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### **Research Interests and Teaching Specialization**

English Phonetics and Phonology, Sociolinguistics, English as an International Language, English as a Lingua Franca/ English accent, Public Speaking

### **Education**

- 1995                    Ph.D. in Germanic Languages (Kandidat philol. nauk), Moscow State Linguistic University  
Dissertation: "Variation of English Intonation on the British Isles"
- 1984                    M.A. in Foreign Languages (Summa cum Laude), Moscow State Linguistic University

### **Professional Appointments**

- 2015 – present      Associate Professor, Department of Humanities and Languages at New Economic School, Moscow
- 2012 – present      Chair, Humanities and Languages Department at New Economic School, Moscow
- 2012- present      Head, English Language Entrance Exams Commission. NES Admissions Commission
- 2011                    Writing and Communication Center at New Economic School, Co-founder
- 2008- 2015          Assistant Professor, Department of English Language at New Economic School, Moscow
- 2003-2005          Associate Professor ('Docent' by High Attestation Commission), Department of English Phonetics at Moscow State linguistic University
- 2003, 2004          Admissions Commission at Moscow State Linguistic University, Member
- 2001-2004          Students' Scientific Society of the Humanities and Applied Sciences Department at Moscow State Linguistic University, Supervisor
- 1984 -2003          Department of English Phonetics at Moscow State linguistic University, Senior Instructor, Ph.D. student, Assistant Professor

### **Academic Service**

- 2016 – 2018          International Association of Teachers of English as a Foreign Language (IATEFL) Pronunciation Special Interest Group (PronSIG), General Committee member
- 2015 – 2016          5-100 Project, Invited Expert
- 2015-2016          *Speak Out!* Reviewer

- 2013-present Ph.D., M.A. dissertations at Moscow State linguistic University, Referee
- 2013-2019 Коммуникация в современном поликультурном мире: диалог культур: Сборник научно-практических трудов. М.: Pearson (Russian Science Citation Index List: eLIBRARY.RU), Editorial Board Member
- 2003 'Communicative phonetics of English language' (T.V. Medvedeva, T.S. Skopintseva, I.Yu. Stepkina), Editor

## Publications

### *In English*

Skopintseva, T. (2015). "Integrating pronunciation into teaching writing skills through text analysis" in *Speak Out! 53* (IATEFL Pronunciation Special Interest Group Newsletter; issue 53. (15-24).

Skopintseva, T. (2015). Looking for an EIL standard: A literature review and classroom experience from the Russian L1 perspective. *Journal of language and education; issue 1* (19-25). (EduRN/SSRN)

Skopintseva, T. (2014). Teaching connected speech: Why? In *Коммуникация в современном поликультурном мире: диалог культур*. Ed. T. A. Baranovskaya. М.: Pearson (397-405).

Skopintseva, T. (2013). "Teaching pronunciation to Russian learners". *IATEFL 2013 Liverpool Conference Selections*. Liverpool: IATEFL, 108-110.

Savina, I., Skopintseva T. (2005). "Teaching Oral Presentation Skills to Russian Learners of English" *IATEFL 2005 Cardiff Conference Selections*. Cardiff: IATEFL, 74-76.

Shevchenko, T. I. and Skopintseva, T. S. (2004). "Prosody Variation in English: Geographical, Social, Situational" in *The Proceedings of the 2<sup>nd</sup> International Conference: Speech Prosody 2004*. Nara: SP 2004, 278-281.

Medvedeva, T.V., Skopintseva, T.S., Stepkina, I.Yu. (2003) *Communicative Phonetics of English Language*. Textbook for 3d-year students of the MSLU Department of Humanities and Applied Sciences. М: MSLU.184 p.

### *In Russian*

Скопинцева Т. Роль обучения английскому произношению в формировании коммуникативной и риторической компетенций современного специалиста//*Коммуникация в современном поликультурном мире: этнопсихолингвистический анализ*/Отв. Ред. Т. А. Барановская. Вып. 1 М.: М.: Pearson, 2013. С. 286-301.

Скопинцева Т., Савина И. *Интерференция русских и английских просодических моделей в публичном выступлении*//*Вестник МГЛУ*. 2005. № 492. С. 118-139.

Скопинцева Т. *Территориальная вариативность британского произношения (аудиторский анализ)*// *Вестник МГЛУ*. 2003. № 476. С. 67-80.

Скопинцева Т. *Речь политической элиты США: социокультурный аспект вариативности произношения*. МГЛУ, М., 2003. 24 с.

Скопинцева Т. *Совершенствуем английское произношение*. Учебное пособие для студентов старших курсов вузов. Часть I, Часть II. МГЛУ, М., 2003. 112 с.

Скопинцева Т. *Фонетика звучащей речи современной американской элиты*// Сб. научн. тр. МГЛУ. 2001. № 462. С. 137-156.

Каганов А., Скопинцева Т. *Акустические характеристики мелодического контура региональных разновидностей британской литературной речи* //Сб. научн. тр. МГЛУ. 2000. № 453. С. 54-64.

Скопинцева Т. *Индекс расхождения интегральных спектров. (SDDD) как показатель территориальной дифференциации произношения*. АРСО-17. Ижевск, 1992. С. 148-153.

Скопинцева Т. *Энергетические характеристики текста как средство территориальной идентификации говорящих* //Сб. научн. тр. МГПИИЯ.- 1991- № 371. С. 106-114.

## Invited Talks and Panels

Supporting Faculty in Writing for Publication: Best Practices. HSE Academic Writing Center Conference. *The Power of Rhetoric: Boosting Competence in Writing Through the Analysis of Speeches (talk)*. October 2021.

Don ELTA International Conference. *How to teach intonation? Meaningfully!* (Plenary talk) (<https://donelta-event.timepad.ru/event/1461862/>), December, 2020.

1<sup>st</sup> and 2<sup>nd</sup> International Economics Olympiad, HSE. *“Presenter’s Survival Kit” (Plenary Seminar)*. Moscow, 2018. Saint-Petersburg, 2019.

The 5<sup>th</sup> International Conference on ESP/EAP/EMI in the Context of Higher Education in the Framework of THE research Excellence Summit. *“ESAP Curriculum at New Economic School in Future Perfect” (Talk)*. NUST MISiS. November, 2018.

Выездной семинар кадрового резерва НИУ ВШЭ «Особенности академической коммуникации в англоязычном мире». *English as a Lingua Franca: Accent and Pronunciation” (Plenary talk)*. Voronovo, October, 2018.

Working Group of the 5-100 Project “English Language Environment”. *English Language Teaching at NES: Solving an EMI Puzzle” (Talk)*. Moscow, NUST MISiS. November, 2017.

The 4<sup>nd</sup> International ESP/EAP/EMI Conference in the Context of Internationalization of Higher Education (*Steering Committee member, Pre-conference workshop, Section Chair*). Moscow, NUST MISiS. November, 2017.

Эффективная научная коммуникация в эпоху Open Science. Научно-практическая школа. *Public Speaking Skills and Russian Accent: Friends or Foes? (Talk)*. Tomsk, TSPU. September, 2017.

The 3<sup>rd</sup> International ESP/EAP/EMI Conference in the Context of Internationalization of Higher Education (*Organizational Committee member, Pre-conference workshop, Section chair*). Moscow, NUST MISiS. November, 2016.

ASIA TEFL and FEELTA Conference (*Panel speaker*). Panel discussion at the Consortium of the Russian writing centers. Vladivostok, Far Eastern Federal University. June, 2016.

Working Group of the 5-100 Project “English Language Environment” (*Invited EAP expert; professional development seminar “Integrating Teaching Pronunciation into EAP/ESP/EMI Curriculum*). Vladivostok, Far Eastern Federal University. June, 2016.

XVI Conference – Seminar of the 5-100 Project (*Invited EAP expert*). Moscow, Sechenov First Moscow State Medical University. June, 2016.

XV Conference – Seminar of the 5-100 Project. Round table “Key Competences and Aspects of Academic Literacy in English in Post-Graduate Programs” (*Invited expert*). Ekaterinburg, Urals State Federal University. February, 2016.

“English in the Context of Higher Education” teacher-training seminar. (*Invited expert and speaker*). Krasnoyarsk, Siberian State University of Aerospace after M.F. Reshetnev and KELTA. January, 2016.

“ESP/EAP Professional Development” Section (*Chair*). The 2<sup>nd</sup> International ESP/EAP/EMI Conference in the Context of Internationalization of Higher Education. Moscow, NUST MISiS. November, 2015.

The 2<sup>nd</sup> International ESP/EAP/EMI Conference in the Context of Internationalization of Higher Education. “*English Pronunciation Teaching Model in EFL and EIL Pedagogy*”. (*Talk*). Moscow, NUST MISiS. November, 2015.

The 1<sup>st</sup> International ESP/EAP/EMI Conference in the Context of Internationalization of Higher Education. “*A 20-year Experience of EMI: Meeting International Standards and Russian Challenges*” (*Plenary talk*). Moscow, NUST MISiS. November, 2014.

2<sup>nd</sup> All-Russian Conference “Проблемы коммуникации в современном поликультурном мире: этнопсихолингвистический анализ”. “*Teaching Connected Speech: How?*” (*Plenary Talk*). National Research University HSE. February, 2014.

1<sup>st</sup> All-Russian Conference “Проблемы коммуникации в современном поликультурном мире: этнопсихолингвистический анализ”. “*The Role of Teaching English Pronunciation in Building Communicative and Rhetorical Competence of a Modern Professional*” (*Plenary talk*). National Research University HSE, January, 2013.

“*Integrating WCC’s Methods of Teaching Writing Skills into ESP/EAP Curriculum: NES Experience*” (*Plenary speaker*). Changing EAP Landscape in Russia. Moscow, NUST MISiS. April, 2013.

Round table “Developing Academic Writing Skills” (*Moderator*). Changing EAP Landscape in Russia. Moscow, NUST MISiS. April, 2013.

## Given CPD Trainings and Courses

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| 2022       | “ <i>My Fair Accent</i> ” ( <i>course</i> ). Moscow, HSE Academic Writing Centre  |
| 2022       | “ <i>How to ensure an Effective Presentation Delivery</i> ” ( <i>workshop</i> ). Moscow, HSE Academic Writing Centre  |
| 2020       | “ <i>How I Stopped Worrying: Presenter’s Survival Kit</i> ”; “ <i>Different Business Cultures and How to Deal with Them</i> ”; “ <i>How to Ensure an Effective Presentation Delivery</i> ”. ( <i>Trainings</i> ). Moscow. March, 2020 (Skolkovo Technopark) and October, 2020 (HSE Academic Writing Center) |
| 2018       | “ <i>Mastering Lecture Skills: Accent and Intelligibility</i> ”, “ <i>Mastering Lecture Skills: Voice and Intonation</i> ”. Moscow, HSE Academic Writing Center   |
| 2015, 2016 | Theoretical Phonetics (one-semester course) for B.A. in Linguistics. Moscow, NUST MISiS   |
| 2015       | “ <i>Segmentals</i> ”, “ <i>Prosody</i> ” ( <i>workshops</i> ). ITMO University Teacher Training Program.   |

2015                    *“How to Sound English: Building on an English Accent”; “Integrating Pronunciation into Teaching Writing Skills”*. Moscow, NUST MISiS. Department of Russian and Foreign Languages and Literature

## Peer-Reviewed Presentations

“On the Importance of Developing Pitch Range for EMI Teachers”. 54<sup>th</sup> IATEFL International Conference. Online (<https://www.iatefl.org/conference/home>). Brighton, UK. June, 2021.

“Designing the English Language Curriculum in an EMI and ELF environment”. The 16th AsiaTEFL – 1<sup>st</sup> MAAL & 6<sup>th</sup> HAAL International Conference. Macao, June, 2018.

“ELF Pronunciation Curriculum for Russian Learners: Challenging the Identity”. The 15th AsiaTEFL - 64th TEFLIN International Conference. Indonesia, July, 2017.

“Challenges of English as a Medium of Instruction: Academic Discourse”. 50<sup>th</sup> IATEFL International Conference. Birmingham, UK. April, 2016.

“How to Teach Prosody Meaningfully: The Power of Rhetoric”. Teaching Pronunciation: Tools and Techniques. IATEFL PronSIG, Trinity College London, Cambridge English Language Assessment, Kaplan International English. Dublin, Ireland. October, 2015.

“Pronunciation Syllabus for Russian EAP/ESP Learners: NES Experience”. E-merging Forum, British Council. Moscow, Russia. March, 2015.

“Pronunciation Gymnastics for Non-Native Presenters in English”. Accenture. IATEFL PronSIG, British Council, NATECLA. London, UK. February 2015.

“Integrating Pronunciation into Teaching Writing Skills Through Text Analysis”. 48<sup>th</sup> IATEFL International Conference. Harrogate, UK. April, 2014.

“Teaching Pronunciation to Russian Learners as Part of Rhetorical Competence”. 47<sup>th</sup> IATEFL International Conference. Liverpool, UK. April, 2013.

“Teaching Oral Presentation Skills to Russian Learners of English” (with Savina I.). 39<sup>th</sup> IATEFL International Conference. Cardiff, UK. April, 2005.

“Prosody Variation in English: Geographical, Social and Situational” (with Shevchenko T.I.). *Speech & Prosody* 2004. Nara, Japan. March, 2004.

## Professional Development

2023                    *Руководитель образовательной программы*. НИУ Высшая школа экономики. Кочубей Центр. Пушкин.

2019                    *Becoming a teacher trainer*. Bell School Cambridge. Cambridge, UK, August, 2019

2005 – 2021           IATEFL International Conferences

1997                    IREX Regional Scholar Exchange Program (UPenn, Department of Linguistics; Supervisor W. Labov)

## Teaching Awards

2012, 2018,

2019, 2022           ‘NES Graduation Class Excellence in Teaching’ Award

