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WORK EXPERIENCE

ECONOMIST – THE VIENNA INSTITUTE FOR INTERNATIONAL ECONOMIC STUDIES – 03/2021 – Current – VIENNA, AUSTRIA

POST-DOCTORAL RESEARCHER – UNIVERSITY OF INNSBRUCK, DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC FINANCE – 2019 – 2021 – INNSBRUCK, AUSTRIA

GUEST LECTURER – UNIVERSITY OF TARTU, CHAIR OF ECONOMIC MODELING – 2019 – Current – TARTU, ESTONIA

RESEARCH ASSOCIATE – UNIVERSITY OF INNSBRUCK, DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC FINANCE – 2017 – 2019 – INNSBRUCK, AUSTRIA

RESEARCH FELLOW – UNIVERSITY OF TARTU, CHAIR OF ECONOMIC MODELING – 2017 – 2018 – TARTU, ESTONIA

VISITING RESEARCHER – AALTO UNIVERSITY, DEPARTMENT OF ECONOMICS – 2016 – 2017 – HELSINKI, FINLAND

- Funded by the Estonian government (Archimedes Foundation)

JUNIOR RESEARCH FELLOW / LECTURER – UNIVERSITY OF TARTU, CHAIR OF ECONOMIC MODELING – 2014 – 2018 – TARTU, ESTONIA

LECTURER – UNIVERSITY OF TARTU, INSTITUTE OF MATHEMATICS AND STATISTICS – 2014 – 2015 – TARTU, ESTONIA

VISITING RESEARCHER – UNIVERSITY OF RIJEKA – 05/2015 – RIJEKA, CROATIA

- Short-term scientific stay, supported by the COST Action IS1104

EDUCATION AND TRAINING

2017 – 2019 Innsbruck, Austria

PH.D. STUDIES IN ECONOMICS University of Innsbruck, Department of Public Finance

2014 – 2018 Tartu, Estonia

PH.D. STUDIES IN ECONOMICS University of Tartu, Chair of Economic Modeling

2013 – 2014 Tartu, Estonia

M.SC. IN FINANCIAL MATHEMATICS University of Tartu, Institute of Mathematics and Statistics

LANGUAGE SKILLS

Mother tongue(s): **UKRAINIAN** | **RUSSIAN**

Other language(s):

	UNDERSTANDING		SPEAKING		WRITING
	Listening	Reading	Spoken production	Spoken interaction	
ENGLISH	C2	C2	C2	C2	C2
GERMAN	C1	C1	B2	B2	B2
ESTONIAN	A1	A1	A1	A1	A1
POLISH	A2	A2	A1	A1	A1

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

SKILLS

STATA | Python | R | Wolfram Mathematica | zTree | LaTeX

PUBLICATIONS

Complete list of publications

[List of Publications - Marina Tverdostup \(wiiw.ac.at\)](http://wiiw.ac.at)

CONFERENCES AND SEMINARS

Presentations at the Conferences and Workshops

- 2025 - IMISCOE-RUNOMI-CMR conference (Nijmegen, Netherlands)
- 2025 - Annual Meeting of the Austrian Economic Association (Krems, Austria)
- 2024 - ECFR Workshop on Europe's Competitiveness, European Council on Foreign Relations (Brussels, Belgium)
- 2023 - Austrian Labour Economics Workshop
- 2023 - Estonian National Bank Christmas Seminar
- 2022 - Baltic Economic Association Research Seminar (online event)
- 2021 - 60th ERSA Congress: Territorial Futures – Visions and scenarios for a resilient Europe (Online)
- 2019 - Bonn-Innsbruck-Munich Workshop, University of Innsbruck (Innsbruck, Austria)
- 2018 - IZA World Labor Conference (Berlin, Germany)
- 2018 - Health Economics Workshop, University of Cologne (Cologne, Germany)
- 2018 - SFB winter School on Credence Goods (Kühtai, Austria)
- 2018 - Estonian Economic Association Annual Meeting (Tallinn, Estonia)
- 2017 - Bonn-Innsbruck-Munich Workshop, Max Planck Institute (Bonn, Germany)
- 2016 - The European Regional Science Association (ERSA) conference (Vienna, Austria)
- 2016 - Doctoral Summer School in Economics and Innovation (Pärnu, Estonia)
- 2015 - Doctoral Summer School in Economics and Innovation (Pühajärve, Estonia)
- 2015 - Economic Challenges in Enlarged Europe conference (Tallinn, Estonia)

Other Conferences and Attended Programs

- 2019 SFB winter School on Credence Goods (Kühtai, Austria)
- 2018 Euregio Economics Workshop (University of Innsbruck, Austria)
- 2017 Annual SFB workshop (University of Innsbruck, Austria)
- 2017 Annual Austrian Experimental Economics (AEE) Workshop (Vienna, Austria)
- 2015 Training School on Qualitative Theory of Dynamical Systems (Urbino, Italy)
- 2015 Nordic Econometric Meeting (Aalto University, Helsinki, Finland)
- 2015 Training School on Spatial Econometrics (University of Vienna, Austria)
- 2015 Intensive course on Multi-level modeling (Università della Svizzera italiana, Lugano, Switzerland)

- 2014 Doctoral Summer School in Economics and Innovation (Kubija, Estonia)
- 2013 Winter School 'Applications of Mathematical Models. Recent Investigations in the Ruin Theory' (Pühajärve, Estonia)

Invited Talks

- 2025 - A keynote speech at the 14th EUSDR Annual Forum (Sarajevo, Bosnia and Herzegovina)
- 2024 - A keynote speech at the Danube Region Business Summit, the Austrian Chamber of Commerce (Vienna, Austria)
- 2024 - A keynote speech on 12th Stakeholder Conference of Priority Area 9 "People & Skills" of the EU Strategy for the Danube Region (Vienna, Austria)
- 2022 - A keynote speech at Delta Trends Day 2022 at the University of Tartu (Tartu, Estonia)
- 2022 - A keynote speech on 10th Stakeholder Conference of Priority Area 9 "People & Skills" of the EU Strategy for the Danube Region (Vienna, Austria)
- 2019 - BICEPS/SSE Riga research seminar, Stockholm School of Economics in Riga (Riga, Latvia)
- 2019 - PhD Summer School in Economics, Management, Political Science, Law and Public Administration, organized by the Doctoral School in Economics and Innovation (Laulasmaa, Estonia)

● PROJECTS

Complete list of wiiw projects

[List of Projects - Marina Tverdostup \(wiiw.ac.at\)](#)

2019 – 2020

InWeGe 'Income, wealth and gender'

- By European Union's Rights, Equality and Citizenship Programme (2014-2020) by European Union

2017 – 2020

SFB-G183-PP03 Special research Unit F63 'Credence Goods, Incentives and Behavior'

- Funded by the Austrian Science Fund (FWF)

2017 – 2018

'Maritime Spatial Planning for Sustainable Blue Economies - Plan4Blue'

- Funded by the European Commission and Estonian Environmental Investment Center

2014 – 2017

European Union 7th Framework Programme project STYLE - 'Strategic Transitions for Youth Labour in Europe'

- Funded by the European Commission

● HONOURS AND AWARDS

Scholarships and awards

- 05/2022 - Schumpeter Young Economist Award (Schumpeter Society Vienna and the Oesterreichische Nationalbank)
- 2019 1st prize for a doctoral thesis in Culture and Society within the National Contest for University Students (Estonian Ministry of Education and Research)
- 2019 Voldemar Jaanberg scholarship (Scholarship Foundation of the University of Tartu)
- 2016 Dora Plus long-term mobility grant (Archimedes Foundation, Estonian government)
- 2016 Estonian Economic Association award for the best PhD paper
- 2015 Voldemar Jaanberg scholarship (Scholarship Foundation of the University of Tartu)
- 2015 Research stay funding provided by the COST Action IS1104
- 2015 Conference stipend provided by the COST Action IS1104
- 2014 Raefond scholarship for international students of the University of Tartu (Raefond Foundation)
- 2014 - 2018 Estonian Doctoral Program in Economics scholarship

● JOB-RELATED SKILLS

Journal Referee

Management Science, Labour Economics, Proceedings of National Academy of Sciences, Humanities and Social Sciences Communications, International Journal of Finance & Economics, Economic Modelling, Swiss Political Science Review, Journal of Immigrant and Refugee Studies, Journal of International Migration and Integration, Applied Economics, Baltic Journal of Economics, The Journal of International Trade and Economic Development, Sustainability, International Journal of Manpower, Structural Change and Economic Dynamics, Social Sciences

Teaching experience

- 2023-... Decision Making and Choice Behaviour (MSc, University of Tartu)
- 2022 - 2024 Introductory Econometrics (MSc, University of Tartu)
- 2014 - 2024 Simulation Methods in Financial Mathematics (MSc/PhD, University of Tartu)
- 2022 Experimental Economics (MSc/PhD, University of Tartu)
- 2018 - 2020 Intermediate Microeconomics (BA, University of Innsbruck)
- 2017 Introduction to R software (MSc, University of Tartu)
- 2017 Applied Microeconometrics I and II (MSc, Aalto University)
- 2015 - 2016 Quantitative Methods in Economics (MSc, University of Tartu)
- 2014 - 2015 Research Methods in Business and Economics (BA, University of Tartu)
- 2014 Risk Theory (MSc, University of Tartu)

● MANAGEMENT AND LEADERSHIP SKILLS

Supervision of Students - Master theses

- 'The Effects of Skills on the Gender Wage Gap in Estonia: an Analysis Based on PIAAC Data' by Oksana Boiko (University of Tartu)
- 'Would automatically pre-calculated personalised total cost of ownership nudge customers towards more responsible car purchase' by Ergo Themis (University of Tartu)
- 'Immigrants labor market integration and use of skills at work' by Giorgi Mosulishvili and Elvin Mammadli (University of Tartu)
- 'Endowment Effect in Light Electric Vehicles Use: Experimental Assessment' by Carlos Antonio Quiros Duran (University of Tartu)
- 'Shifting patterns of intra-family time allocation of paid work and housework: cross-European analysis based on HETUS data' by Aleksandra Grischechko (University of Tartu)

Supervision of Students - Bachelor thesis

- 'PISA Test Achievement Among Nordic Countries: Influences of Family and School Context' by Meng Huang (University of Tartu)