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## WE HAVE A LOT TO TALK ABOUT!

INDOfest is growing and has become more than just a great festival.

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## FREE FAMILY FUN DAY

It's on, and once again promises to be a fantastic day in Adelaide's glorious Rymill Park – put the date 13 April 2014 in your diary now.

Come along with family and friends, join the cultural fun, the stream of entertainment, the cooking, craft and other workshops, let your kids get happily involved in a range of enthralling children's activities and of course, savior the delights of regional Indonesian cuisines at the much-treasured food stalls.

The day runs from 10.30am to 4pm and there'll be a strong presence of performing artists from Indonesia.



# FROM OUR PRESENTING PARTNER ...

We're delighted Flinders University is partnering INDOfest, with Professor Nancy Cromar, Pro Vice-Chancellor (International), also joining our INDOfest Advisory Board. Says Prof. Cromar:

"Flinders University has actively supported INDOfest for many years and we look forward to strengthening that sponsorship by being the Presenting Partner for 2014 and 2015.

Indonesia is one of our key countries of focussed engagement in Asia and provides a number of strategically important partnerships for Flinders. We are encouraged to see the vision of INDOfest as broadening its scope beyond being simply a cultural festival to begin to provide a 'bilateral gateway' for many interactions, particularly in the education sphere, between SA and Indonesia.



Indonesian students at a Flinders University function. Inset: Prof. Nancy Cromar.

Indonesian students and alumni form a critical element of our University community. We are currently hosting over 200 Indonesian students, with almost half of these supported by Australian Awards and Indonesian Government scholarships.

We are very pleased to join the Indonesian community in their support of INDOfest as an exciting and growing venture and to have an ongoing commitment to partner into the future."

### **OTHER SPONSORS STEP FORWARD**

The value of INDOfest as an important asset or gateway for the bilateral relationship with Indonesia has brought increased sponsorship support – and participation. The Indonesian Ministries for Education and Culture, and Tourism and the Creative Economy have committed as principal sponsors, along with the Adelaide City Council and Indonesian Embassy, Canberra.

And at the Sponsor level we welcome the re-commitment to INDOfest by Austraining International, Santos and the South Australian Government through Multicultural SA and



Prof. Ronny Noor (centre) at an INDOfest planning meeting.

the Multicultural Education Committee. Other sponsorships are being explored.

Adding to their commitment the Indonesian Ministries and Indonesian Embassy are discussing bringing to Adelaide contingents of Indonesian performers. More news on that later.

The Embassy's Education and Cultural Attache, Prof. Ronny Noor, comments: "The Embassy, with very strong support from Ambassador Nadjib Riphat Kesoema, together with the Ministry for Education and Culture see INDOfest as a valuable conduit in broadening and helping to deepen bilateral opportunities with SA and Australia as a whole."

# SCHOOL FILMS AND ART AWARD

Two new, and enlivening, INDOfest projects that have taken off, that lead into the family day, are our Bahasa Indonesia Short Film Competition and Exhibition involving primary and secondary schools, and the INDOfest 2014 Inaugural Invitation Art Award.

Supporting the film competition are the Indonesian Ministry for Education and Culture and the Multicultural Education Committee, a body that advises the South Australian Education Minister. Complementing the competition some 25 schools have registered for the holding of an INDOfest cultural workshop or performance as part of INDOfest Week in Schools.

The idea of the week is to encourage cross cultural interaction as well as provide teachers of Indonesian language and culture with the opportunity to highlight this curriculum area in their schools. Students for example are invited to dress up in Indonesian traditional clothing or as an Indonesian animal, and hold a parade to open the week.

The theme for the workshops and film competition is *Families at Work and Play*.



Eko Nugroho, Indonesia, 1977, Kita ulurkan tangan (We extend our hands), 2011, Yogyakarta, fabric, wire, rayon thread, machine embroidery, 126.0 x 110.0 cm; Gift of the Art Gallery of South Australia Foundation 2012, Art Gallery of South Australia, Adelaide, © Courtesy the artist

The Art Award is another great first for INDOfest. Indonesian and Australian professional artists are invited to submit for a winner's prize of of AUD\$3,000. The award is in collaboration with Nexus Multicultural Arts Centre and the Art Gallery of South Australia.

Along with the prize money the winner will be have the right to access the artist's studio at Nexus for a 3-month residency in Adelaide in 2015. High-resolution digital images of proposed entries are requested initially, by email, by Friday 21 February 2014. The winner will be announced at the exhibition opening at 6pm on Thursday 10 April 2014.

For details of these and other INDOfest activities go to INDOfest Events on our website at www.indofest.com.au

### INDOFEST LOGOS FOR COMMUNITY USE

Help promote your community festival by using the INDOfest logo in your email signature! It's easy to do and will be much appreciated.

Just click here to go to the INDOfest website and download the logo, available in horizontal and vertical formats.

If you have any problems or would like any advice on using the logo, please email us at info@indofest.com.au



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INDOfest logo forms can be downloaded from the INDOfest website.

## **GET INVOLVED!**

INDOfest rests on a huge volunteer effort. Consider becoming a *Friend of INDOfest* by making a donation, or volunteering your service to assist us in staging the free family day or another INDOfest event. **Click here to find out for more.** 

INDOfest is hosted by the Australian Indonesian Association of SA Inc. in collaboration with the South Australian-Indonesian community and Indonesian Honorary Consul in South Australia. Email info@indofest.com.au

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