AEROTROPOLIS: AT WHAT COST, TO WHOM?

An analysis of social and environmental impacts of New Yogyakarta International Airport (NYIA) project, Indonesia

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Aerotropolis?
A developed country in 2025 (GDP: USD 4-4.5 Trillion)

6 economic corridors

1. Sumatra EC  
2. Java EC  
3. Kalimantan EC  
4. Sulawesi EC  
5. Bali – Nusa Tenggara EC  
6. Papua – Kep. Maluku EC
The tension

Muryanto, 2018

Delay of the environmental assessment document
THE SOCIAL IMPACTS

1. DISPLACEMENT
   Agreement and disagreement

2. RELOCATION
   People did not have any option

3. POOR COMPENSATION
   Difficult process for people who disagreed

4. LOST LIVELIHOOD AND IDENTITY
   Being farmers is irreplaceable

“We are now here, not because we agreed with the airport establishment. Since the airport is built for the sake of the country, we have no option.” (LP11)
The Environmental Impacts

Water shortage issue

Shoreline changes
Crisis, Neoliberalism, and The Role of The State

2008 crisis

Collapsed of Asia and ASEAN countries

Masterplan of ASEAN Connectivity (MPAC)

Public Private Partnership (PPP)
The Political Opportunism

Law number 98 of 2017

NYIA should be finished in April 2019

Presidential election
Aerotropolis and Sustainability Challenges

Global to local

Intertwining of political, economic, social, and environmental relations
THANK YOU 😊

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