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Short CV

Dr Mohd Kamarulnizam Abdullah is Professor and Principal Fellow at the Asian Studies Centre, Institute for Malaysia and International Studies (IKMAS), Universiti Kebangsaan Malaysia (UKM). He served UKM earlier between 1991-2012 before joining School of International Studies, Universiti Utara Malaysia (UUM) as Professor in National Security for ten years (2012-2022). He received his PhD from Lancaster University, UK; MA (International Relations) from the Australian National University, and Bachelor of Science (Political Science) from the University of Utah, USA. His areas of research focus on terrorism, political violence and religious militancy. Among his latest publications are: “Malaysia’s Navigation against Salafi-Wahabi Ideological Expansionism: State’s Strong Role and Societal Resilience” (*Studia Islamika*, 2022); “Political Islam and Democracy in Malaysia,” (2019, *Secularism, Religion and Democracy in Southeast Asia*, Oxford University Press) dan ‘Malaysia: Adapting to the Dynamic Changes of Terrorist Threats.’ (co-author, 2019, *Non-Western Responses to Terrorism*, Manchester University Press). Currently, he is Senior Consultant for the Home Ministry’s project on National Action Plan (NAP) on Violent Extremism. Other governmental appointments or international consultative projects include Maritime Criminality in Malaysia (United Nations Office for Drugs and Crime, UNODC); Malaysia’s White Paper on Defence (Defence Ministry); Rehabilitation, De-radicalization and Counter-Terrorism Programs as well as for the Formulation of Home Security Policy (Home Affairs Ministry); and Steering Committee for the establishment of National Defence University Malaysia (UPNM) (Ministry of Higher Education). He is also country coordinator for the International Civilization Dialogue and Religious Understanding Program (Japan Ministry of Foreign Affairs). He is currently an editorial member for the Scopus indexed *Journal of Human Security* and *Journal of International Studies (JIS)*; *Jurnal Kinabalu (EJK)*, *Jurnal Hubungan Internasional (UMY)*, as well as associate member of the -the Southeast Asia Conflict Studies Network. He has been appointed as non-resident professor at Jinan University, Guangzhou; Institute of Diplomacy Timor Leste; and Universiti Sultan Zainal Abidin (Unisza). He also served as resident professor at the Universitas Pasundan Bandung; Universitas President, Bekasi; and Universitas Pembangunan Veteran Nasional, Yogyakarta.

DR MOHD KAMARULNIZAM ABDULLAH adalah Profesor dan Felo Utama di Pusat Kajian Asia, Institut Kajian Malaysia dan Antarabangsa (IKMAS). Beliau pernah berkhidmta dengan UKM sebelum ini antara tahun 1991-2012 sebelum menyertai Pusat Pengajian Antarabangsa, Universiti Utara Malaysia (UUM) selama sepuluh tahun (2012-2022) sebagai Profesor dalam Keselamatan Negara. Beliau menerima Ijazah Doktor Falsafah (PhD) dalam Politik daripada Lancaster University, UK; Ijazah Sarjana Sastera dalam Hubungan Antarabangsa daripada Australian National University (ANU); dan Ijazah Sarjana Muda Sains (Sains Politik) daripada University of Utah, Amerika Syarikat. Fokus penulisan dan penyelidikan beliau adalah dalam bidang keselamatan, terorisme dan militan agama. Antara penerbitan terbaharu beliau adalah, “Malaysia’s Navigation Against Salafi-Wahabi Ideological Expansionism: State’s Strong Role And Societal Resilience” (*Studia Islamika*, 2022); “Political Islam and Democracy in Malaysia,” (2019, *Secularism, Religion and Democracy in Southeast Asia*, Oxford University Press) dan ‘Malaysia: Adapting to the Dynamic Changes of Terrorist Threats.’ (co-author, 2019, *Non-Western Responses to Terrorism*, Manchester University Press). Pada masa ini, beliau dilantik sebagai pakar konsultan pembinaan Pelan Tindakan Negara untuk Ekstremisme Ganas (Kementerian Dalam Negeri, KDN), dan juga Penggubalan Semula Dasar Keselamatan Negara Malaysia (Majlis Keselamatan Negara, MKN). Beliau juga telah dilantik sebagai konsultan di dalam pelbagai jawatankuasa dalam dan luar negeri seperti Pemetaan Jenayah Maritim Malaysia (United Nations Office for Drugs and Crime, UNODC); Kertas Putih Dasar Pertahanan Negara (Kementerian Pertahanan Malaysia); Jawatankuasa Rehabilitasi, Deradikalisasi, dan Keganasan-Balas, dan Jawatankuasa Dasar Keselamatan Dalam Negeri (KDN); Jawatankuasa Pemandu Penubuhan Universiti Pertahanan Nasional Malaysia (UPNM) (Kementerian Pengajian Tinggi, KPT). Beliau juga adalah Penyelaras Negara untuk International Civilization Dialogue and Religious Understanding Program Japan Ministry of Foreign Affairs; ahli sidang editor dalam jurnal terindeks Scopus- *Journal of Human Security* (Switzerland) dan *Journal of International Studie (JIS)*; *Jurnal Kinabalu (EJK)*, *Jurnal Hubungan Internasional (UMY)* serta ahli bersekutu, the Southeast Asia Conflict Studies Network. Beliau pernah dilantik sebagai Profesor Bukan Residen di Jinan University, Guangzhou; Institute of Diplomacy Timor Leste; and Universiti Sultan Zainal Abidin (Unisza). Di samping itu, beliau juga pernah dilantik sebagai residen profesor di Universitas Pasundan Bandung; Universitas President, Bekasi; and Universitas Pembangunan Veteran Nasional, Yogyakarta.

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2. EDUCATION

Degree	Year	Graduating Institution	Major/Minor
PhD	1998	Lancaster University	Politics (Thesis- Political Islam and National Security)
M.A.	1992	Australian National University	International Relations (Thesis- Contemporary Jihad)
B.Sc.	1990	University of Utah	Political Science (Minor Middle Eastern International Relations)

3. EMPLOYMENT RECORD

Designation with Institution	Period	Nature of work
Universiti Kebangsaan Malaysia (UKM)- Institute of Malaysia and International Studies	March 2022-	Professor/Principle Fellow
Universiti Utara Malaysia (UUM)	Feb 2012-March 2022	Professor
	2016-2018	Dean of Graduate School
	2013-2015	Director of UUM Institute for Indonesia, Thailand, and Singapore
Universiti Kebangsaan Malaysia (UKM)- Faculty of Social Sciences and Humanities	Jan 2005-Feb 2012	Associate Professor
	1999-2005	Head Strategic and Security Studies Unit
Universiti Kebangsaan Malaysia (UKM)	Jul 1998-Jan 2004	Senior Lecturer
	Jun 1991-Jul 1998	Tutor

4. LEADERSHIP TRAINING

1. Seventh ASEAN Harvard University Senior Management Development, July-August 2016.
2. Strategic Leadership & Decision-Making: An Academic, AKEPT-Ministry of Higher Education, Oct-Nov 2016
3. Senior Management Course 2017, Module: integrity and Accountability. UUM, Sintok, Kedah, 2017
4. Senior Management Course Universiti Utara Malaysia, Langkawi, Jan 2016.
5. Senior Management Course UUM, Sintok, Kedah, Jan 2015
6. Senior Management Course UUM, Sintok Kedah, Julai 2013.

5. PROFESSIONAL APPOINTMENTS/AWARDS/HONOURS

National Level

1. Senior Consultant, Consultative Research Panel for Ministry of Home Affairs, 2022-2023.
2. Senior Consultant. Reformulation of National Security, National Security Council, Malaysia. 2021-2023
3. Columnist *Mingguan Malaysia* 2004-now
4. Senior Consultant, National Action Plan (NAP) on Violent Extremism, IPSOM, Ministry of Home Affairs, 2021 - 2022
5. Senior Consultant, Malaysia's White Paper on Defence, Ministry of Defence, Malaysia, 2019.
6. Expert Panel for the Government of Malaysia, Ministry of Home Affairs, on Rehabilitation, De-radicalization and Counter-Terrorism Programs for Department of Correctional and Prisons, 2017-2020.
7. Assessor (Expert Panel), Accreditation of Prior Experiential Learning (APEL 7), Malaysian Qualification Agency (MQA), 2018-2020
8. Senior Expert Panel for Defence Studies, Security Studies and International Relations, Malaysian Qualification Agency (MQA), since 2012.
9. Non-Resident Professor in International Relations, Universiti Sultan Zainal Abidin (Unisza), Kuala Terengganu, 2017-2020.
10. Senior Consultant, Ministry of Home Affairs, on the Formulation of Home Security Policy, 2016-2017.
11. Senior Consultant, Revision of the National Defense Policy, Ministry of Defense, Malaysia, 2016
12. Member, Council for Security Cooperation Asia-Pacific (CSCAP), Malaysia, since 2013.

13. Committee Member, Malaysia's Professorial Council (Security and Politics), 2012-2018
14. Steering Committee Member for the Establishment of National Defense University of Malaysia (NUDM), 2006-07

International Level and Special Awards

1. Program Coordinator for the Malaysian Secretariat for International Civilization Dialogue and Religious Understanding Program and Japan Jenesy's Project, Ministry of Foreign Affairs, Japan, 2016-2021.
2. Non-resident Professor, Institute of Southeast Asian Studies on Counter Terrorism, Jinan University, Guangzhou, 2016/2017; 2018/2019.
3. Resident Professor, Universitas Pasundan, Bandung, and Universitas President, Bekasi, Indonesia, Session 2002/2021.
4. Non-resident Professor Lecturer, Timor Leste's Institute of Diplomacy, 2015-2023
5. Consultant, Council for Counter Terrorism Research (later renamed Council for Asian Trans-National Security), Institute of Defense Analysis, Washington D.C. 2007-2013.
6. Co-Chairman, Thai-Malaysia Think Thank and Scholars Network –TMTT (under the Thailand Foreign Ministry), since 2012

6. RELATED CURRENT RESEARCH PROJECTS (ONGOING)

1. Researcher, State and Religious Terrorism, 2019-2021, Japan's Ministry of Education (MOE) and National Graduate Institute for Policy Studies, Tokyo (GRIPS), USD50, 000 Ongoing.
2. Researcher, Ideas, Movement and Institutionalization: A Study Of Dissemination Process of Salafism In Southeast Asia, 2019-2023, Japan Society for the Promotion of Science (JSPS), USD120, 000, Ongoing
3. Head Researcher, Contemporary Security Challenges in ASEAN, 2018-2019, Yayasan Ain Bain Malaysia, RM50, 000, Ongoing.
4. Head Researcher. Toleransi Etnik Dan Agama Di Kalangan Belia Malaysia. Yayasan Gerakan Moderat Malaysia 2017-2020. RM40,000. Ongoing.
5. Researcher, Cooperation and Challenge in the China –ASEAN Relations in the New Era, 2017-2020, Guangxi University for Nationalities Research Fund, PR of China. USD15, 000, Ongoing.
6. Researcher. The Cooperation between Thailand and Malaysia on the Issue of Refugees: Case Study of Rohingya and Uyghur, 2019-2020, Thai Research Council, 100, 000, Ongoing.
7. Head Researcher, Pendapat dan Pendirian Rakyat Malaysia Terhadap Islamic State (IS), 2016-2019, IPSOM, Kementerian Dalam Negeri, RM149,000. Completed.
8. Head Researcher, Kajian Pemetaan Kemiskinan Di Selatan Thailand. 2015-2018, Jabatan Perdana Menteri Malaysia, RM249, 900. Completed
9. Head Researcher, Kesedaran Belia Malaysia Terhadap Pembentukan dan Implikasi Perlaksanaan Komuniti ASEAN, 2015-2017, IYRES, Kementerian Belia dan Sukan Malaysia, RM155,300. Completed
10. Head Researcher. Malaysia Strategic and Defense Interests on Big Powers Initiatives In the Straits Of Malacca. 2011-2014, IRPA, RM90, 000. Completed

11. Head Researcher, Conceptualizing and Theorizing Jihad Among Southeast Asia's Radical Salafi Movements: Case Study on Jemaah Islamiyah, Hisbut Tahrir And Jamaah Asharut Tawhid. 2011-2014, IRPA, RM50, 000. Completed

7. RECENT PUBLICATION (SINCE 2011)

Book/Article in Book

1. Kamarulnizam Abdullah 2022. Malaysia-Indonesia: *Perbezaan Identiti dalam Hubungan Sebangsa*. Sintok: Penerbit Universiti Utara.
2. Kamarulnizam Abdullah. 2019. "Political Islam and Democracy in Malaysia." In Vidhu Verma (pnyt), *Secularism, Religion and Democracy in Southeast Asia*. Delhi & London: Oxford University Press.
3. Kamarulnizam Abdullah & Ridzuan Abdul Aziz. 2019. "Malaysia: Adapting to the Dynamic Changes of Terrorist Threats." Dalam Michale Boyle (pnyt.), *Non-Western Responses to Terrorism*. Manchester: Manchester University Press.
4. Kamarulnizam Abdullah. 2014. "Malaysia's Peacekeeping Operation Contribution" In Chiyuki Aoi & Yee-Kuang Heng (pnyt.) *Asia-Pacific Nations in International Peace Support and Stability Missions*, New York: Macmillan Palgrave.
5. Kamarulnizam Abdullah (Pnyt.) 2012. *Keselamatan Nasional Malaysia*. Bangi: Penerbit UKM.
6. Kamarulnizam Abdullah. 2012. Mengkonsepsualkan keselamatan nasional Malaysia. In Kamarulnizam Abdullah (pnyt.), *Keselamatan Nasional Malaysia*, Bangi: Penerbit UK. Hlm 11-28. (978-967-412-058-0)
7. Kamarulnizam Abdullah. 2012. Konsep, cabaran dan isu keselamatan nasional Malaysia. In Kamarulnizam Abdullah (pnyt.), *Keselamatan Nasional Malaysia*, Bangi: Penerbit UKM. Hlm 1-10. (978-967-412-058-0)
8. Arujunan Narayanan & Kamarulnizam Abdullah. 2012. Hubungan kaum, pembinaan negara bangsa dan keselamatan nasional Malaysia. In Kamarulnizam Abdullah (pnyt.), *Keselamatan Nasional Malaysia*, Bangi: Penerbit UKM. Hlm 66-87. (978-967-412-058-0)

Journal Articles

1. Kamarulnizam Abdullah. 2022. Malaysia's Navigation against Salafi-Wahabi Ideological Expansionism: State's Strong Role and Societal Resilience" *Studia Islamika*, 29 (2): (Scopus-Q2; WOS)
2. Kamarulnizam Abdullah. 2020. Complexity and Risks of Non-Traditional Security Threats. *The Journal of Defence and Security* 11(2): 77-79.
3. Theera Wongratch & Kamarulnizam Abdullah. 2020. The Dilemma of Trafficking in Person Case Studies of Uyghur Minorities. *Asian Journal of Multidisciplinary Studies* 8 (8): 35-44.
4. Wildani Angkasari, Kamarulnizam Abdullah, Asmar Abdul Rahim, & Mohammad Zaki Ahmad. 2020. Indonesia - Malaysia Dispute over Maritime Boundaries in the Northern Region of The Malacca Straits: Implication to Fisheries Management Regime. *Journal of Critical Review* 7(3): 593-98. (Scopus-Q4)
5. Che Mohd Aziz Yaacob, Kamarulnizam Abdullah, & Mohd Sofian Omar-Fauzee. 2019. "Pendirian, Kefahaman dan Penerimaan Rakyat Malaysia Terhadap Ideologi Perjuangan DAESH". *Kajian Malaysia* 37 (2). (Scopus-Q2, SJR 0.13).
6. Suhaili Abdul Rahman & Kamarulnizam Abdullah. 2019. "The Securitization of Sabah's Threat Challenges." *International Journal of Arts Humanities and Social Sciences* 4(2), February: 28-38
7. Ramli Dollah & Kamarulnizam Abdullah. 2018. "The Securitization of Migrant Workers in Sabah, Malaysia." *Journal of International Migration and Integration*.

- March (20): 1-20. (Scopus -Q1; SJR 0.5); DOI <https://doi.org/10.1007/s12134-018-0566-0>
8. Rahim Anuar, Kamarulnizam Abdullah, Shafii Anuar, & Eby hara. 2018. Little Brother-Big Brother Relationship through Malaysia-Indonesia Sosek-Malindo Initiatives: A Case Study of Entikong-Tebedu Border” *Man In India 98 (February)*. (Scopus-Q3; SJR 0.12)
 9. Suhaili Abdul Rahman & Kamarulnizam Abdullah. 2018. “Menguruskan Keselamatan Sabah: Dilema Dan Realiti.” *Malaysian Journal of Social Sciences and Humanities* 3(5): 55 – 67.
 10. Kamarulnizam Abdullah, Guido Benny, Yahya Don, Mohd Sofean Omar Fauzee, & Zahrul Akmal Daim. 2017. “Malaysian Youth's Perceptive Towards ASEAN Community”. *Malaysian Journal of Youth Studies* 16 (June): 1-18.
 11. Ramli Dollah & Kamarulnizam Abdullah. 2017. “Kepesatan Pembangunan Ekonomi dan Dasar Tenaga Kerja di Sabah, 1960-an – 1980-a”. *MANU: Jurnal Penataran Ilmu dan Bahasa*. 25 (1): 49-74.
 12. Ramli Dollah & Kamarulnizam Abdullah. 2017. “Wacana Hegemoni dan Dasar Pekerja Asing di Malaysia: Kajian kes ke atas persaingan elit pemerintah dan towkays di Sabah”. *Jurnal Komunikasi Borneo*. 5: 63-81.
 13. Hussein Abdulhassan Moeh & Kamarulnizam Abdullah. 2016. “State Sovereignty in the Age of Globalization.” *International Journal of Management and Applied Science* February 2(2); 10-14.
 14. Kamarulnizam Abdullah & Mohd Afandi Salleh. 2015. Conceptualizing Jihad among Southeast Asia's Radical Salafi Movements.” *Journal for the Study of Religions and Ideologies* 14(42): 4-28 (Scopus-Q1, SJR 0.27)
 15. Laila Suriya Ahmad Apandi, Kamarulnizam Abdullah & Siti Darwinda Mohamed Pero. 2015. “The South China Sea Flashpoint: A Litmus Test for the ASEAN APSC Building Process”. *ASEAN Foreign Policy Journal*. 2 (2): 10-14.
 16. Ahmed Aliyu, Kamarulnizam Abdullah, R. Ravichandran Moorthy, & Sity Daud. 2015. “Managing Terrorism and Insurgency through African Traditional Institutions: The Role of Kano Emirate Council –Nigeria.” *Mediterranean Journal of Social Sciences* 6(4): 126-136 (Scopus-Q3; 0.12).
 17. Habibah Ahmad, Hamzah Jusoh, Er Ah Choy, Amriah Buang, Sivapalan Selvadurai, Nur Farahin Zainuddin, Kamarulnizam Abdullah, & Sri Winarni Samsir. 2014. “Mengurus pelancongan sempadan Malaysia-Thailand: Kesepaduan atau konflik”. *Geografia: Malaysia Journal of Society and Space*. 10 (8): 65-71. (EBSCO, MyAIS, Ulrichs Periodicals Directory, DOAJ, Open J-System, ISC).
 18. Mohd Afandi Salleh, Kamarulnizam Abdullah, & Abdul; Majid Hafiz Mohamed. Nov. 2013. The Role of the Conservative Christian Movements in the US-Israel “Special Relationship,” *Pensee Multidisciplinary Journal* 75 (11): 33-43. (Scopus -Q4; SJR: 0.1)
 19. Kamarulnizam Abdullah & Guido Benny. 2013. Regional Public Opinion towards the Formation of Political Security Community in Southeast Asia. *Asian Journal of Scientific Research*, 6(4):650-665. (Scopus Q3, ACSI-Database, DOAJ, Google Scholar, Chemical Abstract Services; H Index: 4) DOI:10.3923/ajsr.2013.650.665
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 21. Kamarulnizam Abdullah, Rizal Sukma, Ma'ruf Jamhari, & Mazilan Musa. 2012. Perception and Attitude toward Terrorism in a Muslim Majority Country. *Asian Social Science Journal*. 8(4), April: 77-89. (Scopus Q4, EBSCO, DOAJ, ProQuest).
 22. Kamarulnizam Abdullah. 2011. The Death of Osama: The view from Malaysia. *Journal of Policing, Intelligence and Counter Terrorism* 6(2): 151-67. 2159-5364 (electronic) 1833-5330 (paper). (Scopus-Q2; SJR 0.2)

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