

PERSONAL INFORMATION

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Date of birth: 27/10/1989

Nationality: Russian



WORK EXPERIENCE

March 2015 **Lecturer of the Master's course on Immigration Policies**

University of Milan, via Conservatorio, 7 Milano, Italy

- I conducted a set of lectures under the title: "Public opinion on immigration: studying, measuring, communicating"
 - Topics: Public attitudes towards outgroups: intergroup relations, prejudices and racism; Opinion poll as a tool to measure attitudes towards immigrants; Public opinion communicated by policy research groups and Mass media
- Business or sector: Teaching

May 2014 - July 2014 **Interviewer & transcriber**

Freelance interviewer for PhD Student Delphine Lance, Remotely

- I worked for a French PhD student who was making a research about Ukrainian and American surrogate mothers
 - Interviews with Ukrainian surrogate mothers, former and potential surrogates via Skype about their experiences and opinions
 - Transcribing and translating the recordings from Russian into English
- Business or sector: Social Research

January 2014 - July 2014 **Remote Translation intern**

UNDP Regional Centre for Europe and the CIS, Yalikosku Cad. No: 16, Floor: 3, Fatih 34112, Istanbul, [Turkey europeandcis.undp.org](http://turkey.europeandcis.undp.org)

- My main responsibility was to translate documents on the topics of HIV and AIDS, Tuberculosis and other health issues from Russian into English and vice versa
- Specific tasks included the translation of various reports including on Intellectual property rights, TRIPS flexibilities, sustainable financing, waste management, draft HIV laws and various email correspondence

Business or sector: International NGO

October 2011 - July 2012 **Strategic manager assistant**

Sport Media Group, Syromiatnicheskyy str. 4/2, Moscow, Russia <http://smgrussia.com/#about>

- Development of strategies for sport based advertising campaigns and sponsorship activities
- Production of presentations for clients
- Participation in brain-storming
- Development of analytic reports for clients on sport marketing dynamics
- Monitoring of sport marketing development in Russia and in other countries (through Internet) and creation of a weekly newsletter for internal use
- English-Russian translations of articles

Business or sector: Advertising, Sport Marketing

April 2010 - July 2011

Project manager assistant

TNS Gallup Russia, Department of Data collection, Pyatnickaya str., 16/3 Moscow, Russia <http://www.tns-global.ru/about/russia/>

- Registration, control and sorting of questionnaires
- Consultation and guidance of regional partners
- Supervision of interviewers team in the field, conduction of briefings

Business or sector: Market Research

Sept 2009 - November 2009

Fieldwork Supervisor (part-time)

Moscow State Linguistic University, Department of Sociology, 38, Ostozhenka st., Moscow

- Supervisor in the survey 'Inter-ethnic tension and conflicts in Moscow' carried out by Department of Sociology of Moscow State Linguistic University
- Management of a group of interviewers responsible for data collection in Northern city area of Moscow, giving instructions, polling with standardized questionnaires, data input into SPSS

Business or sector: Social Science Research

May 2008 - April 2010

Hall-test assistant, interviewer, call-center operator (part-time)

TNS Gallup Russia, Department of Data collection, Pyatnickaya str., 16/3 Moscow, Russia <http://www.tns-global.ru/about/russia/> Student jobs while studying at in MSLU:

- Assistance on radio-testing: registration of respondents, help in organization
- Face-to-face interviews with standardized questionnaires
- Phone recruitment of respondents through CATI system

Business or sector: Market Research

EDUCATION

November 2014 - present

PhD in Sociology and Methodology of Social Research

EQF level 8

University of Milan & University of Turin

3 year PhD Programme created by the Network for the Advancement of Social and Political Studies www.nasp.eu

Research project: "Compositional effects of asylum and refugee policies on economic integration of protected humanitarian migrants in Europe: qualitative comparative analysis"

MA in International Migration

EQF level 7

September 2012 - July 2014

Joint Erasmus Mundus Master Programme in International Migration and Social Cohesion based at the three universities: University of Amsterdam, University of Deusto (Bilbao, Spain), University of Osnabrück. <http://www.misoco.org/>

- Main focus: Sociological Perspectives (Theory), Interpretive Policy Analysis, Immigration and Integration, Diversity Management, Quantitative and Qualitative methods of research, Migration Regimes, Migration Management and Social Conflicts.
- Master Thesis Topic: "Attitudes towards immigrants: Behind the opinion poll box" Comparative exploratory study of two methods of research (opinion poll vs. qualitative interview) experiment with Irish local bartenders in Dublin

September 2006 - July 2011

Diploma with honours in Sociology

EQF level 6

Moscow State Linguistic University, Russia

- Sociologist // teacher of Sociology (with knowledge of English and German languages) 5 years
- Ethnic sociology, Sociology of Culture, Social Anthropology, Fundamental Sociology, Sociology of international relations, Demography, Studies of Public Opinion, Social Statistics, Methodology and methods of social research, Data analyses (SPSS), Sociology of Communication, Social psychology, Social linguistics, Political Sociology, Marketing Research and Mass Media.
- Linguistic education: Courses on professional communication in English and German languages
- Thesis Title: "Inter-ethnic tolerance of youth in multi-ethnic megacities (on example of Moscow and Berlin)"

PERSONAL SKILLS

Mother tongue(s) Russian

Other language(s)

| | UNDERSTANDING | | SPEAKING | | WRITING |
|---------|----------------|---------|--------------------|-------------------|---------|
| | Listening | Reading | Spoken interaction | Spoken production | |
| English | C1 | C2 | C2 | C2 | C2 |
| | IELTS 2011 - 7 | | | | |
| German | B2 | B2 | B2 | B2 | B2 |
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| Spanish | B1 | A2 | A2 | A2 | A2 |
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Communication skills

- excellent communication skills gained through my experience as interviewer and international student (I lived in four countries in the last 3 years and developed my intercultural communication skills)

Organisational / managerial skills

- leadership (currently I am a representative of my PhD group on Sociology and Methodology of Social Research; as a Project manager assistant (TNS Gallup Russia) I supervised a team of 8-10 interviewers)
- Good time-management (during my undergraduate studies I was successfully combining part-time job and full time education)

Job-related skills

- Self-discipline
- Strong analytical skills (I developed through my research activities)
- Ability to work with a lot of information (gained through my studies)
- Attention to details (I worked a lot with Excel, SPSS and STATA data bases)

Computer skills

- excellent command of Microsoft Office™ tools
- good knowledge of SPSS 22 and STATA 13
- good command of Audacity (audio redactor)
- good command of Photoshop

ADDITIONAL INFORMATION

Publications

The 4th Inter-University conference «Ethno-confessional factor and its role in political, cultural and social life of modern Russia» 20 Oct. 2010 report and publication: "Ethnic differences of working behavior in Moscow labor market" / in Russian

Conferences

The Third All-Russian Sociological Congress 21 Oct. 2008 - 24 Oct. 2008. Report: "The Heroes of our days as a personification of the values of modern youth"

Honours and awards

Grant For attending Joint European Masters in International Migration and Social Cohesion (Erasmus Mundus), Category-A, 22 months

Scholarship to undertake PhD studies at the University of Milan and University of Turin

Social engagement & Volunteering

Volunteer remote translator of the Charity Foundation "Nastenka" (dealing with children with oncological diseases) and Volunteering organization "Perspektiva" (Russia),. English-Russian, German-Russian translations of documents and presentations. Irregular basis between January 2011 – till now ,

Volunteer of Freizeit für Flüchtlingskinder - organisation of free-time activities for children from the refugee camp in Hesepe, Bramsche, Germany. August-September 2014

Volunteer news compiler for PICUM - Platform for International cooperation on Undocumented Migrants. Re-writing of news on the relevant topics from Russian into English (home-office). August 2014 - till now