



THE GUYUB PROJECT

Tackling the Threat of Violent Extremism and its Impacts to Human Security in East Java

Period: October 2019 – April 2022 (30 months)



The Guyub Project, a joint UN program, promoted a prevention approach based on the Rule of Law, Human Rights, and Gender Equality to **prevent and counter violent extremism (P/CVE) in East Java and at the national level**. The program worked closely with local community leaders, government officials, law enforcement officers, civil society, teachers, community members, including women, youth and victims of terrorism as well as the private sector.



KEY RESULTS

Over **140.000** direct and indirect beneficiaries



Objective 1. Community-Based Engagement

Women's leadership in communities to prevent violent extremism and develop a community-based approach for early warning and conflict resolution.



200 women trained and supported across four peace villages in East Java in conflict resolution, early warning, and participation in decision-making.

Increase appreciation for the importance and value of **peace and tolerance**.



469 school community members trained including teachers and students on P/CVE, resulting in an inter-school forum for preventing violent extremism in East Java, the very first established in the country.

Support **religious leaders** to prevent individuals from supporting violent extremists.




PVE basic and advanced training for **188 religious** counsellors in Malang and Pasuruan, East Java, with over **22,575 social media reach**.




Objective 2. Alternative Narratives and the Internet

Support **youth and communities in East Java** to generate alternative narratives that confront and undermine violent extremism.

 Awareness raising campaign to in online spaces reached to **1,000 +** participants.

 Online PVE campaign attracted over **30,000** online viewers through social media accounts.

Enhance the understanding of **targeted communities and CSOs** in East Java on the use of the internet to radicalize individuals, and enhanced capabilities to prevent it.


 Reaching over **23 million subscribers** through **online learning platform**, "Ruangguru" to educate youth on P/CVE through private sector engagement.

Created a forum for national government agencies, civil society organisations, academia, and practitioners to address the use of new technologies by violent extremist organizations.



Objective 3. Social Compact: Strengthening Resilient Communities

Trainings of **law enforcement officials** on preventing and countering terrorism at the community level by applying the human security approach.

 Showed improvement of knowledge from **60% to 90%** among police officers.

Support **teachers, religious counselors and educational institutions** to prevent and counter violent extremism in school, with a focus on youth and women's empowerment.

 Empowered **4'000 students, 188 religious leaders, and 469 school communities** and stakeholders.

Disseminated **200 copies** of braille PVE module to **20 schools** for students with disabilities in Malang and Surabaya.



Objective 4. Criminal Justice

Developed gender-responsive, community-based **Guidelines on Early Warning and Early Response Mechanism** against social conflict, with women as peace agents.

Supported the corrections system in Indonesia to enhance its capabilities to manage violent extremist prisoners, particularly in regard to **disengagement, rehabilitation and reintegration**.

Supported Government officials to prevent recruitment in prisons and promotion of disengagement activities for **women and youth**.

Successful incorporation of human security elements into the **criminal justice system** concerning the management of violent extremist offenders.

Supported the establishment of a **Halfway House Facility** for ex-violent extremist prisoners, a mechanism for supporting the **rehabilitation and reintegration** of former violent extremist prisoners.



Objective 5. Breaking the Cycle

Strong youth involvement to undertake local actions to prevent violence and promote peace at the community level.

Supported the National Counter-Terrorism Agency to advance their efforts to enable **Indonesia's ratification of two conventions** that form part of the Universal Framework against Terrorism.



For victims of terrorism:

- Provided **vocational trainings**.
- Provided **psychosocial support** through trauma healing training.
- **Public awareness campaign** for historical victims of terrorism who are entitled to compensation and support.



Objective 6. Knowledge

Awarded **five research grants** of **5,000 USD** each to generate high-quality research conducted on the root causes of violent extremism in East Java and Indonesia.

IMPLEMENTING PARTNERS

