

## PERSONAL INFORMATION



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Sex Female | Date of birth 31/07/1978 | Nationality Austrian

## WORK EXPERIENCE

02/2007–Present

**Economist**

The Vienna Institute for International Economic Studies (wiiw)  
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Research Focus on International trade and FDI in Services; Macroeconomic analysis and forecast; Economies of Ukraine and CIS; Banking markets; CGE modelling; Ukraine, Commonwealth of Independent States (CIS)

**Business or sector** Economic Research Institute

07/2006–01/2007

**Head of External Research Division**

UkrSybbank (BNP Paribas Group), Kiev (Ukraine)

Research on the economy and financial markets of Ukraine; developing a model for forecasting banking markets development

**Business or sector** Banking

03/2005–01/2007

**Private researcher (part-time, 11 person-months in total)**

'The Industrial Restructuring in the NMS: Experience and Lessons for NIS' project (EU Sixth Framework Programme)

Research on industrial restructuring, foreign trade and labour markets in the CIS countries

**Business or sector** Economic Research

10/2005–06/2006

**Consultant**

World Bank, Kiev (Ukraine)

Contributing to research on public expenditures efficiency, impact of energy prices increase, labour market policies etc; writing reports on Ukraine's macroeconomic and political developments

**Business or sector** Economic Research

07/2003–04/2005

**Private researcher (part-time, 7 person-months in total)**

World Bank, Kiev (Ukraine)

Research on foreign trade for the following reports: 'Trade Performance and Regional Integration of the CIS Countries', 'Ukraine's Trade Study', 'Country Economic Memorandum', 'From Disintegration to Reintegration: Europe and Central Asia International Trade'

**Business or sector** Economic Research

01/2005–08/2005

**Senior Research Manager**

GfK-Ukraine, Kiev (Ukraine)

Research on banking and insurance markets

**Business or sector** Marketing Research

07/2003–12/2004

**Macroeconomist**

Support Group for the Coordination Council on the Financial Sector Policy at the Cabinet of Ministers of Ukraine, Kiev (Ukraine)

Conducting macroeconomic research and developing recommendations for the government policy at the financial services markets

**Business or sector** Economic Research and Policy Consulting

03/2000–06/2003

**Senior Economist**

International Centre for Policy Studies, Kiev (Ukraine)

Conducting macroeconomic research and developing recommendations for the economic policy of the government; Forecasting developments of the Ukrainian economy

**Business or sector** Economic Research and Policy Consulting

EDUCATION AND TRAINING

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08/2010

Center of Global Trade Analysis and Purdue University, West Lafayette (United States)

Eighteenth Annual Short Course in Global Trade Analysis

05/2010

GIST, Paris (France)

Summer school “Heterogenous Firms and Offshoring in Services”

05/2009

GIST jointly with the Geary Institute and the CEPR, Dublin, Ireland

Workshop “CGE Modeling of Trade and FDI in Services in GAMS”

03/2006

The World Bank Training Course ‘Trade Policy and WTO Accession for Development in Russia and CIS’, Moscow (Russia)

Foreign trade policy, WTO

2000–2002

**M.A. (Economics)**

EERC MA Programme in Economics, the National University of Kiev-Mohyla Academy, Kiev (Ukraine)

Microeconomics, Macroeconomics, Econometrics, International Economics, Industrial Organization

1995–2000

**B.A. (Economics)**

The National University of Kiev-Mohyla Academy, Kiev (Ukraine)

Microeconomics, Macroeconomics, International Economics

PERSONAL SKILLS

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**Mother tongue(s)**

Ukrainian, Russian

Foreign language(s)	UNDERSTANDING		SPEAKING		WRITING
	Listening	Reading	Spoken interaction	Spoken production	
English	C2	C2	B2	B2	B2
Polish	C2	C2	B2	B2	B2
German	A2	A2	A2	A2	A2

Levels: A1 and A2: Basic user - B1 and B2: Independent user - C1 and C2: Proficient user  
Common European Framework of Reference for Languages

**Communication skills**

I have worked a lot in multicultural environments (World Bank, UkrSybbank, the Vienna Institute for International Economic Studies). Jobs I had in the International Centre for Policy Studies, GfK-Ukraine and UkrSybbank required extensive communication both with colleagues and clients, while work at the Support Group for the Coordination Council on the Financial Sector Policy at the Cabinet of Ministers of Ukraine required wide communication with the government. I was a member of the EERC alumni discussion club in which economic policy and cultural issues were discussed.

**Organisational / managerial skills**

I coordinated and administrated teams of up to 10 people during my work at the International Centre for Policy Studies, GfK-Ukraine and UkrSybbank. I have taken part in the administration and monitoring of sub-contracted work in the framework of research projects commissioned by the UkrSybbank.

**Digital skills**

MS-Office: Word, Excel, PowerPoint  
 MS Access  
 Statistics and econometrics: Stata, E-Views, SPSS