

# KRISNA GUPTA

## Expert Staff at National Economic Council

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## EDUCATION

- 2022 • **Australian National University**  
Ph.D. in Economics 📍 Canberra, Australia
- 2014 • **Universitas Indonesia**  
M.S.E. in Economics 📍 Depok, Indonesia
- 2014 • **VU University Amsterdam**  
M.Sc. in Economics 📍 Amsterdam, The Netherlands

## SELECTED RESEARCH AND PUBLICATIONS

- **Book**
  - Gupta, Krisna and Enny Mardjono (2021). *Indonesia Emas Berkelanjutan 2045: Kumpulan Pemikiran Pelajar Indonesia Sedunia Seri 01 Ekonomi*. Jakarta: LIPI Press. [ISBN: 978-602-496-208-1](#)
- **Journal Article**
  - Gupta, Krisna. (2023). [Indonesia doubles down on nickel export bans and downstreaming](#). *East Asia Forum Quarterly*, 15(4), 36-38.
  - Gupta, Krisna. (2023). [The Heterogenous Impact of Tariff and NTM on Total Factor Productivity of Indonesian Firms](#). *Bulletin of Indonesian Economic Studies*, 59(2), 269-300.
  - Gupta, Krisna. (2021). [The Importance of Financial Liberalisation for Economic Growth: The Case of Indonesia] (<https://www.tandfonline.com/doi/full/10.1080/00074918.2020.1747596>). *Bulletin of Indonesian Economic Studies*, 57(2), 175-201.
- **Policy Paper**
  - Gupta, Krisna, Deasy Pane and Donny Pasaribu. (2022). ["The advent of a new trade governance after the Omnibus Law: Neraca Komoditas"](#). *CIPS Policy Paper* no.47.
- **Popular Publications / Oped**
  - Gupta, Krisna (2024). [Hilirisasi dan kompleksitas ekonomi / Downstreaming and economic complexity](#). Kompas.
  - Gupta, Krisna and Dhany Ratana (2023). [Indonesia's stubborn logistics dilemma](#). East Asia Forum.
  - Gupta, Krisna. 2022. [Indonesia's claim that banning nickel exports spurs downstreaming is questionable](#). The Conversation.
  - Gupta, Krisna and Deasy Pane. 2021. ["Restrictive regulations on foreign trade may hurt economy"](#). *The Jakarta Post*.

## CONTACT INFO

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## SKILLS

Trained in economics with heavy use of various types of panel data regressions to evaluate policies

Have a long exposure with Stata, R, and Python for data analytics and econometrics

Experience in running structural model (e.g. GTAP) with GEMPACK software

Good familiarity with various data & docs processing tools (Microsoft Office, Google Docs, Quarto & *L<sup>A</sup>T<sub>E</sub>X*)

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## TEACHING EXPERIENCE

- **Politeknik APP Jakarta**
  - [Research method](#)
  - [Introduction to economics](#)
- **Universitas Indonesia**
  - [International economics part 1](#)
  - [International finance part 1](#)



## CONSULTING EXPERIENCE

- 2025 ● **Expert / Tenaga Ahli**  
National Economic Council / Dewan Ekonomi Nasional  
📍 Jakarta, Indonesia
  - Economic modeling and policy evaluation
  - Work closely with the Indonesian government
- 2024-2025 ● **Economist**  
Center for Indonesian Policy Studies  
📍 Jakarta, Indonesia
  - Estimate a potential impact of Indonesian OECD accession.
  - CGE and Stata is used.
  - Lead by Hasran.
- 2023-2024 ● **Policy Analyst**  
Asian Development Bank  
📍 Jakarta, Indonesia
  - Estimating the impact of tobacco taxes in Indonesia
  - Work closely with ADB and John Hopkins University
- 2022 ● **Lead Economist**  
Center for Indonesian Policy Studies  
📍 Jakarta, Indonesia
  - Lead a project on designing RCEP strategic implementation for the Indonesian government.
  - Collaboration with Prospera



## GRANTS/PRIZES

- 2025 ● **BI Research Grant**  
Research grant from Bank Indonesia on a paper (with Pane and Massie) exploring global uncertainty and Indonesian provincial economy  
📍 Jakarta, Indonesia
- 2023-2024 ● **Templeton World Charity Foundation (TWCF)**  
A research grant for CIPS paper series on the impact of trade on Indonesian human flourishing  
📍 Jakarta, Indonesia
- 2019 ● **Hadi Soesastro Prize (HSP)**  
Awarded by the Australian government to be used for research in Indonesian development  
📍 Canberra, Australia