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Educational Background

Education Level (Major)	Year of Graduation	Institution
MSc in Development Studies (Merit)	2017	London School of Economics and Political Science (LSE), United Kingdom
BA in Political Science (Second Class Honour) (Major in International Relations, Minor in Sociology and Anthropology)	2013	Faculty of Political Science, Chulalongkorn University, Thailand

Master's Degree Dissertation

- Exploring the Transnationality of Gender Mainstreaming Discourse in Humanitarian Response for Refugees in Mae Sot District, Thailand

Publications (in English)

- Tinnaphop Sinsomboonthong, Watinee Wichaiya, and Saranya Tarat. 2021. *Research on Barriers and Opportunities to Improving Outcomes for Women Migrant Workers through Skills Development in Thailand*. Bangkok: UN Women.

- Tinnaphop Sinsomboonthong. 2021. "On Homosexual Love and Right to Same-Sex Marriage: Questioning the Paradox of *#LoveWins* Discourse." In *International Handbook of Love: Transcultural and Transdisciplinary Perspectives*, edited by Claude-Hélène Mayer and Elisabeth Vanderheiden, 405–421. Cham: Springer.

- Tinnaphop Sinsomboonthong. 2020. "Cultural Hybridity of K-Pop Music: From the West to South Korea, from South Korea to the Globe." *Journal of Language and Culture* 39 (2): 65–83.

- Tinnaphop Sinsomboonthong. 2017. "Politics of "Pang-Nongng", Politics of Nonsense: De-formalisation, Subaltern Space, Collective Identity." Paper presented at *the 13th International Conference on Thai Studies (ICTS): Globalised Thailand? Connectivity, Conflict, and Conundrums of Thai Studies*, Chiang Mai (Thailand), July 15–18: 1615–1635. Accessed on 1 May 2021. https://icts13.chiangmai.cmu.ac.th/documents/FIINAL_R -SRI_NEW_MARCH_2019.pdf.

Publications (in Thai)

- Tinnaphop Sinsomboonthong. 2022. "Editorial: When New-Generation Sociologists-Anthropologists Make Transdisciplinary Dialogues." In *Sociology and Anthropology in the Multi-/Inter-/Trans-Disciplinary Turn*, edited by Tinnaphop Sinsomboonthong, v–xxxiv. Pathum Thani: Faculty of Sociology and Anthropology, Thammasat University.

- Tinnaphop Sinsomboonthong. 2022. "Sociological Dialogues with Sexology: From Biological Sex to Gender, from Sexual Essentialism to Queerness." In *Sociology and Anthropology in the Multi-/Inter-/Trans-Disciplinary Turn*, edited by Tinnaphop Sinsomboonthong, 241–275. Pathum Thani: Faculty of Sociology and Anthropology, Thammasat University.

- Tinnaphop Sinsomboonthong, Watinee Wichaiya, and Saranya Tarat. 2021. *Development of Good Practice Guidelines on Skills Development for Migrant Workers*. Bangkok: IOM. Accessed on 23 August 2021. https://mitrthai.com/employers/skills_development/%E0%B9%81%E0% B8%99%E0%B8%A7%E0%B8%9B%E0%B8%8F%E0%B8%B4%E0%B8%9A%E0%B8% B1%E0%B8%95%E0%B8%B4%E0%B8%97%E0%B8%B5%E0%B9%88%E0%B8%94% E0%B8%B5%E0%B9%83%E0%B8%99%E0%B8%81%E0%B8%B2%E0%B8%A3%E0% B8%9E%E0%B8%B1/.

- Tinnaphop Sinsomboonthong. 2020. "K-Pop Music and Globalisation." In *Korea Today: Society and Culture*, edited by Noppadol Chartprasert, 119–135. Pathum Thani: Institute of East Asian Studies, Thammasat University.

- Tinnaphop Sinsomboonthong. 2019. "Challenging the Discourse of the Universality of Gender Mainstreaming of the United States Agency for International Development (USAID)." *Journal of Social Sciences* 49 (1): 127–150.

- Tinnaphop Sinsomboonthong. 2017. "Collective Identity of "Page-Nongng" as Queer Epistemology." *Journal of Sociology and Anthropology* 36 (2): 65–88.

- Tinnaphop Sinsomboonthong. 2014. "Politics of (Ab)normality: Looking Yingluck Shinawatra through a Queer Lens." *Journal of Social Sciences* 44 (2): 71–90.

- Tinnaphop Sinsomboonthong. 2014. "Ethnic Conflict between Myanmar Military Government and Kachin: Consequence of Burmanisation Policy and Chinese Expansion." *Journal of Politics and Governance: Current Issues in ASEAN* 4 (1): 233–255.

Conference Papers (Samples)

- Tinnaphop Sinsomboonthong. 2022. "Skills Development, Economic Aspirations, and Women's Empowerment: A Study of Women Migrant Workers' Lives in Thailand." Paper presented at *the 2022 Joint International Conference Interdisciplinary Research on Migration Issues*, held by the Faculty of Sociology and Anthropology, Thammasat University (Thailand) and the Centre for Global Diaspora Studies, Chonnam National University (South Korea), 20 December 2022.

- Tinnaphop Sinsomboonthong. 2021. "The Active Social Live of #LoveWins: Decolonizing Homosexual Love and Right to Same-Sex Marriage on Thai Social Media." Paper presented at *the Women in Asia Conference 2021: Fashioning Gender in Asia*, held by La Trobe University (Australia), 23–26 November.

- Tinnaphop Sinsomboonthong. 2020. "Survey on Gender Mainstreaming in Humanitarian Response for Refugees in Mae Sot: From Principle to Practices." Paper presented at *the National Academic Conference on Gender Equality 2020*, held by the Department of Women's Affairs and Family Development, Ministry of Social Development and Human Security (MSDHS) (Thailand), 3 September.

- Tinnaphop Sinsomboonthong. 2020. "Cultural Hybridity of K-Pop Music: From the West to South Korea, from South Korea to the Globe." Paper presented at *the LATU International Conference 2020: Understanding of Korean Studies*, held by the Faculty of Liberal Arts, Thammasat University, the Academy of Korean Studies (AKS), and the Institute of East Asian Studies (IEAS), Thammasat University in Bangkok (Thailand), 14–15 January.

- Tinnaphop Sinsomboonthong. 2018. "'Human Rights Princess': Exploring Politics of Origins and Politics of Meanings of Human Rights in Thailand's 'Vernacular Rights

Cultures'." Paper presented at *the Thailand's 1ˢᵗ Annual Conference on Anthropology and Sociology: "Connectivity, Crossing, and Encounters at the Nexuses,* held by the Princess Maha Chakri Sirindhorn Anthropology Centre in Bangkok (Thailand), 24–25 August.

- Tinnaphop Sinsomboonthong. 2017. "Politics of "Page-Nongng", Politics of Nonsense: De-formalisation, Subaltern Space, Collective Identity." Paper presented at *the 13ᵗʰ International Conference on Thai Studies: Globalised Thailand? Connectivity, Conflict and Conundrums of Thai Studies*, held by the International Conference on Thai Studies (ICTS) in Chiang Mai (Thailand), 15–18 July.

- Tinnaphop Sinsomboonthong. 2017. "Questioning 'Agency' in Rohingya's Migration and Human Rights: From Bay of Bengal and Andaman Sea Crisis to Temporary Detention in Thailand." Paper presented at *the 9ᵗʰ Annual Human Rights in Asia Conference: Gender and Sexuality*, held by the University of Essex, Colchester Campus (UK), 25 March.

- Tinnaphop Sinsomboonthong. 2017. "Paradoxes of Princess Bajrakitiyabha's Human Rights in Thailand: Monarchy, Salvation, Vulnerability." Paper presented at *the 2017 International Symposium on Gender Studies: "Crossing Borders: Gender, Sexuality and Culture,"* held by the Interdisciplinary Research Foundation, at Anglo Educational Services in London (UK), 4 March.

- Tinnaphop Sinsomboonthong. 2015. "Belle and the Beast, Tiana and the Frog, and Merida the Brave: Questioning Gender Freedom of (Il)liberal Disney Princesses." Paper presented at *the Exploring the Literary World III: Transgression and Translation in Literature*, held by the Department of Comparative Literature, Faculty of Arts, Chulalongkorn University and the Department of Literature, Faculty of Humanities, Kasetsart University (Thailand), 24 April.

- Tinnaphop Sinsomboonthong. 2013. "Ethnic Conflict between Myanmar Military Government and Kachin: Consequence of Burmanisation Policy and Chinese Expansion." Paper presented at *the Collaborative Undergraduate and Graduate Student Colloquium on Politics and Governance: Current Issues and Prospects in ASEAN*, held by the College of Politics and Governance, Mahasarakham University (Thailand), 17 August.

- Tinnaphop Sinsomboonthong, Thasuthida Thetthong, and Wichaya Rojanapittayakorn. 2013. "Dynamics of Identity and Sense of Belonging of Karen Youth Refugees and Migrant Workers in Mae Sod." Paper presented at *the Undergraduate Sociology and*

Anthropology Seminar, held by the Faculty of Sociology and Anthropology, Thammasat University (Thailand), 27 January.

- Tinnaphop Sinsomboonthong. 2012. "The Post-Tsunami Recovery Project: Cottages as the Double Exploitation of Migrant Workers in Baan Nam Khem." Paper presented at *the 1ˢᵗ Bangkok International Student Conference*, held by the BMIR Programme, Faculty of Political Science, Thammasat University (Thailand), 12 October.

Research Project (from the latest)

- Panitee Brown, Tinnaphop Sinsomboonthong, Akkaranai Khwanyoo, and Patcharin Lapanun. 2021. *""Intimate Labour" in Formal and Informal Sectors in the Context of Pandemic: A Preliminary Study in the Pandemic of COVID-19"*
  - <u>Period</u>: October 2020 – January 2023; funded by the Women and Youth Studies Programme, Center for Democracy and Citizenship, Sanya Dharmasakti Institute for Democracy, Thammasat University
  - <u>Remark</u>: Tinnaphop Sinsomboonthong as a Researcher

- Tinnaphop Sinsomboonthong. 2021. *"Sociological Dialogues with Sexology: From Biological Sex to Gender, from Sexual Essentialism to Queerness"* in the Research Cluster *"Discipline(s): Rethinking Sociologists-Anthropologists' Concepts and Trans-Disciplinary Dialogues"*
  - <u>Period</u>: August 2020 – November 2021; funded by the Faculty of Sociology and Anthropology, Thammasat University
  - <u>Remark</u>: Tinnaphop Sinsomboonthong as Head of the Research Cluster

- Tinnaphop Sinsomboonthong, Watinee Wichaiya, and Saranya Tarat. 2021. *Research on Barriers and Opportunities to Improving Outcomes for Women Migrant Workers through Skills Development in Thailand*
  - <u>Period</u>: June 2020 – March 2021; funded by the United Nations Entity for Gender Equality and the Empowerment of Women (UN Women)
  - <u>Remark</u>: Tinnaphop Sinsomboonthong as Head of Project

- Tinnaphop Sinsomboonthong, Watinee Wichaiya, and Saranya Tarat. 2021. *Development of Good Practice Guidelines on Skills Development for Migrant Workers*

○ Period: March 2020 – March 2021; funded by the International Organization for Migration (IOM) UN Agency

○ Remark: Tinnaphop Sinsomboonthong as Head of Project

- Tinnaphop Sinsomboonthong. 2020. *The #LoveWins as a Discourse: Researching Homosexual Love and Right to Same-Sex Marriage in Thai Social Media*

○ Period: January 2019 – December 2020; self-funded project

Teaching Courses [Bachelor's Degree]

- Faculty of Sociology and Anthropology, Thammasat University

Course Code	Course Name	Academic Year
SA418/SA419	Individual Research/Individual Study	2018, 2019, 2020, 2021, 2022
SO350	Social Change	2018, 2019, 2020, 2021, 2022
SO353	Criminology	2022
SO355	Sociology of Queer	2020
SO446	Sociology and Postcolonialism	2019, 2021, 2022
SO456	Sociology of Development	2018
TU121	Human and Society	2018, 2019, 2020

- Other Faculties and Schools

Course Code	Course Name	Academic Year
IAC401	Research Methodology in Social Science and Humanities	2019
IP325	Human Rights	2022
PCD313	Issues in Gender and Development	2019, 2020
TU101	Thailand, ASEAN and the World	2019, 2020, 2021

Teaching Courses [Master's Degree]

- Faculty of Sociology and Anthropology, Thammasat University

Course Code	Course Name	Academic Year
SA611	Gender and Sexuality Issues in Contemporary Society	2022
SA615	Postcolonial Sociology	2021

Academic Interests

- Critical Development Theories and Practices

- Gender, Development, and Globalisation

- Postcolonial, Poststructural, Multicultural, and Psychoanalytic Feminist Theories

- Postcolonial and Global Sociology

- Queer Theory and Queer Studies

- Sociology of Human Rights

Consultancy

- Research and Evaluation Assistant at Save the Children Thailand (Sep 2022 – Feb 2023)

- Consultant for Migrant Workers Organizing at Freedom Fund (Sep 2022 – May 2023)

Administration and Leadership Contributions

- Member, Gender Safety and Understanding Promotion Committee, Faculty of Sociology and Anthropology, Thammasat University (Jul 2021 – Sep 2022)

- Alternate Member of the Sociology Dictionary Committee, the Royal Society of Thailand (Jan 2021 – Dec 2021)

- Member, Publication and Journal Management Committee, Faculty of Sociology and Anthropology, Thammasat University (Nov 2019 – Sep 2022)

- Member, Academic Services Committee, Faculty of Sociology and Anthropology, Thammasat University (Nov 2019 – Sep 2022)

- Member, Student Affairs Committee, Faculty of Sociology and Anthropology, Thammasat University (Sep 2018 – Sep 2022)

Resource Person (Samples)

- Host and commentator for an online programme, "Maihet Praphet Thai" (Thai Gen[d]re[r] Remark) (May 2019 - Present) on Prachatai Online

- An online lecture for "AANA18129U Ethnographic Perspectives on Queerness, Gender and Sexuality" on *"Gendering the Mainstream, Queering the West: From Gender Theory to Queer Theory in Sociology and Anthropology"* on 14 September 2021 at 15:00–18:00,

invited by Dr. Jutathorn Pravattiyagul, Anthropology Department, University of Copenhagen

- The Regional Conference on Enhancing Skills Development for Migrant Workers in Cambodia, Lao People's Democratic Republic, Myanmar, and Thailand on *"Good Practice Guidelines on Skills Development for Migrant Workers"* on 14 July 2021 at 09:30–10:00 via Zoom program, held by the International Organization for Migration (IOM) Thailand

- IPSR In-House Seminar Online on *"Looking Population Studies through a Queer Lens"* on 29 July 2020 at 12:30–13:30 via Zoom program, held by the Institute for Population and Social Research (IPSR), Mahidol University

- The 19th School of Peace Studies and Conflict Transformation on *"Humanitarian Intervention and Peacebuilding"* during 26 October – 8 November 2019 [on 6 November 2019 at 09:00–12:30], held by the International Institute of Peace and Development Studies (IIPDS)

- "National Workshop on Effective Communications" on *"Gender Mainstreaming"* on 8 October 2019 at 15:00–16:00, held by the Asian Forum for Human Rights and Development (FORUM-ASIA)

- New Gen Researcher's Seminar: Multimodality of Politics" on *"Gender Mainstreaming in the USAID's Global Development"* on 24 April 2019 at 13:30–15:30, held by the Direk Jayanama Research Center, Faculty of Political Science, Thammasat University

- Seminar Series, "Critically Analysing Development from Contemporary Thinkers' Perspectives" on *"Encountering/Critique: Arturo Escobar and Post-Development"* on 3 December 2018 at 13:30–15:30, held by the Center for Research on Inequality and Social Policy (CRISP), Faculty of Economics, Thammasat University

Honors and Awards

- Recipient of the Harvard-Yenching Institute (HYI) and the National University of Singapore (NUS)'s Joint PhD Scholarship (2023)

- The Thammasat University Outstanding Early-Career Researcher Award (Faculty Level) (2021)

- The National Outstanding Gender Equality Research Competition 2020 in the Category of Master's Degree Thesis/Dissertation (Honourable Mention Prize), "Exploring the Transnationality of Gender Mainstreaming Discourse in Humanitarian Response for Refugees in Mae Sot District, Thailand", awarded by the Department of Women's Affairs and Family Development, Ministry of Social Development and Human Security (MSDHS)

- Recipient of the Chevening Scholarship and the LSE Scholarship (2016-2017)

- Thailand's delegate and focal point for "the 4th Annual General Meeting of Youth-Lead 2014," held by Youth LEAD: Asia Pacific Network of Young Key Populations

- Best paper presentation, "Ethnic Conflict between Myanmar Military Government and Kachin: Consequence of Burmanisation Policy and Chinese Expansion," in the "Collaborative Undergraduate and Graduate Student Colloquium on Politics and Governance: Current Issues and Prospects in ASEAN" at the College of Politics and Governance, Mahasarakam University (2013)

- President of Academic Affairs, the Political Science Student Union (PSSU) Chulalongkorn University (2012)

- Selected participant in the "2nd Youth Advisory Panel Camp," held by UNFPA Thailand (2010)

- La Bourse à Court Terme du Gouvernement Française (French Government's Short-Term Scholarship) (2007)

Language Skills

Languages	Comprehension		Oral Production		Writing
	Listening	Reading	Interactions	Presentation	
Thai	Mother Language				
English	C2	C2	C1	C1	C1
French	B2	B2	B2	B1	B1
Mandarin Chinese	A1	A1	A1	A1	A1
Bahasa Malayu	A1	A1	A1	A1	A1

(Common European Framework of Reference for Languages (CEFR): A1/2 = Basic user; B1/2 = Independent user; C1/2 = Proficient user)