

# City of Seattle Boards & Commissions Notice of Appointment

Appointee Name:									
Bao-Tram Do									
Board/Commission Name:		Position Title:							
Seattle Immigrant and Refugee Commiss	sion			Member					
		Council Con	Council Confirmation required?						
Appointment <i>OR</i> Reappoint	ment	∑ Yes ☐ No							
Appointing Authority:	Date	Appointed:	pointed: Term of Position: *						
Council	11/10	)/2020	2020 2/1/2021						
Mayor Mayor			to						
Other: Fill in appointing authority			1/31/2023						
			☐ Serving remaining term of a vacant position						
Residential Neighborhood:	Zip Co	ode:	de: Contact Phone No.:						
Columbia City	98118	3							
Background:									
Bao-Team is an advocate for immigrant and refugee issues with lived experience as a Vietnamese refugee, an institutional funder, and community organizer with over ten years of experience of driving systemic change in the greater Seattle area. Bao-Tram Do is currently a Program Officer with Seattle Foundation, where they manage the Foundation's investments focused on health, civic engagement, and community-led policy systems change. They are committed to ensuring that immigrant and refugee voices are heard in our city government.									
Authorizing Signature (original signatur	e):	Appointing Signatory:							
Jenny A. Ducken	Jenny A. D	Jenny A. Durkan							
7	Mayor of .	Mayor of Seattle							

<sup>\*</sup>Term begin and end date is fixed and tied to the position and not the appointment date.

#### **BAO-TRAM DO**



#### **SUMMARY**

- Seasoned professional in philanthropy, advocacy, and health equity
- Deep understanding of issues impacting immigrants and refugees in Seattle area
- Skilled in building partnerships with community-based organizations & government
- Community organizer and former leader of statewide progressive civic organization
- Experienced non-profit board member and community advisor
- Demonstrated ability in leading and implementing high impact projects

#### CERTIFICATIONS

**PUBLIC HEALTH ADVOCACY (2018)**Johns Hopkins University

DESIGN THINKING: LEADING FOR CREATIVITY (2018) IDEO

**STRATEGIES FOR GRANTMAKERS (2016)**Philanthropy Northwest

MANAGING TO CHANGE THE WORLD,
PROJECT & PEOPLE MANAGEMENT (2016)
The Management Center

WILDERNESS FIRST RESPONDER (2012)
National Outdoor Leadership School (NOLS)

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#### WORK EXPERIENCE

## PROGRAM OFFICER (JUL 2013/APR 2019-PRESENT) Seattle Foundation (Seattle, WA)

- Manage Seattle Foundation's health and democracy investments,
- Serve as an issue expert on local and national health disparities.
- Direct investments towards policy and systems change to increase racial and economic equity in greater Seattle region.
- Led health public research and supported grantmaking for COVID-19 Response Fund with \$22+ million for pandemic relief and recovery.
- Authored communications and grant materials such as RFPs, funding announcements, contracts, and reports.
- Fostered new collaborations with nonprofit organizations, funding partners, and government to leverage impact.
- Managed \$4 million WA state government contract for 2020 Census.
- Returned to organization after graduate school, worked at Seattle
  Foundation since 2013, received numerous promotions from Assistant,
  Program Associate, Associate Program Officer to Program Officer.

## GRADUATE RESEARCH ASSISTANT (JUL 2017-DEC 2018) Bill & Melinda Gates Institute for Population and Reproductive Health (Baltimore, MD)

- Provided project management, policy analysis, and strategy development for global family planning advocacy program.
- Led 80+ staff from partner organizations including WHO, PATH, United Nations Population Fund, and Population Council in the Advocacy & Accountability subcommittee at the 2018 International Conference on Family Planning in Rwanda.

## COMMUNITY HEALTH VOTE MANAGER (MAY 2011-JAN 2013) HealthPoint (Renton, WA)

- Led nationally recognized Community Health Vote campaign across 13 clinics and registered 600+ low-income patients to vote.
- Built partnership with King County Elections and managed all elements of campaign including staff, workplan, and budget.

## FOUNDER & BOARD MEMBER (JAN 2006-JUN 2009) Make The Dash Count Youth Board (Seattle, WA)

 Founded a youth grantmaking board focused on supporting organizations serving low-income youth of color in King County.

#### SPEAKING ENGAGEMENTS

## "CREATING EQUITABLE RELATIONSHIPS WITH GRANTEES" (2020)

Women in Philanthropy Catalist Conference

"RELATIONSHIPS WITH GRANTMAKERS AND EFFECTIVE PROPOSALS" (2019) Highline College

## "NONPROFIT BRIDGE BUILDERS: CAREERS IN PHILANTHROPY" (2017)

Evans School of Public Policy and Governance, University of Washington

### "LEADING IN UNCERTAIN TIMES" (2017) Center for Women and Democracy

## "FUNDERS AND FOUNDATIONS CAREER PANEL" (2017)

Seattle University

## "APPLYING SOCIOLOGY TO CAREERS IN SOCIAL IMPACT" (2016)

American Sociological Association

#### **GLOBAL EXPERIENCE**

#### PROJECT LEAD, RWANDA (2019)

Bill & Melinda Gates Institute for Population and Reproductive Health

#### **US DELEGATE, BELGIUM (2018)**

German Marshall Fund

#### US DELEGATE, ISRAEL AND THE PALESTINIAN TERRITORIES (2017)

Center for Women & Democracy

#### **GRADAUTE STUDENT, SPAIN (2017)**

Johns Hopkins-Pompeu Fabra University Public Policy Center,

#### **VOLUNTEER, INDIA (2008)**

Summer Search

#### **COMMUNITY LEADERSHIP**

## CHAIR, BOARD OF DIRECTORS (2013-2017) APACEvotes

- Led statewide civic organization with 501(c)3, 501(c)4, and PAC that elevates the voice of Asian American Pacific Islanders and communities of color in the political process.
- Hired full-time staff, mobilized 250+ volunteers, registered 5,000+ citizens to vote, and reached 50,000+ residents.

## BOARD OF DIRECTORS (2015-2017) Summer Search Seattle

• Served as the program's first alumna on the board of directors, provided governance, strategic planning, and fundraising expertise.

## CIVIC HEALTH INDEX STEERING COMMITTEE (2017) Seattle CityClub

• Served on steering committee with sixteen other civic leaders to provide guidance for national study comparing Seattle and other metropolitan areas on civic health indicators.

#### **EDUCATION**

## GATES MILLENIUM SCHOLAR Bill & Melinda Gates Foundation

• Nationally competitive scholarship funded by the Bill & Melinda Gates Foundation, eligible for ten years of funding up to a PhD.

## MASTERS OF PUBLIC HEALTH (2017-2018) Johns Hopkins University (Baltimore, MD)

- First graduate of the Public Health Advocacy certificate program in the school's history with concentration in health equity.
- Selected as the top student in class of 2018 to serve as Teaching Assistant for premier leadership course at Johns Hopkins.
- Elected on Student Assembly, chaired committee overseeing grants for student research and awards for excellence in teaching.

## BACHELORS OF ARTS, SOCIOLOGY (2009-2013) Whitman College (Walla Walla, WA)

- Led campus-wide voter registration campaign in 2011.
- Interviewed nonprofits across Washington State and authored thesis on role of 501(c)3 and 501(c)4 organizations in promoting civic engagement in underrepresented communities of color.

#### **AWARDS**

- Center for Women & Democracy Award (2017)
- Seattle Foundation Heart & Science of Philanthropy Award (2017)
- Bill & Melinda Gates Foundation Millennium Scholarship Award (2009)
- Barack Obama Presidential Award for Academic Excellence (2009)

#### **Immigrant and Refugee Commission**

15 Members: Pursuant to *Ordinances 12822 and 120345 and SMC 3.14.545*], [all] members subject to City Council confirmation, [14 [ have 2-year terms, (1) Get Engage Member has 1 year term:

- 7 City Council-appointed
- 8 Mayor-appointed
- Other Appointing Authority-appointed (specify):

#### Roster:

*D	**G	RD	Position No.	Position Title	Name	Term Begin Date	Term End Date	Term #	Appointed By	
1	F	5	1.	Member	Maya Babla Appiah	2/1/19	1/31/21	2	Council	
1	М	2	2.	Member	Johnson Bach Nguyen	2/1/19	1/31/21	1	Council	
7	F	2	3.	Member	Bao-Tram Do	2/1/21	1/31/23	1	Mayor	
3	F	3	4.	Member	Karen Arlette Gamez Lopez	2/1/19	1/31/21	1	Mayor	
1	F	4	5.	Member	Shelani M. Vanniasinkam	8/1/2019	7/31/21	1	Council	
2	F	3	6.	Member	Ilays A. Aden	8/1/2019	7/31/21	1	Mayor	
3	F	6	7.	Member	Karina San Juan-Guyton	8/1/2019	7/31/21	2	Mayor	
8	F	2	8.	Member	Naheed Aaftaab	2/1/20	1/31/22	2	Council	
3	F	5	9.	Member	Maria Jimenez-Zepeda	2/1/20	1/31/22	2	Council	
2	F	2	10.	Member	Farhiya Mohamed	2/1/20	1/31/22	3	Mayor	
2	M	2	11.	Member	Emmanuel G. V. Dolo	2/1/20	1/31/22	1	Mayor	
3	F	5	12.	Member	Denisse Guerrero-Harvey	2/1/19	1/31/21	1	Council	
3	F	4	13.	Member	Amanda Sandoval	8/1/20	7/31/22	1	Mayor	
9	F	2	14.	Member	Ankita Patel	2/1/20	1/31/22	2	Council	
2	F		15.	Get Engaged Member	Elrohi Shuge	9/1/20	8/31/21	1	Mayor	

SELF-IDENTIFIED DIVERSITY CHART					(1)	(2)	(3)	(4)	(5)	(6)	(7)	(8)	(9)
	Men	Women	Transgender	Unknown	Asian	Black/ African American	Hispanic/ Latino	American Indian/ Alaska Native	Other (Specification Optional)	Caucasian/ Non- Hispanic	Pacific Islander	Middle Eastern	Multiracial
Mayor	1	7				4	3				1		
Council	1	6			3		2					1	1
Other													
Total	2	13			3	4	5				1	1	1

#### Key:

- **\*D** List the corresponding *Diversity Chart* number (1 through 9)
- \*\*G List gender, M = Male, F= Female, T= Transgender, U= Unknown
- RD Residential Council District number 1 through 7 or N/A

Diversity information is self-identified and is voluntary.