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Personal Details

Date of birth: 22-03-1979
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Education

2009 *Ph.D in Economics*, Vilfredo Pareto Graduate School, University of Turin (Italy)
Thesis title: Subjective Well-being in Russia
Thesis Supervisor: Professor Steinar Strøm

2005 *MA in Economics*, European University in St. Petersburg (Russia)
Thesis title: Discrete Choice Models for Investigation of Sport Activities Participation in Russia (1995-2002)
Thesis Supervisor: Professor Svetlana Makarova

2003 *MA in Economics*, CORIPE Piemonte, Turin (Italy)

2001 *Higher Education Diploma (Specialist)*, Mathematical Methods and Operations Research Department, St. Petersburg State University (Russia)
Thesis title: Application of Binary Choice Models to Investigation of Russian Labor Market during the Period of Reforms
Thesis Supervisor: Professor Svetlana Makarova

Professional Schools and Training

June 2007 Summer School in Longitudinal Data Analysis and Missing Data, University of Bologna (Italy)

June 2006 Luxembourg Income Study summer workshop, Munsbach (Luxembourg)

June 2004 Statistical Analysis of Spatial Data: A Nordic Doctoral Course, Norwegian University of Science and Technology, Trondheim (Norway)

July 2002 Summer School in Economics (Theory of International Finance, Empirical Methods in International Finance), European University in St. Petersburg (Russia)

April 2002 Spring school in Econometrics (Techniques of time series econometrics), University of Lviv (Ukraine)

June 2001 Summer school in Economics, Finance and Social Choice, University of Lviv (Ukraine)

Professional Activities

- 2009-now *Senior researcher.* Osteuropa Institut, Regensburg, Germany.
- 2008 *External collaborator.* European University Institute, Florence, Italy.
Responsibilities: research assistance, in particular, in form of data collection and statistical analysis of dataset.
- 2006 *Intern (research assistant).* Operational Department of the European Training Foundation, Torino, Italy.
Mentor: Henrik Huitfeldt
Responsibilities: research assistance, in particular in form of empirical analysis, within three ETF projects (Transition from Education to Work, Labour Market Analysis in Western Balkans, and the thematic group on Informal Employment).
- 2004-2005 *Coordinator (assistant of the Programme co-director).* Development of Advanced Teaching in Economics Programme (DATE) led by Department of Economics, European University at St.-Petersburg
Responsibilities: participants logistics/administration, organisation of the event in part of visa-related and accommodation issues, documents and training materials packages preparation, school-activity report drafting, web-site content composition

Scholarships and awards

- 2010 Shortlisted for the 'EACES Award 2010' (Best doctoral dissertation in comparative economic systems and economics of transition) by the European Association for Comparative Economic Studies
- 2005-2008 Scholarship by Collegio Carlo Alberto for graduate students of the University of Turin (Italy)
- June 2004 Travel grant from the Norwegian University of Science and Technology for the summer doctoral course in "Statistical Analysis of Spatial Data"
- 2002-2003 Tuition fee waiver and stipend for Master studies awarded by CORIPE Piemonte (Italy)
- 1996 Graduated High School N57 (St.Petersburg) with Golden Medal.

Publications

- "Surveying transitional experience and subjective well-being: income, work, family", *Economic Systems*, Vol. 35(2), June 2011, pp. 139-157.
- "Labor market attachment in the Western Balkans." In A. Fetsi (editor) *Labor markets in the Western Balkans. Challenges for the future.* European Training Foundation (ETF) Report, with Henrik Huitfeldt, 2007.
- "Binary choice models and labor market investigation." In *Economy and competitiveness of Russia.* St.-Petersburg State Polytechnic University, 2004, pp. 654-661.

Conferences and seminars

June 2011	International conference “Market and Happiness”, Milan (Italy)
Apr. 2011	Seminar presentation at “Deutsche Woche 2011”, St.Petersburg (Russia)
Apr. 2011	Seminar presentation at “Eine Bilanz der EU-Osterweiterung und Nachbarschaftspolitik der Europäischen Union”, Akademie fuer Politische Bildung Tutzing (Germany)
Apr. 2011	XII International Conference on Economic and Social Development, Moscow (Russia)
Sept. 2010	XXV National Conference of Labour Economics, Pescara (Italy)
Aug. 2010	11th Bi-Annual Conference of the European Association for Comparative Economic Studies (EACES), Tartu (Estonia)
Jun. 2009	Economies of Central and Eastern Europe: Convergence, Opportunities and Challenges, Tallinn (Estonia)
Jun. 2009	International Conference on Happiness and Relational Goods: Well-Being and Interpersonal Relations in the Economic Sphere, Venice (Italy)
Oct. 2008	The Irish Society of New Economists Annual Conference, Galway (Ireland)
Sept. 2008	International Conference on Well-being, Cassino (Italy)
July 2008	Warsaw International Economic Meeting, Warsaw (Poland)
July 2008	First Italian Doctoral Workshop in Economics and Policy Analysis, Turin (Italy)
June 2007	International Conference on Policies and Happiness, Siena (Italy)
Dec. 2004	International Conference of Young Economists “Business and reforms in Russia”, St.-Petersburg State University (Russia)

Teaching and related experience

July 2011	<i>Lecturer</i> at HESP Regional Seminar for Excellence in Teaching “Wealth, Poverty and Life Satisfaction in Transition Societies” (Odessa National University, Ukraine). Topic: Subjective Well-being: Measurement, Modelling, Studies for Transitional Countries
Jan.-Feb. 2010	<i>Supervisor</i> for two students at TEMPUS-Project JEP 26012.2005. Paper title: Returns on education in terms of Kazakhstan economy.
2004-2005	<i>Lecturer</i> , Department of Economics, State University - Higher School of Economics (St.-Petersburg branch). Subjects: Econometrics, Socio-economical Statistics; Basics of Economics (access course)
2004-2005	<i>Graduate TA</i> (Socio-Economical Statistics; Classes in Panel Data and Binary Choice models (using STATA 7.0), Department of Economics, European University at St.-Petersburg
1998-2002	<i>Teacher</i> for high-school children (Subjects: programming basics (Quick BASIC); basic course of Economics.) Department of Science and Technology, Public Educational Institution “St.-Petersburg City Center of Additional Education for Youth” (Anitchkov Dvoretz)

Language and Computer Skills

Languages Russian (mother tongue), English (fluent), Italian (fluent; CILS, Livello TRE – C1: 74/100, 06.06.2008), French (good), German (basic)

Software MS Windows and MS Office tools, TeXnicCenter (LaTeX); Stata, also worked with Statistica, SPSS, EViews; HomeSite 5.0 (HTML)