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I. RESEARCH INTERESTS

- International Southeast Asia Scholarly Collection and Special Collection Development
- International Southeast Asia Chinese Overseas Studies Collection Development
- Selected International Southeast Asia Special Collection Digitization Initiatives
- Southeast Asia Research Trends, Challenges, and Vistas

II. ACADEMIC TRAINING

- MA, Asian Studies: Classical Vietnamese Literature
University of California, Berkeley, USA
- Academic Research: Classical Vietnamese Literature
Institute of Han Nom Studies, Hanoi, Vietnam
- Intensive Nom (Vietnamese demotic script) Studies
The Han Nom Institute, Dong Da, Hanoi, Vietnam
- SEASSI (Southeast Asian Studies Summer Institute)—Beginning Tagalog
Arizona State University, Tempe, Arizona, USA
- SEASSI (Southeast Asian Studies Summer Institute)—Beginning Thai
University of Wisconsin, Madison USA
- MA, Southeast Asian Studies
Cornell University, Ithaca, New York, USA
- Advanced Indonesian Abroad Program
Institute of Education and Pedagogy, Malang, East Java, Indonesia
- FALCON (Full-year Asian Language Concentration)—Intensive Indonesian
Cornell University, Ithaca, New York, USA
- Master of Library & Information Science
San Jose State University, San Jose, California, USA
- BA, Liberal Studies: Bilingual/Bicultural Education
California State University, Sacramento, USA

III. AWARDS, FELLOWSHIPS, AND HONORS

- 05/18/2009 Distinguished commemorative medal and citation in recognition of the international Han Nom digitization initiative at the National Library of Vietnam by the Ministry of Culture, Sports & Tourism of Vietnam.
- 2003 Graduate Division Summer Research Travel Grant (Declined due to SARS outbreak in Southeast Asia)
University of California, Berkeley, USA
- 1999-2002 University Grant Fellowship, University of California, Berkeley, USA
- 2001 Nom Research Grant (Declined due to academic scheduling conflict)
The Vietnamese Nom Preservation Foundation, Cary, North Carolina, USA
- 1995 Foreign Language & Area Studies Fellowship, U.S. Department of Education
- 1992 Advanced Indonesian Abroad Program Fellowship, U.S. Department of Education
- 1991-1992 Foreign Language & Area Studies Fellowship, U.S. Department of Education
- 1989-1990 South State Co-operative Library System Award, Los Angeles, California
- 1986-1987 California State Library Minority Recruitment Scholarship
- 1986 National Golden Honor Key Society Award, Sacramento, California

IV. LANGUAGE EXPERTISE

- Fluent in English, Chinese (Cantonese, Mandarin), Vietnamese, a working knowledge of Indonesian/Malay, a reading knowledge of classical Chinese and *kanji*, basic Tagalog, Thai, and Vietnamese Nom script.

V. PROFESSIONAL MEMBERSHIP

- American Library Association
- Association for Asian Studies
- Association for Library Collections and Technical Services, Cataloging and Classification Section, Committee on Cataloging: Asian and African Materials
- Center for Research Libraries, Southeast Asia Materials Project
- Committee on Research Materials on Southeast Asia
- Librarians Association of the University of California, Berkeley Division
- Library of Congress Cooperative Acquisitions Program for Southeast Asia
- The Vietnamese Nom Preservation Foundation, Advisory Council