

**INDONESIA FORUM GROUP FOR RURAL TRANSPORT AND DEVELOPMENT  
IFGRTD  
COUNTRY REPORT 2008/2009**

- i. Activities carried out by the NFG during 2008/2009
  - a. Seminar Conference, Symposium, Workshop or Lecturer
    - The contribution of Forum members as the committee in Pre-events of Better Air Quality Conference in Bangkok 10 November 2008: Infrastructure and Community Development, a multi-disciplinary research and educational programme.
    - The contribution of Forum members as the committee and facilitator in Workshop and Fieldtrip Infrastructure and Community Development, Desa Giri Cahyo, Goa Pelawan and Dome Houses in Prambanan. Yogyakarta-Gunung Kidul-Prambanan, 15-16 July 2009
    - Co-organizer on PUSTRAL monthly seminar: New method of social justice measurement to evaluate the growth of pro-poor growth infrastructure development in Indonesia. 10 June 2009
  - b. As the speaker/resources person
    - i. Represent NFG/IFGRTD in SEACAP (South East Asian Community Access Programme) Practitioner Meeting in Vientiane, 4 - 5 November 2008., forum representative Arif Wismadi:
      - Propose multidisciplinary approach with the involvement of non-engineering on SEACAP program
      - New program introduction of education and research in Infrastructure and Community Development.
    - ii. Participant workshop and fieldtrip, Vang Vieng, Lao PDR, 6 November 2008, Participant: Arif Wismadi.
      - Participatory Process and Bioengineering in Community Access Program
    - iii. Executive Committee Meeting, 26th to 28th November 2008, Stockholm, Sweden
      - i. Danang Parikesit Chair of IFRTD and Founding Board Member, Chair
    - iv. PUSTRAL monthly seminar:  
New method of social justice measurement to evaluate the growth of pro-poor growth infrastructure development in Indonesia. 10 June 2009, Arif Wismadi
  - c. Publication
    - i. The forum contribution on Transportation Dictionary
    - ii. Paper submission for EASTS:

- Transport Infrastructure Development in Indonesia during Governance Reform, Leading to Pro-poor or Anti-poor Growth? Arif Wismadi
- iii. Contribution on Press Release Publication for MTI:
  - Railways Transportation Safety, The respond of Pramex accident on Ceper.
- iv. Important Notes of Rural Public Transportation in Yogyakarta (Widiastjaryo, MTI Yogyakarta):
  - history, development and existing condition. Text is in editing process for publication.
- v. Interview in TVRI:
  - Program Sego Segawe (Cycling for School and Works)
- d. Research: Urban-Rural Transportation
  - i. The following of programme result 2008 :
    - (NETS: Network Enable Transport System) in Boyolali (NETS on milk distribution: Rural- Regional- National Network)
    - The following research for facilities and other commodities: Yogyakarta Andong Tourism Services
- e. Research: Spatial and Social Equity Measurement
  - i. Research activities facilitated by forum members (Prof. Sunyoto Usman and Ir. Arif Wismadi, MSc ) on research of rural/rural people accessibility to social facility (education, health etc)
    - concept note development (research idea), guiding thesis and dissertation
    - International student involved: Jeny Shresta (Nepal), Grace Angela Amoah (Africa), Rachel (Ethiopia), Belinda (Indonesia)
  - ii. PhD Research on Equity Based Resource Allocation for Integrated Infrastructure Development with ITC, Enschede, Netherlands (Arif Wismadi)
- f. Research: GIS Technology and Remote Sensing for Transportation Study
  - i. Incentive programme of The Ministry of Research and Technology
    - Land Use Typology as the Input of Trip Generation on Transportation Modelling (Case Study in Yogyakarta)
  - ii. Regional Transportation Modelling
- g. Advocation
  - i. Contribution on guidelines preparation activities of regional road on Regional Road Facilities, PU Department
    - The determination of technical formulation on Special Allocation Fund formulation. The recommendations are expected to establish allocation mechanism and Special Allocation Fund priority, Reducing the rural-

- urban disparities and balancing priority (Dwi Ardianta, Arif Wismadi)
    - Controlling the function of regional road benefit, The recommendations are expected to be advise into the guideline preparation of road function in the future. (Iwan Puja Riyadi, Arif Wismadi)
  - ii. Speaker, Lokakarya PNPM Mandiri on Desa Gunung Pring, Muntilan Yogyakarta. The participation of Rural Transportation Planning
    - The material dissemination of Rural Development Toolkits from IFRTD. (Iwan Agriawan, Arif Wismadi)
  - iii. Dissemination of Information on road infrastructure development to public and related stakeholders in road corridor area which will be developed through the activities of Preparing the Regional Roads Development Project (RRDP) in West Kalimantan North Kalimantan. Bambang Hudoyono, Dr. Heru Sutomo, Prof. Sunyoto Usman, Bambang Hidayana
  - iv. Advocacy on Mobility and Health: Review of "Research on Mobility in Relation to Maternal Health in the Manggarai, District, Eastern Indonesia" by Ayo Fondation Indonesia (Ruteng) extraction of key knowledge/learning points for regional dissemination workshop and advocacy publications, Hurmali Tarsis, Ayo Fondation Indonesia
- h. Information sharing
  - i. IFRTD to IFGRTD
    - e.g rural transport development toolkits
  - ii. IFGRTD to IFRTD
    - e.g introduction of the MICD program(MSc Program on Management of Infrastructure and Community Development, UGM) to IFRTD
  - iii. IFGRTD networks to IFRTD networks
    - e.g the Road Engineering and Development Toolkit, global Transport Knowledge Partnership (gTKP) to MICD
    - Visit to ILO Assist Bangkok, mainstreaming Rural Accessibility Assessment
  - iv. IFRTD networks to IFGRTD networks
    - e.g MICD to SEACAP
- i. Project Proposal
  - i. Village Transport Development Through Encouraging Local Self-Help Initiatives in the construction of Rural Access Road, in Manggarai, Flores, Indonesia, Indonesia Ayo Foundation, to be advise in Toyota Found
- j. Knowledge Mainstreaming
  - i. The contribution of member forum on curriculum preparation International MSc Program on

Infrastructure and Community Development in  
postgraduate program of UGM

2. Planned activities in 2009/2010
  - a. Conference
    - i. Co-organizer of a national conference.
  - b. Other scientific meetings: Seminar, Symposium, Workshop or Lecturer
    - Mobility and Health Workshop
    - Infrastructure and Community Development Workshop
  - c. Speaker
    - i. NEPAL ARM 2009, Indonesia delegate: Prof. Danang Parikesit will represent Indonesia - IFGRTD (as ex-officio and current Chairman of IFRTD).
    - ii. EASTS Conference 2009, November 2009, Surabaya
    - iii. IAMG2009, August 2009, Stanford, California, USA
  - d. Publication (text books, newsletter, etc)
    - i. The Portrait of Rural Transportation in Indonesia (123 Steps)
  - e. Research
    - i. Capability Approach for Rural Infrastructure Development toward Decent Jobs for rural community.
    - ii. Network Enable Transport System: transport sector integration and telecommunication in rural area
  - f. Advocation Activities
    - i. Advocation for CSR programme (Corporate Social Responsibility) KPC (Kaltim Prima Coal) to increase the accessibility of transportation and social facilities in rural areas
  - g. Others
    - i. Forum member of Rural Transportation of MTI and IFGRTD, Indonesia Ayo Foundation will continuing the activities of the local community self-reliance in Manggarai, Flores, to expose the isolated region through digging the rural access road
3. Governance
  - a. Members:
    - i. 23 males and 5 females
    - ii. 67 universities
    - iii. 2 NGOs
  - b. Legal status of the IFGRTD

- i. Legal status of the secretariat (PUSTRAL): Rector of Gadjah Mada University Decree No. 253/P/SK/HT/2005 dated 3 October 2005
- ii. IFGRTD as Rural Transport Forum: Decree of Indonesia Transport Society President No. KEP-08/KU-MTI/VIII/2004
- c. Annual General Meeting:
  - i. November 7th 2008
  - ii. July 25th 2009