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Passionate and knowledgeable Ph.D. Candidate in Epidemiology interested in finding practical solutions using both quantitative and qualitative research methods. Seeking to leverage my skills to advance research in human and animal health.

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EDUCATION

Doctor of Philosophy in Epidemiology Sep 2021 – Apr 2025 (expected)

Ontario Veterinary College, University of Guelph, Guelph, ON, Canada

Thesis: Supporting the promotion of positive psychology in early-career veterinarians

Supervisor: Dr. Andria Jones (D.V.M., Ph.D.)

Master of Science in Veterinary Epidemiology 2019 - 2021

Kasetsart University Kampaeng Saen Campus, Nakhon Pathom, Thailand

Thesis: Social Network Analysis of Free-Roaming Dogs in Kasetsart University

Supervisor: Dr. Waraphon Phimprapai (D.V.M., Ph.D.)

Doctor of Veterinary Medicine 2013 - 2019

Faculty of Veterinary Medicine, Kasetsart University, Bangkok, Thailand

EXPERIENCE

Doctoral Researcher 2021 – Present

PI: Dr. Caroline Ritter, University of Prince Edward Island, PE, Canada <carolineritter@upei.ca>

Graduate Teaching Assistant, “Art of Veterinary Medicine I” Sep - Dec 2024

Supervisor: Basem Gohar, University of Guelph, ON, Canada <bgohar@uoguelph.ca>

Graduate Teaching Assistant, “Epidemiology I” Sep - Dec 2024

Supervisor: Kelsey Spence, University of Guelph, ON, Canada <kspenc04@uoguelph.ca>

Graduate Teaching Assistant, “Applied Clinical Research” Jan - Apr 2024

Supervisor: Keana Shahin, University of Guelph, ON, Canada <kshahinm@uoguelph.ca>

Research Assistant, “Rabies-Free Animal Project” 2019 - 2020

PI: Dr. Waraphon Phimprapai, Kasetsart University, Thailand <fvetwpr@ku.ac.th>

PEER-REVIEWED PUBLICATIONS

Leelahapongsathon, K., Wongphruksasoong V., Vos, A., Kasemsuwan, S., **Kittisiam, T.**, Sagarasaeranee, O. & Chanachai, K. (2023). ‘Oral Vaccination of Dogs as a Complementary Tool for Canine Rabies Control: The Thai Protocol’, CABI Books. CABI

International. <https://www.cabidigitallibrary.org/doi/full/10.1079/9781800622975.0010>

Kittisiam, T., Phimprapai, W., Kasemsuwan, S., & Thakur, K. K. (2021). Analyses of Contact Networks of Community Dogs on a University Campus in Nakhon Pathom, Thailand. *Veterinary Sciences*, 8(12), 299. <https://doi.org/10.3390/vetsci8120299>

CONFERENCE PRESENTATIONS, PROCEEDINGS, AND POSTERS

* = Presenter

Kittisiam, T.*, Ritter, C., Morabito, E., Stacey, A., Khosa, D. & Jones-Bitton, A. (2023, May 31 - June 1). Measures of positive mental health in graduating veterinary students: findings from baseline data collection. [Poster session]. 16th Canadian Association of Veterinary Epidemiology

and Preventive Medicine (CAVEPM) Conference 2023, Guelph, ON, Canada. [Link to conference proceedings](#)

Morabito, E.*, Jones-Bitton, A., **Kittisiam, T.**, Stacey, A., VanLeeuwen, J., Gunn McQuillan, H., Ritter, C. (2023, May 31 - June 1). Understanding meaningful work: conversations with early-career veterinarians across Canada. [Oral Presentation]. 16th Canadian Association of Veterinary Epidemiology and Preventive Medicine (CAVEPM) Conference 2023, Guelph, ON, Canada.

Kittisiam, T.*, Ritter, C., Morabito, E., Stacey, A., Khosa, D. & Jones-Bitton, A. (2023, May 18). Quantifying well-being, emotional intelligence, and resilience in graduating veterinary students: findings from baseline data collection. [Oral presentation]. Centre for Public Health and Zoonoses (CPHAZ) Symposium 2023, Guelph, ON, Canada.

Kittisiam, T.*, Ritter, C., Morabito, E., Stacey, A., Khosa, D. & Jones-Bitton, A. (2022, August 7-12). A longitudinal mixed-methods analysis of self-efficacy, emotional intelligence, and resilience in veterinary students transitioning into the veterinary profession. [Poster session]. 16th International Symposium of Veterinary Epidemiology and Economics (ISVEE), Halifax, NS, Canada. [Link to conference proceedings](#)

Morabito, E.*, Jones-Bitton, A., **Kittisiam, T.**, Stacey, A., VanLeeuwen, J., Gunn McQuillan, H., Ritter, C. (2022, August 7-12). Quantitative assessment of Eudaimonia and Hedonia as protective factors on veterinary mental health in a longitudinal, Canada-wide study. [Oral Presentation]. 16th International Symposium of Veterinary Epidemiology and Economics (ISVEE), Halifax, NS, Canada.

Wanakumjorn, P., **Kittisiam, T.***, Sukitmongkolkul, J., Rumnum, J., Aungchayakul, T., Witoonsatian, K., Lertwatcharasarakul, P., Phatthanakunanan, S., Jala, S. (2019, June 13-14). Development of Loop-Mediated Isothermal Amplification to Detect Duck Enteritis Virus [Conference presentation]. KUVIC 2019, Prachuap Khiri Khan, Thailand. [Link to conference proceedings](#)

TRAINING AND CERTIFICATION

Introduction to practical disease modeling **Nov 2024**
17th International Symposium on Veterinary Epidemiology and Economics
Sydney, NSW, Australia

Inclusive Teaching Workshop **Mar 2024**
Graduate Teaching Community, Office of Teaching and Learning (OTL),
University of Guelph, Guelph, ON, Canada

safeTALK **Oct 2023**
Wellness Education & Promotion Centre, Student Wellness
University of Guelph, Guelph, ON, Canada

Mental Health First Aid Standard (Blended) (9-hour) **Oct 2022**
Mental Health Commission of Canada

Course on Research Ethics (TCPS 2: CORE) Certificate **Oct 2021**
Panel on Research Ethics, Government of Canada

Contact Network Epidemiology **Jul 2021**
13th Summer Institute in Statistics and Modeling in Infectious Diseases (SISMID)
University of Washington, Seattle, WA, USA

Spatial Statistics in Epidemiology and Public Health **Jul 2021**
13th Summer Institute in Statistics and Modeling in Infectious Diseases (SISMID)
University of Washington, Seattle, WA, USA

AWARDS AND SCHOLARSHIPS

- 2024** 17th International Symposium on Veterinary Epidemiology and Economics (ISVEE) Bursary
- 2020 - 2021** Canada-ASEAN Scholarships and Educational Exchanges for Development (SEED), Global Affairs Canada
- Sep 2019** “Best Oral Presentation (Student)” at the Kasetsart University Veterinary International Conference 2019 (KUVIC 2019), Kasetsart University, Thailand
- Mar 2018** SAVMA (Student American Veterinary Medical Association) Symposium Student Travel Grant Philadelphia, United States of America