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EDUCATION

Oct 2017– Ph.D. Candidate in Economics, University of York.

Feb 2014–Nov 2015 Master of Economics, Victoria University of Wellington.

RESEARCH INTERESTS

Primary fields Labor Economics, Economics of Education, Health Economics

Secondary fields Economic History, Applied Micro-econometrics

RESEARCH WORK

Historical Meritocratic State, Culture, and Schooling Outcomes. [Work-in-Progress].

Upward Spillovers of Human Capital: Children's Increased Schooling Exposure and Old-Age Parents' Health and Well-Being. [Work-in-Progress].

Does Compulsory Schooling Raise Investments in the Human Capital of the Next Generation? Evidence from Vietnam (Joint with Thomas Cornelissen). Working Paper, April 2019.

Intergenerational Earnings and Income Mobility in Vietnam. Forthcoming at *LABOUR: Review of Labour Economics and Industrial Relations*.

Quasi-Experimental Evidence on the Political Impacts of Education in Vietnam. *Education Economics*, 27(2): 207–221, 2019.

Do the More Educated Utilize More Health Care Services? Evidence from Vietnam Using a Regression Discontinuity Design. *International Journal of Health Economics and Management*, 18(3): 277–299, 2018.

WORKING EXPERIENCES

Dec 2015–Aug 2017 Lecturer in Economics, University of Economics Ho Chi Minh City.

Jul 2014–Dec 2014 Research Assistant, Victoria University of Wellington.

Dec 2010–Jan 2014 Lecturer in Economics, University of Economics Ho Chi Minh City.

TEACHING EXPERIENCES

University of Economics Ho Chi Minh City (UEH)

Dec 2015–Aug 2017 Labour Economics, Health Economics, Environmental Economics, Cost–Benefit Analysis (Undergraduate); Labour Economics, Development Economics (Postgraduate).

Dec 2010–Jan 2014 Labour Economics, Environmental Economics, Cost–Benefit Analysis (Undergraduate).

PRESENTATIONS

2019 Economics Research Student Seminar, University of York (May 2019); the 2019 Bergen Summer School on Socioeconomic Inequality (SSSI) jointly organized by Norwegian School of Economics and University of Chicago (June 2019), the 4th Workshop on Labour and Family Economics (WOLFE) at University of York

(September 2019), the seminar of the Applied Microeconometrics (AME) research cluster at University of York (November 2019).

- 2018** The 3rd Workshop of Labour and Family Economics (WOLFE), University of York.
- 2017** The 10th Vietnam's Economists Annual Meeting (VEAM); Annual Asian Law and Economics Association; STBI Seminar (UEH).
- 2016** Policies and Sustainable Economic Development (UEH); STBI Seminar (UEH).
- 2015** Australian Conference of Economists; The 8th Vietnam's Economists Annual Meeting (VEAM); STBI Seminar (UEH).
- 2013** STBI Seminar (UEH).
- 2011** The Economy and Environment Program for Southeast Asia (EEPSEA) Workshop.

AWARDS AND GRANTS

- Oct 2017–Sept 2020** Ph.D. Studentship, Department of Economics, University of York (£51,000)
- May 2016** Rockefeller Foundation Research Grant (\$10,000)
- 2014–2016** EEPSEA Small Research Grant (\$16,000)
- Dec 2013–May 2015** New Zealand ASEAN Scholar Awards (NZ\$79,000)

OTHER SERVICES

- Sep 2019–Jul 2020** Chairperson, Economics Research Student Workshop, Department of Economics, University of York.
- Dec 2016–Aug 2017** Member, Scientific Committee, School of Economics, UEH.
- Jul 2015–Sep 2016** Coordinator, STBI Seminar, School of Economics, UEH.

LANGUAGES

Vietnamese (Native), English (Fluent)

COMPUTER SKILLS

- Statistical software** Stata, MATLAB, R, SPSS
- Others** LaTeX, MS-Office, ArcGIS

REFEREES

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