

Your full name:

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Title of your LiA project:

Community-Engaged Leadership in Vietnam

The organization or partner with which you are working:

VinUni and SCDI

Your key contact/supervisor at the organization. *If you are working with a Cornell faculty member, list that person; if there is an additional local partner, list that person as well.*

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The need or cause you are supporting: What is the specific problem, cause, or opportunity you are exploring?

This project is branching off SCDI/VinUni's collaboration on reducing adverse childhood events. The group wants to look into effective prevention and intervention of domestic violence cases. The Vietnamese community has recently had high profile domestic violence cases, and the community is looking for ways to reform policies and find new prevention methods.

Goal: What is the big-picture idea/vision and desired outcome that your LiA project is trying to achieve in order to address the need or problem above?

My LiA project is hoping to gain progress with the community to build an action plan that will implement a new method for preventing and intervening in domestic violence cases. I hope that we are able to identify a specific need in the community that can reduce domestic violence, and find a solution to that one specific need.

Objectives: How will you achieve your goal? Write 3-5 SMART objectives outlining how you will achieve the overall goal.

List any challenges, barriers, or risks to achieving your objectives.

Unfortunately, the details of this project are unknown. Students at Cornell and VinUni are currently performing preliminary research on the best intervention methods. Due to such a limited time frame, finding and implementing a project will be difficult.

What are some ideas you have to overcome those barriers or challenges?

I think preliminary research would have to be completed during this semester. A definitive plan should be written up and proposed for the summer so that a clear idea of action items will be possible while in Vietnam.

Weekly milestones: What are the significant activities/objectives of the LiA project outlined by week?

| Week | Start Date | Milestone  | Details   |
|------|------------|--|---|
| 1    | 6/15       | Arrive and settle in Vietnam and meet the community and team | Establish relationships with local partners and identify the areas of interest in Vietnam   |
| 2    | 6/22       | Start implementing prevention and interventions              | Once the project is decided, this will be the preliminary set up  |
| 3    | 6/29       | Implement project  | Set up workshops with community leaders and citizens  |
| 4    | 7/6        | Continue project   | The project will continue to be researched and modified for the community's needs   |
| 5    | 7/13       | Continue project   | We will identify any issues for future intervention   |
| 6    | 7/20       | Review and reflect   | At the close of the project, we need to reflect on the things that were successful and what was not and where else the community can be helped. |

