CSOs and NGOs working for Human Rights

Name of Organisation: The Indonesia's NGO Coalition for International Human Rights Advocacy or Human Rights Working Group (HRWG), Indonesia
Website of Organisation: http://www.hrwg.org/ (under construction)
Facebook of Organisation: https://www.facebook.com/HRWG.Indonesia/
Organisation of DTP Alumni Y/N: Yes

The Indonesia's NGO Coalition for International Human Rights Advocacy (HRWG) was established through a collaboration of NGOs working on different issues but share the same interest in promoting human rights in Indonesia. HRWG is the Indonesia's NGO Coalition for International Human Rights Advocacy and works across national, regional and international levels. It has more than 45 members in Indonesia as well as regional and international networks. HRWG focus of advocacy is in the UN, ASEAN and OIC level. It also advocates and puts pressures on the Indonesian government to execute its international and constitutional obligations in protecting, fulfilling, respecting and promoting human rights in the country.

In June 2011, the Diplomacy Training Program (DTP) partnered with HRWG and Business Watch Indonesia (BWI) and together they held a six-day capacity building program on Human Rights Advocacy and Business in Jakarta. Since 2007, the DTP has worked with BWI and HRWG on this thematic capacity building program. During this period, there has been an increased attention to the relationship between business and human rights through the UN, ASEAN, NGOs, corporations and academia.

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1 The Diplomacy Training Program (DTP) is an NGO affiliated with the Faculty of Law at UNSW in Sydney. Since 1990, it has provided training to over 2600 human rights defenders and community advocates. These individuals work for a wide range of organisations working to promote shared values of human rights – in different ways. This profile is part of a series developed by DTP (ww.dtp.unsw.edu.au) to illustrate the richness and diversity of the organisations working to promote human rights more broadly.