Module Code : AD-2304
Module Title : Economy and Society of Brunei Darussalam
Programme : Bachelor of Arts
Type of Module : Major Option/ Breadth
Modular Credits : 4
Student Workload:
  Contact Hours: 8 – 10 hours per week
  2 hours per week
Prerequisite : None
Anti-requisite : None

Aims:
The aim of the module is to expose students to key actors and processes shaping the economy and society of Brunei Darussalam. The module provides an overview and discussions regarding Brunei’s long term development plans and strategies for economic progress by investing in different sectors of the economy and attracting foreign investors into the country. By the end of this module, students should be able to critically review plans and actions taken by various key actors to develop the economy and society of Brunei Darussalam.

Module Content:
The first part of the module identifies Brunei’s economic development and changes as well as their impacts on society. Topics for consideration include identifying the economic sectors including and development plans in Brunei; economic diversification and place competitiveness includes clusters and tourism; and urban development. The second part examines social and cultural changes and quality of life in Brunei and their impact upon Brunei’s geography specifically the economic landscape. Themes considered include population change; growing online social networks and societies as well as issues of consumption and indebtedness.

Assessment:
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Textbook(s) References: