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EDUCATION

- Ph.D: University of Arizona- School of Government and Public Policy- Political Science-
Expected 2022
- MA: University of Sussex- Institute of Development Studies- Master of International
Development Studies- 2014
- BA: Hanoi University of Science and Technology- English Studies and Translation-
2010

REFEREED PUBLICATIONS

Forthcoming. “Connected Countryside: The Inhibiting Effect of Social Media on Rural Social
Movements.” *Comparative Politics*. (With Paul Schuler)

WORKING PAPERS

Mai Truong and Minh Trinh. “Sending Signals: How Do Autocrats’ Labeling Strategies Affect
Popular Support for Social Protests?” (In progress)

Schuler, Paul and **Mai Truong**. “Guilt by Association: Do Dissident Allies Undermine Rightful
Resistance in Authoritarian Regimes?” (In progress)

Schuler, Paul and **Mai Truong**. “Social Identities in Single Party Regimes” (In progress)

OTHER PUBLICATIONS

Schuler, Paul and **Mai Truong**. “Leadership Reshuffle and the Future of Vietnam’s Collective
Leadership?” *ISEAS Perspective*. February 22, 2019. No. 9.

RESEARCH EXPERIENCES

Research Assistant, 2014-2015

ITAD (Monitoring & Evaluation for International Development), England

Project: Macro-Evaluations for DFID’s Strategic Vision for Girls and Women and DFID’s Policy
Frame for Empowerment and Accountability

Junior Researcher, 2012-2013
VietSurvey Research and Analysis, Vietnam

TEACHING EXPERIENCES

Teaching Assistant

POL 150c: Politics of Happiness, Dr. John Pat Willerton, University of Arizona- Fall 2017
POL 204: Comparative Politics in the Age of Globalization, Dr. Paulette Kurzer,
University of Arizona- Spring 2018, Fall 2018, Spring 2019
POL 201: American National Government, Dr. Barbara Norrander, University of Arizona-
Fall 2019

Guest Lectures

Diplomatic Academy of Vietnam, 2015, “Growth and Poverty in the Age of Globalization”
University of Arizona, POL 204, 2019, “Competitive Authoritarianism/Hybrid Regimes:
How Do They Differ from Democratic and Authoritarian Regimes?”

CONFERENCE PRESENTATIONS

SEAREG: May 2019 (Poster presentation)
WPSA: April 2019
MPSA: April 2019

GRANTS AND AWARDS

Southeast Asia Research Group (SEAREG) Pre-Dissertation Fellowship (\$5000)
School of Government and Public Policy Starns Fellowship (\$2500)
SEAREG travel funding (\$500)
Social and Behavioral Science Research Institute (SBSRI) Pre-Doctoral Grant 2019 (\$500)
University of Arizona Summer Fellowships, 2018-2019 (\$2700)
University of Arizona Graduate and Professional Student Council Grant, 2018-2019 (\$1000)
University of Arizona Summer Fellowships, 2017-2018 (\$1900)
UK Government Chevening Scholarship for Master’s Degree, 2013-2014
AmCham Scholarship for Outstanding Undergraduate Students, 2009-2010

LANGUAGES

Vietnamese (Native)
English (Fluent)
French (Basic)