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EDUCATION

MEc. Economics
Universiti Putra Malaysia Expected March 2025

MSc Distinction, Political Science and Political Economy
London School of Economics and Political Science September 2023

B.S. Applied Mathematics (GPA: 3.78)
University of California, Los Angeles, CA June 2022

Research Interests: Political Economy, Causal Inference, Public Finance.

WORK EXPERIENCE

Asia School of Business September 2023 – Present
Senior Research Associate

Institute of Strategic and International Studies June 2022 – September 2022
Economics, Trade, and Regional Integration Research Intern

Connection Lab, UCLA Henry Samueli School of Engineering September 2021 – June 2022
Undergraduate Researcher

Asia School of Business, Kuala Lumpur, Malaysia June 2021 – October 2021
Research Assistant

Khazanah Research Institute, Kuala Lumpur, Malaysia June 2020 – September 2020
Research Intern

SCHOLARSHIPS AND FUNDING

MARA Graduate Excellence Scholarship Program September 2022 – September 2023
Scholarship Award: £36462

Internet Research Initiative Award, Los Angeles, CA September 2021 – June 2022
Project Title: A Comparative Study of Vaccine Hesitancy in Several Malaysian States
Grant Award: \$7500

WORKING PAPERS

- Yes Minister: Do Coalition Ministers Court the Prime Minister
- Does Increasing Turnout Led to the "Green Wave"?
- Measuring Wealth in Emerging Economies: Assessing the Reliability of Wealth Indices in Malaysia
Under Review with Quality and Quantity

NON-ACADEMIC PUBLICATIONS

- "Classification of Information Disorder", *joint work with Gregory Ho*, Khazanah Research Institute, February 2021.
- "Clear Urban-Rural Disparity in Booster Shots", *New Straits Times*, August 2022.

COMPUTER AND LANGUAGE SKILLS

- R, packages including dplyr, httr, text analysis, rvest(web scraping)
- Python, packages including numpy, pandas, matplotlib, scipy, scikitLearn, BeautifulSoup
- Rudimentary use of C++ and Matlab
- Stata
- Bahasa Melayu (first language), English (fluent), French (Beginner)

SERVICES AND OTHER ACTIVITIES

<i>Organizer for the Asia School of Business Research Workshop</i>	September 2023 – Present
<i>Malaysian Association of Students at UCLA, President</i>	September 2020 – June 2022
<i>Engineers Without Borders, Fundraising Coordinator</i>	September 2018 – June 2019