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Education:

1995-1997 Postdoctoral Fellowship,
Economic Growth Center, Department of Economics,
Yale University,

1995 Ph.D. in Economics, Vanderbilt University

1993 M.A., Economics, Vanderbilt University

1986 M.A., Economics, Faculty of Economics
(English-Language Program), Thammasat University

1983 B.Sc. Pharmacy, Faculty of Pharmaceutical-
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Work Experience:

- 2008-present** Research Director for Health Economics and Agriculture, Sectoral Economics Program, Thailand Development Research Institute (TDRI), 4/08 - present.
- 2003-2008** Senior Research Specialist, Sectoral Economics Program, Thailand Development Research Institute (TDRI).
- 1997-2003** Research Specialist, Sectoral Economics Program, Thailand Development Research Institute (TDRI).
- 1995-1997** Rockefeller Postdoctoral Fellow, Program on the Economics of the Family in Low-Income Countries, Economic Growth Center, Department of Economics, Yale University.
- 1993-1995** Research Assistant, Vanderbilt Institute for Public Policy Studies (VIPPS), Vanderbilt University,
- 1993-1995** Tutor, Graduate Program in Economic Development (GPED), Department of Economics and Business Administration, Vanderbilt University.
- 1990-1994** Teaching Assistant, Department of Economics and Business Administration, Vanderbilt University.
- 1986-1989** Research Assistant, Thailand Development Research Institute (TDRI).
- 1986-1989** Research Assistant, Faculty of Economics, Thammasat University, (Research assistant in the World Bank's research project "Land Policies and Farm Productivity in Thailand.")

Honors & Fellowships:

- "National Distinguished Researcher Award (in Economics)" by The National Research Council of Thailand's (NRCT), 2015.
- Award for Outstanding Research in Economics, National Research Council, Thailand, 2014, for the research project "A Study to Reform the Structure of Thailand's Sugar and Cane Industry" (as the project leader, shared with Sirikanya Tanskul).
- The Thailand Research Fund's 2011 Outstanding Research Award for the Project "Economic Reform for Social Equity" (shared with Nipon Poapongsakorn et al).
- Award for Outstanding Research in Economics, National Research Council, Thailand, 2009, for the research project "The Impact of Universal Health Care Coverage on Household Expenditures and Poverty Reduction and Using Surveyed Data to construct Health Equity Indexes" (as the project leader, shared with Anchana NaRanong and Attakrit Leckcivilize).
- Award for Good Research in Political Sciences and Public Administration, National Research Council, Thailand, 2009, for the research project "A Development Guideline for Thailand's Medical Hub Policy" (shared with Anchana NaRanong and Sirachai Jindarak).

- A ward for Research Work in Political Sciences and Public Administration (Second Honor Award), National Research Council, Thailand, 2008 (for the research project "Monitoring and Evaluating Universal Health Care Coverage in Thailand, Phase II, 2003-04" (as the project leader, shared with Anchana NaRanong, Sornchai Treamworakul, Sasiwooth Wongmonta, and Nipa Sriant).
 - Award for Best Research Work in Economics, National Research Council, Thailand, 1995, for the research project "Compendium on Rice" (shared with Ammar Siamwalla).
 - Rockefeller Postdoctoral Fellowship at the Economic Growth Center, Yale University, 1995-1997.
 - Vanderbilt University Teaching Assistantship, 1990-1995.
 - Vanderbilt University Fellowship, 1989-90.
 - Thammasat University Fellowship, 1983-1985.
 - Bhumibol Award from His Majesty the King Bhumibol for the essay "Students and Social Construction: the Desired Role," 1983.
 - Third prize winner in the essay contest "Evolution of Thai Labour during 200 Years of Rattanakosin Era (1782-1982)," awarded by the Department of Labour, Ministry of Interior, and International Labour Organization (ILO), 1982.
 - First prize winner in the students' essay contest "Rural Economic Development" sponsored by Siam Rath Newspaper and awarded by a joint committee from Faculties of Economics of four universities in Thailand, 1981.
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Other Positions and Professional Activities

- Member, Subcommittee on Information Development, Ministry of ICT, 2015-present.
- Adviser, Working Group on Preparing the National Para-Rubber Authority's Enterprise Plan BE.2016-2020, 2015.
- Member, Committee on Resource Allocation for Fairness, under the Assembly of National Reform Committee, 2010-2013.
- Member, Subcommittee on Evaluation, under the National Health Security Committee, 2007-2011.
- Chair, External Evaluation Committee for the Thai Public Broadcast Service (ThaiPBS) for the Year 2009, 2009-10.
- Teaching Advanced Microeconomic Theory I and III (Ph.D. level courses) at Sasin Graduate Institute of Business Administration of Chulalongkorn University, Bangkok, Thailand, 2006-2009.
- Teaching Quantitative Research II (Ph.D. level course) at NIDA, Bangkok, Thailand, 2007.
- Member, Editorial Board, Journal of Health System, Health System Research Institute, 2006-2007.
- Member, Committee on Supporting Health Policy Implementation (Committee 3), Ministry of Public Health 2006-2007.
- Member, Subcommittee on Monetary and Fiscal Development, under the National Health Security Committee, 2006-2007.
- Member, Universal Health Coverage Budget Allocation Committee for the Ministry of Public Health FY2006, 2006.
- Member, Working Committee on Drug Reform for the Civil Servant Medical Benefit Scheme, Health System Research Institute, 2004-2005.
- Member, Working Group on Agricultural Production Reform, Office of the Prime Minister under Deputy Prime Minister Chaturon Chaisang, 2004.
- Member, Subcommittee on Questionnaire Review, the 2003 Agricultural Census, National Statistics Office 2002-2003.
- Member, Academic Working Group under the National Health Reform Committee, Office of the Prime Minister, 2000-2004.
- Member, Subcommittee on Evaluating Economic Impact of Biotechnology, BIOTEC, 2000-2002.
- Member, Working Group on Financial Issues under the Universal Coverage Scheme, Ministry of Public Health, 2001.
- Member, National Para-rubber Board, Thailand, 1999-2001.
- Member, Steering Committee on Field Trial for Safety of B.t. (NuCOTN 33B) Cotton, 2000-2001.

- Member, Subcommittee on Rice Market Intervention (under the National Rice Policy Committee), Office of the Prime Minister, Thailand, 2000-2001.
- Member, Subcommittee on Planning and Restructuring Domestic and Export Rice Market (under the National Rice Policy Committee), Office of the Prime Minister, Thailand, 1999-2000.
- Member, Committee on Monitoring and Evaluation of Para-rubber Market Intervention, Office of the Prime Minister, Thailand, 1999-2000.
- Member, Working Committee on Sugar Trade Policy Development, Ministry of Industry, Thailand, 1998-1999.
- Member, Advisory Committee, Center for Data Sharing, Economic Growth Center, Yale University, 1998.
- Member, International Association for Agricultural Economics (IAAE), 2002-2005.

International Journal Referee:

ASEAN Economic Bulletin

Bulletin of the World Health Organization.

Journal of Population Economics

Selected Publications

- “Using National Educational Testing to Improve Quality of Educations: Key Issues and Preliminary Proposal toward the Second Decade of the National Institute of Educational Testing Service (NIETS)” An Essay prepared for the 10th year Anniversary of the NIETS. 2015.
- An evaluation to provide the Agricultural Research Development Agency (ARDA) with new direction for the next decade. Bangkok: Thailand Development Research Institute, 2015. (with others, as the project leader). (In Thai).
- A 3-year Evaluation of the Agricultural Research Development Agency (ARDA), Fiscal Years 2012-2014. Bangkok: Thailand Development Research Institute, 2015. (with others, as the project leader). (In Thai).
- “An Evaluation of 40 selected Research Projects funded by the Agricultural Research Development Agency (ARDA) in the past decade,” Supplementary Report of the projects “An evaluation to provide the Agricultural Research Development Agency (ARDA) with new direction for the next decade” and “A 3-year Evaluation of the Agricultural Research Development Agency (ARDA), Fiscal Years 2012-2014” Bangkok: Thailand Development Research Institute, 2015. (with Natchanan Kiatrungwilaikun). (In Thai).
- A Study to Reform the Structure of Thailand’s Sugar and Cane Industry. Bangkok: Thailand Development Research Institute, 2012. (Second revision 2015). (with Sirikanya Tunskul) (In Thai). (Both main report and executive summary can be downloaded from <http://tdri.or.th/wp-content/uploads/2013/02/รายงานฉบับสมบูรณ์-30-4-57.pdf>)
- “Chapter 13: Benefit Incidence Analysis (BIA) of Government Spending on Healthcare, Education, and Road Construction in Thailand” in Nipon Poapongsakorn et al.. “Economic Reform for Social Equity,” 2014. (based on the research commissioned by the Thailand Research Fund (TRF) 2009-11). (with Sumet Ongkittikul) (In Thai).
- “Proposed Reforms in the Structure of Thailand’s Sugar and Cane Industry” TDR Quarterly Review. (March). 2013. <http://tdri.or.th/publications/tdri-quarterly-review-march-2013-2/>
- The Political Economy of the Sugarcane Market Intervention Measures. Research Report submitted to the National Anti-Corruption Committee (NACC) in January 2013. (to be published by NACC). (In Thai).
- Evaluation of the Agricultural Research Development Agency (Public Organization) (2008-2011). Research commissioned by the

Agricultural Research Development Agency, Bangkok: Thailand Development Research Institute, 2012. (with Wisarn Pupphavesa and others) (in Thai).

- “Chapter 9, Health,” in Nipon Poapongsakorn et al., *Livelihood of the Thai people in the Past Two Decades of Development*. Bangkok: Thailand Development Research Institute, 2012. (With Wanwipang Manachotapong). (In Thai). <http://tdri.or.th/publications/khonthai/>

- “Effects of Medical Tourism: Thailand’s Experience.” *Bulletin of the World Health Organization*. May 2011. (with Anchana NaRanong). <http://www.who.int/bulletin/volumes/89/5/09-072249/en/index.html> or www.who.int/bulletin/volumes/89/5/09-072249.p

- *A Feasibility Study to Expand Social Security Coverage to Informal Workers (under the Article 40 of the Social Security Act, BE.1990)*. Bangkok: TDRI. 2011. (With Anchana NaRanong). (In Thai).

- “Civil Society Engagement with Parliamentarians in Thailand,” Research commissioned by the Overseas Development Institute (ODI), London. January 2011.

- *External Evaluation of the Thai Public Broadcast Service (ThaiPBS) for the Year 2009*. Bangkok: Thailand Development Research Institute, 2010. (With Anchana NaRanong, Nantiya Tangwisutijit, Sarinee Achavanuntakul, and Pokpong Junvith) (In Thai).

- “Benefit Incidence Analysis (BIA) of Government Spending on Healthcare, Education, and Road Construction in Thailand” in Nipon Poapongsakorn et al. “Economic Reform for Social Equity,” Paper presented at the 2009 TDRI Year-end Conference 17-18 November 2009 based on the research project commissioned by the Thailand Research Fund. 2009. (with Sumet Ongkittikul) (In Thai).

- “A Development Guideline for Thailand’s Medical Hub” and “A Development Guideline for Thailand’s Medical Hub: An Executive Summary.” Research Reports submitted to the National Economic and Social Advisory Council (NESAC). (August 2008, revised March 2009) (with Anchana NaRanong and Sirachai Jindarak). (In Thai with English abstract).

- “Health and Human Capital,” Paper presented at the 2008 TDRI Year-end Conference 29-30 November 2008. (In Thai).

- *Analyzing health financial equity indexes using the National Statistics Office’s Survey Data 2006-2007*. Research Report submitted to the National Health Security Office (NHSO) (October 2008) (with Attakrit Leckcivilize). (In Thai).

- *Evaluation of the Agricultural Research Development Agency (Public Organization) (March 2003- March 2008)*. Research commissioned by the Agricultural Research Development Agency, Bangkok: Thailand Development

Research Institute, 2008. (with Adis Israngkura and others) (in Thai).

- “Structural Changes in Thailand’s Poultry Sector and its Social Implications,” in Food and Agriculture Organization of the United Nations (FAO). *Poultry in the 21st century: Avian influenza and beyond*. Proceedings of the International Poultry Conference, held 5-7 November 2007, Bangkok, Thailand. Edited by O. Thieme and D. Pilling. FAO Animal Production and Health Proceedings, No. 9. Rome. (also available at www.fao.org/againfo/resources/en/-pubs_aprod.html)

- Full paper is also available at: http://www.fao.org/AG/againfo/home/events/bangkok2007/docs/part1/1_4.pdf

- “Measuring Catastrophic Health Expenditures using the Poverty Approach,” *Journal of Health Systems Research*. 2:3 (July-September 2008) (with Anchana NaRanong and Attakrit Leckcivilize). (In Thai with English Abstract).

- “Structural Changes in Thailand’s Poultry Sector: Avian Influenza and its Aftermath.” *TDRI Quarterly Review*. (September). 2008. <http://tdri.or.th/publications/tdri-quarterly-review-september-2008/>

- *Determinants and Implications of the Growing Scale of Livestock Farms in Four Fast-Growing Developing Countries*. Washington, D.C.: International Food Policy Research Institute (IFPRI). 2008. (with Christopher L. Delgado, Clare A. Narrod, Marites M. Tiongco and others)

- *Evaluating the Thai Health’s 11th Plan: Health Promotion via the Health Service System*. Research Report submitted to the Thai Health. July 2008. (With Paibul Suriyawongpaisal and Anchana NaRanong). (In Thai).

- “The State’s Roles in Education: Main Questions and A Political Economic Analysis,” *Fah Diow Kan*. 6:1 (January-March 2008). (In Thai). (Earlier version, presented at the 2007 TDRI Yearend Conference, is available at http://www.tdri.or.th/ye_07/g2_viroj.pdf)

- “The Impact of Universal Health Care Coverage on Household Expenditures and Poverty Reduction.” Bangkok: Thailand Development Research Institute, 2007. (with Anchana NaRanong) (In Thai).

- *Health Equity Indexes*. Bangkok: Thailand Development Research Institute, 2007. (with Anchana NaRanong) (In Thai).

- *Proposed Models for Health Benefit Incidence Analysis*. Bangkok: Thailand Development Research Institute, 2007. (with Anchana NaRanong and Attakrit Leckcivilize). (In Thai).

“On Drafting the National Health Act to Control Profit Seeking in

Healthcare: An Economic Perspective,” *Journal of Public and private Management*, 13:2 September-October 2006. (in Thai with English Abstract). Also available at:

http://www.gspa.nida.ac.th/nida/journalfiles/JournalMPPM_-Year13_Vol2.pdf

- Impacts of Educational Expense on Secondary Education. Research commissioned by the National Health Foundation and the Thai Health Fund. 2006. (with Anchana Naranong and Attakrit Leckcivilize). Also reprinted as “Chapter 5: Impact of Educational Expense on Secondary Education.” in Somkiat Tangkitvanich (editor). *Public Policies Evaluation Using Econometrics*. Bangkok: Thailand Development Research Institute, 2007. (in Thai).

- “Universal Health Coverage: Impacts of the 30-Baht Health Care Scheme on the Poor in Thailand.” *TDRI Quarterly Review*. (September). 2006. (with Anchana Naranong). (Also available at <http://tdri.or.th/publications/tdri-quarterly-review-september-2006/>)

- Budget Allocation for Capital Stock Replacement in the Universal Health Coverage Scheme. Research commissioned by the National Health Security Office. Bangkok: Thailand Development Research Institute, 2005. (with Anchana Naranong). (in Thai).

- “Impact of the 30 Baht Health Care Scheme on the Poor in Thailand,” *Thai Journal of Development Administration* 45, 3 (pp.23-42). 2005. (with Anchana Naranong).

- “Alternatives for Financing Universal Health Coverage in Thailand,” Chapter 2 in TDRI. *Finding Additional Fund for Universal Health Coverage in Thailand*. Bangkok: Thailand Development Research Institute, 2005. (in Thai).

- Evaluation of the Thai Health Fund’s Performance in 2004. Bangkok: Thailand Development Research Institute, 2005. (with Chalongsob Sussangkarn et al). (in Thai).

- Universal Health Coverage Schemes in Thailand 2002-2003. Research Report No.1 *Monitoring and Evaluating Universal Health Care Coverage in Thailand, Phase II, 2003-04*. Bangkok: Thailand Development Research Institute, 2004. (with others).

- Impacts of the Universal Health Coverage and the 30 Baht Health Care Scheme on Household Expenditures and Poverty Reduction in Thailand. Research Report No.2, *Monitoring and Evaluating Universal Health Care Coverage in Thailand, Phase II, 2003-04*. Bangkok: Thailand Development Research Institute, 2004. (with Anchana Naranong and Sasiwooth Wongmonta).

- Grievance Systems in Public Health Insurance Schemes. Research Report No.4

Monitoring and Evaluating Universal Health Care Coverage in Thailand, Phase II, 2003-04. Bangkok: Thailand Development Research Institute, 2004. (with Anchana Naranong and Nipa Sriant).

- The Flow of Health Personnel in Public Hospitals. Research Report No.5, *Monitoring and Evaluating Universal Health Care Coverage in Thailand, Phase II, 2003-04*. Bangkok: Thailand Development Research Institute, 2004. (with Anchana Naranong and Nipa Sriant).

- The Universal Health Coverage in Thailand: The First Year. Bangkok: Thailand Development Research Institute, 2004. (with Anchana Naranong and Sornchai Triamworakul).

- “Financial Crisis and Productivity of Agriculture in Thailand.” in T. Onchan (ed.). *The Financial Crisis and Agricultural Productivity in Asia and the Pacific*. Tokyo: Asian Productivity Organization e-Books on Agriculture/Community Development, 2004. http://www.apo-to-kyo.org/00e-books/AG-06_FinancialCrisis.htm

- “Policy, Technical, and Environmental Determinants and Implications of the Scaling-up of Swine, Broiler, Layer and Milk Production in Thailand”, monograph for Phase II of an IFPRI-FAO project entitled “Livestock Industrialization, Trade and Social-Health-Environment Impacts in Developing Countries”, funded by the Department for International Development (DFID), U.K., through the Livestock, Environment and Development (LEAD) initiative at FAO., 2003. (with Nipon Poapongsakorn et. al.)

- “Health Service and Profit Seeking: A Concept Paper.” in Pitiporn Chanthararat and Wanee Pinpratheep. (eds.). *Health Service and Commercial Profit Seeking*. Bangkok: Health System Reform Office. 2003. (in Thai).

- The Monitoring and Evaluation of the Universal Health Coverage in Thailand, First Phase 2001/02. Bangkok: Thailand Development Research Institute, 2002. (with Anchana Naranong). *Benefit Packages in the Universal Health Coverage Schemes in Thailand*. Bangkok: Thailand Development Research Institute, 2002. (with Anchana Naranong and Nipa Sriant). (in Thai).

- The Implementation of the “30 Baht Health Insurance Scheme” by the Ministry of Public Health. Bangkok: Thailand Development Research Institute, 2002. (with Anchana Naranong). (in Thai). *Livestock Industrialization, Trade and Social-Health-Environment Issues for the Thai Poultry, Dairy, and swine Sectors* (monograph for IFPRI-FAO project entitled “Livestock Industrialization, Trade and Social-Health-Environment Impacts in Developing Countries”, funded by the Department for International Development (DFID), through FAO. 2002. (with Nipon Poapongsakorn, Uthai Kanto, and Adis Israngkura)

- “Export Cooperation in Agriculture: A case Study of Rubber and Rice in Thailand,” TDRY Yearend Conference 2002. December. 2002. (with Sornchai Treamworakul).
- “Constructing a Corruption Deterring Mechanism in the Ministry of Public Health: A Case Study of the Health Care Financing Reform in the Health Welfare Program for the Poor and the Disadvantaged.” Thai Journal of Public Administration 1:1 (January-April) pp.7-34. 2002. (with Anchana Naranong). (in Thai).
The 30-Baht Scheme at the Crossroad: Universal Coverage or Pro-Poor? Bangkok: Saeng Sawang World Press, 2002. (with Anchana Naranong). (in Thai).
- From Welfare to Universal Coverage: The Major Debate over the 30-Baht Scheme. Bangkok: Health System Research Institute, 2002. (with Anchana Naranong). (in Thai).
An Evaluation Research on the Financing Reform of the Health Welfare Program for the Poor and the Disadvantaged. (research commissioned by the Health Care Reform Project, Ministry of Public Health.) Bangkok: Witoon Karn Pok. 2001, revised 2002. (with Anchana Naranong). (in Thai).
- “Transparency in the Ministry of Public Health, Phase I,” Research commissioned by the Health System Research Institute, 2001. (in Thai).
- “Roles of Agricultural Cooperatives and Village Credit Unions in Rural Financial Markets in Thailand,” in FAO. Decentralized Rural Development and the Role of Self Help Organizations. A regional workshop held from 4-6 November 1998
Chiang Mai, Thailand. Bangkok: Food and Agriculture Organization Regional Office for Asia and the Pacific December 2001. RAP Publication 1999/33. pp.39-56 (with Paradorn Preedasak). Also available at: <http://www.fao.org/docrep/004/ac158e/ac158e08.htm#bm08.5>
and <ftp://ftp.fao.org/docrep/fao/004/AC158e/> (pdf version)
- “Risks and Risk Management in the Agricultural Sector in Thailand.” In Thammasat Economic Association. 2001. Turning Crisis to opportunity. November 2001.
- Evaluation Research: Performance of the Office of Rubber Replanting Aid Fund (ORRAF). Thailand Development Research Institute, 2001 (with Nipon Poapongsakorn et al).
- The Process of Formulating Poverty Reduction Strategies in Thailand Bangkok: Thailand Development Research Institute, 2001. (with Nipon Poapongsakorn and Adis Isarangura). <http://tdri.or.th/research/d2000013/>
- Policies and Directions for Health Information System in Thailand. Report commissioned by Health Systems Research Institute. Bangkok: Thailand Development Research Institute, 2000. (with Somkiat Tangkitwanich). (in Thai).
- “The Thai Sugar Industry: Crisis and Opportunities.” TDRY Quarterly Review. (September). 2000. (Also available at <http://tdri.or.th/publications/tdri-quarterly-review-september-2000/>)
- “Financial Crisis and Productivity of Agriculture in Thailand” Paper presented at the Study Meeting on Effects of Financial Crisis on Productivity of Agriculture, Asian Productivity Organization Tokyo, Japan, 6-13 December, 2000.
http://www.apo-tokyo.org/00e-books/AG-06_FinancialCrisis/15.-Thailand_FinAgPro.pdf
Sugarcane and Sugar Industries in Thailand, Volumes 1 and 2. Bangkok: Thailand Development Research Institute, 2000. (with Nipon Poapongsakorn, Ammar Siamwalla, and others). (In Thai).
- “The Financial Crisis and the Livestock Sector in Thailand” in FAO. Proceedings of the Workshop on the Implications of the Asian Economic Crisis for the Livestock Industry. RAP Publication 1999/29. 1999. (Also available at http://www.aphca.org/publications/-files/1999_29_web.pdf)
- “Thailand’s Agricultural Future: Policies and Considerations,” Journal of Public and Private Management 8, 3 (Sep-Dec 1999) (with Anchana Naranong).
- “Gender, Credit Constraints, and Education in Rural Thailand.” Economic Growth Center Discussion Paper No. 792., Yale University, 1998.
- “A Proposal on the Government’s Agricultural Price Programs.” Thammasat Economic Journal, 16:4 (December 1998).
- “Agricultural Price Stabilization.” Research Paper for the Master Plan of the Ministry of Commerce, 1997-2006, No.10. Bangkok: Thailand Development Research Institute, 1998. (In Thai).
- “Chapter 4, Futures of Thai Agriculture.” in Structural Adjustment for Competitiveness and Sustainability of the Thai Economy. Thailand Development Research Institute 1998 Year-end Conference, December 1998. (In Thai).
- “Consumer Protection in Private Hospitals.” Research Paper for the Master Plan of the Ministry of Commerce, 1997-2006, No.13. Bangkok: Thailand Development Research Institute, 1998. (In Thai).
- Compendium on Rice (with Ammar Siamwalla), Bangkok: Thailand Development Research Institute, 1990 (in Thai).

- "Choice Decision in Land Rights" (with Gershon Feder and Chira Hongladarom). Paper presented at the World Bank, October 1985. (A similar version in Thai was published in Thammasat University Journal, 15, 3 (September 1986), pp. 8-26).

- "Students and Social Construction: The Desired Role" in Collection of His Majesty the King Bhumipol Awarded Articles of Chulalongkorn University, Bangkok: Chulalongkorn University Press, 1986, and in Thammasat University Journal, 12, 4 (December 1983) (in Thai).

- "Evolution of Thai Labour during 200 years of Rattanakosin Era" in Department of Labour, Ministry of Interior, Evolution of Thai Labour during 200 years of Rattanakosin Era, 1882-1982. Bangkok: Thammasat University Printing House, 1983 (in Thai).

"The First Prize Winning Article on Rural Economic Development" in Siam Rath (Supplement on Thai Economic Issues), December 31, 1981 (in Thai).

- [Book Comment on Encyclopedia of Economic Vocabulary] Thammasat Economic Journal, 2, 2 (June 1984) (in Thai).

Dissertation and Thesis

- "A Disequilibrium Model of Rural Credit Markets and the Effects of Credit Constraints on the Utilization of Variable Farm Inputs in Nakornratchasima, Thailand" Ph.D. dissertation in Economics, Department of Economics and Business Administration, Vanderbilt University, 1995. (Dissertation Advisor: Clive L.G. Bell).

- "Land Title Acquisition: A Case Study of Thailand" M.A. thesis in Economics (English-Language Program), Faculty of Economics, Thammasat University, 1986. Thesis Advisor: Chira Hongladarom).

Selected International Seminar Papers/Presentations

- "[P5-04] Neo-Liberalization, Contesting Spaces of Food and Non-food Production, and Agrarian Transformation in Southeast Asia," The International Union of Anthropological and Ethnological Sciences (IUAES) Inter-Congress 2015, 15-17 July 2015, at Thammasat University, Bangkok, Thailand. (Discussant of the session).

- "Roundtable Discussion on Reviving the Multilateral Trading System: Post-Bali Issues" held in Dhaka on 22-24 November 2014, organized by Centre for Policy Dialogue (CPD), Dhaka, in collaboration with South African Institute for International Affairs (SAIIA), Johannesburg. (Discussant in two sessions).

- "Anticipating the ASEAN Economic Community 2015: A Focus on Agriculture and Agribusiness in Thailand," presented at the International Seminar on "Anticipating the ASEAN Economic Community 2015: A Focus on Strategic Preparation" at STIE Malang, East Java, Indonesia, on January 17, 2014.

- "National resources and food security: Thailand's experience," presented at the Workshop III "National resources as the key of food security" in the event of "National Food Exhibition 2014" ("Parade Pangan Nusantara 2014") January 16 2014, at Malang, East Java, Indonesia.

- Expert Group Meeting on the ASEAN Economic Community and Food Security, 3-4 June 2013, Manila, Philippines. (Panelist). (Organized and funded by Centre for Non-Traditional Security (NTS) Studies, S. Rajaratnam School of International Studies, Nanyang Technological University, Singapore).

- FAO/SEARCA's OUTREACH EVENT ON INSTITUTIONAL SUPPORT FOR INCLUSIVE AGRIBUSINESS AND AGRO-INDUSTRIES DEVELOPMENT IN ASIA, at Dusit Thani Manila, Philippines, 6 to 7 November 2012. (FAO, Panelist).

- "Civil Society Engagement with Parliamentarians in Thailand," presented at ODI-UGM Forum on CSO-Legislator Linkages at Gadjah Mada University, Yogyakarta-Indonesia, 7 December 2011.

- "AGRO-BASED: PROPOSALS TO RAISE THE LEVEL OF COOPERATION BETWEEN ASEAN AND JAPAN" presented at the AEM-Japan Economic Ministers Meeting at Kuala Lumpur, 6-8 July 2011.

- “Public and Private Spending in Health in Thailand,” presented during a visit at the Nihon University Population Research Institute (NUPRI), Tokyo, 6-13 March 2011.
- ERIA Research Project 2010 Working Group on “Toward a Competitive ASEAN Single Market: Sectoral Analysis” at the ERIA Annex Office in Jakarta, 7 September, 2010.
- “Sustainable Farming in Thailand: Organic vs Modern Farming” presented at the conference “Sustainable Agriculture Development and Modern Farming in Asian and Pacific Region in Yantai City, Shandong Province, P.R. China, Oct. 23-26, 2009. (sponsored by APEC and International Cooperation Division, China Green Food Development Center, Ministry of Agriculture).
- Policy Forum on Agricultural Reforms and Trade Liberalization in China and Selected Asian Countries: Lessons of Three Decades. 19-20 February 2009, Beijing Asia Hotel, Beijing, China. (Jointly-Sponsored by Agriculture Trade Promotion Centre, Ministry of Agriculture, China, and Food and Agricultural Organization of the United Nations FAO) (chaired a session).
- “The “Food Crisis” and Thailand’s experience,” paper presented at the Economic Research Institute for ASEAN and East Asia (ERIA) meeting on “Asian Food Strategy for Sustainable Economic Growth” on November 10, 2008 at the ERIA Annex Office in Jakarta.
- “Structural Changes in Thailand’s Poultry Sector and its Social Implications,” presented at FAO’s Conference on Poultry in the 21st Century: Avian Influenza and Beyond, Bangkok, 5-7 November 2007.
- “Universal Health Coverage: Impacts of the 30-Baht Health Care Scheme on the Poor in Thailand,” presented at the Workshop “Governing Social Policy and East Asia,” Sung Kyun Kwan University, Seoul, 25-26 January 2007.
- “Thailand: The Road (so far) to Universal Coverage,” presented at the Research Seminar on Future Management of GMS Health Sectors, Mekong Institute, Khon Kaen, 24-26 November 2006.
- “Thailand: Cost Containment Issues in Three Public Health Insurance Schemes,” presented at the International Conference on Cost Containment in National Health Insurance System, Chiangmai, 24-25 February 2005.
- “Economies of scale and contract farming in poultry and eggs in South and Southeast Asia,” presented at the 25th International Conference of Agricultural Economics, Reshaping Agriculture’s Contributions to Society, Durban, South Africa, 16-22 August 2003 (with Mohammad Jabbar, Fakhru Islam, and Rajesh Mehta).
- “Economies of scale and location in hogs and poultry in Brazil and Southeast Asia,” presented at the 25th International Conference of Agricultural Economics, Reshaping Agriculture’s Contributions to Society, Durban, South Africa, 16-22 August 2003 (with Clare Narrod and others)
- “Livestock and Industrialization in Thailand: Poultry,” presented at the International Food Policy Research Institute (IFPRI), Washington D.C., February 16, 2002.
- “People Organizations and Non-governmental Organizations in an Open Society” in Thailand Country Paper, presented at the OECD/DAC Dialogue with Developing Countries on National Strategies for Sustainable Development, Santa Cruz, Bolivia, Feb 12-16, 2001
- “Financial Crisis and Productivity of Agriculture in Thailand” Paper presented at the Study Meeting on Effects of Financial Crisis on Productivity of Agriculture, Asian Productivity Organization (APO), Tokyo, Japan, 6-13 December, 2000
- “Economic Development and Poverty Alleviation: The Thailand Experience” Expert Advisory Group Meeting on Economic Development and Poverty Alleviation: The Asian Dilemma. East West Center, Honolulu, 20-22 October 1999. (with Anchana NaRanong).
- “Roles of Agricultural Cooperatives and Village Credit Unions in Rural Financial Markets in Thailand,” Paper presented at the FAO’s Regional Workshop on Decentralization and Self-Help Organization, Chiangmai, Thailand, 4-6 November 1998. (with Paradorn Preedasak). Revised version 1999. <http://www.fao.org/docrep/004/ac158e/ac158e08.htm#bm08.5>
- “A Disequilibrium Model of Rural Credit Markets for Rice Farmer in Thailand” Microeconomics Workshop on Labor and Population, Department of Economics, Yale University, September 1995.

Other International Workshop/ Conferences Attended (partial list)

- The 5th Asian Congress of Pediatric Infectious Disease (ACPID), Taipei, 23-26 September, 2010.
- First workshop on ERIA Research Project 2010 Working Group on "Toward a Competitive ASEAN Single Market: Sectoral Analysis," Jakarta, September 7, 2010.
- "Pneumococcal Disease Prevention in the Asia-Pacific Region: Bridging to the Future" 5th Pneumococcal Disease Conference, Bangkok, 6-8 November 2009.
- "Improving Child Survival Through Vaccination," Asian Vaccine Conference (ASVAC) 2009, Royal Angkor Resort, Siem Reap, Cambodia, 20 – 22 August 2009.
- Second Meeting of the Commission on AIDS in Asia, Jakarta, Indonesia, 30-31 January 2007. (funded by UN AIDS Commission).
- Asian Civil Society Conference on Macroeconomics and Health, Mount Lavinia Hotel in Colombo Sri Lanka, 27-28 April 2004. (funded by WHO).
- International Association for Agricultural Economics (IAAE), 2003, Durban, South Africa (funded by FAO).
- FAO-ILRI-IFPRI Workshop on Livestock and Industrialization Phase II, 2002, Los Banos, The Philippines. (funded by FAO).
- International Conference on Health Systems Reform: Structure and Process for Health Systems Reform. Chiang Mai, Thailand, 4-6 December 2001. (funded by IHPP).
- OECD/DAC Dialogue with Developing Countries on National Strategies for Sustainable Development, Santa Cruz, Bolivia, Feb 12-16, 2001 (funded by DFID and IIED).
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- "ทีดีอาร์ไอผ่าทางตันปัญหาเกษตรไทย" interviewed by ASTV ผู้จัดการออนไลน์ 19 ตุลาคม 2557 (<http://www.manager.co.th/Home/ViewNews.aspx?NewsID=9570000120411&Html=1&CommentReferID=25704568&CommentReferNo=5&#Comment>)
- "สัมภาษณ์พิเศษ วิโรจน์ ณ ระนอง: เจาะ 30 บาทรักษาทุกโรค ร่วมจ่ายหรือรัฐสวัสดิการ" (<http://tdri.or.th/tdri-insight/prachatai-2014-07-27/>)
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