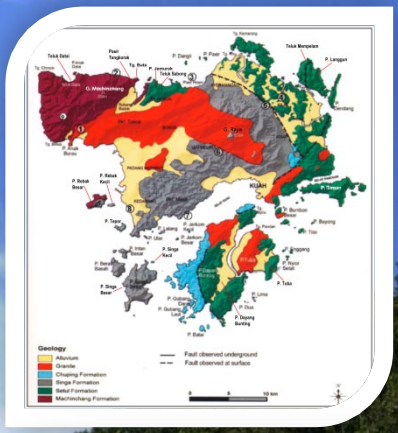
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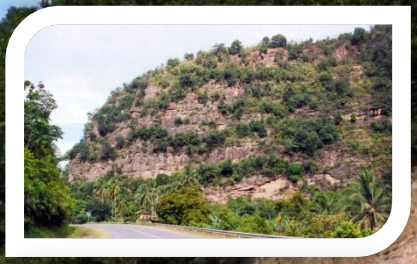
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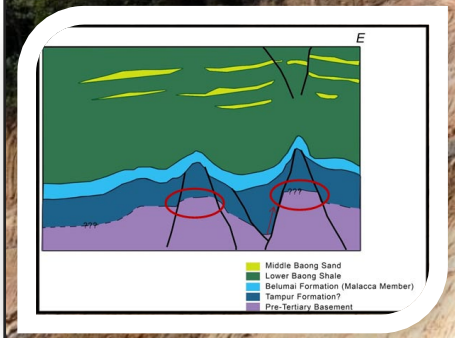
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From the Editor

Welcome to Berita Sedimentologi number 27!

We're very pleased to deliver another volume of Berita Sedimentologi to you. In this 27th edition of Berita Sedimentologi, we received 5 articles, including 2 articles from students to show our commitment to engage their interest in publishing their work on sedimentology/stratigraphy.

Berita Sedimentologi No. 27 focuses on Sumatra island however only three articles will discuss about Sumatra, while the rest of them are on other areas. The articles on Sumatra include a short communication on late synrift turbidite systems in the North Sumatra Basin written by Lawrence (Trey) Meckel, a field trip report to Central Sumatra prepared by Andrew Carnell and a student article on fractured basement in the Malacca Strait by Ignatius Primadi.

Lee Chai Peng submitted an article on stratigraphy of the Langkawi Island, Malaysia; and a group of students from Diponegoro University in Central Java wrote a short article on depositional environment analysis of Kali Banyumeneng (Demak, Central Java).

We would like to remind you of our plan for near future publication themes as follow:

- BS#28 Borneo: to be published in November 2013
- BS#29 SE Asia Biostratigraphy to be published in early 2014

Invitations have been sent out to potential contributors to seek articles for both volumes. We hope to get enough responses for future publications and in the meantime, we hope you will benefit from the current edition of Berita Sedimentologi. See you again in November.

Warm Regards,



Minarwan
Deputy Chief Editor

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The forum was founded in 1995 as the Indonesian Sedimentologists Forum (FOSI). This organization is a commu-nication and discussion forum for geologists, especially for those dealing with sedimentology and sedimentary geology in Indonesia.

The forum was accepted as the sedimentological commission of the Indonesian Association of Geologists (IAGI) in 1996. About 300 members were registered in 1999, including industrial and academic fellows, as well as students.

FOSI has close international relations with the Society of Sedimentary Geology (SEPM) and the International Association of Sedimentologists (IAS).
Fellowship is open to those holding a recognized degree in geology or a cognate subject and non-graduates who have at least two years relevant experience.

FOSI has organized 2 international conferences in 1999 and 2001, attended by more than 150 inter-national participants.

Most of FOSI administrative work will be handled by the editorial team. IAGI office in Jakarta will help if necessary.

The official website of FOSI is:

http://www.iagi.or.id/fosi/

FOSI Membership

Any person who has a background in geoscience and/or is engaged in the practising or teaching of geoscience or its related business may apply for general membership. As the organization has just been restarted, we use **LinkedIn (www.linkedin.com)** as the main data base platform. We realize that it is not the ideal solution, and we may look for other alternative in the near future. Having said that, for the current situation, LinkedIn is fit for purpose. International members and students are welcome to join the organization.

FOSI Group Member as of AUGUST 2013

