Tou Kao (T.K.) Vang

Department of Educational Psychology University of Nebraska-Lincoln 114 Teachers College Hall Lincoln, NE 68588-0324

Email: tkvang22@gmail.com Phone: (715) 630-4909

EDUCATION

University of Nebraska-Lincoln

Lincoln, NE

MA. Educational Psychology

Aug. 2018- Present

- Specialization: Quantitative, Qualitative & Psychometric Methods
- Relevant Coursework: Structural Equation Modeling, Machine Learning, Natural Language Processing, Item Response Theory, R Programming, Multivariate Analysis, Longitudinal Analysis, ANOVA, Ethnography, Phenomenology, Multinomial & Logistic Regression, Mixed Methods Research

University of Wisconsin-Superior

Superior, WI

B.S. Sociology

June 2015

• Minor: Anthropology

RESEARCH & TEACHING EXPERIENCE

University of Nebraska-Lincoln, Department of Educational Psychology

Lincoln, NE

Instructor – EDPS 459: Statistical Methods

Aug. 2020-Present

- Teach introduction to statistics (descriptive & inferential statistics)
- Student projects involve SPSS datasets & critical review of research article of their interest

Nebraska Department of Education

Lincoln, NE

Office of Data, Research, and Evaluation – Graduate Assistant

May. 2020- Aug. 2020

- Analyze & manage Nebraska First/Third Year Teacher Survey (NTYTS/NFYTS) data
- Finalize findings from 2019 first and third-year teacher experiences to Neb. Department of Education
- Created research survey regarding Nebraska Department of Education's employees' access to the internet & personal protection equipment during the beginning of COVID-19

University of Nebraska-Lincoln, Department of Educational Psychology

Lincoln, NE

Project SPaRK

Aug. 2018- May 2019

- Created child and parent interview guide for Project SPaRK (Supportive Parents and Resilient Kids)
- Coordinate and run the family visits
- Interview the family and child about child's experience with peer victimization
- Questionnaires and surveys are put into SPSS data Audio and visuals are cleaned and uploaded into protected Dropbox

University of Nebraska-Lincoln, Department of Sociology

Lincoln, NE

Graduate Research Assistant

Jan. 2017- May 2017

- Analyze U.S Church Membership Data (1952-2010) via Association of Religion Data Archives
- Find which counties came into existence and which ones were no longer counties. Used US Census &
 find measures at county level for 1957-2010. Measures include but not limited to percent poor, percent
 unemployment, average age, number of births, and percent female. Used STATA 13 and merged
 datasets

SKILLS & INTERESTS

Programming: R, Python, SAS, Stata, SPSS, SQL, Microsoft Office, Mplus, NLP, Machine Learning, Languages: Fluent in Hmong, Proficient in Spanish & Conversational in Korean

REFERENCES

Marsha S. Lue

GEO Program Academic Advisor Department of Education Swenson Hall 2068 University of Wisconsin-Superior Superior, WI 54880 (715)-394-8016 mfrancis@uwsuper.edu

Amanda Morales

Associate Professor Teaching, Learning & Teacher Education Henzlik Hall 26 University of Nebraska-Lincoln Lincoln, NE 68522 (402) 472-2231 amanda.morales@unl.edu

Hongwook Suh

Director of Research and Evaluation Data, Research, and Evaluation 500 S 84th St 2nd Floor Nebraska Department of Education Lincoln, NE 68510 (531) 207-3096 hongwook.suh@nebraska.gov

Meredith Martin

Assistant Teaching Professor Psychology Department of Psychology Huntington Hall 503 Syracuse University Syracuse, NY 13244 (315)443-2749 mmartin@syr.edu