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| 1999 | University of Alberta, Canada
Ph.D. (Economics) |
| 1991 | Thammasat University
<i>MA Economics</i> |
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WORK EXPERIENCE

December 2013-present: Advisor, Social Security, Human Resources and Social Development (HRS), TDRI.

Lecturer, Faculty of Management Science, Khon Kaen University.

October 2007–November 2013:

Research Director, Social Security, Human Resources and Social Development (HRS), TDRI.

November 2003–September 2007:

Senior research specialist: Human Resources and Social Development (HRS), TDRI.

December 2006–March 2007:

Visiting research fellow: Japan Center for Economic Research (JCER).

April 2005–April 2006:

Lecturer: Faculty of Management Science, Khon Kaen University.

November 1999–October 2003:

Research specialist: Human Resources and Social Development (HRS), TDRI.

August 1991–June 1993:

Research assistant: Sectoral Economics Program (SEP), TDRI.



PRESENTATION AT INTERNATIONAL CONFERENCES PAST RESEARCH PROJECTS

- International Health Economic Association Congress in Sydney, July 8-11, 2013. A presentation with Wichsinee Wibulpolprasert on the topic "The Impact of Thailand's Health Care Reform".
- 21st IUHPE World Conference on Health Promotion in Pattaya, August 25-29, 2013. The topic is "Social Return on Investment on Child and Youth Health Promotion Programs".
- Social and Economic Aspect of Elderly in Thailand, International Conference on Population Ageing: Issues and Challenges at the University of Malaya, Kuala Lumpur, July 11, 2012.
- Lessons Learnt from Seven Years' Implementation of the UI Scheme in Thailand, ASEAN Seminar on Unemployment Insurance, Income Security Measures and Active Labour Market Policies, Ho Chi Minh City, Viet Nam, March 21-22, 2012.
- Inter-Regional Project: How to Strengthen Social Protection Coverage in the Context of the European Union Agenda on Decent Work and Promoting Employment in the Informal Economy, organized by EU-ILO, September 28-30, 2008, Brussels, Belgium.



SELECTED RESEARCH AND PUBLICATIONS:

- “Valuing Social Relationships and Improved Health Condition Among the Thai Population,” in the *Journal of Happiness Studies*, November 2015. (with Kannika Thampanishvong).
- Chapter 8 Thailand: How to Consolidate Social Security Systems: Universal Healthcare/Pension Systems, in *Moving Up the Ladder: Development Challenges for Low and Middle-Income Countries*, edited by Shigesaburo Kabe, Ryuichi Ushiyama, Takuji Kinkyō, Shigeyuki Hamori, 2016 (forthcoming).
- Harmonization of Health Insurance Systems, A research for National Health Security Office, July 2015.
- Health Status and Health Equity, A research for National Health Security Office and the Rockefeller Foundation, December 2014.
- “Social Return on Investment: Health Promotion Programs” (co-write with Kannika Thampanishvong and Rattanakarun Rojjananukulpong) *TDRI Quarterly Review*, June 2014.
- Social and Economic Aspects of the Elderly in Thailand, *Journal of Malaysian Economic Studies*, 50(2), 193-206, 2013.
- Chapter 3 Children and Welfare and Chapter 8 Elderly and Welfare in *Thai Life in Two Decades of Development*, edited by Prof. Dr. Mingsam Kaosa-ard and Nutthaporn Liamjaruskul, January 2013. (in Thai)
- Worawan Chandoevmit, A Review of Unemployment Insurance in Thailand after Nine Years of Implementation, *TDRI Quarterly Review*, December, 2012.
- Chapter 5 Economic Impact and Human Capital (co-wrote with Amonthep Chawla) and Chapter 7 Policy Implication of Thailand’s Population Trends (co-wrote with Gavin Jones) in *Impact of Demographic Change in Thailand*, UNFPA, 2011.
- “Is it always true that government employees earn less than private employees,” *TDRI Quarterly Review*, September 2011.
- “Options for Managing Expenditure of the Civil Servant Medical Benefit,” submitted to Comptroller General Office, May 2011. (in Thai)
- “An Evaluation of the Safe Motherhood Hospital Program,” *TDRI Quarterly Review*, June 2010.
- “The Impact of the Global Financial Crisis and Policy Responses in Thailand,” *TDRI Quarterly Review*, March 2010.
- “National Pension Plan Phase II,” submitted to Foundation of Thai Gerontology Research and Development. (in Thai) 2008.
- “Old-Age Income Security,” a research submitted to Health Promotion Fund, January 2008. (in Thai)
- “Using Multiple Data for Calculating the Maternal Mortality Ratio in Thailand” *TDRI Quarterly Review*, September 2007.
- “Social Security Systems in Japan: Lesson Learned for Thailand” a research paper submitted to Japan Centre of Economic Research, March 2007.
- “Policy Challenges for Social Security for Private Employees” *TDRI Quarterly Review*, December 2006.
- “The Marginal Cost of Public Fund on Thailand’s Commodity Taxes”, a research project with Prof. Bev Dahlby, University of Alberta. Published in *eJournal of Tax Research*, Vol. 5 No. 1, July 2007.
- The Impact of Unemployment Insurance in Thailand, a project under healthy public policy program funded by the National Health Foundation, November 2006. (in Thai)
- Social Security Systems in Thailand, funded by CIDA, August 2006.
- Risk and Vulnerability Assessment: Thailand Social Protection Institutional Assessment, prepared for Ministry of Social Development and Human Security and the World Bank, January 2006. (in Thai)
- Risk and Vulnerability Assessment: Measuring Deprivation and Vulnerability: Toward a Practical Approach in Thailand, prepared for Ministry of Social Development and Human Security and the World Bank, January 2006. (in Thai)
- “Financing Universal Healthcare Coverage” *TDRI Quarterly Review*, September 2005.
- Extra Funding for Universal Healthcare Coverage, funded by the Health System Research Institute, April 2005. (in Thai)
- “Labour Market Issues in Thailand” *TDRI Quarterly Review*, June 2004.
- “Unemployment Insurance,” Symposium at Thammasat University, 17 June 2003. (in Thai).
- “Appropriate Pattern of the Unemployment Insurance Program in Thailand (in Thai),” (project leader) sponsored by the Social Security Office, September 2002.
- “Social Safety Net (in Thai),” *TDRI Working Paper No. 31*, December 2001.
- “Unemployment Insurance” *TDRI Quarterly Review*, September 2000.
- The Role of Welfare Administrators in Welfare Participation in Canada,” a Ph.D. dissertation, Department of Economics, University of Alberta, 1999.