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EMPLOYMENT HISTORY

Lecturer February 2015- Present

Institute of Human Rights and Peace Studies, Mahidol University, Thailand Teach courses in Human Rights Theory, Practical skills in Human Rights Protection, Gender and Women's Rights; Supervise students' thesis; Conduct research in civic/citizenship education; equality and justice in education

External Consultant March-June 2015

ILO Regional Office, Bangkok, Thailand

Conducted mid-term internal evaluation and prepared report for Project to Expand Employment Services and Enhanced Labour Market Information in Cambodia and Lao PDR

National Consultant September 2012

ILO-IPEC Bangkok, Thailand

As part of the team, conducted an evaluation for the Project on Combating the Worst Forms of Child Labour in Shrimp and Seafood Processing Areas of Thailand

National Consultant July 2011

TRANSTEC SA, Brussels, Belgium

As part of the team, conducted post- project evaluation for the project on Cultivating Democratic Leaders from Marginalized Groups in Thailand supported by the United Nations Democracy Fund (UNDF)

Guest lecturer November 2010 – January 2011

Office of Human Rights Studies and Social Development, Mahidol University, Thailand

Consultant September – November 2010

UNFPA Asia-Pacific Regional Office, Bangkok, Thailand



Researched and prepared a report entitled "A Study on the Impact of Socio-Cultural Factors on the Reproductive Health of Female Migrant Women from Myanmar in Thailand"

Consultant

September – November 2010

ILO-IPEC, Bangkok, Thailand

As part of the project design team, developed a project for a USDOL-funded project on child labour and forced labour in shrimp and seafood industries

Consultant

October – December 2009

ILO, Thailand

Researched and prepared a report on Domestic Workers in Thailand: their Situation, Challenges and the Way Forward

Consultant

September 2008- March 2009

UNICEF. Thailand

Prepared Situation Analysis Report on Situation of Women and Children in Thailand

Southeast Asia Policy Advisor

July 2008 – April 2009

ActionAid Asia Regional Office, Thailand

Provide advice and support the ActionAid Asia team for engagement at the ASEAN Summit and the ASEAN's Peoples Forum 2009

Country Manager

January 2006 – May 2008

ActionAid Thailand

Provided an overall direction and management oversight to ActionAid Thailand Program. During 2006-2008 the program priorities included the following themes: Right to Livelihood, Women's Rights, the Right to Just and Democratic Governance, the Right to Education, Human Security in Emergency situation and Youth program

Program Co-ordinator

March 2002 – December 2005

ActionAid International, Asia Regional Office

Developed ActionAid Program in Thailand including providing program direction, setting up a Thailand Program office, building up and managing an ActionAid Thailand team

Program Co-ordinator (Advocacy)

September 2001-January 2002

Global Alliance Against Traffic in Women (GAATW), Bangkok.

Co-ordinated the "National Advocacy Project in Asia, Europe, LatinAmerica and Africa"



Interim International Co-ordinator

January 2000 – September 2001

GAATW

- Co-ordinated planning, budgeting and implementation of the program and activities of GAATW including developing a programme proposal for 2001-2003 and get it funded. Prepared progress reports for donors
- Represented GAATW at national, regional and international forums to advocate for human rights protection of trafficked persons

Project Manager (Research)

November 1996 – December 1999

GAATW.

Co-ordinated a "Research and Action Project on Trafficking in Women in Vietnam and Cambodia"

Project Co-ordinator

November 1994 – July 1995

Women's Studies Centre, Chiangmai. Thailand

EDUCATION:

Ph.D. in Human Rights and Peace Studies (International Program) Mahidol University, Thailand	2014
M.A. (South-East Asian Studies) The University of Hull, UK	1996
B.A. (International Affairs and Economics) University of Maine, USA.	1994

International Baccalaureate Diploma

1990

United World College, New Mexico, USA.

FELLOWSHIP:

Newton Advanced Fellowship (2018-2020) by The British Academy and The Thailand Research Fund for a research project entitled "Philosophical Enquiry as a Pedagogy for teaching Critical Thinking and Democratic Citizenship in Higher Education"

PUBLICATIONS:

Tomoko M., **Vachararutai B.**, & Tomohiro Tasaki. (2021). Designing Educational Programs to Promote Environmental Civic Actions in Japan and Thailand: The Case of Renewable Energy. *Japanese Journal of Environmental Education*, 31(2). 25-37.

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Petcharamesree, S, Capaldi, M, and **Boontinand, V.** (2016). Child Rights Situation Analysis in ASEAN, Save the Children.

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Boontinand, V. (2015) "The Construction of Democratic and Autonomous Citizens in a Progressive Thai School: Possibilities and Challenges, *Thammasat Review*, Vol. 18, No. 2

Boontinand, Vachararutai (2015). Book Review. The State of Global Education: Learning with the World and Its People. *Citizenship Teaching and Learning Journal (CTL)*. Vol. 11. No. 3.

Boontinand, J. (2008) "Feminist Participatory Action Research in the Mekong Region" in Jaggar, A. M. (ed.) *Just Methods: An Interdisciplinary Feminist Reader*, Paradigm Publishers.

Boontinand, V. and Sato, M. (2002) An Analysis report of the Research and Action Project on Trafficking in Women in the Mekong region. Global Alliance Against Traffic in Women (GAATW)

Skolnik, L and **Boontinand**, **J** (1999) "Traffic in Women in Asia –Pacific" in Forum for Applied Research and Public Policy, Vol. 14

Boontinand, Jan. (1997) Situation of Women and Children in Detention Centre. Global Alliance Against Traffic in Women and International Organisation for Migration, 1997

วัชรฤทัย บุญธินันท์2544 "การค้าหญิงในเอเซียตะวันออกเฉียงใต้: จากโลกาภิวัฒน์สู่ปัญหาการละเมิดสิทธิมนุษยชน" ใน เซ็กส์อินเตอร์เน็ท, สำนักพิมพ์โครงการวิถีทรรศน์, กรุงเทพ

DEVELOPMENT EXPERIENCE:

Thailand, Cambodia, Vietnam, Lao PDR

ACADEMIC SERVICES:

- Board member, ActionAid Thailand Foundation
- Chair, Thai Civic Education Foundation