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One day, while playing in the green bean fields at her grandmother's house, Mushroom meets a new friend - a green bean seed. He invites her to meet his family and to join their festival. What new discoveries will she make on her adventure?



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education of children in Vietnam, whose imagination will be the foundation for a bright future for Vietnam and our world.



Nguyen Pham Tu Trinh recently graduated with a master's degree in Literature from the Macquarie University in Australia. In 2003, her poetry was awarded first prize in the 5th *But Moi* Poetry contest held by *Tuoi Tre* Newspaper. Trinh has been writing poetry for many leading magazines for children and teenagers, namely *Rua Vang*, *Nhi Dong*, and *Muc Tim*. She has also published collection of short stories for teenagers.



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