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## ● WORK EXPERIENCE

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01/2015 – CURRENT

### **ECONOMIST – The Vienna Institute for International Economic Studies (wiiw)**

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Research and policy analysis in international trade and finance, applied macroeconomics, financial markets, integration and globalisation. Project leader and contributor in research projects in the areas of international economics, macroeconomics, financial markets, transition economies of Europe and Central Asia for the European Commission, UNIDO, national banks and other public and private stakeholders. Coordinator of the EU Neighborhood research group. Macroeconomic and financial forecasting and model development.

[www.wiiw.ac.at](http://www.wiiw.ac.at) | Rahlgasse 3, 1060, Vienna, Austria

11/2012 – 01/2015

### **SENIOR ECONOMIST (ADVISOR) – Eurasian Economic Commission**

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Headed the forecasting division of the department, organised the forecasting workflow, prepared and coordinated model-based quarterly macroeconomic forecasts and simulations, analysis and policy assessments focusing on Russia, Belarus, Kazakhstan, Kyrgyzstan and Armenia. Research in international trade, integration, cross-country transmission of macroeconomic shocks, non-tariff barriers to trade. Developed structural and econometric models and tools for nowcasting, short- and medium-term forecasting and policy analysis. Analysed global economic developments, commodity markets, external and internal risks.

Macroeconomic Policy Department | Moscow, Russia

06/2010 – 08/2010

### **INTERN – International Monetary Fund**

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Collaborated on the research project "Financial Development in Central Europe: the Case of the CE4 Countries", assessing financial development in Central Europe

European Department | Washington, DC

2008 – 2012

### **RESEARCH ASSISTANT AND INSTRUCTOR – University of Arkansas**

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Instructor of Macroeconomic Theory and Principles of Macroeconomics courses; teaching assistant for Econometrics, International Trade, Forecasting, and Economic Development courses

Fayetteville, AR, United States

2007 – 2008

### **CHIEF SPECIALIST – Ministry of Economic Development and Investments of the Republic of Altai**

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Participated in the formulation of regional investment policies and development strategies, analysis of the regional economy. Authored and implemented several legislative initiatives on investment policy and public-private partnership. Administered regional private sector financial aid and public-private partnership programs. Convenor of the regional investment policy committee and the investment legislation committee. Inputs on investment and fiscal policy issues for the council of ministers. Investment project valuation and analysis of investors' financial statements.

Department of Investment Policy | Russia

2003 – 2005

## LEADING SPECIALIST – Ministry of Economic Development and Investments of the Republic of Altai

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Participated in the formulation of regional investment policies and development strategies, analysis of the regional economy. Authored and implemented several legislative initiatives on investment policy and public-private partnership. Administered regional private sector financial aid and public-private partnership programs. Convenor of the regional investment policy committee and the investment legislation committee. Inputs on investment and fiscal policy issues for the council of ministers. Investment project valuation and analysis of investors' financial statements.

Department of Investment Policy | Russia

### ● EDUCATION AND TRAINING

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2008 – 2012 – Fayetteville, AR

**PH.D. (ECONOMICS) – University of Arkansas**

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2005 – 2007 – Fayetteville, AR

**M.A. (ECONOMICS) – University of Arkansas**

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1998 – 2003 – Russia

**ECONOMIST DIPLOMA (B.A. EQUIVALENT) – Altai State Technical University**

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### ● LANGUAGE SKILLS

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Mother tongue(s): **RUSSIAN**

	UNDERSTANDING		SPEAKING		WRITING
	Listening	Reading	Spoken production	Spoken interaction	
<b>ENGLISH</b>	C2	C2	C2	C2	C2
<b>GERMAN</b>	A2	A2	A2	A2	A2

Levels: A1 and A2: Basic user; B1 and B2: Independent user; C1 and C2: Proficient user

### ● DIGITAL SKILLS

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MATLAB | Python | STATA | R | EViews | IRIS | DYNARE | LaTeX | Microsoft Office | SQL | VBA | Netminer

### ● HONORS AND AFFILIATIONS

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#### Honors and affiliations

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- Eurasian Economic Commission Excellence in Service Award, 2014
- Outstanding M.A. in Economics Student, 2006-2007
- Edmund S. Muskie Graduate Fellowship, 2005-2007
- American Economic Association, Southern Economic Association, Beta Gamma Sigma and Phi Kappa Phi honour societies
- Member and Convenor of the Investment Commission of the Rep. of Altai, 2003-2005, 2007-2008
- Member and Convenor of the Commission for the Optimization of Investment Policy, 2007-2008
- Academic Excellence Honorary Diploma for distinction upon graduation, 2003
- Freedom Support Act Undergraduate Exchange scholarship, 2001-2002
- Freedom Support Act Future Leaders Exchange scholarship, 1997-1998

## ● ORGANISATIONAL / MANAGEMENT SKILLS

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### **Coordinator**

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research projects in international economics, finance and applied macroeconomics

CURRENT

### **Coordinator**

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the EU Neighbourhood research group

2012 – 2015

### **Head of the macroeconomic forecasting division**

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at the Eurasian Economic Commission, Russia

2003 – 2008

### **Convenor**

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the Investment Commission of the Government of the Republic of Altai, Russia

2007 – 2008

### **Convenor**

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the Commission for the Optimisation of Investment Policy of the Government of the Republic of Altai, Russia

## ● ADDITIONAL INFORMATION

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### **Referee service**

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Empirica; International Journal of Finance and Economics; the World Economy; Structural Change and Economic Dynamics; Economic Change and Restructuring; Comparative Economic Studies; Journal of Business Cycle Research; Focus on European Economic Integration; Asia Europe Journal; Global Development Network; FIW

### **Presentations**

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- (2020) Econometric Research in Finance ERFIN 2020, online, September (speaker/discussant); "Productivity, digitalization, GVC" JVI, Vienna; "New drivers of competitiveness", JVI;
- (2019) "Revisiting Financial Instability. Minsky at 100", Milan; 12th FIW Research Conference, Vienna; 21st ETSG Research Conference Bern; EAEU, EU and China's BRI, JVI, Vienna; Association Agreements and DCFTA, JVI, Vienna; 16th Euroframe Conference, Dublin; "10 Years of Eastern Partnership", Vienna; "International trade, FDI and GVC", JVI, Vienna; "Economic integration", JVI, Vienna; 5th Applied Macroeconomics and Empirical Finance Conference, Thessaloniki;
- (2018) Connectivity in the EU'. Austrian Presidency of the Council of the EU Conference, Vienna; 11th FIW Conference, Vienna; 20th ETSG Conference, Warsaw; Econometric Research in Finance conference, Warsaw; Financial Economics and Network Science workshop, Greenwich University, London; Belgian Financial Research Forum 2018, National Bank of Belgium; University College London "EAEU, EU and the New Silk Road"; "The New Silk Road Project", Vienna; Austrian Chamber of Commerce (WKO) International forum "Eurasian Economic Union"; JVI courses on competitiveness, integration, economic policy;
- (pre-2018, selected) 10th FIW Conference; 19th ETSG Conference; JVI courses in competitiveness, integration, economic policy, EAEU; "Future of Europe" conference, Warsaw; 78th East Jour Fixe of the Austrian National Bank; GDN 2016, wiiw Forecast Report presentations; "Monetary Policy under Inflation Targeting Regime" international summit; Bank of Canada; IMF; 79<sup>th</sup> Southern Economic Association meeting.

## ● **TEACHING EXPERIENCE**

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### **Invited lecturer, Joint Vienna Institute courses**

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Applied Economic Policy (2017–present); Competitiveness, Growth and Crisis (2017–present); Public Governance and Structural Reforms (2019–present); Integration in Europe: EU and EAEU (2015–present)

### **Instructor, University of Arkansas**

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Macroeconomic Theory (2012); Principles of Macroeconomics (2009–2011)

### **Teaching assistant, University of Arkansas**

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Forecasting (2011); International Trade (2011); Economic Development and Poverty (2011); Principles of Macroeconomics (2009); Graduate Econometrics (2008)