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EDUCATION

Ph.D., Economics, University of Colorado at Boulder, May 2003.

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M.A., Economics, University of Colorado at Boulder, May 2000.

M.A., Economics, University of California at Santa Barbara, June 1997.

B.A., Economics (Honors), Chulalongkorn University, Thailand, March 1996.

ACADEMIC POSITIONS

Associate Professor, Kasetsart University, 2014-present

Associate Professor, San Diego State University, 2009-2014

Assistant Professor, San Diego State University, 2003-2009

Graduate Instructor, University of Colorado at Boulder, 2000-2002

Teaching Assistant, University of Colorado at Boulder, 1999-2000

Research Assistant, University of Colorado at Boulder, 2000-2001

PROFESSIONAL GROWTH

PUBLICATIONS IN REFEREED JOURNALS

“Human Development and Economic Growth: Who Benefits the Most?” (with Attasuda Lerskullawat). *Applied Economics* (2025). 1-18, <https://doi.org/10.1080/00036846.2025.2558238>.

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- “Undocumented Youth in Limbo: The Impact of America’s Immigration Enforcement Policy on Juvenile Deportations,” (with Catalina Amuedo-Dorantes). *Journal of Population Economics* (2018), Vol.31, Issue 2, pp.597-626.
- “Was DACA Responsible for the Surge in Unaccompanied Minors on the Southern Border?” (with Catalina Amuedo-Dorantes). *International Migration* (2017), Vol.55, Issue 6, pp.12-13. Also showcased in Sociology Lens at <http://www.sociologylens.net/article-types/opinion/dacaresponsible-surge-unaccompanied-minors-southern-border/18848>
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- “Remittances and Immigration Enforcement,” (with Catalina Amuedo-Dorantes), *IZA Journal of Migration* (2014) Vol.3, Issue 3, pp.1-26.
- “Computers and Student Performance in Thailand,” (with Jirawat Panpiemras, Dilaka Lathapipat and Galina An), *Thammasat Economic Journal* (2013), Vol.31, No.3, pp.1-33.
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- “Impact of the Universal Health Care Coverage on Patient Demand for Health Care Services in Thailand,” (with Jirawat Panpiemras, Krislert Samphantharak and Kannika Thampanishvong), *Health Policy* (2011), Vol.103, Issue 2-3, pp.228-235.
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- “Quality Requirements in Developing Countries,” (with Galina An), *Journal of Economics and Business* (2010), Vol.62, pp.94-115.
- “Revisiting McCallum’s Border Puzzle,” (with Galina An), *Economic Development Quarterly* (2009), Vol.23, No.2, pp.167-170.
- “Has the Byrd Amendment Affected U.S. Imports?,” (with Philip Gayle), *World Economy* (2009), Vol.32, Issue 4, pp.629-642.
- “Duration of Rent Extraction and Entry Mode Decision by Multinational Enterprise,” (with Galina An and Keith Maskus), *Review of Development Economics* (2008), Vol.12, No.4, pp.861-876.
- “Intellectual Property Rights and Multinational Firms’ Modes of Entry,” *Journal of Intellectual Property Rights* (2006), Vol.11, No.4, pp.269-273.
- “Facilitating New Generic Drug Entry: The Proposal for Thailand” (with Jirawat Panpiemras), *TDRI Quarterly Review* (2006), Vol.21, No.3 , pp.11-23.
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- “New Unit Root Tests of the Nelson-Plosser Data” (with Robert McNown), *Applied Economics Letters* (2002), Vol.9, No.1, pp.9-11.

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A RESEARCH NOTE

- “Generation Mix Indices: Thailand 1961-2019” (with Supanee Harnphattananusorn). *International Advances in Economic Research* (2021), Vol.27, pp.75-77.
- “Product Lifetime: A Determinant of Entry Decision by Multinational Firms,” (with Galina An), *International Advances in Economic Research* (2006), Vol.12, No.3, pp.421.

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- “Book Review on Economics Through Everyday Stories from Around the World by Elena Fernandez Prados,” *Development Economic Review* (2017), Vol.11, No.2. pp.140-142.
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- “Economic and Knowledge Environment in Bangladesh and Lao PDR with Relations to Their IPR,” A Case Study for the OECD Project: Policy Complements to the Strengthening of IPR in Developing Countries, 2010.
- “Creating Ontology Chart Using Economy Domain Ontologies,” (publication in other field, with Waralak V. Siricharoen), *International Journal of Digital Content Technology and its Applications* (2009), Vol.3, No.3, pp.74-80.
- “Evaluating and Analyzing Impacts of the Universal Healthcare Coverage (the 30-Baht program) on Households and Healthcare Providers in Thailand,” (in Thai, with Jirawat Panpiemras and Krislert Samphantharak), Report to Health Insurance System Research Office, Government of Thailand, 2008.

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- “Immigration Enforcement and Remittances,” CAL Micro-grants 2012-2013
- “Computer Uses and Student Performance in Thailand,” EADN grants 2010
- “Has the Byrd Amendment Affected U.S. Imports?,” Center for International Business Education and Research (CIBER) grants 2008
- “Evaluating and Analyzing Impacts of the Universal Healthcare Coverage (the 30-Baht program) on Households and Healthcare Providers in Thailand,” Thailand Development Research Institute Foundation grants 2007
- “Intellectual Property Rights and MNE’s Activities,” Center for International Business Education and Research (CIBER) grants 2007
- “The Role of Intellectual Property Rights on Ownership Structure of Multinational Firms,” Center for International Business Education and Research (CIBER) grants Spring 2005
- “How Product Life Affects Firms’ Decision,” (with Galina An), Center for International Business Education and Research (CIBER) grants 2004-2005
- “Impacts of Different Imitation Risks on Entry Modes of Multinational Firms,” Center for International Business Education and Research (CIBER) grants 2003-2004

PRESENTATIONS

- “Generation Mix in OECD Countries: 1979-2019,” International Conference on Science, Social Science and Economics (IC3SE), July 2021.
- “Economics Condition and Mental Health in Thailand,” SIBR 2020 Osaka Conference on Interdisciplinary Business & Economics Research, July 2020.
- “Thailand’s Generation Mix Indices: 1961-2019,” SIBR 2020 Osaka Conference on Interdisciplinary Business & Economics Research, July 2020.
- “Are Trust Acts Hindering ICE’s Efforts to Target Criminal? Understanding the Use and Implications of Detainers,” 33rd International Conference on Implications of Research in Business, Economics, Management Social Sciences and Humanities (IRBEMSH), Osaka, Japan, June 2019.
- “Effects of Social and Economic Condition on Depression Rate in Thailand,” SIBR 2018 Conference on Interdisciplinary Business & Economics Research, Hong Kong, September 2018
- “Undocumented Youth in Limbo: The Impact of America’s Immigration Enforcement Policy on Juvenile Deportations,” SIBR 2017 Conference on Interdisciplinary Business & Economics Research, Hong Kong, September 2017.
- “Computers and Student Performance in Thailand,” 25th Anniversary of the East Asian Economic Symposium on Human Capital and Economic Development: The Experience of Asia, Saga, Japan, October 2015.
- “DACA and the Surge in Unaccompanied Children,” Population Association of America 2015 Annual Meeting, San Diego, USA, April 2015.
- “Immigration Enforcement, Parent-Child Separations and Recidivism by Central American Deportees,” Asia Pacific Economic Association (APEA) Tenth Annual Conference, Bangkok, Thailand, July 2014.
- “Immigration Enforcement and Remittances,” Asia Pacific Economic Association (APEA) Ninth Annual Conference, July 2013.
- “Immigration Enforcement and Remittances,” Population Association of America (PAA) 2013 Annual Meeting, April 2013.

- “Computer Usage and Student Performance in Thailand,” Asia Pacific Economic Association (APEA) Eight Annual Conference, June 2012.
- “Individual Preferences over Legal and Undocumented Immigration,” Thirtieth Annual Association for Public Policy Analysis and Management (APPAM) Research Conference, November 2008.
- “Economics of Commercial Sex,” International Society for Quality-of-Life Studies (ISQOLS) Conference, December 2007.
- “Has the Byrd Amendment Affected U.S. Imports,” Thailand Development Research Institute, Bangkok, Thailand, June 2007.
- “Time of Rent Extraction and Entry Mode Decision by Multinational Enterprises,” International Industrial Organization Conference (Industrial Organization Society), Boston, April 2006.
- “Product Lifetime as a Determinant of the Entry Decision for Multinational Firms,” Sixtieth International Atlantic Economic Conference, New York, October 2005.
- “Impact of Different Imitation Risks on Entry Modes by Multinational Firms,” Western Economic Association International Conference, San Francisco, July 2005.
- “Impact of Different Imitation Risks on Entry Modes by Multinational Firms,” International Industrial Organization Conference (Industrial Organization Society), Atlanta, April 2005.
- “Impact of Different Imitation Risks on Entry Modes by Multinational Firms,” American Economic Association/ASSA Meetings, SABE poster session, Philadelphia, January 2005.
- “Intellectual Property Rights and Multinational Firms’ Modes of Entry,” International Industrial Organization Conference (Industrial Organization Society), Chicago, April 2004.
- “Intellectual Property Rights and Innovation in Developing Countries,” (with Yongmin Chen), International Industrial Organization Conference (Industrial Organization Society), Boston, April 2003.
- “Intellectual Property Rights and Multinational Firms’ Modes of Entry,” Department of Economics, University of Colorado at Denver, seminar series, November 2002.

HONORS AND AWARDS

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- Outstanding Faculty Award, San Diego State University, 2009.
- Stanford Calderwood Student Teaching Award, 2001-2002.
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