

Nina Nikiforova

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RESEARCH INTERESTS

Political economy, authoritarianism, collective actions, voting, symbolic politics

EDUCATION

Bocconi University <i>PhD in Economics</i>	Milan, Italy 2021 - ...
New Economic School <i>Master of Arts in Economics, GPA 4.6/5.0</i> <i>Best student in specialisations: Economic Development, Political Economy</i>	Moscow, Russia 2019 – 2021
Moscow State University <i>Bsc & MSc in Economic Geography, GPA 5.0/5.0</i>	Moscow, Russia 2014 – 2020
Humboldt University <i>Exchange semester</i>	Berlin, Germany 2019

WORK IN PROGRESS

drafts available upon request

- o On strategic logic of personal repressions in autocracies
- o How voters respond to top-down symbolic politics: the renaming of streets in Poland *with V. Charnysh*
- o Cultural capital and the (intergenerational) persistence of higher education in France *with R. Aulagnon*

ADDITIONAL EDUCATION & EXPERIENCE

TSE Summer School	Toulouse, France June 2023
EITM Summer School	Oslo, Norway July 2023
RA for M. Battaglini	2023
Tartu University <i>Research visit</i>	Tartu, Estonia July 2022
University Development Laboratory, Higher School of Economics <i>Researcher</i>	Moscow, Russia 2018, 2021 - 2022
UNIDO <i>Internship</i>	Moscow, Russia June 2017 – Aug. 2017

SKILLS

- o **Languages:** Russian(native), English(advanced), German(upper-intermediate), Italian(beginner)
- o **Software:** R, Python, L^AT_EX, Arcgis, Qgis

HONORS AND AWARDS

- o Scholarship of the "Safmar" Charitable Foundation at NES
- o Fellow of the Konrad Adenauer Foundation 2017/2018
- o DAAD Fellow 2019
- o Moscow State University scholarship for academic excellence 2016-2019