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P4N 69 Exploring Air Force Transformation Amid Multidomain Threats



JAKARTA - Participants of the Preparation and Consolidation Program for National-Level Leaders (P4N), Batch 69 of Lemhannas RI, attended a lecture on strengthening the Indonesian Air Force in the modern era. The lecture was delivered by the Commander of the National Air Operations Command, Air Marshal Minggit Tribowo, S.I.P., in the NKRI Room on Wednesday (4/8).

During the lecture, Minggit Tribowo explained that technological developments, geopolitical dynamics, and modern threat patterns require defense readiness that can move quickly and in a coordinated manner across various operational domains.

"I hope this lecture offers you a new perspective on air force development as an important part of the national resilience framework, not just a single-domain issue," Minggit Tribowo stated.

In general, the development of the Indonesian Air Force (TNI AU) focuses on modernizing defense weapons and equipment,

restructuring and reinforcing the organization, developing doctrine and regulations, improving human resources, and supporting national policies. These steps are essential to ensure that the TNI AU is ready to face future defense challenges, which are becoming increasingly dynamic and multidimensional.

In addition to internal empowerment, Minggit Tribowo emphasized the importance of cross-sectoral synergy in developing national air forces. He considers collaboration between the Indonesian Air Force, ministries and agencies, local governments, the education sector, and the industrial sector to be a key factor in establishing a robust and sustainable defense system.

Through this lecture, participants in P4N 69 are expected to understand that air force development is part of a collective effort to strengthen national resilience and that they can contribute in their respective fields of service.

Wakasal Outlines Naval Strategy Amid Regional Rivalry

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JAKARTA - On Wednesday (4/8), Vice Admiral Edwin, S.H., M.Han., M.H., Deputy Chief of the Staff of the Indonesian Navy (Wakasal), delivered a lecture to participants of the Preparation and Consolidation Program for National-Level Leaders (P4N) Batch 69 of Lemhannas RI in the Pancagatra Building. The lecture was titled "Policy on Fortifying the Indonesian Navy's Forces in the Modern Era".

"Building the Indonesian Navy's forces is not merely an option, but a strategic necessity. Strengthening the Indonesian Navy is not only an organizational necessity, but also a national strategic priority," Edwin said.

He explained that three fundamental factors make the sea central to the nation's future. Firstly, the sea has become a strategic arena of competition, characterized by rivalry among major powers, accelerated military technology, regional militarisation, and grey-zone activities. Secondly, the sea is an indispensable domain for the sovereignty of the Republic of Indonesia, the largest archipelagic nation situated at the crossroads of two oceans. Thirdly, developing the Indonesian Navy's forces is vital for achieving the vision of a global maritime axis.

Furthermore, Edwin highlighted several challenges in securing maritime jurisdiction, including

the need to reinforce sea control and sea denial, improve maritime security and naval diplomacy, and increase competition in strategic areas such as the Indonesian Archipelagic Sea Lanes (ALKI), choke points, and the Natuna border.

The Indonesian Navy is taking several steps to address these

issues. These include controlling the maritime domain, integrating sensors to create a common operational picture, building forward operating bases to support rapid response and deterrence, prioritizing the budget for maintenance and life cycle support, integrating maritime operations, and enhancing the capabilities of defense equipment.



Lemhannas RI and KPID West Java Discuss Cybersecurity and Digital Regulation

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The Governor of Lemhannas RI addressed the audience, emphasizing that national resilience is the responsibility of all elements of society, not just the military. He noted that cyberspace is currently one of the most vulnerable media to ideological penetration and global influence.

"In the cyber context, geo-cybernetics assumes that a nation is borderless and that there are no boundaries. That is where we must assert our cyber sovereignty," the Governor of Lemhannas RI stated.



He also emphasized the importance of adaptable regulations in the face of rapid technological advancements and the fast-paced flow of information. According to him, the increasingly diverse transformation of media demands that the state be both responsive and capable of anticipating potential future impacts.

At the conclusion of the meeting, KPID West Java invited Lemhannas RI to collaborate in organizing activities involving students, television stations, and radio stations in West Java to strengthen national resilience. This collaboration is a strategic step in the digital transformation aimed at protecting the public from potential threats while strengthening national resilience.

JAKARTA - The Governor of Lemhannas RI, Dr. H. TB. Ace Hasan Syadzily, M.Si., welcomed a delegation from the West Java Province Regional Indonesian Broadcasting Commission (KPID) to the Trigatra Building of Lemhannas RI on Monday (4/13). KPID West Java Chair Dr. Adiyana Slamet led the delegation.

During the meeting, the West Java KPID conveyed developments related to digital media dynamics and challenges to ideological resilience in cyberspace. Dr. Slamet stated that the government must have a stronger presence in cyberspace to protect the public from the negative effects of digital transformation, especially in West Java.

Lemhannas RI Organizes KPPD for DPRD Chairmen to Boost Central-Regional Synergy

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MAGELANG - From April 15–19, 2026, Lemhannas RI held a Regional Leadership Strengthening Course (KPPD) for Regional People's Legislative Council (DPRD) chairmen from throughout Indonesia at the Military Academy in Magelang.

After a welcoming ceremony on Wednesday, April 15, the course was officially opened by Lemhannas RI Governor Dr. H. TB. Ace Hasan Syadzily, M.Si., on Thursday (4/16). The KPPD adopted the theme "Strengthening the Role of Provincial/Regency/City Legislative Council Chairmen to Support the Asta Cita Vision Toward Indonesia Emas 2045" and was attended by 503 participants, including Legislative Council Chairmen from across Indonesia

and executives from the Association of Regency Legislative Councils of Indonesia.

In his opening remarks, Governor Ace Hasan Syadzily stated that the uncertain global situation has affected the world economy, making it increasingly dynamic and unpredictable. These conditions demand leadership that is administratively strong and capable of anticipating global geopolitical changes and determining strategic steps for the nation's future.

He continued by saying that President Prabowo Subianto has set the direction for national development through the Asta Cita vision, as outlined in the 2025–2029 National Mid-Term Development Plan (RPJMN), which is the

foundation for achieving Indonesia Emas 2045. The Regional People's Legislative Council (DPRD) is seen as playing a strategic role in ensuring the synchronization of central and regional policies.

"Amid ever more complex dynamics, DPRD leaders are called upon not only to manage policies but also to serve as agents of change capable of bridging the gap between central and regional policies," the Governor of Lemhannas RI stated.

He also expressed hope that the KPPD would strengthen collaboration among the chairs of the People's Legislative Councils (DPRD) while aligning regional policies with President Prabowo Subianto's and Vice President Gibran Rakabuming Raka's "Asta Cita" vision.



Lemhannas RI: Strategies for Economic Equality

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JAKARTA - On Thursday (4/16), the Directorate of Economic and Natural Resources (SKA) Studies of Lemhannas RI held a Long-Term Study (KJP) Focus Group Discussion titled "Strengthening Quality Economic Growth to Achieve Equity and Equality in Public Welfare" at the Astagatra Building of Lemhannas RI.

During the opening remarks, Maj. Gen. TNI (Mar) Ipung Purwadi, M.M., Acting Deputy for Strategic Studies at Lemhannas RI, stated that Indonesia's economy remains strong amid global dynamics. However, he noted that challenges related to regional disparities and

the quality of economic growth still require attention.

"Quality economic growth means inclusive, sustainable growth that equitably distributes its benefits to all citizens," he said.

Through this discussion, Lemhannas RI advocates for policy formulation that focuses on both economic growth and equitable development, as well as on the sustainable improvement of public welfare.

Several speakers from various sectors also participated in the FGD, including Professor Raksaka

Mahi, M.A., Ph.D., from the Faculty of Economics and Business at the University of Indonesia; Tari Lestari, S.Si., S.E., M.S., Director of Fiscal, Monetary, and Financial Sector Planning at Bappenas RI; Turro Selrits Wongkaren, S.E., M.A., Ph.D., Senior Researcher at the Demography Institute of the Faculty of Economics and Business at the University of Indonesia; Nailul Huda, Director of Policy & Programs at the Indonesian Business Council; Prayoga Wiradisuria; and Prof. Arief Anshory Yusuf, S.E., M.Sc., Ph.D., Member of the National Economic Council.



Lemhannas RI's FGD on the Maritime Security Policies

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JAKARTA - On Tuesday (4/21), the Deputy Office of Strategic Studies at Lemhannas RI conducted a focus group discussion as part of the Urgent and Quick Study (Jurpat) on "Harmonizing Maritime Security Policies to Boost National Maritime Security" in the Kresna Room at Lemhannas RI. The Governor of Lemhannas RI, Dr. H. TB. Ace Hasan Syadzily, M.Si., officially opened the discussion.

In recent years, discussions regarding maritime security have evolved beyond defense to become a driving force in sustaining maritime economic activities, national connectivity, and natural resource resilience. They also contribute to Indonesia's diplomatic reputation in the region and the world," the Governor said in his opening remarks.

Through this forum, Lemhannas RI contributed to the discourse on harmonizing maritime security policies to enhance national maritime security. The recommendations formulated from the discussion are expected to promote harmonization in the formulation of maritime security policies, thereby strengthening national maritime security and bolstering our national resilience.

Dr. Margaretha Hanita, a national resilience and archipelago expert at Lemhannas RI, facilitated the focus group discussion. Several speakers participated in the discussion. The first was Dr. Dave A.F. Laksono, M.E., deputy chair of Commission I of the Indonesian House of Representatives. He discussed

the obstacles and strategies for finalizing the Maritime Security Bill.

Other speakers included Admiral (Ret.) Prof. Marsetio, a professor at the Indonesian Defense University; Rear Admiral Samuel H. Kowaas, M.Sc., CSBA, the main secretary of the Indonesian Maritime Security Agency (BAKAMLA); Prof. Hikmahanto Juwana, S.H., LL.M., Ph.D., a professor of international law at the Faculty of Law, University of Indonesia; and Dr. Pung Nugroho Saksono, A.Pi., M.M., the director general of marine resources and fisheries supervision (PSDKP) at the Ministry of Marine Affairs and Fisheries of the Republic of Indonesia.



Lemhannas RI Promotes a Clean, Professional, and High-Integrity Bureaucracy

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JAKARTA - Lemhannas RI held a monitoring session on the reporting of State Officials' Asset Declarations (LHKPN) and State Civil Apparatus Asset Declarations (LHKAN), as well as on the implementation of the Government Internal Control System (SPIP) assessment within the institution, in the Airlangga Room on Thursday (4/23). The event formed part of the institute's broader efforts to strengthen transparent and accountable governance, particularly in the submission of asset reports through both the LHKPN and LHKAN mechanisms.

"This reporting process is not merely an administrative obligation,

but a tangible manifestation of our shared commitment to upholding integrity, preventing corrupt practices and preserving the dignity of the institution as a clean, professional and highly principled bureaucracy in serving the public," Lemhannas RI Inspector Brigadier General of Police Udin Zainudin said in his opening remarks. He also emphasized that the reporting process should not be viewed as a mere formality, but rather as concrete proof of a collective commitment to prevent corruption and strengthen a culture of integrity.

Udin Zainudin hoped that all work units within Lemhannas RI would take a more active role in supporting the achievement of bureaucratic

reform targets. "Through this activity, I expect 100 percent compliance in the submission of LHKPN and LHKAN reports before the reporting deadline. Regarding the implementation of SPIP, I also expect all work units to provide optimal support in improving Lemhannas RI's bureaucratic reform performance," he said.

Through the initiative, Lemhannas RI expects all Lemhannas RI's personnel not only to fulfill their institutional obligations, but also to uphold a shared responsibility in fostering a clean, professional, and service-oriented bureaucracy.

Lemhannas RI and the Canadian Forces College Discuss Defense Policy and Modernization

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JAKARTA - Lemhannas RI welcomed a delegation from the Canadian Forces College at the Tri Gatra Building in Jakarta on Wednesday (4/22). The delegation was led by Col. David Shayne Elder and received by Professional Expert for Geopolitics of Lemhannas RI Edy Prasetyono, S.Sos., MIS., Ph.D.

The meeting focused on the strategic environment and the direction of Canada's defense modernization policy. During the discussion, the delegation explained that Canada's security policy is heavily shaped by geographical, demographic, economic, and international factors.

"Canada's geography and economy directly shape how the country

perceives security and determines the direction of its defense policy," David Shayne said.

Amid evolving global dynamics, Canada continues to strengthen its defense modernization through increased investment in the Canadian Armed Forces. The country's defense sector currently includes around 600 companies and contributes more than US\$9.6 billion to the national GDP while employing approximately 81,200 workers.

During the discussion, Edy Prasetyono emphasized the importance of international cooperation in addressing global challenges.

"Cooperation should not be limited to military aspects alone, but must also encompass cultural, political, and economic dimensions," he said.

The meeting reflected the growing shift toward a multidimensional approach to security, one that is no longer solely based on military strength, but also on structural factors and cross-sector collaboration.

Also attending the meeting was Lemhannas RI Senior Lecturer for International Relations, Brig. Gen. (Mar.) Raja Erjan H.S. Girsang, Senior Analyst for Defense and Security Brig. Gen. Agus Muchlis Latif, and representatives from the P4N Batch 69 of Lemhannas RI.



Lemhannas RI and KPK Strengthen Integrity Among P4N Batch 69 Participants

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JAKARTA - Participants of the Preparation and Consolidation Program for the National-level Leaders (P4N) Batch 69 of Lemhannas RI participated in an integrity and anti-corruption strengthening program jointly organized with the Corruption Eradication Commission (KPK) on April 22–23, 2026.

The program began with remarks from KPK Deputy Chairman Fitroh Rohcahyanto, who highlighted five key principles for future national leaders. The first was integrity, reflected in the alignment between one's thoughts, words, and actions. "What is in one's heart, thoughts, and words must be in harmony with one's actions," he said.

The second principle was dedication to prioritizing the interests of the

nation and the state. The third was objectivity in decision-making and the avoidance of conflicts of interest. The fourth was loyalty to the Constitution, the nation, the state, and society. The fifth was trustworthiness in carrying out responsibilities.

On the same occasion, Lemhannas RI Governor Dr. H. TB. Ace Hasan Syadzily, M.Si., stated that integrity forms a core component of the institution's educational curriculum. He said the KPK's involvement in the program was aimed at strengthening participants' understanding of the importance of anti-corruption values in leadership.

"For national leaders, integrity is fundamental. Technical competence alone is insufficient. A nation can

only progress when its leaders serve with integrity and dedication to the country," he said.

On the first day, participants received materials on leadership integrity from KPK Deputy for Education and Public Participation Wawan Wardiana, followed by case-study discussions. On the second day, participants conducted a study visit to the KPK's Merah Putih Building and the agency's Repository for Confiscated and Forfeited Assets (Rupbasan). Through the program, Lemhannas RI emphasized the importance of integrity as the foundation of national leadership in addressing governance challenges.

Lemhannas RI and Japanese Embassy Explore Stronger Strategic Cooperation

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JAKARTA - Governor of Lemhannas RI Dr. H. TB. Ace Hasan Syadzily, M.Si. received a visit from Tanaka Motoyasu, Director of the Political Affairs Division at the Embassy of Japan in Indonesia, at Tri Gatra Building in Jakarta on Thursday (24/4).

During the meeting, Tanaka conveyed an invitation from the Japanese

government for the Lemhannas RI governor to visit Japan.

The discussion also covered technical aspects of the visit, including meetings with several Japanese government institutions and possible discussions with Indonesian academics and scholars currently based in Japan.

The planned visit will also be synchronized with the overseas strategic studies program of Lemhannas RI participants, who are likewise scheduled to visit several institutions in Japan.

"We hope that cooperation between Indonesia and Japan, particularly involving Lemhannas, will become even closer in the future," The Governor of Lemhannas RI said.

The meeting reflected both sides' commitment to strengthening Indonesia-Japan relations through strategic collaboration, the exchange of ideas, and the development of cross-sector partnerships to support national resilience.

Major General Erwin S. Aldedharma Sworn In as the Deputy Governor of Lemhannas RI

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JAKARTA - The Governor of Lemhannas RI, Dr. H. TB Ace Hasan Syadzily, M.Si., officially inaugurated Vice Admiral Erwin S. Aldedharma, S.E., M.M., M.Sc. as Deputy Governor of Lemhannas RI at Ruang Hening of the Trigatra Building in Jakarta on Tuesday (4/28).

The inauguration of Erwin Aldedharma was based on Presidential Decree No. 42/TPA/2026 dated April 15, 2026, concerning the dismissal and appointment of high-ranking officials within Lemhannas RI, and Decree No. 92/2026 issued by the Governor of Lemhannas RI on April 23, 2026, regarding the appointment of the Deputy Governor of Lemhannas RI.

"I am convinced that the mandate entrusted to you reflects your longstanding commitment and dedication in serving the nation and the state," the Governor of Lemhannas RI said in his opening remarks. He hoped that the inauguration would mark the beginning of a renewed



commitment to delivering meaningful contributions through professional, adaptive, and high-integrity leadership.

The Governor of Lemhannas RI further underlined that the role of the Deputy Governor of Lemhannas RI extends far beyond administrative responsibilities, emphasizing that the position embodies strategic leadership. The Deputy Governor is expected to safeguard the quality and direction of national leaders' education so that it remains responsive to global dynamics,

strengthen Lemhannas RI's role as the state's strategic think tank, integrate geopolitical perspectives into policy recommendations, and ensure that national values remain the principal foundation in navigating global pressures and challenges.

"You are expected to connect strategic vision with practical policy measures, while balancing the nation's long-term priorities against shifting global dynamics," the Governor concluded.



Lemhannas RI Highlights National Waste Emergency and Strengthening Community-Based Waste Management

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JAKARTA - Deputy for Strategic Studies of Lemhannas RI held a Focus Group Discussion (FGD) on an urgent and rapid assessment titled "Revitalizing Community-Based Waste Management to Increase Added Value in Strengthening National Resilience" at Kresna Room on Thursday (4/30). The discussion was officially opened by Dr. H. TB. Ace Hasan Syadzily, M.Si., Governor of Lemhannas RI.

The FGD aimed to gain a comprehensive understanding of the current condition, challenges, and potential for revitalizing community-based waste management in Indonesia, including efforts to generate greater economic value, strengthen public

participation, and enhance national resilience through socio-cultural, economic, and environmental approaches.

"I hope this discussion will produce strategic recommendations, not only at the level of government action, but also in encouraging all stakeholders to take part in revitalizing community-based waste management so that it creates added value capable of strengthening our national resilience," the Governor said.

The discussion was moderated by Brigadier General of Police Yusuf Hondawantri Naibaho, S.H., M.Si., M.H., Director of Socio-Cultural and Demographic Studies at Lemhannas RI. The first speaker

was Melda Mardalina, Acting Deputy for Waste, Hazardous Waste, and Toxic Materials Management at Indonesia's Ministry of Environment.

Other speakers attending the FGD included Dr. Ario Betha Juanssilfero, M.Sc., Head of the Environmental and Clean Technology Research Center at the National Research and Innovation Agency (BRIN); Prof. Dr. Ir. Mochamad Chalid, S.Si., M.Sc.Eng., Head of the Center for Sustainability and Waste Management at Universitas Indonesia; and Dr. Lyta Peratasari, S.Kom, M.Si., a community facilitator for waste management at the Climate Reality Leadership Project.