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EDUCATION	Paris School of Economics (PSE) & EHESS , Paris, France PhD Candidate in Economics (Economic History Research Group) 2019 - present Primary fields: political economy, economic history Secondary fields: public economics, development economics Paris School of Economics (PSE) , Paris, France Masters in Economics (APE — Analyse et Politique Economiques) 2018 Masters Thesis: ‘Income Inequality, Political Instability, and the Thai Democratic Struggle’ Supervisor: Facundo Alvaredo & Thomas Piketty Thammasat University , Bangkok, Thailand B.A., Economics (Honours) 2015	
CURRENT POSITIONS	Research fellow at the World Inequality Lab (WIL) 2018 - Present Lecturer at Faculty of Economics, Thammasat University 2020 - Present Consultant at the World Bank’s Development Research Group (Poverty & Inequality team)	
PUBLICATIONS	Jitsuchon, S., Rakkiatwong, N., Techasunthornwat, C., ... Jenmana, T. (2017, March). โครงการการศึกษาตลาดแรงงานไทยเพื่อยกระดับคุณภาพแรงงานและผลักดันประเทศให้พ้นกับดักรายได้ปานกลาง [Report on Thai Labour Market and Skill Formation System: Getting Out of Middle Income Trap] (Tech. Rep.). โครงการวิจัยภายใต้การสนับสนุนของสำนักงานกองทุนสนับสนุนการวิจัย (สกว.) [Thai Research Fund]	
WORKING PAPERS	Jenmana, T. (2018, November). ‘ <i>Democratisation and the Emergence of Class Conflicts: Income Inequality in Thailand, 2001-2016</i> ’ WID.world working paper N.2018/15. <i>Abstract:</i> This paper re-examines the dynamics of income inequality in Thailand between 2001 and 2016. The main motivation lies in the lack of information on the richest citizens in household surveys, which can lead to a significant underestimation of the inequality level and to an inaccurate representation of the historical trend. We combined household surveys, fiscal data, and national accounts to create a more consistent inequality series. Our results indicate that income inequality is much higher than what past surveys have suggested, specifically when looking at the reduction in inequality, which turns to be much more conservative.	
RESEARCH NOTES	Gethin, A., & Jenmana, T. (2019, March). ‘ <i>Extreme Inequality, Democratisation, and Class Struggles in Thailand</i> ’. WID.world Issue Brief 2019-1. Gethin, A., & Jenmana, T. (2017, September). ‘ <i>Du Mal-être au Vote Extrême</i> ’ (Note de l’OBE n2017-08). Observatoire du Bien-être du CEPREMAP. Algan, Y., Beasley, E., Gethin, A., Jenmana, T., & Senik., C. (2017, June) ‘ <i>Google : Espace Politique, Espace de Préoccupations</i> ’ (Note de l’OBE n2017-06). Observatoire du Bien-être du CEPREMAP.	

WORK IN PROGRESS	<p><i>Revisiting Cross-National Variations in Preference for Redistribution: A Comparison between US, France, and Japan.</i> (with S. Lechevalier and R. Kambayashi) — Research project funded by Toyota Foundation, 2017-2019</p> <p><i>Three Decades of Economic Inequality in Asia, 1990-2017: Evidence from Distributional National Accounts</i> (with Christoph Lakner and Y. Li)</p> <p><i>Income Inequality in Japan, 1989-2014</i> (with Y. Li and S. Sakoda)</p> <p><i>Distributional National Account of Taiwan, 1981-2017</i> (with Y. Li)</p> <p><i>Income Inequality and fuel reforms in Indonesia, 1976-2017</i> (with L.Chancel and Y. Li)</p> <p><i>Distributional National Account of Cambodia, 1990-2017</i> (with D. Chhorn)</p>
MEDIA	<p>ประเทศไทยเหลื่อมล้ำที่สุดจริงไหม คอยเรื่องความเหลื่อมล้ำเศรษฐกิจไทยกับ มาร์ค เจนมานะ [On Thai Inequality with Thanasak Jenmana] A Day Magazine. July 2019.</p> <p>‘รอยกระจุก จนกระจาย’ ระดับสาหัส: ความเหลื่อมล้ำทางเศรษฐกิจไทยในศตวรรษที่ 21 [Extreme concentration: Thai income inequality in the 21st century.] The101.world, December 2018.</p> <p>‘解讀《世界不平等報告》：你該認識東南亞第二大經濟體－泰國’ [Interpretation of the World Inequality Report: Getting to know the second-largest economy in Southeast Asia — Thailand]. Opinion Tribune on Up Media Taiwan, August 2018.</p>
CONFERENCES AND SEMINAR PRESENTATIONS	<p>2019. “เหลื่อมล้ำหลังแลหน้าประเทศไทย”, conference on Thai economic and political trajectory at the University of Warwick, Coventry, UK.</p> <p>2019. Working paper seminar at the Faculty of Economics, Thammasat University (Tha Prachan campus), Bangkok, Thailand.</p>
TEACHING	<p>EE212: Principles of Macroeconomics, Thammasat University Spring 2020</p>
HONORS AND AWARDS	<p>Bourse du Gouvernement Francais (BGF) for doctorate programme 2019-2022</p> <p>Bourse du Gouvernement Francais (BGF) for masters programme 2016-2018</p> <p>Best Undergraduate Seminar Paper in Development Economics 2015</p> <p>Winner team, Economic Policy Competition, Faculty of Economics, Thammasat University 2014</p> <p>Undergraduate thesis presentation at the Bank of Thailand (Setthatat Symposium) 2015</p>
PREVIOUS POSITIONS	<p>Research assistant at l'EHESS 2017 - 2018</p> <p>Research assistant at CEPREMAP (PSE , Sciences Po Paris) 2017 - 2018</p> <p>Researcher at the Thailand Development Research Institute (TDRI) 2015 - 2016</p> <p>Research analyst at the University of Sydney (for A. Sinpeng) 2015 - 2016</p> <p>Intern at the United Nations Office on Drugs and Crime (UNODC) 2016</p> <p>Teaching assistant at Thammasat University, Bangkok 2015-2016</p> <p>– Introductory Econometrics (prof. Phongthorn Wrasai)</p> <p>– Welfare Economics (prof. Chayanee Chawanote)</p> <p>Research assistant at Thammasat University, Bangkok 2015-2016</p> <p>– Pitidol, T. & Techasunthornwat, C. (2017). การเติบโตและการหันหลังให้กับประชาธิปไตยของคนชั้นกลางระดับบนในประเทศไทย [The growth and the anti-democratic sentiment of the upper-middle class in Thailand]. โครงการวิจัยภายใต้การสนับสนุนของสกว.</p> <p>– ‘Subregional Development in the LMCs from 1992-2012’ (prof. Phatta Kirduang)</p>

COMPUTER SKILLS • Statistical Packages: STATA, R.
• Applications: QGIS, L^AT_EX, common Windows database, spreadsheet, and presentation software

LANGUAGE Thai (native), English (C2, IELTS: 8.00), French (intermediate).