From Baku to Bandung: Republicanism, Communism, and Islam in the Making of the Indonesian Revolution

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This lecture shows how Communism and Islam played a crucial, constitutive role in the making of the Indonesian "Revolusi," suggesting the essentially cosmopolitan nature of its origins and its emancipatory energies.

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