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BIOGRAPHY

Dr. Muhammad Naim Fakhirin is a Senior Lecturer in the Section of History, School of Humanities, Universiti Sains Malaysia (USM). He holds a PhD in Malaysian Political History, a Master's degree from Universiti Malaya (UM), and a Bachelor of Arts (History) from Universiti Sains Malaysia. He is actively engaged in academic writing and publishing, with research that primarily focuses on Malaysian and Singaporean political history. His broader research interests, particularly issues related to Malays political development, constitutional history and electoral politics. To date, he has published more than 20 journal articles and over 10 conference proceeding papers in these fields.

AREAS OF EXPERTISE

- HISTORY OF MALAYSIAN POLITIC
- HISTORY OF ELECTORAL AND CONSTITUTION POLITIC
- HISTORY OF SINGAPOREAN POLITIC
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ACADEMIC QUALIFICATION

- **PHD (UM) (2024), (Sejarah)**
 Universiti Malaya (UM)
- **MA (UM) (2018), (Sejarah)**

Universiti Malaya (UM)

- **BA (HONS) (USM) (2012), (Sejarah)**

Universiti Sains Malaysia (USM)

ADMINISTRATIVE DUTIES

- **ORAL HISTORY UNIT, HISTORY SECTION, SCHOOL OF HUMANITIES, UNIVERSITI SAINS MALAYSIA**

Committee

MEMBERSHIPS

- **MEMBER, Malaysian Branch of the Royal Asiatic Society [MBRAS], 2025**
- **MEMBER, Persatuan Sejarah Malaysia [Cawangan Terengganu]**

AWARDS AND STEWARDSHIP

PUBLICATIONS

Article in Journal

ESCI

1. Muhammad Naim Fakhirin Rezani, Zulkanain, Fatimi Hanafi, Reaksi British Terhadap Pertikaian Konsul Amerika Syarikat dan Johor, 1870-1905, *Jebat: Malaysian Journal of History, Politics & Strategic Studies*, Vol 47 (3) (Disember 2020): 87-114, Bangi: Penerbit Universiti Kebangsaan Malaysia. <https://journalarticle.ukm.my/17096/1/44774-144089-1-SM.pdf>
2. Muhammad Naim Fakhirin Rezani, Konflik Persaingan: Tumpuan UMNO dan DAP di Johor dalam PRU 12 hingga PRU 14, *Akademika: Journal of Southeast Asia Social Science and Humanities*, Vol. 94(3), 2024, Bangi: Penerbit Universiti Kebangsaan Malaysia. <https://doi.org/10.17576/akad-2024-9403-07>
3. Muhammad Naim Fakhirin Rezani, Parlimen Ayer Hitam Sebagai Pengkalan Politik MCA Pada Pilihan Raya Umum ke-15, *Johor, Jebat: Malaysian Journal of History, Politics & Strategic Studies*, Vol 52 (1) (Mac 2025): 114-134, Bangi: Penerbit Universiti Kebangsaan Malaysia. <https://doi.org/10.17576/jebat.2025.5201.06>.
4. Muhammad Naim Fakhirin Rezani, Pengukuhan Pengaruh People's Action Party (PAP) Terhadap Politik Singapura, 1955-1959, *Geografia: Malaysian Journal of Society and Space*. Vol 21 (2) 2025: 93-107. Bangi: Penerbit Universiti Kebangsaan Malaysia. <https://doi.org/10.17576/geo-2025-2102-07>.
5. Muhammad Naim Fakhirin Rezani, Strategi Politik Silang oleh People's Action Party dalam Konteks Mendominasi Politik Singapura, 1954-1959, *Akademika: Journal of Southeast Asia Social Science and Humanities*, Vol. 95, 2 (2025), Bangi: Penerbit Universiti Kebangsaan Malaysia. Wos/ESCI. <https://doi.org/10.17576/akad-2025-9502-15>.
6. Muhammad Naim Fakhirin Rezani, Persaingan Politik Melayu di Perak: Tumpuan Terhadap Pengaruh Isu Kempen dan Strategi Calon oleh UMNO, PAS dan Persatuan Kebangsaan Perak pada Pilihan Raya Umum 1955, *Jebat: Malaysian Journal of History, Politics & Strategic Studies*, 52(4) (2025): 509-528, <https://doi.org/10.17576/jebat.2025.5204.03>

Others

1. Muhammad Naim Fakhirin Rezani, Zulkanain, Fatimi Hanafi, Isu dan Pola Kecenderungan Undi Wanita Dalam Konteks Persaingan Politik UMNO dan DAP di Johor, PRU 12 Hingga PRU 14, *Sejarah: Journal of History Department, University Malaya*, Vol.33 (1) June 2024:117-137, Kuala Lumpur: Universiti Malaya. <https://doi.org/10.22452/sejarah.vol33no1.6>
2. Muhammad Naim Fakhirin Rezani, Zulkanain, Fatimi Hanafi, Cabaran dan Strategi Kelangsungan Politik UMNO di Johor, 2008-2018, *Minden: Journal of History and Archaeology*, Vol. 1, Pulau Pinang: Penerbit USM. <https://ejournal.usm.my/mjha/article/view/4891/5358>
3. Muhammad Naim Fakhirin Rezani, Tinjauan Awal Terhadap Tindakan British Dalam Usaha Berkaitan Proses Berkerajaan Sendiri di Singapura, 1948-1959, *e-Bangi: Journal of Social Sciences and Humanities*. Vol. 22, 2 (2025), Bangi: Penerbit Universiti Kebangsaan Malaysia. WoS/ESCI. <https://doi.org/10.17576/ebangi.2025.2202.06>
4. Muhammad Naim Fakhirin Rezani, Pelaksanaan Operation 'Coldstore' dan Implikasi Terhadap Prestasi PAP pada Pilihan Raya Umum Singapura, 1963, *Asian Journal of Environment, History and Heritage*, June 2025 Vol. 9, Issue. 1, Bangi: Penerbit UKM. <https://spaj.ukm.my/ajehh/index.php/ajehh/article/view/334>
5. Muhammad Naim Fakhirin Rezani, Peranan Masyarakat Arab Terhadap Ekonomi Kolonial di Singapura: Antara Implikasi dan Perspektif British, 1820-1940, *Minden: Journal of History and Archaeology*, Vol. 2, Pulau Pinang: Penerbit USM. <https://ejournal.usm.my/mjha/Forthcoming-Articles>
6. Muhammad Naim Fakhirin Rezani, Perjuangan Politik PAS dan Prestasi dalam Pilihan Raya Umum 1959 di Singapura, *Sejarah: Journal of the Department of History, Kuala Lumpur: Penerbit Universiti Malaya*. Vol.34, No.1(June) 2025:62-80, MyCite. <https://doi.org/10.22452/sejarah.vol34no1.4>

7. Muhammad Naim Fakhirin Rezani, Penglibatan Kesatuan Melayu Singapura dalam Politik dan Pilihan Raya di Singapura, 1926-1959, *International Journal of the Malay World and Civilisation* 13(3), 2025: 3 – 13, Bangi: Penerbit UKM, MyCite, <https://doi.org/10.17576/jatma-2025-1303-01>
8. Muhammad Naim Fakhirin, Implementasi Akta Pengambilan Tanah 1966 dan Kesannya Terhadap Kedudukan Politik Masyarakat Melayu di Singapura, 1966-1990, *Jurnal Undang-Undang dan Masyarakat*, 35(2) JUUM 165 – 181, <https://doi.org/10.17576/juum-2025-3502-10>
9. Muhammad Naim Fakhirin, Pelantikan Penasihat British di Terengganu: Antara Faktor, Peranan dan Konflik Terhadap Masyarakat Melayu, 1909-1928, *Jurnal Melayu Sedunia*, Volume 8, (1), 134-146. <https://katha.um.edu.my/index.php/jurnalmelayusedunia/article/view/66338/19181>
10. Muhammad Naim Fakhirin, Reaksi Pemimpin Politik dan British di Tanah Melayu Terhadap Revolusi Sosial Sumatera Timur, 1946-1957, *International Journal of Humanities Technology and Civilization*, Vol 10 (2), 2025, 155-165, <https://doi.org/10.15282/ijhtc.v10i2.12511>
11. Muhammad Naim Fakhirin, Pengaruh Revolusi Nasional Indonesia Terhadap Kesedaran Nasionalisme di Tanah Melayu: Antara Tindakan Masyarakat dan Perspektif British, 1948-1957, *Perspektif: Jurnal Sains Sosial dan Kemanusiaan*, Jil. 17 Bil. 2 (135-147), <https://doi.org/10.37134/perspektif.vol17.2.11.2025>
12. Muhammad Naim Fakhirin, Koordinasi UMNO dalam Politik dan Pilihan Raya di Singapura, 1954-1959. *SARJANA*, Vol. 40, No. 2, December 2025, pp. 86 -97.

Books

Chapter in Books

1. Muhammad Naim Fakhirin, Zulkanain Abdul Rahman, Fatimi Hanafi, Prestasi UMNO di Kerusi Parlimen Kawasan FELDA, Johor Pada PRU-14, Dlm. Zulkanain Abdul Rahman, Rosmadi Fauzi & Amer Saifude Ghazali (Penyunting), *Pilihan Raya Umum Ke-14: Isu dan Cabaran Malaysia Baharu*, Kuala Lumpur: Penerbit Universiti Malaya, 2019.
2. Muhammad Naim Fakhirin, Zulkanain Abdul Rahman, Fatimi Hanafi, Kelangsungan dan Prestasi UMNO di Kelantan, PRU 9 hingga PRU 11, *Warisan Kelantan*, Vol. XXXIX, 2020, 27-42, Kota Bharu: Perbadanan Muzium Kelantan, 2020.
3. Muhammad Naim Fakhirin, Zulkanain Abdul Rahman, Perbandingan Prestasi Calon Wanita UMNO dan DAP di Johor, 2013-2018, Dlm Azmi Ariffin (Penyunting), *Pemikiran Politik, Kolonialisme dan Nasionalisme di Malaysia: Esei-esei Penghargaan Kepada Abdul Rahman Haji Ismail*, Pulau Pinang: Penerbit USM, 2025.

Article in Proceeding

Other Publications

1. Muhammad Naim Fakhirin Rezani, Semak Semula Akta Anti Lompat Parti Demi Kestabilan Politik Jitu, *Berita Harian*, 15 April 2024.
2. Muhammad Naim Fakhirin Rezani, Perluas Hukuman Tahanan Rumah, Jimatkan Kos, Kurang Beban Penjara, *Berita Harian*, 2 Mei 2024
3. Muhammad Naim Fakhirin Rezani, Remajakan Semula UMNO, Contohi Pengurusan Johor, *Utusan Malaysia*, 2 Mei 2024.
4. Muhammad Naim Fakhirin Rezani, Walaupun Menang, Tetapi Perlu Cari Jalan Kuasai Pengundi Melayu, 18 Mei 2024.
5. Muhammad Naim Fakhirin Rezani, Politik Ekonomi Populis Tumpuan Kempen PRK Sungai Bakap, 5 Julai 2024.
6. Muhammad Naim Fakhirin Rezani, Hala Tuju Politik Masyarakat Melayu Menuju Pilihan Raya Umum Ke-16, *Dewan Masyarakat*, Jun 2024, Kuala Lumpur: Dewan Bahasa dan Pustaka.
7. Muhammad Naim Fakhirin Rezani, Implementasi Sejarah Bangsa dan Keberkesanannya Melalui Mata Pelajaran Umum, *Dewan Masyarakat*, November 2024, Kuala Lumpur: Penerbit Dewan Bahasa dan Pustaka.
8. Muhammad Naim Fakhirin Rezani, Kelangsungan dan Keberadaan Bangsa Melayu Pasca Pilihan Raya Umum Ke-15, *Majalah Generasi*, Isu 2, 2024, Terengganu: Penerbit UniSZA.

9. Muhammad Naim Fakhirin Rezani, *Keperluan Semakan Semula Kurikulum Sejarah*, Dewan Masyarakat, Mei 2025, Kuala Lumpur: Penerbit Dewan Bahasa dan Pustaka.

10. Muhammad Naim Fakhirin Rezani, *Pembudayaan Prinsip Maqasid Syariah Dalam Penghayatan Rukun Negara*, Dewan Tamadun Islam, Isu 8, 2025. Penerbit Dewan Bahasa dan Pustaka.

RESEARCH PROJECT

International

National

University

CONSULTANCY PROJECT

PAPER PRESENTED

Conference

1. Kolonialisasi British dan Implikasi Terhadap Hubungan Selangor Bugis Dalam Tempoh 1874-1941, Seminar Institusi Raja (Siraj 4), 29 September 2016, Universiti Malaysia Perlis dan Kementerian Pelancongan dan Kebudayaan Malaysia.
2. Strategi Britain dan Kepentingan Ekonomi Tanah Melayu dalam Era Perang Dingin, 1948-1963, Persidangan Sosio-Ekonomi Malaysia, 23-24 November 2016, Fakulti Sastera dan Sains Sosial, Universiti Malaya.
3. Kesan Kemelesetan Ekonomi Selangor, 1926-1938, Persidangan Sosio-Ekonomi Malaysia, 23-24 November 2016, Fakulti Sastera dan Sains Sosial, Universiti Malaya.
4. Pengaruh Strategi Ketenteraan Rom dalam Ketenteraan Uthmaniah, 1620-1699: Perspektif British, Seminar Kebangsaan Tamadun dan Warisan Islam (TAWIS), 8-9 Disember 2016, Fakulti Pengajian Islam, Universiti Kebangsaan Malaysia dan Jabatan Kemajuan Islam Malaysia (JAKIM).
5. Britain and Malaysian-Indonesian Confrontation, International Conference of Humanities, 22-23 December 2016, School of Humanities, University Science of Malaysia.
6. Pengurusan Politik Eropah di Alam Melayu, Seminar Antara Budaya: Ilmu, Agama-Ideologi dan Bahasa, 15 Mac 2017, Institut Darul Ehsan dan Pusat Dialog Peradaban, Universiti Malaya.
7. Strategi DAP dalam PRU di Johor, 2008-2018, Persidangan Kebangsaan Masyarakat dan Kebudayaan di Malaysia, 9-10 Oktober, Jabatan Sejarah, Universiti Malaya.
8. Artificial Intelligence as New Method of History and Political Research, International Conference of Humanities and Current Issues, 27 November 2023, Universiti Sultan Zainal Abidin.
9. Indonesia-Malaysia Relationship During Cold War Period, International Conference on Fundamental Studies and Social Sciences, 24-25 August 2024, Universiti Sultan Zainal Abidin.

Plenary Speaker

1. Bicara Perpaduan-Membina Negara Bangsa Malaysia (Keynote Speaker), Anjuran Sekretariat Rukun Negara dan Majlis Perwakilan Pelajar, Universiti Sultan Zainal Abidin, 29 Disember 2024.
2. Malaysian-Indonesian Relationship Since World War II (Keynote Speaker), International Seminar, Strengthening Global

Invited Seminar

Invited Speaker

Event Organiser

Oral Presenter

Poster Presenter

Presenter

Keynote Speaker

ACADEMIC/PROF. SERVICES

Evaluation

Contribution to external organisation

Media appearance

SUPERVISION

PhD

Master

TEACHING

Master

1. HSB507 – DISERTASI
2. HSM502 – SEJARAH POLITIK MALAYSIA

Bachelor

1. HSA101 – Introduction to History
2. HSM116 - Malaysian Political History Until the Early 20th Century
3. HSK 103 - Historical Theory and Methods

SOCIAL RESPONSIBILITY ACTIVITIES

- Consultant, Yayasan Diraja Sultan Mizan, 2025-2026.