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EDUCATION

July-2011-June 2013 : **Master's degree in journalism**, specializing in TV at ESJ-Lille (Graduate School of Journalism of Lille, France) and **Master's Degree of Political Science** at IEP - LILLE (INSTITUTE OF POLITICAL STUDIES), France.

2007 : Graduate of the French Language Studies Department, Royal University of Phnom Penh, majoring in journalism and teaching.

March-April 2004 : Journalism training certificate at Media Consulting and Development (MC&D), Phnom Penh.

1999-2000 : Student at the Faculty of Pedagogy and the French Cultural Center.

1999 : Baccalaureate, Kompong Kantuot high school, Kandal province. High school education, Kompong Kantuot High School, Kandal province.

WORK EXPERIENCE

October 2022 - Present: Independent video Production Consultant / Photojournalist

- **Video Production Consultant for Swiss Contact on HOKA project:** Produced a promotional video showcasing the project's impact and five successful hospitality careers.
- **Independent Production Consultant** to produce a debate TV show specializing in Youth & Society for **CNC TV's** 2024 Programs.
- **Empowering Cambodians with Osteopathy Knowledge:** Educational Video & Marketing Campaign for **Hattha Vichesas** (French Osteopath NGO), in 2024.
- **Good Neighbors (KOICA)** video project. Topic: Expansion of youth employment and income generation through a transportation cooperative in Dangkor, Cambodia (November 2023).
- Produce video documentary topic: Community-Based Ecotourism Tbeng Meanchey, Preah Vihear: A Sustainable Future (**UNDP-WCS-GPL Project**) - October 2023.
- Produced the Success Stories in the context of skills Development and Employment for Disadvantaged Youth for **Bandos Komar (NGO) - Plan International Cambodia** - August 2023.
- Produced a 360-degree video about the Royal Ballet of Cambodia for **ICONEM**, a **UNESCO** project in France (April 2023).
- Consultant and Produced a live show for a Korean company on TV9HD - (2022)
- **Short Film producer:** “ **Mom ! What is Love** “, presented at the Chaktomuk Film Festival 2022.

2013 – Oct 2022: Program Producer at MyTV/CTN /CNC for CBS (Cambodian Broadcasting Services)

- Producer/ Director of Talk show program “ **#SUCCESS** ” (The show will enlighten the viewers on secrets and main points on how to be successful in your own right and overcome all difficulties that

you may face in your professional or business life). Debate program show: **Frankly Speaking with Sopheak (CNC)**. Special program show: **COVID Story**

- Producer/ Director of Talk show programs “ **Life Lesson** ” and “ **MyTV Study** ” on MyTV.
- Documentary team leader. Led a team of documentary filmmakers in the production of a documentary about the memories of King Father Norodom Sihanouk.
- Film fixer, Topic: Khmer Rouge Tribunal to Provide logistical and research support for a documentary on the Khmer Rouge Tribunal for France **TV ARTE**.
- Film fixer for FRANCE 24, topic: Cambodian politics and human rights.
- Producer / Director of the program show “ The Springboard National English Speaking Championship 2017” on MyTV.
- Producer /Director of **My HEALTH** Program on MyTV (2015-2017)
- Producer / Editor in chief of “**Afternoon News**” on CTN (2016)
- In 2015: As a journalist, I was chosen to follow the preparation of the COP21, with my presence in Malaysia, Vietnam, Thailand, and France during its course in Paris.
- Producer/Director for the “**Career Pass**” Program and documentaries on CNC. Career Pass (The purpose of the show is to make students aware of a job and to prepare themselves before choosing the job they like). (2013-2015).
- Producer / Director of many outdoor/indoor live shows or pre-recorded shows for CBS.

May - August 2013 : Journalist at RFI (Radio France International), Paris and Phnom Penh.

2008-June 2011 : Teacher of French in the NGO (Non-Governmental Organization) For a Child’s Smile, (Pour un sourire d’Enfant - PSE).
- Responsible for the project and the chief editor of the Newspaper School in French for PSE’s French department.
- Responsible for the educational video project teaching French and English to the classes of hotel business and restoration.

2007 to January 2008 : Judicial Assistance Project Coordinator, Avocats Sans Frontières France (Borderless Lawyers France), Phnom Penh.

July to Sept 2003 : Reporter/Permanent in Sihanoukville in the framework of the first Cambodian provincial newspapers project, called “Somne Thmey”, carried out by Media Consulting and Development (MC&D) and financed by The Asia Foundation.

2002-2003 : Practical professional training at Cambodge Soir French-language newspaper.

LANGUAGES

Khmer: Mother tongue, **French:** Exellante level (graduate), **English:** Good level

REFERENCES

- **Mr. Kuch Chan Visal**, Deputy CEO of CBS(Cambodia Broadcasting Service) CTN, MyTV, CNC.
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