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Dear Colleagues,

Assalamu'alaikum wr.wb.

Malikussaleh University cordially invites you to write a paper for the 29-30 December forthcoming international conference on Aceh's Development. Particular attention will be paid to the context in which reconstruction and rehabilitation that urgently needed by Aceh, both infrastructure and economical sector. It is a very big and heavy challenge for the Acehnese to face a problem of how to transform Aceh. After the natural disaster tsunami, people of the region not only lost their family, but lost their life either. It's been three years and the reconstruction for the transformation still going on and yet, there are so much things have to do to make the so-called "perfect plan for Aceh" work out. The primary task of transformation projects should be further intensification of reconstructing in education, infrastructure, health, social, cultural, and economic development of Acehnese people.

This international conference will welcome scholars or practitioners to present their ideas, evaluation and research in related to wide range of Aceh development. For those who would like to have their own panel consisting 3 or up to 4 persons in each panel are advised to apply for one of these panels which will be open parallel during the conference:

- Peace and Conflict Resolutions
- Politics and Local Self-Government
- Economic and Entrepreneurship
- Islamic Law
- Education and Health
- Housing Plan, Planology and Transportation Networks
- Agricultural, Aquaculture and Veterinary Systems Planning
- Etc.

This International Conference organized by LPPM, a research center and social responsibility institute of Malikussaleh University. This is a continuation of first International Conference (in vernacular name, the conference was "**Persidangan Antarabangsa Pembangunan Aceh**", popularly abbreviated as **PAPA 1st**) held in UKM (Universiti Kebangsaan Malaysia), Bangi, Malaysia on 2006. We invite you to submit a paper for this conference. You are also welcome to send in panel proposals.

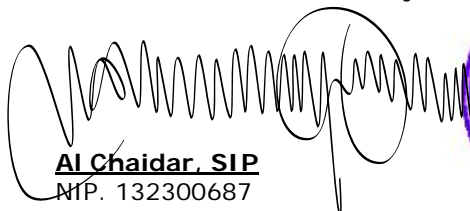
- Paper should be no longer than 20 pages and be accompanied by a short Résumé/CV (max. 2 pages).
- Funds will be made available to invited speakers and to those selected speakers who do not have resources available to cover their travel and lodging expenses. To qualify for a grant, please submit a short letter of motivation to the given email-address (papa2.aceh@gmail.com).
- Deadline to send full paper: **20 December 2007**.

During the conference scholars with expertise from countries other than Indonesia will participate in order to establish foreign influences on Development of Aceh, as well as to address the same problematic for other regions, so that Aceh in rebuilding its new lanscape experience can be understood from an international comparative perspective.

Thank you and warm regards.
Yours truly,

Organizing Committee

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