

LINH VUONG

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EDUCATION

University of California at Berkeley

Master of Public Policy, Goldman School of Public Policy (GPA: 3.8) Expected 2012
Bachelor of Arts in Political Science & Peace and Conflict Studies (GPA: 3.6) 2008

- Dean's Honor List, Fall 2005
- Education abroad in Political Science at L'Institut d'Etudes Politiques (Sciences-Po), Paris, France
- Independent Research Project: Implementation Problems of Dayton Peace Accords

SELECTED COURSEWORK

Introduction to Probability and Statistics (Advanced)	Microeconomics
Cost Benefit Analysis	Law and Public Policy
Decision Analysis, Modeling, and Quantitative Methods	Financial Management of Non-Profits

SKILLS

Languages: French (advanced), Vietnamese (conversational)	Proficient in SPSS, Excel, Stata
Advanced research and critical writing skills	Familiarity with ArcGIS, R
Data analysis	Data visualization

PROFESSIONAL EXPERIENCE

City of Santa Cruz

Consultant

Jan 2012 – present

- Conduct a policy analysis to determine how the City can improve access to broadband
 - Examine other municipalities' broadband policy
 - Conduct financial projections
 - Assist with writing the city's Broadband Master Plan

Code for America

Policy Intern

San Francisco, CA

Jun – Aug 2011

- Developed a comprehensive database of recent disasters, their severity, and impacts
 - Created a model to determine how well countries/cities were able to respond to disasters relative to similar disasters in similar countries
 - Assisted with data visualization to make the data and information available online

University of California, Berkeley

Graduate Student Instructor, Introduction to Peace and Conflict Studies

Berkeley, CA

August 2011 – Dec 2011

Reader, Politics of Southeast Asia

August 2010 – May 2011

- Graded midterm, research, and final papers
- Facilitated two discussion sections to help students understand the readings

California Public Utilities Commission

Student Consultant

San Francisco, CA

Jan – May 2011

- Conducted an analysis and made recommendations on strategies to achieve California's greenhouse gas emissions target through water conservation
 - Interviewed water utilities regarding participation in efficiency programs
 - Analyzed quantitative data on water utilities' energy consumption

National Council on Crime and Delinquency*Research Associate II**Research Associate I**Intern***Oakland, CA***June 2009 – July 2010**Jan 2008 – June 2009**Fall 2007*

- Provided writing, technical, and logistical support for the *California Cities Gang Prevention Network*
 - Coordinated the Network's 4th annual meeting (Keynote speaker: US Attorney General Eric Holder)
 - Assisted with grant writing and reports to continue project funding
 - Developed the Network's process evaluation to assess effective practices and determine future direction
 - Wrote bi-monthly bulletins regarding relevant topics to the participating cities
- Collected, analyzed, and presented data for the following projects:
 - *Healthy Returns Initiative*, which seeks to aid youth transitioning from Juvenile Hall into communities
 - *Disproportionate Minority Contact*, an effort by Alameda County to reduce racial disproportions amongst incarcerated youth
 - *Created Equal*, a compilation of available data on racial disproportions in the criminal justice system
 - For the *San Francisco Reentry Council*, an assessment of services available for those leaving the system
- Managed the following evaluation projects:
 - *Roosevelt Village Center*, a longitudinal evaluation examining the effects of a multicultural after-school program on delinquency levels in at-risk youth
 - *Measure Y*, an evaluation of a community-based organization's work with system-involved youth
- Wrote policy memos on criminal and juvenile justice related topics (see Selected Publications below)

OTHER WORK EXPERIENCE**Berkeley Asia Pacific Economic Cooperation Study Center**, *Research Assistant**2006***Roosevelt Institution**, *Center Development Director**Fall 2005***Prevention Research Center**, *Research Intern and Interviewer**2004-2006***Democratic Party**, *Intern & Volunteer**2002, 2008***SELECTED PUBLICATIONS**

Vuong, L., Hartney, C., Krisberg, B., & Marchionna, S. (2010). "The Extravagance of Imprisonment Revisited." *Judicature*, 94(2), 70.

Hartney, C., & Vuong, L. (2009). *Created Equal: Racial and Ethnic Disparities in the US Criminal Justice System*. Oakland, CA: National Council on Crime and Delinquency.

Vuong, L., & Silva, F. (2008). *Evaluating Federal Gang Bills*. Oakland, CA: National Council on Crime and Delinquency.