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Curriculum Vitae

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## RESEARCH AND TEACHING INTERESTS

Sociology of Forced Migration and Refugees, International Development Studies, Social Movements and Collective Behavior in the Global South, Environmental Politics, ASEAN Studies, Foreign Relations of the U.S. and Southeast Asia, Thai Politics, Qualitative Methods

## EDUCATION

- 2020 Ph.D., Sociology, University of Wisconsin-Madison (expected)  
2015 M.A., International Development Studies, The Elliott School of International Affairs, The George Washington University  
2013 Ph.D., Political Science (International Relations), Chulalongkorn University, Thailand (resigned after passing qualifying examination)  
2011 B.A. (*First Class Honors*), Political Science (International Relations), Chulalongkorn University, Thailand

## DOCTORAL ADVISOR

Gay Seidman (Professor of Sociology, University of Wisconsin-Madison)

## EMPLOYMENT

- 2019 Lecturer in International Relations and International Development, Department of International Relations, Faculty of Political Science, Chulalongkorn University, Thailand (designated)

## PUBLICATIONS

### Thesis/Dissertation

- 2015 **Jittiang, Bhanubhatra.** "Frames, Blunders, Vulnerabilities, Polarization, and Facebook: The Struggle of the Anti-Mae Wong Dam Movement in Thailand."  
• Committee: Christina L. Fink (Co-Advisor), Cathy Lisa Schneider (American University, Co-Advisor), and Sean R. Roberts

### Peer Reviewed

- 2015 **Jittiang, Bhanubhatra.** "Reengaging with Southeast Asia, Steering the Momentum: Factors Leading to an Active American Foreign Policy towards Southeast Asia during the First Obama Administration and the Role of President Obama in the

Reengagement Policy Process.” *Journal of Political Science and Public Administration of Chiang Mai University* 5(1): 1-21.

## Book Chapters

### In Thai

- Forth. **Jittiang, Bhanubhatra.** “Prachaniyom [Populism].” In *Ruam Khamsap Samkhan Thang Ratthasat [Key Terms in Political Science]*, edited by S. Supapol and W. Buddharaksa. Bangkok: Sommut.
- Forth. **Jittiang, Bhanubhatra.** “Seriniyom Nai Kwamsamphan Rawang Prathet [Liberalism in International Relations].” In *Ruam Khamsap Samkhan Thang Ratthasat [Key Terms in Political Science]*, edited by S. Supapol and W. Buddharaksa. Bangkok: Sommut.
- Forth. **Jittiang, Bhanubhatra.** “Satchaniyom Nai Kwamsamphan Rawang Prathet [Realism in International Relations].” In *Ruam Khamsap Samkhan Thang Ratthasat [Key Terms in Political Science]*, edited by S. Supapol and W. Buddharaksa. Bangkok: Sommut.
- 2012 **Jittiang, Bhanubhatra.** “Kwammankhong Thang Palangngan.” Pp. 48-57 in *Kwammankhong Ruamsamai [Contemporary Security]*, edited by S. Bamrungsuk. Bangkok: Security Studies Project.

### In English

- 2016 **Jittiang, Bhanubhatra.** “Internal Dynamics of ASEAN Plus Three: Towards a Greater Cooperation in Its Second Decade?” Pp. 118-135 in *ASEAN Political Outlook 2015*, edited by M. Tan, P. Sawasdipakdi, J. Poonkham. Bangkok: Faculty of Political Science, Thammasat University.

## Conference Proceedings

- 2011 **Jittiang, Bhanubhatra.** “The American Foreign Policy Towards Southeast Asia in the Twenty-First Century: The Second Front or the Containment Against China?” Pp. 728-763 in *Proceeding of the 12th Thailand National Conference on Political Science and Public Administration, 8 – 9 December 2011, Chiang Mai University, Chiang Mai, Thailand*. Chiang Mai: Faculty of Political Science and Public Administration, Chiang Mai University.
- 2008 **Jittiang, Bhanubhatra.** “How Can ASEAN Move Forward towards ASEAN Single Community?” Pp. 55-60 in *Proceeding of the 10th AUN Educational Forum and Young Speaker Contest, A compilation for Young Speaker Contest, 20 – 27 May 2008, Universiti Brunei Darussalam, Bandar Seri Begawan, Brunei*. Bandar Seri Begawan: Universiti Brunei Darussalam.

## Government Publication

### In Thai

- 2010 Panich, Uayporn, Pornphan Choeijit, Sukhontha Boonman, **Bhanubhatra Jittiang**, Niwat Muenthaisong, and Komsan Nawakunsuchart. *Ekkasan Prakop Kanprachum Samatcha Khunnatham Haeng Chart B.E. 2553 Naisuan Khong Kharatchakan Lae Nakkanmuang*

*[Documents for the National Ethical Assembly 2010 for the Section of Government Officials and Politicians]*. Bangkok: The Secretariat of the Senate.

## FELLOWSHIPS, SCHOLARSHIPS, AND GRANTS

- 2016 Summer Research Grant, Department of Sociology, University of Wisconsin-Madison. (\$1,500)
- 2016 Conference Travel Grant, Department of Sociology, University of Wisconsin-Madison. (\$250)
- 2015 Mellon Foundation Area and International Studies Research Fellowship, Institute for Regional and International Studies, University of Wisconsin-Madison. (\$5,000)
- 2015 Graduate Program Fellowship, Department of Sociology, University of Wisconsin-Madison. (5-Year Guaranteed Funding)
- 2015 Conference Travel Grant, the RN 25 Social Movements of the European Sociological Association, Complutense University of Madrid, Spain. (\$300)
- 2013 Royal Thai Government Scholarship for the Humanities and Social Sciences, Office of Higher Education Commission, Thailand. (6-Year Guaranteed Funding for Graduate Studies Abroad≈\$1,000,000)
- 2011 HM King Bhumibol's 72th Birthday Celebration Scholarship, Graduate School, Chulalongkorn University. (5-Year Guaranteed Funding for Graduate Studies at Chulalongkorn University)
- 2005 AFS Exchange Student Program, The Embassy of the United States of America in Bangkok (Full Funding)

## AWARDS AND RECOGNITION

- 2010 Recipient, Annual Award For Academic Excellent, Faculty of Political Science, Chulalongkorn University, Thailand
- 2009 Second Runner-up, The 18<sup>th</sup> ICU Debate Championship, International Christian University, Tokyo, Japan
- 2009 Recipient, Annual Award For Academic Excellent, Faculty of Political Science, Chulalongkorn University
- 2008 Third Runner-up, The 10<sup>th</sup> AUN Young Speaker Contest, Universiti Brunei Darussalam, Bandar Seri Begawan, Brunei Darussalam
- 2008 Second Runner-up: English as Foreign Language Category, The 15<sup>th</sup> All-Asian Intersarsity Debate Championship, North-South University, Dhaka, Bangladesh
- 2008 Recipient, Annual Award For Academic Excellent, Faculty of Political Science, Chulalongkorn University

## PRESENTATIONS

“A Struggle of the Anti-Mae Wong Dam Movement: A Departure for the Digital Age of Environmental Activism in Thailand?”

- The 2015 Council on Thai Studies Conference, Ohio University, Athens, OH, October 23, 2015

“Frames, Blunders, Vulnerabilities, Polarization, and Facebook: The Struggle of the Anti-Mae Wong Dam Movement in Thailand.”

- The 2015 SAIS Asia Conference, Paul H. Nitze School of Advanced International Studies, John Hopkins University, Washington, DC, April 17, 2015

- The Midterm Conference of the RN 25 Social Movements of the European Sociological Association, Complutense University of Madrid, Spain, February 19, 2015

“The American Foreign Policy Towards Southeast Asia in the Twenty-First Century: The Second Front or the Containment Against China?”

- The 12<sup>th</sup> Thailand National Conference on Political Science and Public Administration, Chiang Mai University, Chiang Mai, Thailand, December 9 2011

“How Can ASEAN Move Forward towards ASEAN Single Community?”

- The 10th AUN Educational Forum and Young Speaker Contest, Universiti Brunei Darussalam, Bandar Seri Begawan, Brunei, May 21, 2008

## CONFERENCE INVITATIONS

- The 4<sup>th</sup> Thai Forum on Security Sector Governance, organized by King Prajadhipok’s Insitute, Friedrich Ebert Stiftung, and Geneva Center for the Democratic Control and Armed Forces, Bangkok, Thailand, June 18, 2013
- The 11<sup>th</sup> Workshop Security Sector Reform and Democratization in Southeast Asia: What Role for Parliaments?, organized by IPF-SSG, Friedrich Ebert Stiftung, and Geneva Center for the Democratic Control and Armed Forces, Bangkok, Thailand, June, 15-16, 2013
- The Conference on Regional Capacity to Protect, Prevent and Respond: UN-Asia Pacific Strategy and Coordination, Bangkok, Thailand, May, 17-18, 2012
- The 25<sup>th</sup> Asia-Pacific Roundtable, organized by The ASEAN Institutes od Strategic and Intrnational Study (ASEAN-ISIS) and ISIS Malaysia, Kuala Lumpur, Malaysia May 30-June 1, 2011
- The 1<sup>st</sup> ASEAN-Japan Student Conference, organized by Ministry of Foreign Affairs of Japan and ASEAN University Network, Tokyo and Sendai, Japan, November 13-19, 2009
- The Youth Forum on the Role of Human Rights in Achieving Peace, Chulalongkorn University, Bangkok, Thailand, September 21, 2008

## MEDIA COVERAGES AND INTERVIEWS

- 2014 “A Political Scientist in Development: An Interview with Kaan Jittiang,” *GWU Organization of International Development*, 12 March. Available at <https://gwuoid.wordpress.com/2014/03/12/a-political-scientist-in-development-an-interview-with-kaan-jittiang/>
- 2009 “Interview on an Attempt of the Government to Grant Amnesty to the Ex-Prime Minister Thaksin Shinawatra,” *Thai PBS*, aired August 17.
- 2008 “Is peace just a fancy?,” *Bangkok Post*, October 7.

## TEACHING AND RESEARCHING

### University of Wisconsin-Madison

- Teaching Assistant, SOC 220: Ethnic Movements in the US (Spring 2016)
- Teaching Assistant, SOC 134: Problems of Race and Ethnicity in America (Fall 2015)

### **The George Washington University**

- Invited Speaker, IAFF 3186: Equitable Development in Southeast Asia (March 2015)

### **Chulalongkorn University**

- Guest Lecturer, Theory of International Relations (Graduate Level) (August 2016)
- Research Assistant, Assistant Professor Pranee Thiparat, PhD (2012-2013)
- Research Assistant, Associate Professor Uayporn Panich (2010)
- Research Assistant, Kasira Cheeppensook, PhD (2008)

## **SERVICES**

### **To University of Wisconsin-Madison**

- Moderator, “Thailand’s Containment Constitution and the Politics of Perpetual Crisis,” in *Symposium on Democracy in Southeast Asia*, organized by Southeast Asia Research Group and Center for Southeast Asian Studies, University of Wisconsin-Madison, Madison, WI, April 16, 2016

### **To Chulalongkorn University**

- President, American Studies Club (2010-2011)
- Head of the Class, Department of International Relations, Faculty of Political Science (2008-2009)

### **To Thai Debate Community**

- Deputy Chief Adjudicator, The 9<sup>th</sup> EU-Thailand Debating Championship (2010)
- Debate Trainer (Asian Parliamentary Style), Saint John Mary International School Debating Club (2009)
- Debate Trainer (Asian Parliamentary Style), Thammasat’s Speakers Union (2009)
- Convener, The 3<sup>rd</sup> CU America and the World Debating Championship (2008)
- Debate Trainer (Asian Parliamentary Style), Chulalongkorn University Debating Society (2008-Present)

## **ADDITIONAL INFORMATION**

### **Professional Affiliations**

- American Sociological Association (2015-Present)
- Center for Southeast Asian Studies, University of Wisconsin-Madison (2015-Present)
- Sociology of Economic Change and Development Research Group, University of Wisconsin-Madison (2015-Present)
- CSIS Young Leadership Program, Pacific Forum CSIS (2011-Present)

### **Software Packages**

- STATA

- SPSS
- Microsoft Package
- OCLC Connexion
- Ex Libris Alma

### **Languages**

- Thai (native)
- English (fluent)
- Malay (intermediate)