

PROGRAMME

4TH MEETING OF THE COORDINATING COMMITTEE OF WOMEN PARLIAMENTARIANS OF AIPA (WAIPA)

> 21st-24th April 2025 Kuching, Sarawak

Theme:

"Steering Innovation, Inclusivity and Diversity Through Gender-Balanced Parliaments for a Future-Ready ASEAN"





DAY ONE Monday, 21st April 2025

Arrival of delegates at Kuching International Airport

Proceed to the Airport VIP Room

Proceed to the Hotel

Registration of delegates

Venue: Damai Lagoon Resort, Kuching

2000 – 2130 hrs : **Dinner**

1000 – 1045 hrs

Venue: Horizon Cafe, Damai Lagoon Resort, Kuching

DAY TWO Tuesday, 22nd April 2025

0630 – 0900 hrs : Breakfast at the Hotel

Venue: Horizon Cafe, Damai Lagoon Resort, Kuching

COMMITTEE OF WOMEN PARLIAMENTARIANS OF AIPA (WAIPA)

Venue: Puteri Ballroom, Damai Lagoon Resort, Kuching

OPENING CEREMONY OF 4TH MEETING OF THE COORDINATING

Attire: Lounge Suit/National Dress

National Anthem "Negaraku"

- Sarawak State Anthem "Ibu Pertiwiku"
- Recitation of Prayer
- Remarks by H.E. Ar. Siti Rozaimeriyanty Dato Haji Abdul Rahman, Secretary General of AIPA.
- Welcoming Address by H.E. Tan Sri Dato' (Dr.) Johari bin Abdul, President of AIPA and Speaker of the House of Representatives.
- Keynote Address by The Right Honourable Datuk Patinggi
 Tan Sri (Dr.) Abang Haji Abdul Rahman Zohari bin
 Tun Datuk Abang Haji Openg, Premier of Sarawak.

1045 – 1115 hrs : Group Photograph Session and Coffee Break







1300 hrs : PLENARY SESSION

Venue: Puteri Ballroom, Damai Lagoon Resort, Kuching

Attire: Lounge Suit/National Dress

- Appointment of the Chairperson of WAIPA by H.E. Tan Sri Dato' (Dr.) Johari bin Abdul. President of AIPA and Speaker of the House of Representatives.
- Opening Session by Hon. Alice Lau Kiong Yieng,
 Chairperson of WAIPA and Deputy Speaker of the House of Representatives.
- Introduction of delegations (2 minutes each)
 - Brunei Darussalam
 - Cambodia
 - Indonesia
 - Lao PDR
 - Philippines
 - Thailand
 - Viet Nam
 - Malaysia
 - Timor-Leste
- Presentation on theme of the 4th Meeting of the Coordinating Committee, WAIPA
- Intervention by AIPA Delegation (5 minutes each)
 - Brunei Darussalam
 - Cambodia
 - Indonesia
 - Lao PDR
 - Philippines
 - Thailand
 - Viet Nam
- Sharing session by the National Parliament of Timor-Leste (3 minutes)
- Institutional Reflection and Discussion on WAIPA's Procedural Framework by H.E. Ar. Siti Rozaimeriyanty Haji Abdul Rahman, Secretary General of AIPA.

1300 – 1400 hrs : **Lunch**

Venue: Horizon Cafe, Damai Lagoon Resort, Kuching



Dialogue Session:

Championing Collaborative Efforts on Women's Political Participation and Leadership

Panellists for Session 1:

- Hon. Dato' Sri Doris Sophia anak Brodi, Member of Parliament from Malaysia.
- H.E. Ar. Siti Rozaimeriyanty Dato Haji Abdul Rahman, Secretary General of AIPA.
- Datu Dr. Hajah Rashidah Haji Bolhassan, Special Officer, Ministry of Tourism, Creative Industry and Performing Arts, Sarawak.
- Ms. Ulziisuren Jamsran, Country Representative and Liaison for ASEAN, UN Women Indonesia.

Moderator:

- Ms. Putri Maha Lima, Deputy Secretary General of AIPA
- Dialogue Session:

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Panellists for Session 2:

- Hon. Datuk Hajah Sharifah Hasidah binti Sayeed
 Aman Ghazali, Deputy Minister in the Premier's Department (Law, MA63 and State-Federal Relations).
- Hon. Mrs. Lork Kheng, Member of Parliament from Cambodia.
- Mdm. Suraya binti Bujang, Operations Director/Treasurer, PurpleLily Social Association, Kuching, Sarawak.

Moderator:

Hon. Hajah Rodziah binti Ismail, Member of Parliament from Malaysia.

Coffee Break

1600 – 1630 hrs

1500 – 1600 hrs

CLOSING SESSION

1630 – 1640 hrs :

• Summary by H.E. Ar. Siti Rozaimeriyanty Dato Haji Abdul Rahman.

Secretary General of AIPA.

1640 – 1700 hrs

- Remarks by Hon. Dato Sri Hajah Fatimah binti Abdullah, Minister of Women, Early Childhood and Community Wellbeing Development, Sarawak.
- Closing Remarks by H.E. Senator Dato Awang Bemee bin Awang Ali Basah, President of the Senate.
- Group Photograph





2000 – 2200 hrs : **DINNER RECEPTION HOSTED BY H.E. TAN SRI DATUK**

AMAR MOHAMAD ASFIA AWANG NASSAR, SPEAKER

OF THE STATE ASSEMBLY OF SARAWAK

Venue: Puteri Ballroom, Damai Lagoon Resort, Kuching

Attire: Black Tie and Evening Dress

DAY THREE Wednesday, 23rd April 2025

0630 - 0745 hrs : Breakfast at the hotel

0745 hrs : Depart from the hotel

Meeting point: Hotel lobby

0830 hrs : Visit to One-Stop Early Intervention Centre (OSEIC)

Venue: One-Stop Early Intervention Centre (OSEIC), Kuching

Attire: Smart Casual

1000 hrs : Interactive Engagement with Sarawak's Women Leadership

Venue: Women and Family Department of Sarawak (Wisma Wanita)

Attire: Smart Casual

1230 hrs : **Lunch**

Venue: Women and Family Department of Sarawak (Wisma Wanita)

1400 hrs : Visit to Borneo Cultural Museum

Venue: Borneo Cultural Museum

Attire: Smart Casual

1600 hrs : High Tea

Venue: Borneo Cultural Museum

1700 hrs : City tour & free and easy

DAY FOUR Thursday, 24th April 2025

0630 – 0900 hrs : Breakfast at the Hotel

Departure of delegates

