



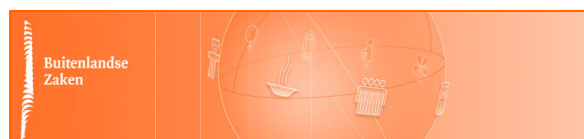
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Sarala Aikanathan is the director of Wetlands International, Malaysia, which is non-profit organization whose mission is to sustain and restore wetlands, their resources and biodiversity for future generations. She is also a reef bio-technologist, involved in reef restoration & propagation efforts in the waters of South-east Asia. She has about 20 years experience in the field of environmental conservation and has extensive experience in design and management of environmental projects in Malaysia, South East Asia, North Africa and East Timor. She graduated with a Masters from the University of New Castle upon Tyne, England.

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Nanda was trained as a chemist and specialized in energy and environmental studies. She has spent the first 4 years of her career at Groningen University (NL), with research & education on different subjects within the field of environmental studies. After that, she founded a regional office as an affiliate of this company. After 2 years she switched to another consultancy company (now named Royal Haskoning) and contributed to the development of the environmental management consultancy. As a real generalist she worked on projects like EIAs, EMS, strategic advice, indicators, auditing etc. Her experience is mainly in the private sector, and to a lesser extent with governmental organizations. The last years in this company she had the position of manager of one of their consultancy groups. In this position she took the chance to initiate consultancy services in the field of sustainability. 2,5 years ago she decided allow herself a sabbatical period for further personal and professional development. She wanted to dedicate herself to a more active and pro-active role in change processes that support sustainable development of our society. Her passion lies in interacting with people: supporting and coaching change processes with individuals, groups and organizations. She is an NLP (Neuro Linguistic Programming) practitioner and is experienced in training. Recently she started as a private consultant: the one-person company name is Alcedo Consultancy: advise, training and coaching for change. Main projects at the moment are training programmes on HSE awareness for the private sector.

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I graduated as a Biologist in 1995 from Padjadjaran University in Bandung, Indonesia. In the year of 1999, I got a scholarship from the Swedish Government to pursue my Master's Degree. I graduated in 2001 as Master of Science in Biodiversity. As a biologist, I am mostly working on species conservation issues. However, during my 10 years of working with Wetlands International in many places in Indonesia, I was fortunate to learn and experience working on broader conservation issues such as wetland management, land use planning, policy making, peat land restoration, awareness and environmental education, community development and climate change issues, as well as project management and proposal development. I have been positioned working on various wetlands project in Indonesia such as in Sumatra, Kalimantan (Indonesian Borneo) and Java. I am also currently member of the IUCN Otter Specialist Group of the Species Survival Commission as National Representative for Indonesia.

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Viv Mestdagh works for Globus since 2001 where she is responsible for the international Globus projects. She is also responsible for the Globus website and the co-ordination of the corporate communication in cooperation with the TiasNimbas Marketing External Relations Division. Viv's main project is the yearly International Programme on the Management of Sustainability (IPMS) of the Sustainability Challenge Foundation (SCF). Viv works with the Board of the Foundation on a daily basis; whereas the Board is responsible for day-to-day strategic and financial management decisions, the organisational and logistical matters are taken care of by Viv. Since December 2004 Viv has been a key person in the organisation of the Regional programs, organized by SCF in developing countries (Kenya, Mozambique, Moldova, South Africa, West Africa & Indonesia). Viv studied Multi-lingual Administration in Belgium and she holds a bachelor's degree in Business Administration. In 1993 she moved to The Netherlands, but continued to work in Belgium. Since the beginning of her career Viv has worked in an international environment. Before joining Globus, she worked for ten years at Johnson & Johnson, an American multinational within the pharmaceutical industry, where she operated in Clinical R&D in different franchises. Viv was born in Kortrijk (Belgium) on 6 May 1962. She is married to a Dutchman and they live with their son Jan-David (born in 1998) in Tilburg.

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This Balinese guy - Nyoman Suryadiputra - was trained as a limnologist in Austria in 1984/85, then in Dresden (former DDR) in 1989/90. He studied various environmental management issues. Nyoman has spent 3 years in ASEAN-BIOTROP (Biological Tropical) Bogor, 4 years in CoreLab (the US based oil service company), and several years with the various industries (including textiles, pulp-paper and metal based), dealing with their waste water treatments and discharges.

Since November 1994, Nyoman works for Wetlands International Indonesia Programme (WI-IP) and at the same time he is also actively lecturing the undergraduate students at Bogor Agriculture Institute on limnology, wetlands management and restoration issues, and wastewater treatment. Currently Nyoman is the technical director (and also member of the management) of WI-IP where he is responsible in overseeing the management and the implementation of wetlands projects, including to carry out fund-raising. Large Projects currently managed by Nyoman include, among others, the Central Kalimantan Peat lands restoration projects and the coastal rehabilitation (Green Coast) projects in Aceh and Nias.

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