

HOANG TUAN MINH

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EDUCATION

Hanoi–Amsterdam High School for the Gifted, Specialization: English 1 2017 – 2026
GPA: 9.6

STANDARDIZED TESTS & COURSES

SAT: 1530 (Superscore: 1550) IELTS: 8.0
AP: Statistics: 4 | Microeconomics: 5 | Macroeconomics: 5
Online Certificate: Stanford ([Business Model Innovation](#)), UPenn ([AI for Business](#), [Leadership in the Age of Digital Disruption](#))

HONORS & AWARDS

- Overall Champion Award & Delegate, Youth Environment Summit, Indonesia 2025
- Silver Award, Asia Pacific Arts Festival in Music (APAF) TAIWAN [\[My Flute Performance\]](#) 2025
- Bronze Medal, International Exhibition for Young Inventors, IEYI Japan 2025
- Commendation Prize, Global Essay Prize in Psychology, John Locke International Writing Competition 2025
- First Prize, The 20th National Youth and Children's Creativity Contest 2024
- Gold Medal, International Invention Show INOVA 2024
- Gold Medal, 17th International Invention and Innovation Show INTARG® 2024
- Youth Creative Badge, Central Committee of the Ho Chi Minh's Communist Youth Union 2024
- Gold Medal, World Scholar's Cup, National Round 2021

LEADERSHIP

- Founder, [Hope Library Fund](#): *Foundation that builds libraries for schools in Northern Vietnam* 12/2017 - Present
- Lead 50 members and volunteers in improving educational access in underserved highland regions
 - Raised over US \$30,000 through academic awards, literary publication profits, and collaborations with educational organizations; scaled fundraising via revenue from Cham Tho Cam startup and FinEdu financial literacy courses
 - Conducted educational needs assessments in 5 provinces (Lao Cai, Cao Bang, Bac Kan, Thanh Hoa, Nghe An); worked directly with school leaders and local NGOs to identify communities most affected by resource gaps
 - Implemented construction of 20+ libraries across 20 schools, including Van Cha Primary and Middle School, Tua Ma Pan School, donated 50,000+ books to 20,000+ children in 7 provinces from Northern to Central Vietnam (Cao Bang, Ha Giang, Yen Bai, Lao Cai, Nghe An, Son La, Dien Bien)
- Vice Head of Finance, [Ams' Got Talent](#) 09/2024 - 12/2024
- Managed a US \$8,000 budget; monitored expenses across 20+ categories
 - Raised US \$2,300 through sponsorships from 5 companies; facilitated sale of 200 tickets and 150 merchandise items for prize fund and operational costs

STARTUP

- Founder & Owner, [Cham Thổ Cẩm](#): *Startup to develop H'mong-inspired textiles from hemp fabric* 09/2023 - Present
- Secured US \$3,850 in seed funding, including US \$1,920 from personal fundraising and family investment, to launch the startup while overseeing business model design, website development, and operations
 - Working with a Pà Cò Co-operative and 6 individual households in Hoa Binh in textiles wholesale procurement, quality control, and distribution through the venture's e-commerce platform
 - Directed lookbook shoots for two collections, "Soi Nui – Woven by Mountains" and "Cham - Touch of H'Mong"; promoted preservation and reinterpretation of ethnic identity through contemporary fashion
 - Collaborated with the artisan Mùa Y Gánh to run workshop at Vietnam Museum of Ethnology engaging 400+ students in hemp weaving and H'mong embroidery under guidance of artisan Mùa Y Gánh
 - Hosted a fashion show in Hang Kia Village combining 6 traditional H'mong outfits with 15 modern student designs attracting 300+ attendees
 - Generated about US \$16,400 revenue over 17 months with 25% profit margin; allocated 50% of profit to fund FinEdu (financial education platform); donated 50% to Hope Library Fund to build libraries for ethnic minority students
- Owner, [FinEdu](#) [\[Github\]](#): *Online financial education platform for primary and middle school students* 06/2024 - Present
- Founded a financial literacy course to address poor money management affecting low-income families; helped equip the next generation with smart financial habits for long-term success
 - Invested 50% of profits from social enterprise Chạm Thổ Cẩm to develop the platform and scale access
 - Produced 60+ interactive video lessons covering courses, such as Elementary Financial Literacy Economics, Money Skills -

- Financial Literacy for Teens; supported by real-time feedback and student performance tracking tools
- Built course structure and platform interface using individualized accounts and competency-based learning paths
- Partnered with 20+ schools and education centers in Hanoi to reach 500+ students; generated average revenue of US \$1,000/month.
- Earned 336 million VND revenue; donated 15% of profits to the Hope Library Fund to support literacy access in highland communities

Developer, [FinMate](#) [\[Github\]](#)

06/2024 - Present

AI-integrated personal finance management application connected to e-wallets and bank accounts

- Developed product roadmap and collaborated with financial advisor to develop features
- Designed core AI financial analysis system, including chatbot and cash flow prediction; built application’s back-end
- Guided 30+ children in Hòa Bình in installing and testing the Android version of the application on their mobile devices

RESEARCH & INTERNSHIP

Co-Author, Trust Formation and Fintech Adoption Intentions in Rural Vietnam

04/2025 - 10/2025

- Analyzed 486 rural Vietnamese consumers across six provinces [\[Research Paper\]](#)
- Integrated the Unified Theory of Acceptance and Use of Technology with institutional trust theory and social cognitive theory to elucidate the complex pathways through which trust emerges in resource-constrained environments
- Published in Journal of Economics, Finance And Management Studies

Research Assistant, A Novel Framework for FinTech Trust in Rural Vietnam [\[Research Paper\]](#)

10/2024 - 06/2025

- Supported data collection from 587 rural respondents to ensure survey clarity and cultural appropriateness
- Processed quantitative data for constructs; assisted with PLS-SEM analysis
- Recommended improvements for digital financial literacy, rural infrastructure access, and community trust; promoted broader financial inclusion and sustainable adoption of FinTech services
- Published in Global Business and Finance Review - Q3 Journal

Author, Impact of Child Labor on School Enrollment Rates and Education Quality [\[Research Paper\]](#)

12/2023 - 04/2024

- Surveyed Child Labor and School Attendance Rates in 25 Northern mountainous provinces in Vietnam
- Analyzed data using multiple linear regression with SPSS software
- Proposed policy recommendations on investment in education and reduction of child labor

Intern, [Diamond Capital Investment \(DCI\)](#) [\[Internship Evaluation\]](#)

06/2025 - 08/2025

- Analyzed personal and corporate financial profiles; helped develop long-term financial plans
- Conducted investment needs surveys; prepared reports proposing financial solutions
- Participated in group presentations on financial planning strategies for Generation Z; focused on digital consumption habits and investment behavior

ART & LITERATURE ENGAGEMENT

Author & Writer, The Literary Journey: “[Red Pen](#)” - Poetry Collection

03/2022 - Present

- Launched poetry collection “Red Pen” on Dan Tri Publishing House
- Cooperated with the Children’s Literature Council of the Vietnam Writers’ Association to launch the book at Bui Quoc Khai Primary School (Hanoi) attracting 200+ attendees and donated 900 books to the school’s new library
- Featured in 20+ libraries and bookstores in Hanoi; sold 2,000+ copies; generated 100+ million VND
- Donated 35 million VND towards 100+ poetry collections for libraries in remote areas of Northern Vietnam

Founder & President, [The Underground ReadEasy](#) - Youth literature forum for high school students

12/2024 - Present

- Organize and teach 20+ free English classes to 900+ ethnic minority students at 3 schools
- Curated and hosted 5 public talk shows to introduce Vietnamese literature for teenagers featuring works such as “How Much is Youth Worth” by Rosie Nguyen, “Diary of a Cricket” by To Hoai, “Give me a ticket to childhood” by Nguyen Nhat Anh, “Yellow Flowers on the Green Grass” by Nguyen Nhat Anh, and “When the light is out” by Ngo Tat To; attracted 150 participants
- Collaborate with Vietnam – U.S the Cooperation Center in hosting 3 poetry workshops; attracted 250+ participants to share creative works and develop reading and language skills
- Run literature competitions

Performer [\[Video\]](#) & Team Coordinator, [Ngay Hoi Anh Tai](#)

10/2024 - 10/2025

- Choreographed dances with 20+ peers
- Led groups during the Grade Booth activities; created games and co-coordinated artistic performances

COMMUNITY SERVICES

Youth Ambassador, [Operation Smile Vietnam](#)

07/2019 – Present

- Led a team of 6 Vietnamese student volunteers in fundraising campaigns for children with craniofacial deformities
- Sold handmade products and organized student events to raise community awareness
- Provided pre- and post-operative medical support in mountainous provinces; collaborated with Vietnam Dental Association on

mobile screening and treatment programs

- Provided care for a child patient in Dien Bien province; supported from hospitalization at the Vietnam–Cuba Friendship Hospital through rehabilitation expected at age 18
- Supported doctors in health examinations for 100 children at SOS Children's Village, Hanoi

Representative, [International Student Leadership Conference \(ISLC\)](#), part of [Operation Smile](#)

07/2024 & 07/2025

- Selected as 1 of 30 Vietnamese student representatives to participate in 2 conferences for 2 consecutive years with delegates from 30 + countries
 - Organized fundraising initiatives to support children with facial deformities across Africa and South America to reinforce the global mission of equal access to medical care
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INTERESTS

- Singing, Dancing
- Musical Instruments: Zither, Flute [[My Flute Portfolio](#)]
- Poetry: Creative writing
- Sports: Basketball, Soccer, Marathon