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RESEARCH INTERESTS

Health Economics, Labor Economics
Applied Econometrics, Applied IO
Development Economics: Political, Labor, Health

TEACHING COURSES

Empirical IO, Applied Microeconometrics, Microeconomics, Econometrics, Behavioural Economics, Empirical Studies of Russian Economy

EDUCATION

2006- 2012 PhD in Economics, UC Berkeley
1999-2001 M.A. in Economics, New Economic School, Moscow, Russia
1993-1998 M.Sc., B.Sc. in Mathematics and Applied mathematics, Moscow State University, Moscow, Russia

PROFESSIONAL EXPERIENCE

2018 - New Economic School, Moscow, Russia, Associate Professor
2019, April-July LSE, Institute of Global Affairs, Visiting Professor
2015 -2018 New Economic School, Moscow, Russia, Assistant Professor
2014 -2015 Higher School of Economics, Moscow, Russia, Assistant Professor
2013- 2014 Senior Policy Associate, Acumen LLC
2012 -2013 New Economic School, Moscow, Russia, Assistant Professor
2009, summer Microsoft Research, Mountain view, Summer Internship
2004, may Institute for Advanced Study, Princeton, Visiting Researcher
2001- 2006 Centre for Economic and Financial Research, Moscow, Researcher

PUBLISHED PAPERS

-*How Persistent Are Consumption Habits? Micro-Evidence From Russian Alcohol Market*, 2020 (joint with Lorenz Kueng) forthcoming, **AEJ: Economic Policy**
link

in Media: Kommersant-Dengi, Kommersant, Demoscope, Slon.ru, RG.ru, Republic, OTR, Opec, Voxeu; Montley fool.com, New York Times, Kellogg Insight, Quartz, Newsbeat, Cooking Up a Story, Voice of America

-*Demand for Alcohol Consumption and Implication for Mortality: Evidence from Russia*, 2018, **AEJ: Applied Economics** ,10(1):106-49.

link

in Media: Slon.ru; RG.ru , Republic, OTR, Voice of America, AER chart of the week

-*Identification, Data Combination and the Risk of Disclosure*, (joint with D. Nekipelov and T. Komarova), 2018, **Quantitative Economics**

link

-*War and Well-Being in Transition: Evidence from Two Natural Experiments*, (with Gunes Gokmen), Journal of **Comparative Economics**, 2018

link

in Media: freepolicybriefs.org

-*K-Anonymity: A Note on the Trade-Off between Data Utility and Data Security*, (with T.Komarova, D. Nekipelov, and A.Al Rafiv), Applied Econometrics, Vol. 48, 2017, 44-62

link

-*The Unequal Enforcement of Liberalization: Evidence from Russia's Reform of Business Regulation*, 2012 **Journal of European Economic Association** (joint with E. Zhuravskaya)

link

Interest Group Politics in a Federation, **Journal of Public Economics**, October 2010 (joint with S.Guriev and E. Zhuravskaya)

link

-*Laws for Sale: Evidence from Russia*, **American Law and Economics Review**, 2005 (joint with I. Slinko and E. Zhuravskaya)

link

RESEARCH PAPERS

-*Could a Child Subsidy Increase Long-Run Fertility and Stability of Families? Could It Have Equilibrium Effects? Evidence From Two Russias Large-Scale 'Maternity Capital' Programs* (joint with I.Sorvachev)

link

presented in NBER Public Economics, UC Berkeley, PSE, UPF, LSE, LSE IGA, NES, HSE, UPF, NU, Econometric Society World Congress, RLMS conference, NES anniversary conference, ILES, Russian Chamber of Accounts IZA Discussion Paper 13019, LSE WP 8/2019

in Media: RBC.ru, BBC.ru, Vedomosti, freepolicybriefs.org, YandexZen, Kommersant

-*Economic Crises and Mortality Among the Elderly. Evidence from Two Russian Crises* (joint with M. Khvan and E. Smorodenkova)

link

IZA Discussion Paper 13540

in Media: Econs.ru

-*Reaching Retirement Age in Russia. The Mortality Effects of Statutory Retirement Age in a Middle-income Country*

Presented at NES

-*Private Extremum Estimation*, 2012, (joint with D. Nekipelov)

link

CHAPTERS IN BOOKS

- *Estimation of Treatment Effects from Combined Data: Identification versus Data Security*, 2013, NBER volume "Economics of Digitization: An Agenda" (joint with D.Nekipelov and T.Komarova)
- *State Capture: From Yeltsin to Putin* in *Corruption, Development and Institutional Design*. J. Kornai, L. Matyas, and G. Roland (eds.), Palgrave Macmillan, New York, 2009 (with E. Zhuravskaya)
- *Effects of State Capture: Evidence from Russian Regions*, Chapter 6 in *Building a Trustworthy State: Problems of Post-Socialist Transition*. J.Kornai and S.Rose-Ackerman (eds.), Palgrave Macmillan, 2004 (joint with I. Slinko and E. Zhuravskaya)
- *State Capture and Controlling Owners of Firms*, World bank, background paper for the Country Economic Memorandum for Russia 2004, (joint with E. Zhuravskaya)

SELECTED WORK IN PROGRESS

- *Industrial Policy and Sex ratio at birth*, presented at NES
- *AIDS in Russia*
- *Health effects of procurement contracts regulations of Russian Pharma markets* (with Margarita Khvan)
- *Race discrimination in Tinder.com during COVID pandemic* (with Douglas Campbell)
- *Relative earning and family well being* (with Altana Davidova and Hosny Zoabi)

POLICY PAPERS

- Monitoring of Administrative Barriers to Small Business*, Rounds 1/5, CEFIR policy papers, 2002/2005, (joint with A.Akhmedov, J.Hellman, O.Zamulin, and E.Zhuravskaya)
- Alcoholism and Mortality in Eastern Europe*, IZA World of Labor
- Alcohol Consumption and Mortality* in freepolicybriefs.org
- Short-Run and Long-Run Effects of Sizable Child Subsidy: Evidence from Russia* in freepolicybriefs.org

AWARDS

- RSF grant, 2018-2020 (with Hosni Zoaby)
- National prize in Applied Economics, 2016
- Berkeley Dean Fellowship, Berkeley International House Fellowship, 2006-2012
- National Mathematical Olympiad winner (Kazakhstan), 1997
- International Mathematical Olympiad, Bronze Medal Result (Member of the 1st National Kazakhstan Team), 1997

REFEREE SERVICES

Economic Journal, Journal of European Economic Association, AEJ: Economic Policy, AER: Insights, CESifo Economic Studies, Journal of Applied Econometrics, Journal of Comparative Economics, Public Choice, Food Policy, European Journal of Political Economy, Prikladnaya Econometrica

SERVICES TO PROFESSION

National Prize in Applied Economics, 2017-2018, Jury Member
European Economic Association Conference, 2018, Program Committee Member

CONFERENCES/SEMINARS

2012: UC Berkeley, NES; Harvard HSPH, Acumen LLC, Cerge-EI; 2013: UC Berkeley, EEA, EES, NBER digitalization, RES meetings, NES; 2014: I-Care, NES, HSE, Warwick; 2015: HSE, PSE, UPF, EEA, Peking U, Mannheim U, 2016: I-Care (Essex), NBER aging 2017: NES; 2018: NES, PSE, UPF, UC Berkeley, NU; 2019: RLMS conference (keynote speaker), LSE Econ, LSE IGA, FU Berlin, IS-CLE Shenzhen; 2020: NBER Public economics, Russian Chamber of Accounts, Econometric Society World Congress

Student PLACEMENT TO PhD

Khvan (USC), Suvorov(UNC Chapel Hill), Lukibanov (USC Marshall), Mysov (Tillburg), Mitkina (UW Foster), Ibragimov (MIT Sloan), Vishnev (Stanford GSB), Gonotskaya (Columbia), Sorvachev (Wisconsin)

COLUMNS IN MAGAZINES/NEWSPAPERS

Vedomosti, RBK, Forbes, Kommersant, Slon.ru, Republic

PERSONAL

Born: Kazakhstan
Citizenship: Russia
Married, have two sons
Languages: Russian (native), English (fluent)