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EDUCATION

Rutgers University, PhD., Political Science, May 2018 (expected)
New York University, NY, M.A., International Relations, 2011
Rider University, NJ, B.A., History and Multicultural Studies, *summa cum laude*, 2008
Belarusian State Pedagogical University, Three years of undergraduate study, 2001-2004

PUBLICATIONS

Kulakevich, T. (forthcoming). "Belarus in Congressional Record, 1873-1994." *Journal of Belarusian Studies*.

Kulakevich, T. and Charnysh, V. 2017. "Political Parties in Belarus." In *Organizational Structures of Political Parties in Central and Eastern European Countries*. Jagiellonian University and Pedagogical University in Krakow.

Kulakevich, T. 2016. Review of M. Balmaceda's "Living the High Life in Minsk: Russian Energy Rents, Domestic Populism and Belarus' Impending Crisis High". *The Journal of Eurasian Studies*, 7(2):220.

Kipel Z. 2014. "Development of Book Studies in Belarus," 1917-1935 (T. Kulakevich and Vital Ermashkevish, Trans.). In *Belarusian Book in Context of the World Book Culture*. Minsk: Medial. pp. 123-134.

Kulakevich, T., 2014. "Twenty Years in the Making: Understanding the Difficulty for Change in Belarus." *East European Politics and Societies and Cultures*, 28(4): 887-901.

ANALYSES IN MEDIA

"Quality of Gender Equality in Belarus" Belarusdigest.com, 5 January, 2016.

"Humanism or Political Calculation: Why Did Lukashenka Pardon Political Prisoners?" *Belarusdigest.com*, 24 August, 2015.

"Belarus-EU Thaw: Will It Last This Time?" Belarusdigest.com, 31 July, 2015.

"Belarus's President Has Scheduled the Next Election. Has He Already Won His Fifth Term?" *Washingtonpost.com*, July 15, 2015.

"Investment Climate in Belarus: Room For Growth", Belarusdigest.com, 10 July, 2015.

"Political Parties in Belarus: Do They Really Matter?" Belarusdigest.com, 16 June, 2015.

"Sanctions, Peace Talks, Bologna Process: Is There Hope for Change?" *Belarusdigest.com*, 18 May, 2015.

"The Ice World Hockey Championship As A Tool For Propaganda." Belarusdigest.com, 12 June, 2014.

TEACHING

790:300: Introduction to Political Science Methods, *independently*, Rutgers University (fall 2017, summer 2017, spring 2017, fall 2016, spring 2016, fall 2015)

790:101: Nature of Politics, with S.Bronner, Rutgers University (spring 2017)

790:102: Introduction to International Relations, with G. Wallace, Rutgers University (spring 2016), with Ewan Harrison, Rutgers University (fall 2017)

790:103: Introduction to Comparative Politics, with M.Rossi, Rutgers University (fall 2013, spring 2014)

NYU Speaking Freely: Russian Language, *independently*, New York University (spring 2011)

CONFERENCES AND TALKS

"Making Connections Work", 10th United Students of Belarus Rally, Vilnius, Lithuania, July 2017

"Sanctions and Beyond: On the Role of Migrants for the US Foreign Policy Towards Belarus", 20th Annual ASN World Convention, New York, NY, April 2015

"Migrant Networks, Regime Type, and Global Investment: Reconsidering the influence of Immigration on Financial Flows", *Midwest Political Science Association*, Chicago, IL, April 2015

"Exploring the Negative: Migrant Networks' Role for Global Investment", *Rutgers University*, New Brunswick, NJ, May 2014

"The Boomerang Effect: Developing the Ground for Change in Belarus", *Association for Slavic, Eastern European & Eurasian Studies Annual Convention*, Boston, MA, November 2013

"Approaching 20 years of Lukashenka: History, Politics, and Memory in Belarus", 18th Annual ASN World Convention, New York, NY, April 2013

"Belarus as Borderland: Theoretical Perspectives and Empirical Findings", *Association for Slavic, Eastern European & Eurasian Studies Annual Convention*, New Orleans, LA, November 2012

"Sound of Silence. Art During Dictatorship", Austrian Cultural Forum, New York, NY, January 2012

GRANTS AND AWARDS

Teaching Assistantship, fall 2017 - spring 2018

TA-GA Award, summer 2017

Teaching Assistantship, fall 2016 - spring 2017

Special Study Award, summer 2016

Teaching Assistantship, spring 2016

TA-GA Award, fall 2015

Special Study Award, summer 2015

TA-GA Award, summer 2015

Central European University (Budapest) Scholarship, summer 2015

Teaching Assistantship, fall 2013- spring 2014

Tuition Incentive Program Award, New York University, 2009-2010, 2010-2011

Educational Scholarship, Lubachko Foundation, 2009-2010

Transfer Scholarship, Rider University, 2007-2008

PROFESSIONAL AFFILIATIONS

American Political Science Association (APSA)

Midwest Political Science Association (MPSA)

Association for the Study of Nationalities (ASN)

Association for Slavic, East European, and Eurasian Studies (ASEES)

Center for European Studies, Rutgers University

SKILLS

Belarusian (native), Russian (native), Polish (reading, speaking), Ukrainian (reading, speaking) STATA, SPSS, R, Joomla, HTML, LaTeX