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Retno L. P. Marsudi was born in Semarang, 27 November 1962. Appointed on 27 October 2014, she is the first female Foreign Minister of Indonesia.

Minister Marsudi graduated in 1985 from Universitas Gadjah Mada, Yogyakarta, and majored in International Relations. She also studied "European Union Law" at the Haagse Hogeschool in Den Haag, and "Human Rights Study" at the Oslo University.

She joined the Ministry of Foreign Affairs in 1986. Her recent posts include Ambassador to the Kingdom of Norway and the Republic of Iceland (2005-2008), and the Kingdom of the Netherlands (2012-2014), as well as the Director General for American and European Affairs of the Ministry (2008-2012).