



"Women empowering women in Aceh"

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Our visit to Aceh began with an earthquake of 7,6 magnitude in neighbouring Padang. Although Aceh is a multi-ethnic muslim society, in Indonesia it is the only province that practices Shariah law. The word Aceh is an acronym for the different origins for the people: A – Arabic, C – Chinese, E – European and H – Hindu.

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