CV

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Interests:	Programming, Linguistics, Statistics, Data-driven approaches.

Skills

Programming & Related Tools

R, *Python —* Good knowledge

Javascript + CSS + HTML, jQuery — Good knowledge (frontend only, currently learning backend)

React, PHP, SQL, Bootstrap — Familiar, needs refreshing

SalesForce — Surface familiarity

Data wrangling, visualisation and statistical analysis — Good knowledge (with a scientific focus)

Command line tools, *Git, Conda venv —* Confident user

Atlassian Jira, *Visual Studio Code (and other IDEs) —* Familiar, currently learning

Text Editing etc.

MS Office / Mac Office Apps / Google Docs, Markdown — Good knowledge

LaTeX & *Overleaf—* Surface familiarity

Languages

Native: Russian, Belarussian

Foreign: English (fluent), German (fluent), Polish (reading, passive understanding)

Soft / Organisational Skills & Experience

Group project coordination, Scientific research, Scientific communication, Conference and event organisation, Quick learning, Conflict resolution, Public speaking and presenting research, Academic writing, Teaching.

Education

School

2001 — 2009	Gymnasium 22 (Minsk, Belarus)
2009 — 2012	School 218 (Moscow, Russia)

University and academic degrees

2012 — 2016	BA (General Linguistics), National Research University „Higher School of Economics" (Moscow, Russia), School of Linguistics; diploma Cum Laude Title of Thesis: *A Comparative Study of Spatial Case Systems in Northern Dialects of Dargwa*
2016 — 2018	MA (General Linguistics), National Research University „Higher School of Economics" (Moscow, Russia), School of Linguistics; diploma Cum Laude (Language of instruction — English) Title of Thesis: *Quantifying Lexical Contact in Daghestan: Methods and Results*
2019 — 2022	Doctoral Candidate (Caucasology / Linguistics), Max-Planck Institute for the Science of Human History / Friedrich-Schiller-Universität Jena Title of Thesis: *Evolution and Diversification of the Caucasian Languages*

Professional career

01.07.2014 — 31.12.2014	Laboratory Assistant at the HSE Laboratory for Caucasian Languages (Moscow, Russia)
02.02.2015 — 31.12.2015	Research Assistant at the HSE Laboratory for Caucasian Languages (Moscow, Russia)
01.07.2016 — 30.11.2016	Junior Research Fellow at the Institute of Linguistics of the Russian Academy of Sciences (Moscow, Russia)
01.12.2016 — 31.08.2019	Assistant at the HSE School of Linguistics (Moscow, Russia). Taught the following courses: • Old Church Slavonic • Introduction to Linguistics • Languages of Russia • Morphology • Typology • German as a second language • Introduction to Caucasian studies Academic services • Supervising the organization of youth conferences and Summer schools
01.03.2017 — 31.07.2019	Part-time: Research Assistant at the HSE Linguistic Convergence Laboratory (Moscow, Russia) Conducted the following research: • A project on the intonation in non-standard Russian variants (in collaboration with Prof. Dr. Olga Lyashevskaya) • The DagLoans project on language contact in Dagestan (in collaboration with Prof. Dr. Michael Daniel and Samira Verhees)

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External funding for research projects

2014 — 2016	Research project supported by the Russian Science Foundation (n° 14-18-02429) (as a member of the research group); host institution: Institute of Linguistics of the Russian Academy of Sciences, Moscow

Exchange programs

2014	University of Bern, Switzerland

Language courses and advanced training courses

2014	German language, Universität Bern (B2) (Bern, Switzerland)
2017	International Summer School on Typology and Lexicon (TyLex), HSE jointly with Hebrew University of Jerusalem and Stockholm University, Moscow (Voronovo), Moscow, Russia
2018	Statistics for linguists with R, Maria Curie-Skłodowska University of Lublin, Poland; instructor Prof. Stefan Th. Gries (University of California, Santa Barbara)
2018	Summer School "Areal Linguistics and Languages of Russia", HSE, Moscow (Voronovo), Russia
2020	Reproducible Research & Data Management Workshop, MPI-SHH, Jena, 29-30 January 2020
2021	Summer school "Doorway to Human History", MPI-SHH, Jena, 16-27 August 2021

Conferences (as organiser)

2016 — 2018	Annual conference „Corpus Technologies. Digital Humanities and Modern Knowledge (ConCort)", typological section
2016	Member of the organizing committee of the international conference " Valency and Valency Change in the Caucasus", Moscow, Russia; see online at: https://ling.hse.ru/uslar

Academic Awards

2016	Elena Grishina prize fort the best BA thesis
2017	2nd prize in the Student Research Paper Contest (НИРС ВШЭ 2017)
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