



Subud Education Association (SEA)

Subud Education Association Announcement Letter

Dear Educators:

Welcome to the Subud Education Association (SEA). We are Subud members working in the field of education. We have formed an association to support each other, to share our ideas and practices, and to learn from and inspire each other.

Education is a love, a vocation, a guided art. We aspire to provide a space for dialogue and sharing between Subud members. Let us learn from each other's experiences.

After Ramadan in Cilandak last year, and after discussion with Harris Roberts, Rasunah Marsden set up the Subud Education Association (SEA) which is lodged within SDIA. It took from then until January 2020 to assemble a group of people to join the SEA working party to get some tasks done.

SEA was formed to create some continuity so that all of those who have worked on (or will work on) Subud-inspired educational activities (as teachers or in school projects) will be able to access resources and share insights as educators based on the Latihan. There have been many inspired educational activities in past decades. Hopefully in future, we'll be able to ensure that connections and the needs of Subud educators and those working in educational institutions around the Subud world, are met. For example, we are currently working on creating a

website which will convey an overall picture of Subud-inspired educational efforts and allow lively interactions between our members.

The SEA working party members are Garrett Thomson, Halimah Polk, Hadrian Pollard, Salamah LeClaire (formerly Dick), Harris Roberts, Faustina Ramos Coco-Pfeiffer & Fernando Fattah Nieva Martinez. We are still looking for a member to join the working party from the Australia/New Zealand area.

The SEA working party members contribute our own tasks as we participate in working to set up the connections and infrastructure needed: website, blogs, resources, archives, funding and other matters.

To date, all of our work has been voluntary, but fundraising and providing scholarships & bursaries is 'on the agenda'. We need volunteers to help with many SEA activities, e.g. website creation and maintenance, administration, information on projects, etc.

If you wish to join the Subud Education Association or would like to be involved in any capacity, or if you have any questions, please email any of the working party members for further information.

Sincerely,

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