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PERSONAL INFORMATION

Full name Thang Dinh Dang
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Citizenship Vietnamese
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ACADEMIC POSITIONS

December 2009– Lecturer, School of Economics, UEH
July, 2015–Sep, 2016 Coordinator, STBI (Small Talks Big Ideas) Seminar, School of Economics, UEH

EDUCATION

November 2015 Master (Economics), Victoria University of Wellington, New Zealand
August 2009 B.A. (Economics), UEH, Vietnam

RESEARCH INTERESTS

Primary Applied Microeconomics (topics on Labor Economics, Personnel Economics, Family Economics, Development Economics and Health Economics)
Secondary Applied Microeconometrics

PUBLICATIONS

2016 (with Thai Tri Dung, Vu Thi Phuong, and Tran Dinh Vinh)
“Human Resource Management Practices and Firm Outcomes: Evidence from Vietnam”, *Journal of Economic Development*, forthcoming.

WORKING PAPERS

2016 (with Nguyen Trong Hoai) “The Determinants of Self-Medication: Evidence from Urban Vietnam”

- 2016 “Smaller Family, Better Children? Empirical Evidence from Vietnam Using Multiple Experiments.” UEH School of Economics Working Paper.
- 2015 “Intergenerational Mobility of Earnings and Income among Sons and Daughters in Vietnam.” UEH School of Economics Working Paper. Revision requested, *The Developing Economies*.
- 2014 (with Florian Eppink, and Luke Brander) “Estimating and mainstreaming the economic value of dryland grasslands in Botswana, Burkina Faso, Mali and Morocco.”
- 2014 (with Thuy Truong, Pham Thi Anh Ngoc, and Do Thi Kim Chi) “Willingness to Pay for Global Warming Mitigation Policies in Vietnam.”

WORKS IN PROGRESS

- 1 “The Effects of Maternal Empowerment on Child Mortality in Vietnam”
- 2 “Women’s Empowerment and Child Health in Vietnam”
- 3 “Is Being a Single-Mom Good for Your Child Health? Evidence from Vietnam”
- 4 (with Thuy Truong) “Water, Sanitation, Hygiene and Child Health in Vietnam”

RESEARCH EXPERIENCES

- 2016 (author) “Smaller Family, Better Children? Evidence from Vietnam Using Multiple Experiments”
- 2016 (co-author, with Nguyen Trong Hoai) “The Determinants of Self-Medication: Evidence from Urban Vietnam”
- 2015 (author) “Intergenerational Mobility of Earnings and Income among Sons and Daughters in Vietnam”
- 2014 (by Ilan Noy, Research assistant) “A Non-Monetary Global Measure of the Direct Impact of Natural Disasters”
- 2014 (co-author, with Luke Brander, and Florian Eppink) “Valuation of grassland ecosystem services in Africa”
- 2013 (co-author, with Luke Brander, Florian Eppink, Madhu Verma, Bee Hong Yeo, and Dhaval Negandhi) “Regional Research to Inform the High Level Panel on Global Assessment of Resources for Implementing the Strategic Plan for Biodiversity 2011-2020 for Asia”
- 2012 (by Luke Brander, Research assistant) “The Economics of Ecosystems and Biodiversity for Southeast Asia (ASEAN TEEB) scoping study”
- 2011 (co-author, with Thuy Truong, Pham Thi Anh Ngoc, and Do Thi Kim Chi) “Willingness to Pay for Climate Change Mitigation Policies in Vietnam”
- 2009 (research assistant) “Analyzing Human Resource Performance of the Cement Industry in Vietnam”

TEACHING EXPERIENCES

Undergraduate	Labor Economics (Spring 2011, Spring 2012, Spring 2013, Spring 2016, Fall 2016) Environmental Economics (Fall 2011, Fall 2012, Fall 2013, Fall 2015, Fall 2016) Cost–Benefit Analysis (Spring 2013, Spring 2016)
Postgraduate	Labor Economics (Spring 2016) Development Economics (Fall 2015)

PRESENTATIONS

July 2015	The 44 th Australian Conference of Economists (ACE), QUT Gardens Point Brisbane, Australia
June 2015	The 8 th Vietnam Economists Annual Meeting (VEAM), Thai Nguyen University, Vietnam
May 2015	Small Talks Big Ideas (STBI) Seminar, UEH, Vietnam
August 2013	Small Talks Big Ideas (STBI) Seminar, UEH, Vietnam
November 2011	International Joint Conference (jointly hold by UEH, Vietnam and State University of Jakarta, Indonesia), Ho Chi Minh City, Vietnam
November 2011	36 th Biannual EEPSEA Workshop, Phnom Penh, Cambodia
December 2009	Seminar of Faculty of Development Economics, UEH, Vietnam

OTHER ACADEMIC TRAINING COURSES

October 2013	Valuation and Risk Cost-Benefit Analysis: Economy and Environment Program for Southeast Asia (EEPSEA), Penang, Malaysia
March 2012	Natural Resource and Environmental Economics: EEPSEA, Bandung, Indonesia
August 2011	Behavioral Economics for Environmental Management: EEPSEA, Ho Chi Minh City, Vietnam
July 2011	Environmental and Natural Resource Economics: EEPSEA, Ho Chi Minh City, Vietnam

HONORS, AWARDS, AND GRANTS

2016	The Rockefeller Foundation Grant (with Nguyen Trong Hoai)
2016	UEH Research Grant
2013–2015	New Zealand Aids Scholarship: Master Study
2013	UEH and Victoria University of Wellington: Academic English Scholarship
2008	Prize winner for “the Competition for Vietnamese Economics Students”

LANGUAGES

Vietnamese (Native)

English (Fluent)

COMPUTER SKILLS

Statistical softwares Stata, Matlab, R, SPSS
Other softwares Latex, MS-Office

REFEREES

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