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Personal Info

Born on December 28, 1979

Citizen of Russia

Languages: Russian (native), English (fluent)

Married

Employment

2008 – present: Assistant Professor, International College of Economics and Finance (ICEF), National Research University Higher School of Economics (NRU HSE), Russia

Education

- Main
 - BA in Economics, Novosibirsk State University, Russia, 2000
 - MA in Economics, New Economic School, Russia, 2002
 - PhD in Economics, Pennsylvania State University, USA, 2008
- Other
 - European School on New Institutional Economics (summer school), France, May 2009
 - LdA Summer School on Outsourcing and Migration, Italy, August 2009

Working papers

- The Role of Passionate Individuals in Economic Development (pdf) *Presented at:*
 - Conference on Social Decision Making: Bridging Economics and Biology, April 2011
 - International Economic Association World Congress, July 2011

- International Atlantic Economic Conference, October 2011
- Fertile or Influential? A Cultural Transmission Theory of Demographic Transition (pdf)
Presented at:
 - International Economic Association World Congress, July 2011
 - SUHSE Winter School in Economics, January 2011
 - Alpine Population Conference, January 2011
 - Econometric Society World Congress, August 2010
 - Louis-Andre Gerard-Varet Conference in Public Economics, June 2010
 - Midwest Economic Theory Conference, October 2009
 - International College of Economics and Finance research seminar, October 2009
- Human capital acquisition and international migration in a model of educational market, conditionally accepted at *Regional Science and Urban Economics*. (pdf)
Presented at:
 - 3rd Migration and Development Conference, September 2010
 - Labor Market Research Laboratory, SUHSE, March 2010
 - European School on New Institutional Economics, May 2009
 - International Academic Conference of State University Higher School of Economics (SUHSE), April 2009
- Differential Migration Prospects, Skill Formation, and Welfare (with Oded Stark), forthcoming in the *Review of International Economics* (pdf)

Work in progress

- International Trade and World Defense Spending (with Alexander Tarasov and Michael Seitz)

Unpublished work

- Return Migration: an Empirical Investigation, January 2009
- Migration, Learning, and Development, November 2007
- Competitive Pressure and Innovation Incentives, September 2004

Non-refereed publications

- Russia Needs a New City, April 2011 (*in Russian*)
Published at the “Open Economy” (www.opec.ru) blog
- On the Future of the Russian Cities, September 2010 (*in Russian*)
Published at the “Open Economy” (www.opec.ru) blog
- Paul Krugman: a Nobel Prize winner, a theorist of International Trade and Economic Geography, January 2009 (*in Russian*)
Published in the *Economic Journal of SUHSE*

Teaching

- Undergraduate (in English):
 - International Economics, 2008 - present, ICEF
 - Development Economics, 2008 - present, ICEF
 - Intermediate Microeconomics, 2003 - 2006, Pennsylvania State University
- Graduate (in English):
 - Topics in Trade and Development, 2009 - present, ICEF
- Other (in Russian):
 - The Effect of Free Trade on Growth: Empirical Evidence, June 2009, part of World Bank course “Trade Policy and WTO Accession for Development in Russia and the CIS”.

Last update

November 17, 2011