

INVITATION TO THE WERTHEIM CENTENARY

Amsterdam, 04 June – 06 June 2008

We hereby kindly invite you, to participate in the activities on the occasion of The Wertheim Centenary, to be held in Amsterdam from June 4th to June 6th 2008.

The activities will be as follows:

04 June : 09.00 – 18.00hr.

Seminar on the Ignorance theme of the distinguished Indonesianist Dr. W.F. Wertheim.

Location IISG, Internationaal Instituut voor Sociale Geschiedenis (IISG), Crucquiusweg No 31, Amsterdam. The seminar is organized by the Wertheim Stichting, in cooperation with the International Institute of Social History and the ASIA Platform.

Subject: Blind spots and preoccupation in Indonesian and Dutch literature on the decolonization of Indonesia.

Welcoming speech: Drs Emile Schwidder.

Discussiant: Dr. Mary van Delden, Dr. Saskia Wieringa, Dr. Ben White, Dr. Pieter Drooglever, Dr. Coen Holtzappel.

Special guests:

Dr. Ien Ang and Dr. Ruth McVey.

05 June ---- 09.30 – 12.30hr.

Master class, on Wertheim's inheritance for the Asia Studies at the University of Amsterdam, organized by ASIA Platform. Dr. Sikko Visscher. Location Aula UVA, Singel 411, Amsterdam.

05 June ---- 15.00 - 18.00hr.

Centenary Wertheim Lecture by Dr Ien Ang, University of Western Sydney, Australia on : Asia From Down Under. Regionalism and Global Cultural Change. Location - VOC Zaal, Oost Indisch Huis, Kloveniersburgwal 48, Amsterdam.

06 June ---- 16.00 -- 18.00hr.

Presentation of Wertheim Award to Benny G. Setyono for his book 'TIONGHOA Dalam Pusaran Politik'. Ceremony and acceptance speech commence at 16.00 until 17.00h r; followed by a reception 17.00-18.00 h. Location; de Grote College Zaal, UvA, Roetersstraat 15, Amsterdam.

We duly appreciate your participation in the coming Wertheim Centenary.

Dr Coen Holtzappel,

Chairman of the Wertheim Stichting

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