

Aleksandra Butneva

Curriculum Vitae

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Academic Career

- since 08/2018 **Bachelor of Arts in Political Science**, *University of Mannheim*, Germany, exp. GPA: 3.8
Minor subject: Economics
- 06–07/2019 **Seoul International Summer School 2019**, *University of Seoul*, South Korea, GPA: 4.0
Courses: International Political Economy, Korean language, culture, and society.
- 09/2017–07/2018 **Entrance qualification for German universities**, Marburg, Germany, GPA: 4.0
Examined in humanities, German literature, and language
- 06/2017 **High School Diploma**, Moscow, Russia, GPA: 4.0
High school with an intensive German language program

Professional Experience

- since 10/2020 **Data Science Advisory for Prof. Vera Tröger**
Consulted Prof. Tröger on issues related to web scraping with R and Python
- since 06/2020 **Research Assistant**, *Mannheim Centre for European Social Research (MZES)*, Mannheim, Germany
- Participated in the Corona Studies conducted by Dr. Ron David Lehrer
- Collected data on political awareness
- since 01/2020 **Research Assistant**, *Chair of Quantitative Methods in the Social Sciences and at the Collaborative Research Center "Political Economy of Reforms"*, Mannheim, Germany
- Conducted quantitative text analysis in R
- Developed topic models for an interdisciplinary research project on the decision-making by the German Federal Constitutional Court conducted by Prof. Thomas Gschwend and Dr. Benjamin Engst
- since 10/2019 **Teaching Assistant**, *Chair of Quantitative Methods in the Social Sciences*, Mannheim, Germany
- Taught multiple classes of 20-25 students in Research Design & Methods including designing lesson plans, preparing materials and grading exams. These classes were in person in Fall 2019 and online via Zoom in Fall 2020.
- since 10/2019 **Invited Young Scholar**, *Financial University under the Government of the Russian Federation and Kazan Innovative University*, (online offer)
- Co-authored articles in the Innovation Management and Telemedicine area
- Developed an NLP-implementation based on SpaCy and Stanza in Python
The program enables processing Russian language in Python and enhances the development of e-health, solving definition and classification problems of telemedical services.

Internships

- 08/2018 **Intern at the Department for Urban, Regional, and Economic Development**, *the Municipal Administration of Marburg*, Marburg, Germany
- Collected data on economic activities in the administrative district of Marburg-Biedenkopf
- Designed flyers for the city advertising campaign
- Designed PowerPoint presentations for official events organized by the City of Marburg
- 02/2018 **Intern at the Support and Consulting Center for refugees without prior German knowledge**, *Ministry for Education and Culture (Hessen)*, Marburg, Germany
Taught German language classes for refugees of school-age at German primary schools, the lower secondary level, and vocational/professional schools

Scholarships and Grants

- since 05/2017 **German Academic Exchange Service (DAAD) Study Scholarship for the best graduates of German Schools abroad**
Awarded with one of four exclusive scholarships for the pursuit of a Bachelor's degree in Germany
- 08/2020-08/2021 **Scholarship of the European Forum Alpbach (EFA) – an Interdisciplinary Platform for Science, Politics, Business and Culture**
Discussant & Speaker of the EFA's 75th online conference 2020

- 2020-2021 **One-year scholarship including free membership in The Society for Political Methodology**
 06/2017 **Presidential Grant for outstanding academic performance and winner of the German language competition in Russia**

Publications

- Butneva, A., Gumerova, G., Shaimieva, E. (2020). Studying the formation of e-health on the basis of e-health Industry 4.0: applying the experience for Russian e-health. Is there an opportunity window for the innovation-guided process integration of e-health in Russia? [English] *International Research Journal*, 9-1 (99). doi: 10.23670/IRJ.2020.99.9.027
- Gumerova, G., Shaimieva, E., Butneva, A. (2020). Enhancing information communication indicators for the development of Russian electronic business model in the e-health system based on process integration in the Industry 4.0. [Russian] *Investitions in Russia*, 9(308), 8-18. ISSN: 0868-5711
- Gumerova, G., Shaimieva, E., Butneva, A. (2020). Deriving indicators of information communication for the development of Russian e-health business model building on process integration in the Industry 4.0. [Russian] *Economic Vector*, 3(22), 30-38. ISSN: 2411-7269
- Gumerova, G., Shaimieva, E., Butneva, A., Rafikova, N. (2020). Waste collection and recycling as cities' social problem. development of social policy based on changes in social mechanisms and use of digital technologies.[Russian] *Public Administration E-Journal*, 81, 233-259. doi: 10.24411/2070-1381-2019-10087
- Gumerova, G., Shaimieva, E., Butneva, A. (2020, February 18-19). Is Russia ready for Industry 4.0? Perspectives of long-term integration of e-health in the Russian Federation considering German experience. [Paper presentation]. [Russian]. In: *Modern Approaches to the Transformation of Concepts of State Administration and Management in Socio-Economic Systems*. 9-th International Scientific-Practical Conference (Russia), Kursk (pp. 139-141). ISBN: 978-5-9907948-3-2

Work in Progress

- Butneva, A., Gumerova, G., Hüsig, S., Schewe, G., Shaimieva, E. Introducing a universal classifier of e-medical services to Russian e-health system. Applied Natural Language Processing (NLP) in Python. (2020) *Patent request, under review of Russian Federal Patenting Service*.

Extracurricular Activities

- since 2020 **Board Member**, *CorrelAid: An Independent and Inclusive Non-Partisan Network of Data Scientists*, Mannheim and Heidelberg, Germany
 Conducted interactive visualization of regional data with R and Python
- since 2019 **Volunteer**, *The German Red Cross*, Department of Migration and Integration, Mannheim, Germany
 Organized German language tutorials and integration workshops for refugees
- since 2018 **Mentor**, *the DAAD Mentoring Program "German schools abroad"*, Baden-Württemberg area, Germany
 - Mentored newly arrived scholarship holders
 - Developed online-platforms for social networking and intercultural exchange

Conference Participation & Talks (selection)

- 07/2020 **Annual Meeting of the Society for Political Methodology (PolMeth XXXVII)**, Attendee
- 08/10–12/10/2019 **International Conference "Responsibility in Science, Economics, and Culture"**, *Embassy of Germany in cooperation with Hallo Deutschland e.V*, Moscow, Russia
 Held a presentation on startup development guidelines for 2030
- 10/02/2019 **Workshop "Rhetorical and presentation techniques"**, Mannheim, Germany
 Received a professional training in rhetoric and practiced presentation skills
- 04/05–06/05/2018 **The German Academic Exchange Service (DAAD) Scholarship Holders' Official Meeting "Migration – Societies in Transition"**, *the DAAD in cooperation with the University of Osnabrück*, Osnabrück, Germany
- 12/2017 **Workshop "Introduction to broadcasting" by Radio-Unerhört**, Marburg, Germany
 Produced and co-moderated a radio program about international students in Germany
- 2014–2017 **International German-language debating contest "Jugend debattiert international"**, Moscow, Russia
 - Co-organized moderation & rhetoric trainings in Moscow and held workshops for future debaters
 - Worked as a jury member at various competition levels

- 08/06–12/06/2016 **Bilateral Conference “10 Years of the Coordination Office”**, Moscow, Russia
Co-organized the conference and worked as a volunteer and interpreter for international guests
- 05/2016 **Joint seminar for the winners of national debating tournaments from Ukraine and Russia**,
Jugend debattiert international, Berlin, Germany
Awarded with a participation scholarship as a winner of Russian final debating rounds

Computer skills

- Data Analysis Proficiency in R: NLP, Survival Analysis, Advanced Quantitative Text Analysis
Advanced knowledge of STATA
- Programming Python and Git: Web Scraping, Management of Databases and Servers, SQL, Geocoding
- Document \LaTeX , Microsoft Office Suite
Preparation

Languages

- Russian native speaker
- English proficient user
- German proficient user
- Korean basic user

References

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