

DR. IRINA A. DENISOVA

PROFESSIONAL EXPERIENCE

2000 – present time Center for Economic and Financial Research Moscow, Russia

Faculty member, Lead economist in Labor and Social Issues

- Selected research projects include: Migration policy and regulation in the Customs Union (Belarus, Kazakhstan and Russia); Effects of Tajikistan's entry to the Customs Union; Policy to enhance competition and diminish regional and sectoral barriers for entry; Health and labor market in Russia; Poverty and inequality in Russian regions; Higher education and labor market; Effectiveness of active labor market programs.

2000 – present time New Economic School Moscow, Russia

Assistant Professor, Lecturer in Labor Economics and Health Economics

Leader of research projects and supervisor of students' Master theses in labor economics and income distribution

Expertise in labor market and social issues for the World bank and OECD.

- Selected projects include: country expert for the WB project “Household surveys of international migration for CIS states”, 2014;. Background paper “Supply- and demand-related constraints on expanding labor force participation rates in Russia”, 2014, prepared for the WB's *Aging in Russia* project; Background paper “Determinants of individual attitudes towards social and economic policies (with a focus on attitudes towards pro-poor and redistributive versus market/business friendly policies) in the ECA region” 2012 for the WB's *Russia: Social Mobility and Opportunities* report; Background paper “Income distribution and poverty in Russia”, 2012, prepared for OECD

Extensive expertise in working with individual and household micro-level data, including preparation of questionnaires and professional data analysis. Several publications in peer-review international journals of empirical papers based on Russian Longitudinal Monitoring Survey and Life in Transition Survey (please see below).

EDUCATION

1994 - 1998 School of Economic and Social Studies, University of Manchester Manchester, UK

Ph.D. in Economics

1982 - 1987 Department of Economics, Moscow State University named

after Lomonosov

Moscow, Russia

Diploma with Distinction in Economics

SELECTED PUBLICATIONS

Irina Denisova and Judith Shapiro “Recent Demographic Developments in the Russian Federation”, Chapter 34 in *The Oxford Handbook of the Russian Economy*. Michael Alexeev and Shlomo Weber eds. New York: Oxford University Press, pp.800-826, 2013

“Everyone hates privatization, but why? Survey evidence from 28 post-communist countries” (joint with Ekaterina Zhuravskaya, Timothy Frye and Marcus Eller) - *Journal of Comparative Economics*, Volume 40, Issue 1, February 2012, pp. 44–61

Irina Denisova and Simon Commander, “Are Skills a Constraint on Firms? New Evidence from Russia” - *IZA Discussion Paper* No. 7041, November 2012

“Income distribution and poverty in Russia” OECD Social, Employment and Migration Working Papers, No.132, OECD Publishing, 2012
<http://dx.doi.org/10.1787/5k9csf9zcz7c-en>

«Профессиональное обучение: российский опыт» (в соавторстве с О.Лазаревой и С.Цухло) – в монографии “Российский работник: образование, профессия, квалификация” под ред. В.Е. Гимпельсона и Р.И.Капелюшниковой, М.: Издательский дом ГУ ВШЭ, 2011

“Adult Mortality in Russia: A Microanalysis” – *Economics of Transition*, Vol.18(2), 2010, pp.333-363

“What do Russians Think about Transition?” (joint with Ekaterina Zhuravskaya and Markus Eller) - *Economics of Transition*, Vol.18(2), 2010, pp.249-280

“Who Wants to Revise Privatization? The Complementarity of Market Skills and Institutions” (joint with Ekaterina Zhuravskaya, Timothy Frye and Marcus Eller) – *American Political Science Review*, Vol.103, Issue 2, May 2009, pp.284-304

” The Governance of Economic and Employment Development in North West Russia” (joint with Markus Svedberg) in «Baltic Partnerships: Integration, Growth and Local Governance in the Baltic Sea Region», edited by Sylvain Giguere – OECD, 2007

«Отдача на уровне, типы и качество образования в России» в монографии «Заработная плата в России» под ред.Гимпельсона В.Е. и Капелюшниковой Р.И. – ГУ-ВШЭ, 2007

“Entry to and Exit from Poverty in Russia: Evidence from Longitudinal Data” – NES Working Paper, 2007

“Hiring or Retraining: experience of Russian industrial enterprises” (in Russian, joint with Olga Lazareva and Sergei Tsukhlo) – Москва, ИЭПП, серия научные труды, № 98, 2006

“Adjustment Costs of Trade Liberalization in Russia” (joint with Akhmed Akhmedov, Evgenia Bessonova, Ivan Cherkashin and Elena Grishina), 2006,

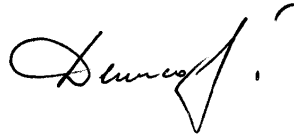
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“Poverty is No Crime: Measuring Poverty in Russian Regions” (joint with Marina Kartseva) – CEFIR Working paper, 2005

“Re-Training Programs in Russia and Romania: Impact Evaluation Study “ (joint with Jacob Benus, Raluca Catrinel Brinza, Vasilica Cuica and Marina Kartseva) – CEFIR Working Paper, 2004

“Staying Longer in Unemployment Registry in Russia: Lack of Education, Bad Luck or Something Else?” – CEFIR Working Paper, 2002

“Child Benefits and Child Poverty” (joint with Stanislav Kolenikov and Ksenia Yudaeva) – CEFIR Working Paper, 2000

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