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BIOGRAPHY

Dr Norasmahani Binti Hussain is a senior lecturer in History Section, School of Humanities, Universiti Sains Malaysia (USM), Penang, Malaysia. She obtained her PhD in Modern European History from the University of Leeds, United Kingdom, and MA in European History from the University of Malaya, Kuala Lumpur, Malaysia. Her research interests include British foreign policy during the Cold War era, international history and politics, history of NATO, history of the Cold War and history of Europe. She has presented in various national and international conferences and involved in consultation projects with the University of Malaya. She has published articles in both national and international journals and book chapters in MAPIM publishers.

AREAS OF EXPERTISE

- BRITISH FOREIGN POLICY
- INTERNATIONAL HISTORY & POLITICS
- HISTORY OF NATO
- HISTORY OF THE COLD WAR
- HISTORY OF EUROPE

ACADEMIC QUALIFICATION

- **PHD (University of Leeds) (2019), (Modern European History)**
University of Leeds (UK)
- **MA (UM) (2011), (European History)**
Universiti Malaya (UM)
- **BA Ed. (HONS) (USM) (2008), (History)**
Universiti Sains Malaya (USM)

ADMINISTRATIVE DUTIES

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MEMBERSHIPS

- **MEMBER, THE MALAYSIAN BRANCH OF THE ROYAL ASIATIC SOCIETY [MBRAS]**
2019 to present (International)
- **MEMBER, BRITISH INTERNATIONAL HISTORY GROUP [BIHG]**
2014 to present (International)

AWARDS AND STEWARDSHIP

- **EXCELLENCE SERVICE AWARD**
University Sains Malaysia, 2022 (University)
- **AWARDS FOR INNOVATION – SILVER MEDAL**
INTELEC2023 - Innovations In Teaching & Learning Competition, 2023. Product Name: MICRO-CREDENTIAL: PEMBELAJARAN SUBJEK SEJARAH MELALUI VIDEO PENDEK.
University Sains Malaysia, 2023 (University)
- **ANUGERAH PENGAJARAN DAN PEMBELAJARAN TERBAIK 2023 (SEJARAH)**
School of Humanities, 2023 (University)
- **ANUGERAH INOVASI DALAM PENDIDIKAN 2023**
School of Humanities, 2023 (University)
- **ANUGERAH FAIL KURSUS TERBAIK – HSE 353E (SEJARAH)**
School of Humanities, 2023 (University)
- **ANUGERAH PENGAJARAN DAN PEMBELAJARAN TERBAIK 2022 (SEJARAH)**
School of Humanities, 2022 (University)
- **ANUGERAH PENERBITAN JURNAL BERWASIT 2022 (TERMASUK MYCITE)**
School of Humanities, 2022 (University)
- **ANUGERAH INOVASI PENDIDIKAN 2022**
School of Humanities, 2022 (University)
- **ANUGERAH FAIL KURSUS TERBAIK – HSL 334 (SEJARAH)**
School of Humanities, 2022 (University)
- **ANUGERAH PENSYARAH BARU ‘JARANG X ONZ’ (ALWAYS AVAILABLE) (KATEGORI PEREMPUAN)**
School of Humanities, 2022 (University)
- **ANUGERAH PENGHARGAAN KECEMERLANGAN MICRO CREDENTIAL 2021 (BAHAGIAN SEJARAH)**
School of Humanities, 2021 (University)
- **ANUGERAH GERAN PENYELIDIKAN UNIVERSITI**
School of Humanities, 2021 (University)

PUBLICATIONS

Article in Journal

WoS

ESCI

Scopus

1. **Norasmahani Hussain**. "Greco-Turkish Cyprus Dispute and Britain's Decision for Turkey to be included in the Middle East Command for the Political Stabilization of NATO, 1949-1950." *Tamkang Journal of International Affairs*, Vol. 26(3) July 2023: 137-200. [https://doi.org/10.6185/TJIA.V.202305_26\(3\).0003](https://doi.org/10.6185/TJIA.V.202305_26(3).0003)
2. **Norasmahani Hussain** & Mohamad Khairul Anuar Mohd Rosli. (2023). "British Foreign Secretary's Role and Influence in the Exclusion of Greece and Türkiye from NATO, 1948-1949." *Journal of International Studies*, 19(2), 161–188. <https://doi.org/10.32890/jis2023.19.2.6>
3. **Norasmahani Hussain**. "The Origin of U.S. Containment Policy in 1947: The Perception of British School." *Tamkang Journal of International Affairs*, Vol. 25(4) July 2022: 53-115. [https://doi.org/10.6185/TJIA.V.202205_25\(4\).0002](https://doi.org/10.6185/TJIA.V.202205_25(4).0002)
4. Mohd Firdaus Abdullah, Arba'iyah Mohd Noor, Mohd Shahrul Azha Mohd Sharif, **Norasmahani Hussain** dan Norazilawati Abd Wahab. 2021. "Di Sebalik Isu Natrah, 1950: Reaksi Pembaca The Straits Times terhadap Tragedi Natrah." *Journal of Al-Tamaddun* 16(1): 47-64. <https://doi.org/10.22452/JAT.vol16no1.4>

ERA

MyCite

1. Wan Nurjanatul Za'imah binti Wan Mohamad Khairuddin Azaki & **Norasmahani Hussain**. "Sejarah Perkembangan Sektor Penanaman Padi di Perlis, 1930-1950: Perbandingan antara Era Penjajahan British dengan Era Pendudukan Jepun." *International Journal of the Malay World and Civilisation*, 12(1), 2024: 59-75. <https://doi.org/10.17576/jatma-2024-1201-05>
2. **Norasmahani Hussain**, Muhamad Hasrul Zakariah & Mohamad Khairul Anuar Mohd Rosli. "Pengunduran Britain dari Greece, Mac 1947: Penilaian Semula dari Perspektif Setiausaha Luar Ernest Bevin." *Sejarah: Journal of History Department, University of Malaya*, No. 32(1) April 2023: 71-84. <https://doi.org/10.22452/sejarah.vol32no1.5>
3. Nurul 'Aisyah Azaman Haris & **Norasmahani Hussain**. "Peranan British dalam menangani Penyakit Tropika di Perak: Penumpuan terhadap Penyakit Malaria, Tuberkulosis dan Beri-Beri, 1915-1939." *Malaysia and International History Review*, Vol. 5(2) 2023: 23-47. <https://ejournal.ukm.my/mihr/article/view/62392>
4. Nursyazana Mohamad Fuad, Mohamad Khairul Anuar Mohd Rosli & **Norasmahani Hussain**. "Isu dan Impak Perkembangan Penanaman Getah di Perak, 1958-1984." *Sejarah: Journal of History Department, University of Malaya*, No. 32(2) Disember 2023: 169-204. <https://doi.org/10.22452/sejarah.vol32no2.8>
5. Nurul Asyikin Dzulkifli, Mohamad Khairul Anuar Mohd Rosli & **Norasmahani Hussain**. "Pembangunan Pertanian Komersial di Hilir Perak, 1900-1973." *Asian Journal of Environment, History and Heritage*, Vol. 7(2) (2023): 53-75. <https://spaj.ukm.my/ajehh/index.php/ajehh/article/view/238>
6. **Norasmahani Hussain**. "The Cold War Tension in Greece and the Continuation of British Rule in Cyprus, 1945-1950." *Sejarah: Journal of History Department, University of Malaya*, No. 31 (1) June 2022: 106-124. <https://doi.org/10.22452/sejarah.vol31no1.6>
7. Nurul Husna Muhammad Yusoff, Mohamad Khairul Anuar Mohd Rosli & **Norasmahani Hussain**. "Perkembangan Pengeluaran Getah di Negeri Kedah, 1970-1990." *Sejarah: Journal of History Department, University of Malaya*, No. 31 (2) December 2022: 142-162. <https://doi.org/10.22452/sejarah.vol31no2.8>
8. **Norasmahani Hussain** & Zulkanain Abdul Rahman. "Strategi Britain ke Arah Pakatan Anglo-Amerika Bagi Mengekang Peluasan Kuasa Kesatuan Soviet di Greece dan Turki, 1945-1947." *Asian Journal of Environment, History and Heritage*, December 2022 Vol. 6, Issue. 2, p. 35-49. <https://spaj.ukm.my/ajehh/index.php/ajehh/article/view/195>
9. **Norasmahani Hussain**. "The 'Cyprus Question' and Britain's Decision to Leave Turkey and Greece Outside NATO, 1948-1949." *Sejarah: Journal of History Department, University of Malaya*; No. 30 (2) 2021: 100-115. <https://doi.org/10.22452/sejarah.vol30no2.6>
10. **Norasmahani Hussain** dan Zulkanain Abdul Rahman. 2017. "Peranan Britain dalam Menubuhkan Pertubuhan Perjanjian Atlantik Utara (NATO) pada 1949." *Sejarah: Journal of History Department, University of Malaya* 26(1): 98-116. <https://doi.org/10.22452/sejarah.vol26no1.7>

Others

Books

Chapter in Books

1. **Norasmahani Hussain** & Zulkanain Abdul Rahman. 2022. Keanggotaan Negara-negara Eropah dan Kelewatan Penubuhan NATO, 1948-1949. In Zulkanain Abdul Rahman & Abu Hanifah Haris (Eds.), Budiman: Kumpulan Esei Sempena Persaraan Profesor Dato' Dr. Mohammad Redzuan Othman. (pp. 253-282). Kuala Lumpur: Penerbit Universiti Malaya.
2. Mohd Firdaus Abdullah, Arba'iyah Mohd Noor & **Norasmahani Hussain**. 2022. Perjanjian Bekalan Air Kedah dan Perlis 1969-1994. In Nasha Rodziadi khaw, Nazarudin Zainun dan Mohd Kasturi Nor Abd Aziz (Eds.), Sorotan Sejarah Perlis: Perkembangan Kebudayaan dan Sosioekonomi. (pp. 279-300). Perlis: Penerbit UniMAP.

Article in Proceeding

1. **Norasmahani Hussain**. 2020. Greece, Enosis and Britain's Complete Evacuation from Greece in March 1947, pp. 668-676. 30th & 31st October 2019. International Conference on Humanities, School of Humanities, USM. [10.15405/epsbs.2020.10.02.61](https://doi.org/10.15405/epsbs.2020.10.02.61)
2. **Norasmahani Hussain**. 2020. The Cold War and the Retention of British Rule in Cyprus, 1945-1947, pp. 552-561. 30th & 31st October 2019. International Conference on Humanities, School of Humanities, USM. [10.15405/epsbs.2020.10.02.50](https://doi.org/10.15405/epsbs.2020.10.02.50)
3. **Norasmahani Hussain**. 2017. The 'Cyprus Question' And Britain's Decision To Leave Turkey And Greece Outside NATO During Its Formation Years, 1948-1949, pp. 112-123. 27th & 28th March 2017. 5th International Conference on Social Sciences Research, Berjaya Times Square Hotel, Kuala Lumpur, Malaysia.

Other Publications

RESEARCH PROJECT

International

National

1. **2021 - 2022**, Non-Government Agencies (Yayasan Islam Pulau Pinang) Peranan dan Sumbangan Golongan Jawi Peranakan dalam Hal Ehwaj Haji di Pulau Pinang. 01/04/2021-31/03/2022. **(Co-Researcher)**

University

1. **2021 - 2023**, Greco-Turkish Cyprus Dispute and Britain's Decision for Turkey to be Included in the Middle East Command, 1949-1950: Military Strategy or NATO's Political Stabilization? SHORT TERM GRANT. 1/5/2021-30/4/2023. **(Principal Investigator)**

CONSULTANCY PROJECT

- **Norasmahani Binti Hussain, Ahli Jawatankuasa Induk Kurikulum Penawaran Program Baharu, Sarjana Muda Sastera Dengan Pendidikan (Sejarah), Jabatan Sejarah, Fakulti Sastera Dan Sains Sosial, Universiti Malaya.**
08 September 2023 – 31 October 2023 (National)
- **Norasmahani Binti Hussain, Ahli Jawatankuasa Pemegang Taruh Penawaran Program Baru, Sarjana Sejarah Malaysia (Secara Berkursus), Jabatan Sejarah, Fakulti Sastera Dan Sains Sosial, Universiti Malaya.**
01 September 2023 – 31 October 2023 (National)

PAPER PRESENTED

Conference

1. Social Sciences and Humanities During Crisis: Lessons from the Past and Path for the Future. The 8th International Conference on Social Sciences and Humanities (ICOSH - UKM). Faculty of Social Sciences and Humanities, Universiti Kebangsaan Malaysia, Malaysia (International) (16 May 2023 - 17 May 2023)
2. To Build Malaysian Family, Towards Sustainable Development Goals. Konferensi Sains, Etika & Peradaban (KONSEP 2022). Universiti Teknologi Mara Cawangan Perlis, Perlis, Malaysia (International) (17 March 2022)
3. Innovation and Transformation in Humanities for a Sustainable Tomorrow. The 2nd International Conference on Humanities (ICH 2019). Postgraduate Students Club of the School of Humanities, Universiti Sains Malaysia, Malaysia (International) (30 October - 31 October 2019)
4. Emerging Trends for Sustainability in Global Social Science Researches: Opportunities and Challenges. 5th International Conference on Social Sciences Research 2017 (ICSSR 2017). Berjaya Times Square Hotel, Kuala Lumpur, Malaysia (International) (27 March 2017 - 28 March 2017)

Plenary Speaker

Invited Seminar

Invited Speaker

Event Organiser

1. Committee - Persidangan NASIONAL Sejarah Dan Sejarawan Malaysia 2017, Pusat Pengajian Ilmu Kemanusiaan, Univerisiti Sains Malaysia (2017)

Oral Presenter

1. Norasmahani Hussain. Britain wanted Turkey in the Middle East Command for NATO's political stabilization, 1949-1950. Social Sciences and Humanities During Crisis: Lessons from the Past and Path for the Future. The 8th International Conference on Social Sciences and Humanities (ICOSH - UKM). Faculty of Social Sciences and Humanities, Universiti Kebangsaan Malaysia, Malaysia (International) (16 May 2023 - 17 May 2023)
2. Norasmahani Hussain. Strategi Britain ke Arah Pakatan Anglo-Amerika Bagi Mengekang Peluasan Kuasa Kesatuan Soviet di Greece dan Turki, 1945-1947. To Build Malaysian Family, Towards Sustainable Development Goals. Konferensi Sains, Etika & Peradaban (KONSEP 2022). Universiti Teknologi Mara Cawangan Perlis, Perlis, Malaysia (International) (17 March 2022)
3. Norasmahani Hussain. The Cold War and the Retention of British Rule in Cyprus, 1945-1947. Innovation and Transformation in Humanities for a Sustainable Tomorrow. The 2nd International Conference on Humanities (ICH 2019). Postgraduate Students Club of the School of Humanities, Universiti Sains Malaysia, Malaysia (International) (30 October - 31 October 2019)
4. Norasmahani Hussain. The 'Cyprus Question' And Britain's Decision to Leave Turkey and Greece Outside NATO During Its Formation Years, 1948-1949. Emerging Trends for Sustainability in Global Social Science Researches: Opportunities and Challenges. 5th International Conference on Social Sciences Research 2017 (ICSSR 2017). Berjaya Times Square Hotel, Kuala Lumpur, Malaysia (International) (27 March 2017 - 28 March 2017)

Poster Presenter

Presenter

1. Norasmahani Hussain. Britain wanted Turkey in the Middle East Command for NATO's political stabilization, 1949-1950. 16th & 17th May 2023. The 8th International Conference on Social Sciences and Humanities (ICOSH - UKM). Faculty of Social Sciences and Humanities, Universiti Kebangsaan Malaysia, Malaysia (International) (16 May 2023 - 17 May 2023)
2. Norasmahani Hussain. Strategi Britain ke Arah Pakatan Anglo-Amerika Bagi Mengekang Peluasan Kuasa Kesatuan Soviet di Greece dan Turki, 1945-1947. 17th March 2022. Konferensi Sains, Etika & Peradaban (KONSEP 2022). Universiti Teknologi Mara Cawangan Perlis, Perlis, Malaysia (International) (17 March 2022)
3. Norasmahani Hussain. The Cold War and the Retention of British Rule in Cyprus, 1945-1947. 30th & 31st October 2019. International Conference on Humanities, School of Humanities, USM. (30 October 2019 - 31 October 2019)
4. Norasmahani Hussain. The 'Cyprus Question' And Britain's Decision to Leave Turkey and Greece Outside NATO During Its Formation Years, 1948-1949. 27th & 28th March 2017. 5th International Conference on Social Sciences Research, Berjaya Times Square Hotel, Kuala Lumpur, Malaysia. (27 March 2017 - 28 March 2017)

Keynote Speaker

ACADEMIC/ PROFESSIONAL SERVICES

Evaluation

1. (2024) Nur Syahidda Salha Binti Sabri, Perbincangan tentang Pendidikan Orang Melayu dalam Akhbar Berita Harian 1957-1970, MA (Southeast Asian History), University, (Internal Examiner)
2. (2022) Stanley Anak Nyalin, Sistem Pengangkutan Air Di Sarawak, 1963 Hingga 1993: Isu Penguatkuasaan Perundangan, MA (Southeast Asian History), University, (Internal Examiner)
3. (2021) Nurul Shafiqah Binti Shafif, Krisis Kewangan Asia 1997-1998: Kesan Terhadap Sosioekonomi Negeri Selangor 1999 – 2007, MA (Southeast Asian History), University, (Internal Examiner)

Contribution to external/ internal organisation

1. (2023) Invited Speaker, Bengkel Online Sejarah Lisan, 2023, Galeri Diraja Tuanku Ja'afar, Negeri Sembilan, Galeri Diraja Tuanku Ja'afar, Negeri Sembilan (National)
2. (2022) Invited Speaker, Implikasi Perang Rusia-Ukraine Terhadap Ekonomi Negara Malaysia, UPSI, Persatuan Mahasiswa Sejarah (PERMAS), UPSI, Program Webinar Persatuan Mahasiswa Sejarah (PERMAS) (National)
3. (2022) Invited Speaker, Perang Rusia-Ukraine 2020: Adakah NATO Puncanya?, USM, Bahagian Sejarah, PPIK, Wacana Bahagian Sejarah 2022 (National)

Media appearance

SUPERVISION

PhD

1. XIE LIBIN, DOCTOR OF PHILOSOPHY, RESEARCH - FULL TIME, Frontier Governance: A Comparative Study of the Castra Between the Roman Empire and the Han Dynasty. (ON-GOING/AKTIF) **(Main Supervisor)**
2. Zhang Zhiyu, DOCTOR OF PHILOSOPHY, RESEARCH - FULL TIME, The role of national museum in Chinese history and culture in the post Mao Zedong Era, 1976-1997. (ON-GOING/AKTIF) **(Co-Supervisor)**
3. Rasyidah Binti Arshad, DOCTOR OF PHILOSOPHY, RESEARCH - FULL TIME. Mencabar "Sejarah Rasmi": "Sejarah Rakyat" dalam Persejarahan Tentang Perjuangan Kemerdekaan Tanah Melayu, 1970-2018. (ON-GOING/AKTIF) **(Co-Supervisor)**
4. Fang Jiaying, DOCTOR OF PHILOSOPHY, RESEARCH - FULL TIME. Integration and Diversity: The Development of Race and Politics in Macau and Timor under the Portuguese Empire (1836-1896). (ON-GOING/AKTIF) **(Co-Supervisor)**

Master

1. REEM F H MAJBEL, MSC, RESEARCH - FULL TIME, The Historically Emotional Side and Its Impact on the Renaissance and Revolutions of Peoples by Showing the Emotional Side in The French Revolution. (ON-GOING/AKTIF) **(Main Supervisor)**

TEACHING

Master

1. HSK501 – Teori Dan Kaedah Penyelidikan Dalam Ilmu Sejarah (*Theory And Research Methods In History*)
2. HSA505 – Sejarah Asia: Intelektual dan Arus Perubahan (*Asian History: Intellectuals And The Current Of Change*)
3. HSB507 – Disertasi (*Dissertation*)

Bachelor

1. HSA101 – Pengantar Sejarah (*Introduction To History*)
2. HSK103 – Teori dan Kaedah Sejarah (*Theory and Methods in History*)
3. HSL234 – Kertas Khas Dalam Sejarah Dunia Barat (*Special Paper In The History Of The Western World*)
4. HSE353E – Sejarah Eropah Moden Sejak Kurun Ke-18 (*History Of Modern Europe Since The 18th Century*)
5. HSM410 – Kajian Dokumen Dalam Sejarah Malaysia (*Study Of Documents In Malaysian History*)
6. HPA106 – Ilmu Kemanusiaan Digital (*Digital Humanities*)

SOCIAL RESPONSIBILITY ACTIVITIES

- Pengerusi Kelab Kebajikan dan Sosial (KEKSOS), PPIK 2022-2024