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EDUCATION

Political Science, PhD

McGill University

Subfields: Comparative Politics and International Relations

Dissertation: *“Ethnonationalism for Them, Multinationality for Us”: Context-Dependent Radical Right Rhetoric in Russian Domestic Propaganda*

Dissertation committee: Maria Popova (supervisor), Terri Givens, Paul Goode

Expected graduation in 2026

Area Studies, spetsialist diplom

Lomonosov Moscow State University, Department of Foreign Languages and Area Studies

Field: Western European Studies (UK, Germany)

2010

PUBLICATIONS AND BOOK REVIEWS

Davydov, A. (2021). *Radical right ideologies and foreign policy preference: Attitudes towards Russia, China, and the USA in EU member states*. Montreal, Canada: Transatlantic Network on the Politicization of Europe (RESTEP).

Davydov, A. (2019). Review of *The Lands in Between: Russia vs. the West and the New Politics of Hybrid War*, by Mitchell A. Orenstein. *Harvard Ukrainian Studies*, 36(3–4), 517–520.

Davydov, A. (2017). Nativism versus right-wing transnationalism in American racial theories, 1914–1924. *Moscow University Bulletin. Series 19. Linguistics and Cross-Cultural Communication*, 2017(4), 146–153.

Davydov, A. (2016). Eastern European immigrants in American racial theories, 1914–1924. *Moscow University Bulletin. Series 19. Linguistics and Cross-Cultural Communication*, 2016(2), 125–132.

CONFERENCE PRESENTATIONS AND TALKS

“Radical Right Rhetoric in Russian Pro-Regime Discourses: Divergence by Platform.” (Online) 57th Association for Slavic, East European, and Eurasian Studies Annual Convention (ASEEES). November 2025.

“Radical Right Rhetoric in Russian Pro-Regime Discourses: Divergence by Platform.” 121st APSA Annual Meeting and Exhibition, Vancouver. September 2025.

“Radical Right Narratives in Russian Pro-Regime Discourses.” 28th Annual World Convention of the Association for the Study of Nationalities (ASN), Columbia University. May 2025.

“Ethnonationalism Abroad, Multinationality at Home: Radical Right Rhetoric in Russia’s Domestic Official Discourse.” 56th Association for Slavic, East European, and Eurasian Studies Annual Convention (ASEEES), Boston. November 2024.

“Context-Dependent Radical Right Rhetoric in Domestic Russian Propaganda.” 120th APSA Annual Meeting and Exhibition, Philadelphia. September 2024.

“Domestic Adoption of International Radical Right Rhetoric by the Russian Regime: Evidence from Propaganda Talk Shows.” 2024 Canadian Political Science Association Annual Conference (CPSA), Montreal. June 2024.

“Ethnonationalism for Them, Multinationality for Us: Domestic Adoption of International Radical Right Rhetoric by the Russian Regime.” 28th Annual World Convention of the Association for the Study of Nationalities (ASN), Columbia University. May 2024.

“Does Russia’s Domestic Adoption of International Radical Right Rhetoric Fragment and Reduce the Opposition?” 55th Association for Slavic, East European, and Eurasian Studies Annual Convention (ASEEES), Philadelphia. December 2023.

“How Do Radical Right-Wing Attitudes in Western Europe and North America Impact the Perception of Russia?” (Online) ICCEES 10th World Congress: Bridging National and Global Perspectives, Concordia University. August 2021.

“How Do Radical Right-Wing Attitudes in Western Europe and North America Impact the Perception of Russia?” (Online) Jean Monnet Centre, McGill University. June 2020.

“Germanic or Nordic? Linguistic Groups and Nationalism in Interwar American Racial Theories.” Language and the Space of Ethnocultural Dialogue, St. Petersburg State University. March 2017.

“American Racial Theories, 1914–1924: Lothrop Stoddard and Madison Grant.” Lomonosov Readings 2016, Lomonosov Moscow State University. April 2016.

“The New Peloponnesian War: World War I and Ethnicity in American Racial Theories, 1914–1924.” Imagining and Building Peace in American Culture: 41st Conference of the Russian Society of American Culture Studies (RSACS), Lomonosov Moscow State University. December 2015.

SERVICE

Peer Review of Manuscripts

Nationalities Papers, Journal of Common Market Studies, Humanities & Social Sciences Communications

AWARDS AND SCHOLARSHIPS

Best Doctoral Paper Award, Association for the Study of Nationalities	2025
Lemieux Family Fellowship	2024–2025
Graduate Research Enhancement and Travel Award	2024
McCall MacBain Fellowship	2022–2023
Graduate Excellence Award	2020–2023
Réseau transatlantique sur l’Europe politique (RESTEP) Award	2021
Graduate and Postdoctoral Dean Award	2020–2021
Frank and Judith Kunz Fellowship in Political Science	2019–2020
Nathan Steinberg Fellowship in Political Science	2018–2019
Alexander MacKenzie Fellowship	2018–2019

TEACHING AND OTHER WORK

Lecturer at McGill University

2023–2025

- “POLI 423 Politics of Ethno-Nationalism”
- “POLI 339 Nationalism, Ethnicity and the Radical Right in Europe”
- “POLI 431 Nations and States/Developed World”

Teaching Assistant at McGill University

2018–2026

- “POLI 212 Government and Politics/Developed World”
- “POLI 339 Comparative Immigration Politics”
- “POLI 357 Politics: Contemporary Europe”
- “POLI 442 International Relations of Ethnic Conflict”
- “POLI 423 Politics of Ethno-Nationalism”
- “POLI 329 Russian and Soviet Politics”
- “SOCI 330 Sociological Theory”

Research Assistant for Professor Maria Popova at McGill University

2018–2020

Assisted Professor Maria Popova at the Jean Monnet Centre Montréal.

Lecturer at Lomonosov Moscow State University

2012–2017

Designed and taught undergraduate and graduate courses at the Department of Comparative Literature and Culture, Faculty of Foreign Languages and Area Studies.

- “Race in 20th-Century American Culture” in English
- “History of American Literature” in English
- “History of American and British Literature (Early 20th Cent.)” in English
- “History of Western European Literature (Early 20th Cent.)” in Russian
- “History of Western European Literature (Late 19th Cent.)” in Russian
- “History of Western European Literature (Early 19th Cent.)” in Russian
- “History of Western European Literature (17th-18th Cent.)” in Russian
- “Western European Cultural History (Late 19th Cent., Early 20th Cent.)” in English

Lecturer at Knowledge Exchange Institute (KEI) at Lomonosov MSU

2013–2017

Designed and taught courses to American undergraduate and graduate exchange students.

- “History of Russian Literature” in English
- “Russian Cultural History” in English

Teaching Assistant at Lomonosov Moscow State University

2011–2012

- “History of World Literature (Classical, Medieval)” in Russian

ADDITIONAL TRAINING

Eastern Europe and Transatlantic Network Workshop, Carleton University

March 2025

Computational Analysis of Texts on War in Ukraine, Réseau d'analyse stratégique

July 2023

Computing and Math Summer Camp, McGill University

August 2019

Qualitative Research Methods, LSE Methods Summer School Program

August 2013

Further Statistics for Economics and Econometrics , LSE Summer School	July–August 2012
Essential Statistics for Economics and Econometrics , LSE Summer School	June–July 2012
International Political Economy , LSE Summer School	June–July 2009
Applied Translation , Study Abroad Program, London Metropolitan University	2008–2009

LANGUAGES AND SKILLS

Russian (native), English (fluent), German (intermediate), Ukrainian (intermediate)
Python (proficient), R (proficient), L^AT_EX(proficient)