

DARIA ZHORNIK

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PERSONAL DATA

Date of birth: 25.02.1997

Location: Munich, Germany

Research interests: linguistic fieldwork, language documentation, Uralic languages, linguistic typology, verbal morphology, corpus linguistics, information structure, linguistic variation

EDUCATION

Lomonosov Moscow State University

Master's in Theoretical and Applied Linguistics

Thesis: Passive constructions in Mansi: diachrony and variation

Supervisor: Vladimir Plungian

Sept 2018 – June 2020 Moscow, Russia

University of Helsinki

Internship at the Department of Finno-Ugric Studies

Sept - Dec 2017 Helsinki, Finland

Lomonosov Moscow State University

Bachelor's in Theoretical and Applied Linguistics

Thesis: Passive constructions in Uralic: typology and diachrony

Supervisor: Vladimir Plungian

Sept 2014 – June 2018 Moscow, Russia

WORK EXPERIENCE

Ludwig Maximilian University of Munich

Doctoral Programme at the Graduate School Language and Literature

Dissertation project: Evolution of discourse organization systems in Northern Mansi

Supervisor: Ksenia Shagal

Oct 2022 – present Munich, Germany

Research Fellow

Institute of Linguistics, Russian Academy of Sciences

Research Center for the Preservation, Revitalization and Documentation of the Languages of Russia

May 2021 – present Moscow, Russia

Junior Research Fellow

Institute of Linguistics, Russian Academy of Sciences

Department of Typology and Areal Linguistics

Oct 2018 – May 2021 Moscow, Russia

GRANTS

Dynamics of the linguistic situation in the Far North: diachronic documentation of Naukan Yupik

RSF No. 23-18-00204

Supervisor: Vladimir Plungian

Sum: 6.800.000RUB/year

2023 – present Moscow, Russia

Argument Structure, Voice and Valency-Changing Derivations in Western Siberia

RSF No. 19-78-10139

Supervisor: Daria Ryzhova

Sum: 5.000.000RUB/year

2019 – 2022 Moscow, Russia

Interpreting Linguistic and Cultural History of Mansi: Ethnographic, Folklore and Linguistic Data from Valery Chernetsov's Archive

RSF No. 19-18-00329

Supervisor: Vladimir Plungian

Sum: 5.000.000RUB/year

2019 – 2021 Tomsk, Russia

Dynamics of Phonetical and Grammatical Systems of the Ob-Ugric Languages

RFBR No. 18-012-00833

Supervisor: Valentin Gusev

Sum: 800.000RUB/year

2018 – 2020 Moscow, Russia

TEACHING & SUPERVISING

A Northern Mansi course for general linguists
Institute of Finno-Ugric/Uralic Studies
📅 Oct 2023 – Feb 2024 📍 Ludwig Maximilian University

Supervising a course paper on Northern
Mansi diminutives
Department of Theoretical and Applied linguistics
📅 Dec 2023 – Jun 2024 📍 Moscow State University

Comparative Grammar of the Finno-Ugric
Languages
Department of Finno-Ugric Philology
📅 Sept 2021 – Jan 2022 📍 Moscow State University

TA in General Morphology
Department of Theoretical and Applied Linguistics
📅 Sept 2019 – Jun 2021 📍 Moscow State University

ORGANIZING COMMITTEES

Small languages on the big stage: Linguistic
diversity in research, revitalisation, and
policies (29.LIPP-Symposium)
Ludwig-Maximilian University
📅 7-10 Dec 2023 📍 Munich, Germany

Linguistic Forum 2021: Language policies and
language preservation
Institute of Linguistics, Russian Academy of Sciences
📅 11-13 Nov 2021 📍 online

Linguistic Forum 2019: Indigenous languages
of Russia and the world
Institute of Linguistics, Russian Academy of Sciences
📅 4-6 Apr 2019 📍 Moscow, Russia

PolePhon-2018: Field and experimental
phonetics
Lomonosov Moscow State University
📅 19-20 Oct 2018 📍 Moscow, Russia

FIELDWORK EXPERIENCE

Northern Mansi
Personal fieldwork
📅 30 weeks, 2017-2024 📍 Western Siberia, Russia

Naukan Yupik
Institute of Linguistics RAS fieldwork
📅 10 weeks, 2022-2024 📍 Chukotka, Russia

Northern Khanty
**Moscow State University and Higher School of
Economics fieldwork**
📅 3 weeks, 2018 📍 Western Siberia, Russia

Besermyan Udmurt
Higher School of Economics fieldwork
📅 2 weeks, 2016 📍 Udmurtia, Russia

Hill Mari
**Moscow State University and Higher School of
Economics fieldwork**
📅 8 weeks, 2016-2018 📍 Mari El, Russia

Moksha Mordvin
**Moscow State University and Higher School of
Economics fieldwork**
📅 10 weeks, 2015-2017 📍 Mordovia, Russia

LANGUAGE SKILLS

Russian: native
English: fluent (C2)
Northern Mansi: upper intermediate (B2)
German: upper intermediate (B2)
French: upper intermediate (B2)
Finnish: intermediate (B1)
Swedish: intermediate (B1)
Icelandic: intermediate (B1)

Language certificates:
Certificate of Proficiency in English (C2)
YKI-testi (Finnish language certificate B1/B2)
Swedex (Swedish language certificate B2)