

LIST OF FULBRIGHT US-ASEAN VIETNAMESE SCHOLARS

No	Academic Year	Name	Field of study	Host institution in the U.S.	Home institution in Vietnam	Project title	Project Abstract
1	2013-2014	Ms. Nguyen Phuong Ly	International Relations	Cornell University	Diplomatic Academy of Vietnam Ministry of Foreign Affairs	ASEAN's Absence of Collaboration on the South China Sea Issue: a Look from within	In order to account for factors behind ASEAN's reluctance to promote cooperative efforts and resolve the South China Sea(SCS)disputes, prevalent literature focuses on a wide divergence of interests among ASEAN members, and their lack of national power in international politics.Realist perspective, however, ignores potential high costs of ASEAN's failure to work together on the SCS issue. This project, therefore, argues that China's strategic exploitation of its bilateral relations with regional countries, and the dynamics of the Southeast Asian politics play an important role in influencing ASEAN members' attitude towards regional collaboration on tackling the disputes.
2	2014-2015	Ms. To Ngan Ha	TEFL/Applied Linguistics	Boston University	Hanoi University	The application of computer technology in English language testing: An experience from the U.S.	The project aims to deepen the researcher's understanding of the application of computer technology in English language testing in the U.S. Specifically, it will compare the most popular models of computer assisted language testing (CALT) to understand the strengths and the concerning issues in test design, implementation and evaluation of each model. The context of Vietnam's higher education is also considered so that the best model(s) can be proposed for application in Vietnam. Equally important is the answer about the future direction of research in the field with the hope that Vietnamese English teachers can have more studies to contribute to the field.
3	2016-2017	Ms. Le Thu Ha	International Relations	Carnegie Council for Ethics in International Affairs	Diplomatic Academy of Vietnam - The Institute for East Sea Studies	The role of ASEAN in its member states' territorial integrity: The case of US's engagement	The study aims at examining how ASEAN membership can benefit its state members's territorial integrity protection process. In order to illustrate the findings of this, the study would analyze a specific case: The role of US, a traditional partner and an influential player in the region, in solving the South China Sea dispute, one of the critical threats to many ASEAN countries' territorial integrity at the current time, under the hat of ASEAN – US cooperation. From that, the study would recommend a cooperation mechanism between ASEAN and the US to contribute to solving the South China Sea dispute.