculture Project undertaken by a military retiree, Lt Kol Mazlan bin Abu (R).

Working Visit to NBOS 8 Community Rehabilitation Program @ Paradise Camp, Kota Belud, Sabah



Chief Executive of MiDAS, visited Community Rehabilitation Centre (CRC) Kota Belud at Kem Paradise, Kota Belud, Sabah on 3rd Aug 17. The purpose of his visit was to monitor the development of NBOS 8 -Community Rehabilitation Program (CRP) and to give guidance for the progress of current agriculture projects. Among projects that were implemented inside the CRC Complex include Kelulut's Bee Farming and Bean Sprouts projects. For future planning, the agriculture projects will be expanded outside of the CRC Complex following the approval of land requisition for agriculture planting by Sabah Land & Survey Department.

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Working Visit to NBOS 8 Initiatives @ Community Rehabilitation Centre (CRC), Desa Pahlawan Camp, Kota Bharu



Chief Executive of MiDAS, visited Community Rehabilitation Centre (CRC) Kem Desa Pahlawan, Kota Bharu, Kelantan on 18th Sep 17. The visit was received by Director of Kelantan Prison Department, PKK Hamzani bin Che Berahim and Assistant Director of Parole & Community Service Division, PKK Mohd Andri bin Hj Md Ridzwan. The purpose of his visit was to monitor the development of NBOS 8 - Community Rehabilitation Program (CRP) and to give guidance for the progress of current agriculture projects. Among projects that were implemented outside the CRC Complex include kelulut bee cultivation and landscape projects.

Working Visit to NBOS 8 Military Community Transformation Centre (MCTC) @ Desa Pahlawan Camp, Kota Bharu



Chief Executive of MiDAS, did a working visit to Military Community Transformation Centre (MCTC) Kem Desa Pahlawan, Kota Bharu on 18th Sep 17. The purpose of his visit was to monitor the development of NBOS 8 - MCTC and to give guidance for the progress of current activities conducted at the centre. The initiative is to allow the family members, retirees and to raise their standard of living by opening business outlets at MCTC building and cultivating high value farming on idle land. Currently MCTC is engaged with Kelulut Bee farming undertaken by a military retiree, WO II Rosman bin Mamat (R) who earns a monthly income of RM 3,300.00.

Working Visit to NBOS 8 Community Rehabilitation Program @ Syed Sirajuddin Camp, Gemas, Negeri Sembilan

Chief Executive of MiDAS, visited Community Rehabilitation Centre (CRC) Gemas, Negeri Sembilan on 5th Oct 17. The purpose of his visit was to monitor the development of NBOS 8 - Community Rehabilitation Program (CRP) and to give guidance for the progress of current agriculture projects. Among projects that were implemented include pineapple and vegetable agricultural projects, breeding of ayam kampung and ikan keli projects.



Working Visit to NBOS 8 Military Community Transformation Centre (MCTC) @ RMAF Base, Labuan

Chief Executive of MiDAS, did a working visit to Military Community Transformation Centre (MCTC) Labuan Base on 3rd Nov 17. The visit was received by Labuan Base Commander, Brig Gen Dato' Sardon bin Hassan RMAF. The purpose of his visit was to monitor the development of NBOS 8 - MCTC and to give guidance for the progress of current projects conducted at the centre. Among projects that were implemented include mushroom and rock melon agriculture projects and breeding of ikan keli aquaculture project.



Working Visit to NBOS 8 Community Rehabilitation Program @ Batu 10 Camp, Kuantan, Pahang



Chief Executive of MiDAS, visited Community Rehabilitation Centre (CRC) at Kem Batu 10, Kuantan on 15th Dec 17. The purpose of his visit was to monitor the development of NBOS 8 -Community Rehabilitation Program (CRP) and to give guidance for the progress of current projects. For future planning, the agriculture projects will be expanded outside of the CRC Complex following the approval of land requisition for agriculture planting.

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Working Visit by Senior Director of MBOSC, MIDAS to NBOS 3 Idle Land Project, Sepang



Senior Director of MiDAS Blue Ocean Strategy Centre (MBOSC), Brig Gen Abd Malik bin Jiran made a working visit to NBOS 3 Idle Land Project at Sepang, Selangor on 6th Nov 17. The purpose of the visit was to ascertain and monitor the progress of NBOS 3 Idle Land Rock Melon Agriculture Project undertaken by a military retiree, Lt Kol Mazlan bin Abu (R). The initiative is part of parcel of the idea to raise the standard of living of the veteran by utilizing idle land for high value farming.

Success Story of Community Rehabilitation Program (CRP)

Success stories of former inmates from CRP comprised three inmates who were directly involved in agricultural training at the two centres. The objective of the program is to give guidance to inmates (ODS) by providing skills training that can effectively turn them into useful citizens before they leave the centres. The success stories of the Community Rehabilitation Program are as follows:



The first inmate is Arunvythiligam al Raju who was released on 3 Oct 16. He was employed immediately after being released by the Negeri Sembilan Royalty as a pineapple planter earning a monthly salary of RM 1,500.00 with Sri Menanti Valley Farm, Negeri Sembilan.

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The second inmate is Fildaus bin Ramli from Melaka who was released on 24 May 16. He started a Rock Melon Agriculture Project since Jun 16 in Bemban, Melaka. He is now a successful rock melon planter earning a monthly income of RM 3,000.00. He received a grant of RM 16,000.00 from MARDI (MOA) and is also a member of Agropreneur Muda MARDI.



The third inmate is Mohamad Nasir bin Sohor who was released on 19 Mar 14 and underwent farming and agriculture training at CRC Jitra. He started a small-scale village chicken project since 23 Sep 16 in Kg Seterus, Sauk, Kuala Kangsar, Perak with a starting capital of RM 3,000.00 from the contribution of the Kelab Sahabat Penjara. Currently, he is breeding 100 village chicken with an average monthly income of RM 1,500.00.



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Success Story for Military Community Transformation Centre (MCTC) Initiative

Success stories from MCTC involved four military retirees and one BAKAT member who gained knowledge and expertise from the activities organized and implemented at MCTCs. The objective of the initiative is to raise the quality of life of military personnel and their families as well as local communities. The success stories are as follows:

The first is a retiree Kapt Ismadi bin Umar (R) from MCTC Labuan who served at Labuan Base, retired since 28th Sep 16. He started an agriculture and aquaculture project since Feb 2017 in Bukit Sentosa, Rawang, Selangor. Currently he is working on a four-acre land covering activities such as chili and eggplant fertigation, breeding of ayam kampung, talapia and goat farming projects. His monthly income is RM 8,000.00.

The second is a retiree WO 1 Mior Azhar bin Mohd Ariffin (R) from MCTC Lumut. His last unit was TLDM Lumut Base and retired since 5th Jul 16. He started an agriculture fertigation project since Feb 2017 in Lot 499, Kampung Teluk Penchalang, Sitiawan. He is now a successful chili planter earning an income of RM 7,000.00 per season.



The third is a successful entrepreneur, Puan Siti Suraya binti Makhtar, wife to Lt Kol Zunaidi bin Hassan. She started a Dee Sue Resources Bakery Shop since 22nd Oct 15 at Lot 797, Jln Pengkalan Chepa, Kota Bharu and earning a monthly income of RM 7,000.00 from her bakery shop and working as an instructor at workshops and seminars. She received guidance from the Kelantan Agriculture Department and KADA.



The last success story is a retiree WO II Rosman bin Mamat (R) from MCTC Kota Bharu who served at Kem Desa Pahlawan, retired since 15th Oct 16. He started an agriculture project since 22nd Oct 15 in Kem Desa Pahlawan, Kota Bharu. He is now a successful Kelulut Bee Cultivator earning a monthly income of RM 3,300.00.



BOS & NBOS Awareness Program

MBOSC has conducted a series of Blue Ocean Strategy (BOS) and National Blue Ocean Strategy (NBOS) Awareness Program. The awareness program on NBOS was conducted during the visit by overseas institutions to MiDAS such as National Defence University (NDU) Pakistan, National Defence College (NDC) Nigeria, National Defence College (NDU) Bangladesh, Command & Staff College Indonesia and Command & Staff College Brunei as well as Delegation of Military Attaché Corps.

The awareness program also was done in collaboration with local training institutions namely Malaysian Armed Forces Staff College, Kolej Tentera Darat (KTD), Pusat Kepimpinan TLDM and Pusat Kecemerlangan Angkatan Tentera Malaysia. The participants were given brief knowledge on BOS, NBOS and the NBOS initiatives undertaken by the Armed Forces. Apart from that, MiDAS collaborated with National Strategic Unit (NSU) in the awareness program for staff from other ministries and agencies by giving a lecture on NBOS and current NBOS initiatives undertaken by Armed Forces.



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KING SALMAN CENTRE FOR INTERNATIONAL PEACE



“The two countries announced the establishment of the Global Centre for Peace. The centre will be established in Malaysia under the name of King Salman Centre for International Peace. The centre will be established in collaboration with the Intellectual Warfare Centre, Ministry of Defence, Kingdom of Saudi Arabia, Malaysian Institute of Defence and Security (MiDAS), Ministry of Defence Malaysia, the Islamic Science University of Malaysia, and the Muslim World League Kingdom of Saudi Arabia.”

1 March 2017

Joint Statement between the Government of Malaysia and the Kingdom of Saudi Arabia.

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OVERVIEW

In cognisance of the uncertain geopolitics and geostrategic of the global environment, it is time an institution such as King Salman Centre for International Peace (KSCIP) to be established to address the challenges that lie ahead within the context of security and peace. In responding to this situation, Malaysia as a model of modern, moderate and progressive Muslim state is called to take the lead in this initiative.

Taking lead from the leadership and wisdom of both Prime Minister Dato' Sri Mohd Najib Tun Razak and the Defence Minister Dato' Seri Hishammuddin Tun Hussein, a strategic partnership is forged between Malaysian Government and the Kingdom of Saudi Arabia. The strategic relations are at the pinnacle especially in defence and security cooperation that is synergised by the special personal relationship between the Defence Minister himself with the Deputy Crown Prince, Mohamed bin Salman.

This initiative dated back from Jan 2016 when a Working Visit to Riyadh by the Defence Minister triggered the idea as both leaders were equally concerned of the situation in the spectrum of terrorism and extremism which more often than not being wrongly associated to Islam and the Muslim population. Both countries felt obligated to respond to this misconception by providing a more concrete action through a consolidated approach in addressing the matter at hands. This brought us to the idea of establishing a research think-and-do-tank (organisation) to allow scholars and practitioners working hand in hand with other relevant bodies to ensure a more comprehensive approach in achieving peace in the global world.



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With a strong vision to advocate global peace, a mission was formulated to develop and promote the cultural relativism by capitalising the concept of Wasatiyyah in particular Moderation, which is the bedrock of Malaysia Muslim multiracial progressive society. Naturally, it is sensible for Malaysia to be the centre for this noble initiative in spreading the message of peace and harmony to the world.

This initiative can be achieved through a structured multi-pronged approach starting with a comprehensive research work on contemporary security environment and peaceful co-existence of mankind. By advocating the principles of Wasatiyyah, this will facilitate education and the sharing of knowledge through the bridging of gaps. Hence, this will further allow new and creative approaches and method in preventing and countering violent extremism and terrorism, which in turn will further encourage international engagement and commitment towards global peace.

The nature of KSCIP being a think-and-do-tank organisation, requires it to be established with two main components namely the Research Division and the Operation Division. This is the unique features of KSCIP, where these two divisions will house academia and practitioners with the lights of military professionalism know how, to combine their expertise, knowledge, and experiences in their respective areas particularly on the subject of peace and security. These will then be disseminated or advocated the target audiences through collaboration and strategic partnership with various government and non-government agencies. More importantly, the people in this organisation will come from all corners of the world regardless of their social and religious background.

This noble aspiration of the two countries is timely as to answering the call of unity through sending the right and true message of As Salam. The concept of Wasatiyyah and moderation will perhaps pave the way to reduce the gap between cultures and civilisations.

MIDAS was tasked as a Nucleus Team for KSCIP and responsible to plan and coordinate initial requirement in order to ensure the smooth execution in establishing of KSCIP in Kuala Lumpur.



ADMINISTRATION AND DEVELOPMENT DEPARTMENT

The Administration and Development Department (A&DD) is responsible for planning and coordinating the Institute's training, administration, human resource management as well as budgeting/financial matters of the Institute. A&DD is also responsible to give logistic and administration support and execute all publications such as journals, motographs, conference report and proceedings that published by MiDAS. A&DD is also responsible to give support in the organising and conduct information sharing through conferences, seminars, talks, dialogues, discussions, simulating and round table talks.

Visit to MiDAS

YBhg Dato' Sri Abdul Rahim bin Mohamad Radzi,
Secretary General

On 13 January 2017, MINDEF Secretary General visit to MIDAS for a breakfast talk occasion.



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**Prof Dato' Dr. Musa Ahmad,
Vice Chancellor of University Sains Islam Malaysia**

Chief Executive received courtesy call by the Prof Dato' Dr. Musa Ahmad, Vice Chancellor of University Sains Islam Malaysia on 14 May 2017. The courtesy call is a first step for a collaboration.



**Rear Admiral Samuel Ilesanmi Alade,
Commandant of National Defence
College of Nigeria**

On 25 May 2017, Rear Admiral Samuel Ilesanmi Alade, Commandant of National Defence College of Nigeria and delegation visit to MiDAS. The delegation was received by Brig Gen Toh Choon Siang, Senior Director of MBOSC.

**Brig Gen Hussain Abdulrahman
AlGumaia,
Military Attaché at the Embassy of
the Kingdom of Saudi Arabia**

Chief Executive of MiDAS received a courtesy call by the Brig Gen Hussain Abdulrahman AlGumaia, Military Attaché at the Embassy of the Kingdom of Saudi Arabia on 11 July 2017. The courtesy call is very important for the cooperation regarding the establishment of KSCIP.



**Professor Fu Zhiming,
Deputy Dean of School of Foreign Languages, Peking University**

Professor Fu Zhiming, Deputy Dean of School of Foreign Languages, Peking University was visiting MiDAS on 10 August 2017. During the visit, MiDAS giving a briefing to him on the responsibilities of MiDAS and its functions.



**Rear Admiral Muhammad Anwarul Islam,
Senior Directing Staff from Bangladesh National Defence College**

MiDAS received a visit from Senior Directing Staff from Bangladesh National Defence College, Rear Admiral Muhammad Anwarul Islam on 16 August 2017. A briefing about MiDAS was conducted during the visit.



**Ms. Anita Jacobson,
General Manager DSA Exhibition & Conference Sdn Bhd**

Chief Executive of MiDAS received courtesy a call by Ms. Anita Jacobson as a General Manager of DSA Exhibition & Conference Sdn Bhd. The purpose of the courtesy call was to establish a connection for future collaborate with MiDAS. The visit was held on 30 August 2017.

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Maj Gen Muhammad Chiragh Haider,
Director General Military Training (DGMT) Pakistan Army

On 19 September 2017, Chief Executive MiDAS received a courtesy call by Maj Gen Muhammad Chiragh Haider, Director General Military Training (DGMT) of Pakistan Army.



Imam Asim Hafiz,
Islamic Religious Advisor to Chief of the Defence Staff & Service Chiefs UK

On 19 Okt 2017, Imam Imam Asim Hafiz, the Islamic Religious Advisor to Chief of the Defence Staff & Service Chiefs United Kingdom visited to MiDAS and having a discussion regarding on Islamic issues.

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HE Mahmoud Hussien Saeed Qattan, Ambassador of the Kingdom of Saudi Arabia

HE Mahmoud Hussien Saeed Qattan was received by Chief Executive of MiDAS on 21st September 17. HE Mahmoud Hussien Saeed Qattan was given an insight on MiDAS organisation, activities and its function as a think-tank for MinDef. As a token of appreciation Chief Executive of MiDAS presented him with MiDAS publication.



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STAFF ACTIVITIES

Weekly Staff Parade

Every Monday, MiDAS is conducting its Master parade at the MiDAS' parking area. The purpose of the parade is to instil the highest standard of discipline among MiDAS' staff.



Physical Training Session

Once a month, Admin & Development Department will organise a physical training session at Taman Tasik Titiwangsa. The physical training activities will start at 0730 until 0830. After each physical training session, all of MiDAS staff will be having a breakfast together at the Taman Tasik Titiwangsa's area.



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FAREWELL DINNER



Handing and Taking Over Ceremony

Senior Director MBOSC

27 September 2017. The ceremony was between Brig Jen Toh Choon Siang and Brig Jen Abd Malik bin Jiran. The ceremony was witnessed by Chief Executive of MiDAS at MiDAS foyer.

Director of Traditional Military Affairs CDSRC

27 September 2017. Handing and Taking over ceremony for Director of Strategy & Implementation between Col Nordin bin Rijaludin with Col Hamidi bin Hashim. The ceremony was witnessed by Senior Director of MBOSC at MiDAS foyer.

Director of Strategy and Implementation MBOSC

31 October 2017. The ceremony of handing and taking over appointment of Traditional Military Affairs Director CDSRD between First Admiral Yeow Ho Siong and Cept Ee (Yee) Tai Peng. The ceremony was witnessed by Chief Executive of MiDAS at MiDAS foyer.



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FAST BREAKING

Chief Executive of MiDAS attended a breaking of fast with all of MiDAS Officers and Staff including family at Dewan Perkasa, Malaysian Armed Forces Officers' Mess on 10 June 2017.



HARI RAYA CELEBRATION



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POSTED IN & POSTED OUT STAFF INCOMING

Cepr Ee (Yee) Tai Peng RMN.
Appointment: Director of TMA, CDSRC.
From: KD Sultan Idris 1, Lumut Naval Base.
Joined: 25 Oct 2017.

Col Hamidi bin Hashim RMAF.
Appointment: Director of Strategy & Implementation, MBOSC.
From: Pakistan's Air War Course.
Joined: 17 Jun 2017.

Lt Col Mazuhir bin Md Amin.
Appointment: Director A&DD.
From: COA's Office, Army HQ.
Joined: 3 Feb 2017

Lt Col Ir Suthan so Venkatachalam.
Appointment: Deputy Director of Policy Research, CDSRC.
From: REME Directorate.
Joined: 3 Feb 2017.

Lt Col Suresh so K. Vijayaratham.
Appointment: Deputy Director of TMA, CDSRC
From: Sqn No 14 RMAF, Labuan Air Base.
Joined: 10 Apr 2017.

Lt Col Dr. Mazli bin Mohd Aini.
Appointment: Researcher at CDSRC.
From: KAGAT Training Institute (ILMI).
Joined: 1 Oct 2017.

Mr Edwin SM Alfred so Soosai.
Appointment: Researcher at CDSRC.
From: Ministry of Women, Family & Community Development.
Joined: 1 Apr 2017.

Maj Mohd Johari bin Redzuan.
Appointment: Deputy Director A&DD.
From: 74 Bn RSC.
Joined: 28 July 2017.

Lt Cdr Mohd Firdaus bin Arbaain RMN.
Appointment: Special Officer, KSCIP.
From: Joint Warfare Centre (PESAMA).
Joined: 2 June 2017.

Lt Cdr Siti Norhajar binti Megat Ahmad Roslan RMN.
Appointment: Assistant Manager, KSCIP.
From: Materiel Department, Naval HQ.
Joined: 25 Oct 2017.

Capt Shafariz bin Ghani.
Appointment: Assistant Researcher KSCIP.
From: KD Sri Gombak, Kuala Lumpur.
Joined: 22 May 2017.

Mrs Nurul Ain binti Hassim.
Appointment: Assistant Manager, KSCIP.
From: Information Management Division, MINDEF.
Joined: 25 Nov 2017.

Mrs Fuzaimah binti Yusof.
Appointment: Deputy Admin Officer.
From: Army Log HQ.
Joined: 6 July 2017.

Cpl Mohd Helmi bin Sabudin.
Appointment: A&DD Driver.
From: MALBAT (Lebanon).
Joined: 30 Oct 2017.

Cpl Mohamad Nasri bin Che Hat.
Appointment: CE's Office Clerk.
From: 17 RMR (Para).
Joined: 6 Nov 2017.

Cpl Maznan bin Mamad.
Appointment: A&DD Driver.
From: 74 Bn RSC.
Joined: 4 Dec 2017.

LR Mohd Hidayat bin Abd Rahim.
Appointment: CDSRC Clerk.
From: Secretariat Naval HQ.
Joined: 27 Dec 2017.

LR Muhamad Fauzi bin Md Bus.
Appointment: KSCIP Clerk.
From: Secretariat Naval HQ.
Joined: 26 Dec 2017.

OUTGOING

Brig Gen Toh Choon Siang.
Appointment: Senior Director of MBOSC.
Reposted To: 11th Inf Bde.
Effective Date: 7 Sep 2017.

Brig Gen Abd Malik bin Jiran.
Appointment: Senior Director of MBOSC.
Reposted To: 12th Inf Bde.
Effective Date: 3 Nov 2017.

First Admiral Datuk Yeow Ho Siong RMN.
Appointment: Director of TMA, CDSRC.
Reposted To: Retired on 25 June 2018.
Effective Date: 25 Oct 2017.

Col Nordin bin Rijaludin RMAF.
Appointment: Director of Strategy & Implementation, MBOSC.
Reposted To: Retired on 3 Feb 2018.
Effective Date: 17 Sep 2017.

Col Munraj Singh so Jugtar Singh.
Appointment: Deputy Director of TMA, CDSRC.
Reposted To: 2nd TF HQ
Effective Date: 15 Mac 2017.

Lt Col Safarin bin Mohd Saad.
Appointment: Deputy Director of A&DD.
Reposted To: 1st Inf Div HQ.
Effective Date: 28 July 2017.

Mr Kaharul Arifin bin Kahar.
Appointment: Researcher at CDSRC.
Reposted To: HRM Division, MINDEF.
Effective Date: 13 July 2017.

CPO Samsul bin Adb Aziz.
Appointment: CDSRC Clerk.
Reposted To: Retired on 14 Aug 2017.
Effective Date: 14 Aug 2017.

Cpl Abd Razak bin Che Ani.
Appointment: MBOSC Clerk.
Reposted To: Retired on 7 Feb 2018.
Effective Date: 14 Sep 2017.

LR Prasasti anak Tunai.
Appointment: CDSRC Clerk.
Reposted To: KD Sri Gombak, Kuala Lumpur.
Effective Date: 31 Oct 2017.

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