

## Education

Ph.D., Economics, University of Wisconsin- Milwaukee  
Dissertation: Immigration and U.S. Native Workers' Wages in Recent Decades  
Major Professor: Dr. Scott Drewianka  
Graduation Date: August 2012

M.A., Economics, University of South Florida, Tampa, FL

B.A. (*cum laude*), Economics, University of South Florida, Tampa, FL

## Research Fields

Labor Economics, Behavioral Economics, Business Economics

## Current Position

Head of Department, Faculty of Economics, Khon Kaen University (since January 2025)

Assistant Professor, Faculty of Economics, Khon Kaen University (Since 2021)

Lecturer, Faculty of Economics, Khon Kaen University (2015 – 2021)

## Current Research

Gender earnings inequality, compensation and work effort, incentives for honest behavior, family structure and children's enrollment in school, economic inequality and mobility, air pollution and work performance, dishonest behavior and religious beliefs

## Publications

SrungBoonmee, T. (2013). Immigration and US native workers' wages: differential responses by education. *International Journal of Manpower*, 34(5), 447–464. <https://doi.org/10.1108/IJM-05-2013-0118>

Mahasuweerachai, P., & SrungBoonmee, T. (2021). The relative effectiveness of punishment severity and risk of apprehension in deterring dishonest behavior: Experimental results from a developing country. *Kasetsart Journal of Social Sciences*, 42(2), 245–248. <https://so04.tci-thaijo.org/index.php/kjss/article/view/251191> Published 30 April 2021.

SrungBoonmee, T. (2021). Managerial Positions Attainment and Gender Earnings Differential in Thailand's Finance Sector. *Human Resource and Organization Development Journal*, 13(2/2021).

- SrungBoonmee, T. (2021). The Commercial Value and Viability of a Non-Invasive Knee Cartilage Injury Detection Device. *Archives of Allied Health Sciences*, 33(2), 9-18.
- Srungboonmee, T., Saengavut, V., Jirasatthumb, N., & Nuam, C. K. (2024). Burning fields, fading memories: exploring the effects of sugarcane burning on air quality and cognitive functioning – A case study in Northeast Thailand. *Human and Ecological Risk Assessment: An International Journal*, 1–21. <https://doi.org/10.1080/10807039.2024.2413997>
- SrungBoonmee, T. (2026). Inequitable Pay and Work Performance: Evidence from Lab Experiments in Thailand. *SOUTHEAST ASIAN JOURNAL OF ECONOMICS*, 14(1), 123–164. retrieved from <https://so05.tci-thaijo.org/index.php/saje/article/view/273557>

## Research Grants

- Researcher: "Economic and Social Value Assessment of the Chicken Bank for Rural Development Project" by the Chicken Breeding Research and Development Center, Faculty of Agriculture, Khon Kaen University, National Research Council of Thailand (2017)
- Principal Investigator: Social impact and commercial viability assessments for the prototype development of a knee damage detection device using vibrational signals, Thailand Innovation Hub (2018)
- Principal Investigator: Assessment of commercial and health benefits from processed rice and cassava products), Thailand Research University Network: RUN (2019)
- Researcher: "Management of the Supply Chain for Healthy Chicken Production from Farm-to-Fork in Khon Kaen Province" - Work Plan 3: "Study and Development of Value Addition in the KCU1 Chicken Supply Chain" Thailand Science Research and Innovation (TSRI) (2020)
- Researcher: "Behavioral Science Tools and Measures for Improving Outcome Indicators of Students Receiving Equitable Scholarship" Thailand Education Equality Fund (EEF) (2022)
- Researcher: "Community-Based Solutions to Mitigate Health and Economic Impacts of Fine Particulate Matter (PM2.5) Through Reduction of Sugarcane and Rice Field Burning" Sub-project 3: "Economic Impact Assessment of Fine Particulate Matter (PM2.5) on Public Health" Khon Kaen University Fundamental Fund (FF) (2023)
- Researcher: "Study of Urgent Problems and Needs of Micro, Small and Medium Enterprises (MSMEs)" Thailand Office of Small and Medium Enterprise Promotion (OSMEP) (2023)

## Research Presentations

- SrungBoonmee, T. & Mahasuweerachai, P. (2025). An Experimental Analysis of Bribe-Acceptance and Bribe-Offering. *The 18<sup>th</sup> National Conference of Economists, Kasetsart University, Thailand*. 18 – 19 July, 2025

- Paichayontvijit, T & SrungBoonmee, T. (2024). The Role of Breakfast Subsidies on Weight and Height Growth Among Schoolchildren: Evidence from Northern Thailand. *The Asian Conference on the Social Sciences (ACSS2025)*. Tokyo, Japan. May, 2024.
- SrungBoonmee, T. & Mahasuweerachai, P. (2023). Does inequitable compensation affect work performance? Evidence from lab experiments in Thailand. *The 22<sup>nd</sup> JEPA International Conference, 2023, Osaka Ibaraki Campus, Ritsumeikan University, Osaka, Japan*. 18 – 19 November, 2023
- SrungBoonmee, T. & Saengavut, V. (2023). The Link between Agricultural Burning, PM 2.5, and Working Memory among Sugarcane Farmers in Khon Kaen, Thailand. *EEPSEA Partnership Annual Conference 2023, Ho Chi Minh City, Vietnam*. 27 – 28 October, 2023.
- Lekfuangfu, N & SrungBoonmee, T. (2019). The Influence of Family Structure during Childhood on Human Capital Development: Lessons from a Longitudinal Data of Thai Households. *The Asian and Australasian Society of Labour Economics (AASLE) Annual Conference, National University of Singapore, Singapore*. 12 – 14 December, 2019.
- “Differential Impacts of Immigration across U.S. Industries”,
- Eurasian Business and Economics Association Conference (2012), Warsaw, Poland.
  - Midwest Economic Association Annual Meeting (2012), Evanston, IL, USA.
- “Differential Wage Impacts of Immigration across Occupations in the U.S.”
- Third Annual International Conference of Political Economy (2011), Kocaeli University, Kocaeli, Turkey.
  - Eastern Economic Association Annual Meeting (2013) New York City, NY, USA.
- “Immigration and U.S. Native Workers’ Wages: Differential Responses by Education”
- Pennsylvania Economic Association Annual Meeting (2011), Dickinson College, Carlisle, PA, USA.
  - Midwest Economic Association Annual Meeting (2011), St. Louis, MO, USA.
- “Understanding Local Labor Market Adjustments to Immigration”, University of Wisconsin-Milwaukee Microeconomics Seminar (2009).
- “Tribe Cultures, History, and Economic Development in Kenya”, the Annual Undergraduate Research Symposium (2003), University of South Florida, Tampa, FL, USA

## Teaching

*Econometrics, Advanced Microeconomics, International Economics, Principles of Microeconomics, Principles of Macroeconomics, Business Statistics, Human Resource Economics, Labor Economics, Public Finance, Managerial Economics, Public Finance, Economic Development*

## Professional Credentials

Certificate of Completion in Job Evaluation and Job Grading, PMAT, June 2023

Certificate of Completion in Professional Compensation Management, PMAT, May 2023

Certificate of Completion in Workforce Analytic and Planning Specialist, PMAT, October 2022

Certificate of Completion in Mindfulness Organization, PMAT, September 2022

Certificate of Completion in Negotiation Mastery, Harvard Business School, December 2021