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Call for paper

International Conference on Ethnic and Cultural Entrepreneurship

Organized by the Department of
Management, Faculty of Economics and
Business, Universitas Andalas

Padang, July 28, 2025



Keynote speakers

Conference chair



Prof. Dr. Donard Games,

Professor of
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Dr. Suryadi

Leiden University,
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Conference Overview

The International Conference on Ethnic and Cultural Entrepreneurship serves as a pivotal component of the internationalization initiative at Universitas Andalas, underscoring its prominence as a leading institution in West Sumatra. The region is predominantly inhabited by the Minangkabau ethnic group, renowned for its rich traditions in entrepreneurship and the practice of merantau, or migration. This unique cultural phenomenon suggests that Minangkabau individuals, particularly those residing beyond the confines of West Sumatra, continue to embody and uphold their cultural values in their entrepreneurial endeavors. The conference aims to facilitate an in-depth examination of ethnic-based entrepreneurship, fostering dialogue and insights from diverse academic perspectives both locally and globally. The discourse will be organised around three central themes: Ethnicity, culture, and entrepreneurial economics, thereby enriching the understanding of how these factors interplay in the entrepreneurial landscape.

We invite scholars, researchers, and practitioners from related fields to engage in a critical examination of the interplay between ethnicity, culture, entrepreneurship, and economics and their collective influence on the global understanding of science and the humanities. Through participation in this discourse, contributors will play a vital role in advancing the theoretical and practical dimensions of entrepreneurship.



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Conference Theme and Topics

Theme

Navigating culture and creative
economy for sustainable development

Topics for paper submission

1. Creative economy and local wisdom
2. Ethnic and cultural entrepreneurship
3. Minangkabau wisdom and entrepreneurship
2. Entrepreneurial Economics and sustainable development
3. Entrepreneurship and the Circular Economy

We encourage a broad range of theoretical, empirical, and methodological contributions that can advance these critical discourses in entrepreneurship.



Submission guideline

We invite submissions from scholars at all stages of their academic careers, including graduate students and early-career researchers. The submission process is as follows:

1. Abstracts must be written in English and should not exceed 300 words.
2. Authors of accepted abstracts are required to submit a full paper ranging from 4,000 to 5,000 words.
3. All submissions must be original, unpublished works that are not currently under consideration for publication elsewhere. Each submission will be subject to peer review by a panel of experts in the field.
4. Manuscripts should be submitted through our online submission system <https://bit.ly/icdssh2025>.
5. Please ensure that each submission includes a title, the names of all authors, affiliations, and valid contact information. We look forward to receiving your contributions.

Important dates

- Abstract Submission Deadline : June 15, 2025
- Notification of Acceptance : June 25 , 2025
- Deadline for Final Papers : July 25, 2025
- Conference Date : July 28, 2025

Conference Venue

Faculty of Economics and Business
Universitas Andalas
Limau Manis, Pauh
Padang, West Sumatra
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Contact Information

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Conference fee

- Participant : free
- Student presenter - domestic: IDR 750.000
- Student presenter - International: USD 50
- Lecturer presenter - domestic: IDR 1.500.000
- Lecturer presenter - international: USD 90

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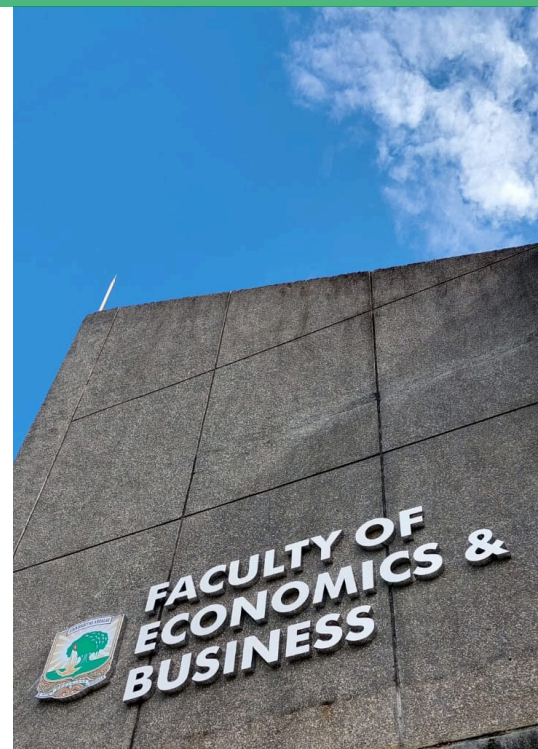
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