

Secondly, For those arriving at Adisutjipto International Airport and prefer to arrange transportation independently, there are taxi services provided at the airport counter service. Each taxi can pick up around 4 passengers; taxi fare should be around 40,000 Rupiah – 100,000/one-way trip.

The committee strongly suggests you to take taxi services which require you to pay in advance based on your destination. This is to avoid any excessive payments requested by other types of taxi (either with meter or without meter).

Please also note that local transport authorities forbid any application based taxi/motor taxi to pick up passengers within airport's complex.

## ABOUT AAPA AND THE LOCAL ORGANIZING COMMITTEE

The 2018 AAPA Annual Conference will be hosted by the AAPA together with the Faculty of Social and Political Sciences Universitas Gadjah Mada (FISIPOL UGM), the National Institute of Public Administration of Republic of Indonesia (Lembaga Administrasi Negara), the Indonesian Association for Public Administration (IAPA), and the Ministry of Administrative and Bureaucratic Reform (Kemen PAN RB). As the main organizer, the Asian Association for Public Administration (AAPA) aims to expand and improve research and academic exchange on public administration and public policy in the Asian region.

## VISA REQUIREMENTS

There are several immigration policies of which travelers to Indonesia can use for a short visit. 169 nationalities are eligible to travel to Indonesia without a visa for the purpose of attending a seminar or conference; with the duration of stay must not exceed 30 days. Extending the duration of the stay is not applicable for travelers entering Indonesia with this type of arrangement. Please refer to our website ([www.geo.fisipol.ugm.ac.id](http://www.geo.fisipol.ugm.ac.id)) for the list of nationalities eligible for visa-free entry to Indonesia.

Travelers intend to enter Indonesia for attending a seminar or conference, may also use Visa on Arrival (VoA); with the duration of stay maximum 30 days, and is eligible for one time extension of another 30-day at most. VoA is attained at the time of arrival at the airport's immigration checkpoint. Please refer to our website for the list of nationalities eligible for Visa on Arrival entry to Indonesia and its requirements.

## OPTIONAL EXCURSION PROGRAM

AAPA committee offers two options for excursion program. Firstly, we offer a tour to the largest Buddhism temple of Borobudur located in the outskirts of Yogyakarta. In this case, the participant needs to pay extra fee for the entrance ticket. Secondly, there will be free excursion program where participant will visit the most popular shopping center in Malioboro and enjoy the scenery of the main street of Yogyakarta.

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# The 2018 AAPA Annual Conference Universitas Gadjah Mada Yogyakarta, Indonesia 22-23 March 2018

“Reinventing Public Administration  
in a Globalized World:  
A Non-Western Perspective”

## CONFERENCE PROGRAM

The role of public administration in achieving the Sustainable Development Goals (SDGs) is assuredly essential. Questions may be raised on the effectiveness of public administration in each country in increasing the quality of life as targeted by SDGs. Generally, developing countries would likely to perceive western and developing countries' model of public administration as successful example. Different issues and varieties of challenges in both contexts, however, would put this statement into a test. To initiate the discussion, the 2018 AAPA Annual Conference will explore and discuss other perspectives of public administration by focusing on non-western perspectives.

## CONFERENCE THEME

The main theme of the conference is “**Reinventing Public Administration in a Globalized World: A Non-Western Perspective**”. Specifically, there are six sub-themes of the conference as following:

1. Developing Theories of Non-Western Public Administrations
2. Exploring New Research Methods for Public Administration: beyond positivism
3. Culture (Ethics, Religion) and Public Administration
4. Strengthening Local Administration and Decentralization
5. Local Knowledge, Innovation and Public Policy
6. Social Architecture, Digital Governance and Human Values

## CONFERENCE VENUE AND WEATHER

The main conference and the parallel sessions will be held on **March 22<sup>nd</sup> -23<sup>rd</sup>, 2018 at 4<sup>th</sup> Floor Convention Room, Faculty of Social and Political Sciences Building at Universitas Gadjah Mada.**

The average temperature in Yogyakarta is 28°C and the high seasonal norm is 32°C. In addition, it is more likely to be heavy rain at night with average temperature around 26°C.

## REGISTRATION

After submitting the full paper to the conference organizer by January 15<sup>th</sup>, 2018, the participants need to complete the registration form online starting from January 15<sup>th</sup>, 2018, and make payment for the registration fee(s).

The registration fees are as following:

- International Presenters
  - General US\$150
  - Students US\$100
- Indonesian National Presenters
  - General IDR 2,000,000
  - Students IDR 1,500,000
- Non Presenters
  - General IDR 500,000
  - Students IDR 200,000

\*Please note that the registration fees include participation fee as well as one year membership fee to AAPA (these fees are not separable).

## ACCOMMODATION

Committee of the conference suggests you several hotels located nearby the conference venue.

Within walking distance:

1. **University Club Hotel** [Approx. 200 m]

[<http://www.ugmclub.com/>]

Contact: (0274)563462 or email [universityclub@gamamulti.com](mailto:universityclub@gamamulti.com)

2. **Wisma Kagama UGM** [Approx. 500 m]

[<http://www.kagamawisma.com/>]

Contact: (0274)560142 or email [wisma\\_kagama@yahoo.com](mailto:wisma_kagama@yahoo.com)

3. **Wisma MM UGM** [Approx. 800 m]

[<http://www.mmugmhotel.com/>]

Contact: (0274)557981 – 85 or email [mmugmhotel@gmail.com](mailto:mmugmhotel@gmail.com)

Room rate range is: IDR 300,000 – IDR 600,000 /night, depends on the types of the room (the updated 2017 prices).

Within 1-2 Km:

1. **Hotel Santika Premiere** [Approx. 2.0 km] [[www.santika.com](http://www.santika.com)]

Contact: (62-274) 563036, 562743 or email

[jogjapremiere@santika.com](mailto:jogjapremiere@santika.com)

2. **Pop! Hotel** [Approx. 2.0 km] [[www.pophotels.com](http://www.pophotels.com)]

Contact: Telp: +62 274 4469399 or email [info-pop-sangaji@tauzia.com](mailto:info-pop-sangaji@tauzia.com)

3. **Phoenix Hotel** [Approx. 2.0 km]

[[www.thephoenixyogya.com](http://www.thephoenixyogya.com)]

Contact: Telp: (0274) 566617

4. **H-Boutique Hotel** [Approx. 2.0 km]

[[www.boutiquehotel.com](http://www.boutiquehotel.com)]

For any participants who prefer to stay in four stars hotel and above, we highly recommend you to refer to this category. Please note that these hotels are located outside the campus, yet they are in convenient distance to tourism attractions such as Malioboro Street (shopping street for souvenirs and traditional clothing) and the most iconic landmark: *Tugu Jogja* (the white obelisk of Jogja).

Room rate range is: IDR 388,000 – IDR 2,000,000- per night, depends on the types of the room.

Please note that AAPA Participants must reserve directly to the preferred hotels and please inform the operators that you are AAPA Participants.

## TRANSPORTATION

For participants who need a transportation arrangement, there are two cases to be noticed.

Firstly, for those arriving at Adisutjipto International Airport (JOG), participants must assemble at the meeting point (near terminal A and B) of the arrival gate. Our AAPA conference staff with AAPA logo will welcome you on the venue and accompany you to parking lot. The transportation will depart from the terminal at these times: 10 a.m. / 3 pm / 7 p.m. / and 10 p.m. All schedules are on March 21<sup>st</sup> 2018.

For returning trip, the organizer will arrange transportation based on your flight details. In this case, please send us a request through our email: [aapa2018.indonesia@ugm.ac.id](mailto:aapa2018.indonesia@ugm.ac.id).