

APCEL INDONESIA SERIES :

PREPARING FOR JUST TRANSITION IN A DEVELOPING WORLD

Speakers' Profiles



Sandra Moniaga has used her training in law to advocate for environmental and indigenous rights for over 25 years. Since receiving her law degree from Parahyangan Catholic University, Indonesia in 1986, she has co-developed and led several local and national NGOs focusing on rights-based and poor-oriented policy advocacy, legal resource development, democratization of law reform, and knowledge management. In 2004, Sandra began a PhD in Law at the University of Leiden, Netherlands. In November 2012 Sandra was selected by the Parliament as a Commissioner of the National Commission on Human Rights of the Republic of Indonesia (Komnas HAM - RI) for a five-year term.



Jun Arima is a Professor in the Graduate School of Public Policy, the University of Tokyo since August 2015. He currently holds the Professorship at the University of Tokyo, he serves as Project Leader for the 21st Century Public Policy, a Distinguished Senior Research Fellow at the Asia Pacific Institute of Research and a Consulting Fellow at the Research Institute of Economy, Economy, Trade and Industry, Senior Policy Fellow for Energy and Environment, Economic Research Institute for ASEAN and East Asia (ERIA). He is also a Lead Author of the Intergovernmental Panel of Climate Change (IPCC) 6th Assessment Report.



Danielle Yeow specializes in climate change law and policy issues at the Centre for International Law (CIL), National University of Singapore, and is an Adjunct Associate Professor in the Master of Science in Environmental Management Programme at the Faculty of Law. She hosts CIL's "In Conversation" series that explores a range of issues at the center of the climate debate and trends that impact the direction of the global efforts to combat climate change. Danielle is also concurrently a Senior Advisor with the DGA - Albright Stonebridge Group and a Consultant for KGP Legal (Member of InterAsia Law Alliance).



Tim Guanzon is a lawyer at ClientEarth. Before joining ClientEarth, Tim was the Director for the Energy Committee under a Philippine Senator for close to 6 years. Her work focused on legislation and oversight over the entire energy value chain where she led the team providing legal and technical support for the passage of 11 new energy laws. She is one of the awardees of the Women in Renewables Asia 2019.



Beni Suryadi is Acting Executive Director of the ASEAN Centre for Energy (ACE). He is an energy professional with 15 years of experience in managing programs and conducting research on energy and climate change, supporting the governments of 10 countries in Southeast Asia to build climate-friendly energy sector development under the ASEAN Ministers on Energy overview. He previously led the work on the development of the 6th ASEAN Energy Outlook, the ASEAN Interconnection Masterplan Study, and the ASEAN Climate Change and Energy Project.



Paul Butarbutar currently serves as the Secretary General of the JETP Indonesia Secretariat. Bringing more than 24 years of experience in environmental and energy advisory work, Paul's portfolio includes managing air pollution and waste, climate financing, carbon pricing, carbon market, renewable energy, and energy efficiency investments. He has advised various Ministries in Indonesia, including the Ministry of National Development, the Ministry of Finance, and the Ministry of Environment and Forestry, as well as multilateral institutions such as the UNDP, ADB, World Bank, AusAID, among others. Paul actively contributed to Article 6 negotiations during COP26.



Dr. Martua T. Sirait has been working in land tenure and resource policy research in Indonesia and the SEA region since working at World Agroforestry Center. In 2008, he was formally recognized as a Samdhana Fellow. From 2016, he led the Policy Support Unit at Samdhana Institute to promote land tenure security for the Indigenous People's and Local Communities, and since 2018 has served as Director for Indonesia Operations at the same institutions.

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This is a hybrid webinar/in-person event consisting of two panel sessions, co-organized by Asia-Pacific Centre for Environmental Law (APCEL) and Centre for International Law (CIL), National University of Singapore. While just transition is an important component of the Paris Agreement and has been reflected in legal frameworks, this concept and its legal implications are still evolving. This event will discuss the principles, impacts and policies relating to just transition and how it relates to the Indonesian and ASEAN context.

Speakers



Sandra Moniaga, Former Commissioner of the National Commission on Human Rights of the Republic of Indonesia



Jun Arima, Economic Research Institute for ASEAN and East Asia



Danielle Yeow, Lead, Climate Change Law and Policy, Centre for International Law, NUS



Tim Guanzon, Energy Lawyer, ASEAN Energy and just transition expert, Client Earth



Beni Suryadi, Acting Executive Director, ASEAN Centre for Energy



Paul Butarbutar, JETP Indonesia Secretary General



Dr. Martua T Sirait, Lead, Policy Support Unit, Samdhana Institute

IN-PERSON



ZOOM



Programme

1400 - 1415: **Introduction**

- Introduction to the hybrid event by Jolene Lin, Director of APCEL, NUS Law
- Remarks by Nilufer Oral, Director of CIL, NUS.

1415 - 1515: **Session 1: Understanding Just Transition**

- Panellists: Sandra Moniaga, Jun Arima, Danielle Yeow,
- Moderator: Denise Cheong, CIL

1515- 1535: **Break and refreshments**

1535- 1645: **Session 2: The Indonesian and ASEAN Context**

- Panellists: Tim Guanzon, Paul Butarbutar, Beni Suryadi, Dr. Martua T. Sirait
- Moderator: Linda Yanti Sulistiawati, APCEL

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2-4.45PM

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