

Pearson College UWC Student Taking Part in International Economics Olympiad

Student to compete in Hong Kong along with others from around the world

Metchosin, B.C., 19 July 2024 - Pearson College UWC is delighted to announce that second-year student Chau Anh Ngo has been selected as one of five global students to represent Vietnam at the prestigious [International Economics Olympiad \(IEO\)](#). This global event, which will take place from July 22 to July 31 in Hong Kong, will have 38 countries participating.

Our talented student will compete in the Economics category, showcasing her remarkable skills and knowledge in this global competition. The two remaining categories are Financial Literacy and Business Case. This worldwide challenge is supported by Nobel Prize winner Eric Maskin.

Economics teacher Samuel Perez de Leon praises her accomplishments, stating, "Chau Anh is a very enthusiastic student who, since her arrival, expressed a strong interest in Economics. Smart and disciplined, she has maintained an outstanding academic record during her first year. I trust that she, like many of my former students, will thrive in the pursuit of knowledge that we all strive to keep throughout our lives."

"It means a lot to me," she says. "To be allowed to participate in such a big event where I can learn from peers and professors in the field and to challenge myself with new knowledge on economics, finance, and business could not have made it without the immense support from my Econ teacher Samuel and my advisor Zoe and I look forward to bringing the experience from this competition to my Pearson friends and teachers!"

We extend our heartfelt congratulations to Chau Anh and have complete confidence in her abilities as she represents our school and her country on this international stage. Her participation highlights her achievements and underscores Pearson's commitment to fostering academic excellence and a love for learning.

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