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EDUCATION

- o Advanced Lawyer Skills, Judicial Training Academy, Ministry of Justice (1999)
- o LLM, Law Faculty of Ha Noi National University, 2007-2009
- o Lawyer Training Program in Judicial Academy, 2004
- o LLB, Hanoi Law University (2000-2004)

AREAS OF PRACTICE

M&A
Tax
Public-private partnership
Investment
Corporate
Contract
Labour
Education & training

MEMBERSHIP

Ha Noi Bar Association

WORK POSITION

- 2012 -present: Partner
NHQuang&Associates, a law firm established in 2004, specializing in policy and statutory study and corporate consultancy.
- 2011-present: Founding member
Viet Pro Consultants Limited Company
- 2006 — 2012: Senior lawyer
NHQuang&Associates, a law firm established in 2004, specialising in policy and statutory study and corporate consultancy.
- 2004-2006: Legal Consultant of Luat Viet Law firm

RESEARCH AND DEVELOPMENT PROJECTS

Corporate and Investment Activities

- **Review and Recommendation for Legal Status of Corporate Seal in Vietnam**, under the Prime Minister’s Task Force for Administrative Procedure Reform established under the Prime Minister’s Project 30 in coordination with the International Financial Company (IFC), 2012.
- **Review and Recommendation for Simplifying licensing procedures in Clean development mechanism (CDM)**, under the Prime Minister’s Task Force for Administrative Procedure Reform established under the Prime Minister’s Project 30 in coordination with the International Financial Company (IFC), 2011.
- **Review and Recommendation for Simplifying licensing procedures in Transportation sector**, under the Prime Minister’s Task Force for Administrative Procedure Reform established under the Prime Minister’s Project 30 in coordination with the International Financial Company (IFC), 2011.
- **Review and Recommendation for Simplifying licensing procedures in Advertising industry**, under the Prime Minister’s Task Force for Administrative Procedure Reform established under the Prime Minister’s Project 30 in coordination with the

International Financial Company (IFC), 2010.

Judicial Reform

- **Survey on Court Administration in Viet Nam**, under the Project “Strengthening Access to Justice and Protection of Rights” (Project 58492) — sponsored by UNDP, steered by the Judicial Reform Secretariat of Judicial Reform Steering Committee, 2011-2013. Team Member in charge of in-depth interviews, data analysis. The survey was based on 4,000 mail questionnaires and over 50 direct interviews with court-related agencies nationwide.
- **Initiatives to Increase Protection of Women’s Land rights in Vietnam**, Project “Empowerment of Women to Claim their Land Rights” (Project 61404), UNDP, 6/2013. Team Member in charge of desk study, direct interview, and final Handbook writing. • National Consultant for Korean Trade (Kotra) at the Advisory Council of Administrative Procedure Reform (2012-2013)
- **Implementation of Administrative Procedures/Regulatory Reform** supported by International Financial Company (IFC), in coordination with the Prime Minister’s Task Force for Administrative Procedure Reform established under the Prime Minister’s Project 30, 2009-2012. Legal Expert leading team for scanning administrative procedures, calculating compliance cost and report writing
- **The Availability of Legal Services for People Living With HIV and Key Populations** — UNDP/UNAIDS Vietnam, 2011-2012. Team Member. The project aimed to provide an overall picture about legal services in Vietnam in general and legal services for people living with HIV in particular; to determine the demand for legal services of people living with HIV and affected communities, and propose and recommend solutions to develop and improve these legal services in Vietnam
- **Appointed Counsel in Vietnamese Criminal Law and Practice** run by Vietnam Lawyers’ Association under the support of “Improving capacity of Vietnam Lawyers’ Association sponsored by UNDP, 2010. Survey Group Leader. This research was based on 100 indepth interviews with judges, lawyers, policemen, prosecutors and officers of legal aid offices in 8 provinces of Viet Nam and 2,000 mail questionnaires answered by lawyers nationwide.
- **Gender Equality in the Court System and Its Impacts to Human Right Protection** under the Program of Support to Legal and Judicial Reforms in Vietnam Phase III (JOPSO III), 2008. Team Member. Performing a survey of gender equality inside the court system and its implications to the court users and providing various trainings for the judges nationwide on new accusatory procedures in the hearing, enterprise law and arbitration

- Project VIE 02/015: "**Assistance for the Implementation of Vietnam's Legal System Development Strategy to 2010**" of UNDP, SIDA and DANIDA, 2006: Survey Group Leader. Performing a survey of Needs of District People's Courts Nationwide.

Access to Justice

- Project "**Research and Advocacy for Improved Access of Family Members to Pre-trial Detainees**", Swiss FDFA, 12/2012-12/2013, in collaboration with CRIGHTS under the Law Faculty of Hanoi National University. Team Member in charge of on desk study, direct interview and data analysis.
- **Access to Justice in Vietnam from a People's Perspective - An Updated Survey** sponsored by UNDP Vietnam, 2010. Surveyor. This research was based on 1,000 questionnaire interviews with expert, farmer, worker, officer, businessman in 6 provinces of Viet Nam
- **The Right to Counsel in Vietnamese Criminal Law and Practice** sponsored by UNDP Vietnam, 2009). Survey Group Leader. This research was based on field survey of indepth interview with judges, lawyers, policemen, prosecutors, and convicted people in 9 provinces of Viet Nam and 2,000 mail questionnaires answered by lawyers nationwide.