

## CURRICULUM VITAE

### CONTACT INFORMATION

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### EDUCATION

Ph.D. (2011) *Public Affairs: Health Services Research and Administration Track*,  
College of Health and Public Affairs, University of Central Florida, USA

*Area of Interest:* Interdisciplinary study, Health services research, Health technology adoption, Health informatics, Rural health, Quality management, HIV/AIDS care monitoring and evaluation, Quantitative research methods

M.A. (2003) *Social Development: Faculty of Social Science, Department of Sociology and Anthropology, Chiang Mai University, Thailand*

*Area of Interest:* Community-based organization, Community participation, Sustainable development, Health promotion in rural/ethnic communities

B.A. (2000) *Mass Communication: Journalism, Faculty of Mass Communication, Chiang Mai University, Thailand*

### PROFESSIONAL EXPERIENCE

February 2012 – Present:

Organization: Department of Society and Health, Faculty of Social Sciences and Humanities, Mahidol University, Thailand

Position: *Lecturer*

July 2011 – December 2011:

Organization: The Institute of Optics, University of Rochester, New York, USA

Position: *Postdoctoral Research Associate*

January 2008 – May 2011:

Organization: Public Affairs Doctoral Program, University of Central Florida, Orlando, USA

Position: *Research Associate* in Rural health  
*Teaching Associate* in Public Policy, Health Services Administration, and Advanced Research Methodology for MA and PhD Courses

January 2008 – May 2011:

Organization: Covian Consulting, Orlando, Florida, USA

Position: ***Collaborating Consultant***

April 2004 – December 2005:

Organization: Phayao Provincial Public Health Office, Phayao, Thailand Thailand, under the Ministry of Public Health and U.S. Centers for Diseases Control and Prevention Collaboration (TUC),

Position: ***Project Coordinator***

January 2004 – March 2004:

Organization: The Society of Promotion for Animal Welfare under Royal Patronage, Bangkok, Thailand

Position: ***Researcher***

October 2002 – September 2003:

Organization: Chiangmai Mail Publishing Co, Ltd, Chiang Mai, Thailand

Position: ***Journalist***

## **OTHER ACTIVITIES**

2016 – Present: ***Reviewer*** for the Journal of the Association of Nurse in AIDS Care, Elsevier

2012 – Present: ***Reviewer*** for the International Journal of Public Policy, Indersciences Publishers

2012: ***Lecturer*** for the short course of Global Health for Southeast Asia, Duke University's Global Health Institute (DGHI) and Mahidol University (MU) in the topic: Health Care Subsystems and Communities, July 23-August 2, 2012

2011: ***Co-Editor*** for the Special Issue of the International Journal of Public Policy Title: Special Issue on Public Affairs: A Global Perspective

## **PUBLICATION**

Paek, S. C., ***Meemon, N.***, & Wan, T. T. (2016). Thailand's universal coverage scheme and its impact on health-seeking behavior. *SpringerPlus*, 5(1), 1952.

***Meemon, N.***, Paek, S., Yenchai, D. and Wan, T.T. (2016). Application of the WHOQOL-HIV-BREF questionnaire in Thai HIV-infected patients: Reliability and validity of the instrument. *Journal of the Association of Nurses in AIDS Care*. 7(15), 698-708

- Paek, S.C., Zhang, N.J., Wan, T.T., Unruh, L.Y., and **Meemon, N.** (2016). The Impact of state nursing home staffing standards on nurse staffing levels. *Medical Care Research and Review*. 73(1), 41-61.
- Khaing, P., **Meemon, N.**, Paek, S. and Dendoung, S. (2016). Social integration and quality of school life in HIV-born adolescents in HIV Home in Myanmar. *The Faculty of Social Sciences and Humanities National Conference Proceedings*. March 24-25, 2016 at the Royal River Hotel, Bangkok, Thailand.
- Choowa, C., Sringernyuang, L., **Meemon, N.**, & Marohabutr, T. (2015). Globalization and AEC in the Context of Local Traditional Healers: A Qualitative Study of Realities in Surin Province. *Journal of Thai Traditional & Alternative Medicine*, 13(1), 23-34.
- Yenchai, D., Dokmai, P. Saripan, W., Srianand, I., Srimanee, C., Paek, S. and **Meemon, N.** (2015). The relationship between social support and quality of life among people living with HIV/AIDS in Phayao province. *The Faculty of Social Sciences and Humanities National Conference Proceedings*. March 26-27, 2015 at the Royal River Hotel, Bangkok, Thailand.
- Chuenchom, S., Puvarujan, S., Pinkam, N., Ketkunthorn, N., Tunsene, W., Paek, S. and **Meemon, N.** (2015). Social Capital in Transition: Situation and Challenges to HIV/AIDS in Phayao Province. *The Faculty of Social Sciences and Humanities National Conference Proceedings*. March 26-27, 2015 at the Royal River Hotel, Bangkok, Thailand.
- Srimanee, C., Yenchai, D., **Meemon, N.** and Paek, S. (2015). Internet Use Behaviors among University Student in Thailand. *The Faculty of Social Sciences and Humanities National Conference Proceedings*. March 26-27, 2015 at the Royal River Hotel, Bangkok, Thailand.
- Sherer, P. and Meemon, N.* (2013). *The Development of Herbal Medicine Promotion and Utilization Models for self-reliance in Thai Communities: A Situation Analysis*. Department of Health Service Supports and the NIPPON Foundation.
- Meemon, N.** (2013). Transnational patient mobility: Lessons learned from the European Union and implications to Thailand's cross-border health care. *Health Social Sciences International Conference Proceedings*. August 19-20, 2013 at S.D. Avenue, Bangkok, Thailand.
- Meemon, N.** (2012). A system model for explaining disparities in health services utilization: A preliminary evidence from Thailand. *Health Social Sciences Conference Proceedings*. April 30, 2012 at the Royal River Hotel, Bangkok, Thailand.
- Ortiz, J., **Meemon, N.**, Zhou, Y., and Wan, T.T.H. (2012). Trends in rural health clinics and needs during U.S. health care reform. *Primary Health Care Research and Development*. Vol. 24 pp. 1-7
- Wan, T.T.H. and **Meemon, N.** (2012). Domains of public affairs informatics research: An introduction. *International Journal of Public Policy*. Vol. 8 No. 1/2/3 pp. 1-3
- Lee, K.S., Zhao, H., Ibrahim, S.F., **Meemon, N.**, Khoudeir, L., and Rolland, J.P. (2012). Three dimensional imaging of normal skin and nonmelanoma skin cancer with cellular resolution using Gabor- domain optical coherence microscopy. *Journal of Biomedical Optics*. Vol. 17 No. 12 doi:10.1117/1.JBO.17.12.126006

- Wan, T.T.H. and **Meemon, N.** (2011). Factors Influencing Access to Health Care for Families in Craft- Rosenberg, M. & Rae Pheler, S. (eds). *Encyclopedia of Family Health*. SAGE Publications, INC. pp. 419-422.
- Ortiz, J., **Meemon, N.**, Tang, C.Y., Wan, T.TH., and Paek, S. (2011). Rural health clinic efficiency and effectiveness: Insight from a nationwide study. *Journal of Medical System*. Vol. 35 No. 4 pp. 671-681
- Ortiz, J., Wan, T.T.H., **Meemon, N.**, Paek, S., and Agiro, A. (2010). Contextual correlates of Rural health clinics' efficiency: Analysis of nurse practitioners' contributions. *Nursing Economics*. Vol. 28, No. 4. pp. 237-244.
- Wan, T. T. H., Ortiz, J., Breen, G.-M., Paek, S. C., **Meemon, N.**, Tang, C.-Y., & Agiro, A. (2009). Rural health clinics: contributors to efficiency and effectiveness. *Online Journal of Rural Nursing & Health Care*, 9(2).
- Littleton, V., **Meemon, N.**, Breen, G.M, Seblega, B., Paek, S., Loyal, M., Ellis, N., and Wan, T. TH. (2009). An ethical analysis of professional codes in health and medical care. *Ethics and Medicine*. Vol. 26, No. 1.
- Breen, G.M., Loyal, M., Littleton, V., Seblega, B., Paek,S., **Meemon, N.**, Ellis, N., and Wan, T.TH. (2009). An ethical analysis of contemporary healthcare practices and issues. *Online Journal of Health Ethics*. Vol. 5, No. 2.
- Eusawas, E. and **Thaveephon, N.** (2006). The Solution for Stray Dogs Problems in Bangkok and Nearby Area. *80th Anniversary: The Society of Promotion for Animal Welfare under Royal Patronage*. Proud Press, Bangkok, Thailand. [Printed in Thai]

## ORAL PRESENTATIONS

- Meemon, N.** and Paek, S. (2015). Assessing Quality of Life in HIV/AIDS Patients in Thailand: Reliability and Validity of the WHOQOL-HIV Bref Instrument. *The 5<sup>th</sup> International Conference on Society and Health: Global Health, Society and Human Development*. September 28-29, 2015 at Mahidol Learning Center, Mahidol University, Nakhon Pathom, Thailand.
- Paek, S. and **Meemon, N.** (2015). Impact of Universal Coverage Scheme on Health Seeking Behavior in Thailand. *Health Social Sciences International Conference*. September 28-29, 2015 at Mahidol Learning Center, Mahidol University, Nakhon Pathom, Thailand.
- Srimanee, C., **Meemon, N.** and Paek, S. (2015). Perceived Leadership in Higher Education and Academic Performance. *The 5<sup>th</sup> International Conference on Society and Health: Global Health, Society and Human Development*. September 28-29, 2015 at Mahidol Learning Center, Mahidol University, Nakhon Pathom, Thailand.
- Srimanee, C., Paek, S. and **Meemon, N.** (2015). Student Perception of Leadership in Higher Education. *Chiang Mai National Conference on Psychology*. July 24, 2015.
- Lloyd, A., Bari-Hoffman, R., Lehman, L., **Meemon, N.** and Lewis, V. (2012). The relationship between perceptual and objective reflex measures in singers. *The Voice Foundation's 41<sup>st</sup> Annual Symposium: Care of the Professional Voice*. May 30 – June 3, 2012 at the Westin Philadelphia, Philadelphia, Pennsylvania, USA.

**Meemon, N.** (2012). Implementation of HIV Ambulatory Services Quality Management in Thailand and its Implications to Policy and Practice. in *Follow-up Seminar for Model Development of Comprehensive HIV/AIDS Prevention and Care Project*. Phayao Provincial Public Health Office (PPHO) & Japanese International Cooperation Agency (JICA), January 12-13, 2012, Gateway Hotel, Phayao, Thailand.

## **RESEARCH PROJECTS**

Current:

***Cross-border Utilization of Health Care Services by Myanmar Residents Living around Mae Sai – Tha Chi Lek Economic Zone***

Supported by the International Trade and Health Program, the International Health Policy Program (IHPP) [Principal Investigator]

*Amount: 647,240 baht*

***Evaluation of an Enhanced Tuberculosis Infection Control Intervention in Healthcare Facilities in Vietnam and Thailand***

Supported by Department of Disease Control, Ministry of Public Health and the U.S. Centers for Disease Control and Prevention [Principal Investigator]

*Amount: 12,400,000 baht*

***Quality of Palliative Care for Older People in Hospitals: Family Caregivers VS. Health Professionals' Perspectives***

Supported by Mahidol Hospice and Elderly Care: Research and Learning Center, Mahidol University [Principal Investigator]

*Amount: 672,000 baht*

***Disparities in Access to and Utilization of Health Services: Current Patterns***

Supported by the Faculty of Social Sciences and Humanities, Mahidol University: the National Research University (NRU) grant [Principal Investigator]

*Amount: 154,000 baht*

***Catastrophic Health Expenditures and Affordability of Health Services***

Supported by the Faculty of Social Sciences and Humanities, Mahidol University: the National Research University (NRU) grant [Investigator]

*Amount: 154,000 baht*

May 2013 – March 2016:

***HIV Peer-Support Group Engagement and Quality of Life of People Living with HIV/AIDS***

Supported by the Thailand Research Fund: a Young Scholar Research Support Program [Principal Investigator]

October 2012 – May 2013:

***A Study of Best Practices in Promoting Herbal Medicine Utilization***

Supported by Department of Thai and Alternative Medicine, Ministry of Public Health and the NIPPON Foundation. [Investigator]

***The Promotion of Herbal Medicine Utilization Program: the Implementers' Perspectives***

Supported by Department of Thai and Alternative Medicine, Ministry of Public Health and the NIPPON Foundation. [Investigator]

April 2012 - February 2013:

***Evaluation of Healthy Public Policy Development through Area-based Health Assembly and Health Impact Assessment Mechanisms***

Supported by the Health Intervention and Technology Assessment Foundation (HITAP), Ministry of Public Health. [Investigator]

March 2012 - August 2012:

***The Development of Herbal Medicine Promotion and Utilization Models for Self-reliance in Thai Communities Program: A Situation Analysis***

Supported by Department of Health Systems Promotion. Ministry of Public Health. [Investigator]

**TEACHING (CURRENT):**

**M.A. Programs**

Health Economics

Statistics for Social Researchers

Public Policy and Health

Seminar in Health Social Sciences

**Ph.D. Programs**

Seminar in Health Social Sciences

Advanced Quantitative Research Methods

Theoretical and Empirical Issues in Health Services Research and Administration