

Curriculum Vitae Aungkana Kamonpetch

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1. Biography

Current Position: Senior Researcher

Specialization: International Migration / Refugees / Human Trafficking

2. Educational Background

2013 : Doctor of Philosophy (Ph.D.) degree from Chulalongkorn University in *International Thai Studies*

1989 : Master Degree from Chulalongkorn University (1985-1989) in *Comparative Literature*

1984 : Bachelor of Arts from Silpakorn University (1981-1984)
Major Subject: English

3. Research Work :

3.1 Research project on **‘The Lao Returnees in the Voluntary Repatriation Programme from Thailand’ (1990-1991)**’.

3.2 Paper Presentation on **‘The Progress of the Preliminary Phase Of Khmer Repatriation’** at the Conference on *‘The Third Annual International Research and Advisory Panel for Refugee Studies and Other Displaced Persons Meeting’*, organized by Refugee Studies Programme, University of Oxford, UK. (1992).

3.3 Research Project on **‘Impact of Trauma on Functional Health and Mental Health on Burmese Political Dissidents in Thailand’ (1993)**, a collaborative project with the Indochinese Refugee Trauma Programme in the Harvard School of Public Health and Indochinese Refugee Information Center.

3.4 Research Project on **‘National Policy and Cross Border Migration in The Asia-Pacific: Security and Social Implications’ (1994-1995)**

3.5 Translation Project on **‘Glossary of Migration and Refugee Terms’ (1995)**. (English-Thai)

3.6 Preliminary Survey for the Research Project on **‘Chinese Women Trafficking from Yunnan: Towards a More Effective Prevention and Repatriation’ (1996)**.

3.7 Paper Presentation on **‘How to Develop and Initiate Legal Protection Through Research, Documentation and Fact-Finding’** at *The Conference on Legal Protection for Asian Women Migrant Workers: Strategies for Action*, Sponsored by the Canadian Human Rights Foundation, LAWASIA, and the Human Rights Center at Ateneo Law School in Manila, Philippines. (1997).

3.8 Research Project on **‘Cross-Border Migration and HIV/AIDS Vulnerability in the Thai-Myanmar Border at Mae Sod and Mae Sai District, Tak Province’ (1997)**.

3.9 Research Project on **‘Mental Health of Thai People at the Thai-Cambodian Border of Surin Province’ (1998)**, collaborative project with the Indochinese Refugee Trauma Programme in the Harvard School of Public Health and the Asian Research Center for Migration.

3.10 Desk researcher in conducting *Annotated Bibliography of Child Labor in South Korea*, USAID project and Macro International, 2008.

3.11 บทความเอเชียรายปี 2550 ‘ปัญหาและแนวโน้มในการศึกษาวิจัยเกี่ยวกับการค้ามนุษย์ข้ามชาติ (**Human Trafficking**) ในภูมิภาคเอเชีย’

3.12 Article on ‘*Sex Trafficking in South East Asian Region: Protection Measures and International Cooperation*’, published in Thai language in the Academic Journal of the Institute of Asian Studies, Chulalongkorn University in 2007.

3.13 Article on ‘*State Policy on Irregular Migration, Refugee Flow and Human Trafficking in South East Asian Region*’, published in Thai language in the Journal of the Institute of Asian Studies, Chulalongkorn University in 2008.

3.14 Paper Presentation on ‘*The Phenomenon of Cross-Border Human Trafficking: Complexities of Exploitation Issues in Thailand*’ presented at the Center for Southeast Asian Studies, Kyoto University during 18-19 January 2010.

3.15 Article on ‘*State and Challenges to Human Security in Migration Management in Sub-Southeast Asian Region*’ will be published in Thai language in the Journal of the Institute of Asian Studies, Chulalongkorn University in 2009-2010.

3.16 Evaluation Project on ‘*The Exploitation in the Worst Form of Child Labour in Samut Sakorn Province*’, ARCM Research Project supported by International Labour Organization (ILO). (2010)

3.17 Research Project on ‘*Understanding the Thai Recruitment Industry*’ ARCM Research Project supported by the U.S Embassy. (2011)

3.18 Field research on ‘*Human Security in the Issues of Refugees, Displaced Persons and Migrant Workers in Thailand*’ with the ARCM researcher team, funding supported by Chulalongkorn University (2011)

3.19 Presentation on ‘*Humanitarian Resettlement Programme for Displaced Persons Along the Thai-Myanmar Border at Migration Seminar on Transnational Migration*’ in Contemporary Southeast Asia: Research Approaches and Findings at Mae Fah Laung University, Chiang Rai (2012)

3.20 Field Research on ‘*A Baseline Assessment of the Utilization of Reproductive Health and Gender-Based Violence Services by Displaced Persons from Myanmar in the Temporary Shelters in Thailand*’, ARCM research project supported by United Nation Population Fund (UNFPA) (2012)

3.21 Lecture on ‘*Concept of Human Trafficking*’ and ‘*Refugees*’ for Course Syllabus (having started since 2011): Theories of International Migration, Graduate School, Chulalongkorn University

3.22 Field Research on ‘*Employment and Working Conditions in Thailand’s Fishing Sector*’ with ARCM Research Team, supported by ILO Tripartite

Action to Protect the rights of Migrant Workers within and from the Great Mekong Sub-region (GMS TRIANGLE project) (2013)

3.23 Research Project on ***'Sustainable Solutions to Displaced Person Situation on the Thai-Myanmar Border': The Process and Prospects for Resettlement of Displaced Persons on Thai-Myanmar Border'***. ARCM Research Project in collaboration with United Nations Development Programme (UNDP) and funded by the European Union. Published by Springer Briefs in Environment, Security, Development and Peace, Migration Studies, Volume 18 (2013)

3.24 Ph.D Research on ***'Alternatives of Durable Solution for Refugees From Myanmar in Thailand: Policies for Repatriation and Resettlement Programme'***, Thai International Studies Programme, Faculty of Letter, Chulalongkorn Univeristy (2013)

3.25 Research Project on ***'Prospect and Challenges In Durable Solutions for Protracted Refugee Situation: Beyond the Boundaries of Bureaucracy in Implementation of Programme for Resettlement and Repatriation for Displaced Persons Along the Thai-Myanmar Border'*** (in Thai), supported by Institute of Asian Studies, Chulalongkorn Univeristy (2013)

3.26 Coordinator for Research Project on ***'Politics, Governance, Experiences and Responses to Flooding from the Locals' and Migrants' Perspectives in ASEAN'***, ARCM Project (Supported by Rockefeller Foundation and Chulalongkorn University (2012-2014)

3.27 Research Project on ***'Good Labor Practices for Migrant Workers in the Thai Seafood Processing Industry'***, ARCM, with support from Department of International Organizations, Ministry of Foreign Affairs of the Kingdom of Thailand (2014)