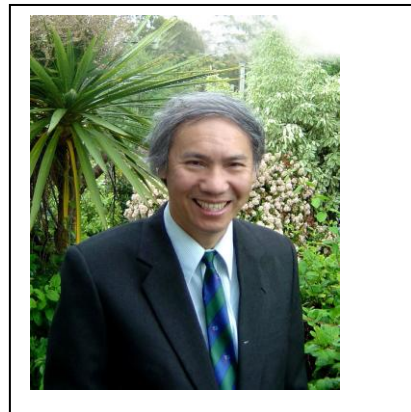


## Dr. Thao Lê - Brief CV

Dr. Thao Lê was offered a lectureship at the University of Tasmania in 1974 and has been teaching in the Faculty of Education till now. He has held various positions and played important roles in the development of the Faculty such as: Senior Lecturer, Assistant Dean, Director of the Masters Program, Graduate Research Coordinator and Associate Dean (Research). Currently he is lecturing in postgraduate courses and supervising eighteen research students. He was awarded:



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His research interests cover a wide range of academic areas: linguistics, educational multimedia, intercultural studies, and research methodology. His recent publications include:

Dr. Thao Lê is the chief editor of the International Research Internet Journal *Language, Society and Culture*. He has approximately 200 papers in education, linguistics and communication, published in books, journals and conference proceedings. Dr. Thao Lê has been visiting and presented lectures at different universities such as University of Western England, University of Stuttgart, University of Vienna, University of Western Sydney, RLC in Singapore, Taiyuan Normal University, Vietnam National University, University of New South Wales etc. Dr. Thao Lê has organized major conferences to promote resource sharing and a paradigm shift in the world educational discourse. The main conferences include the followings:

- International Conference on Language & Learning: Theory into Practice. Kula Lumpur..
- International Conference on Language Education : Interaction & Development. Ho chi Minh City.
- International Conference on Science, Mathematics and Technology Education. Ha Noi.
- International Conference on Critical Discourse Analysis: Theory into Research. Launceston.

### Keynote speaker

- The International Conference '*Research: Response to the Challenges of Globalisation*'; Philippines 2008.
- The International Conference: *Educational Leadership in Cultural Diversity and Globalization*; Thailand 2008
- *The International Conference on Computer Supported Education*, Lisbon, Portugal , 2009.

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